

# BOTCAWARIS BANQUET 2025













# BOTC AWARDS BANQUET 2025

RECOGNIZING ROTC CADETS & MIDSHIPMEN FROM MICHIGAN UNIVERSITIES FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING ACCOMPLISHMENTS

# VALDE GARCIA PRESIDENT, NDIA MICHIGAN CHAPTER



Valde Garcia serves as the Congressional & Industry Liaison for the Army's Program Executive Office for Combat Support & Combat Service Support. Prior to his current duties, Valde was the Business Development Manager for KBR (formerly Wyle).

He served in the Michigan legislature as a State Representative for just over two years and then for nearly ten years as a State Senator. He is the first Hispanic elected to the State House (shared with one other that year) as well as the first Hispanic elected to the State Senate. As a Senator, he sponsored the legislation which created the Michigan Defense Center, now known as the Office of Defense and Aerospace Innovation. President

George W. Bush appointed him to the President's Commission for White House Fellows. In 2010 he retired from the Senate due to term limits.

Valde also served for 30 years in the United States Army, Army Reserves, and the Michigan National Guard. He retired in 2012 as a Colonel and as the Deputy Chief of Staff for Intelligence and Security for the Michigan Army National Guard.

He currently serves as the President of the National Defense Industrial Association – Michigan (NDIA-MICH) and the Michigan Military and Veterans Hall of Honor.

He has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science and History from Cedarville University and a Master of Strategic Studies from the U.S. Army War College.











# VERONICA BAGINSKI CYBER AND DIGITAL SYSTEMS MANAGER, THE NATIONAL ADVANCED MOBILITY CONSORTIUM (NAMC)



With an insatiable drive for innovation and a passion for driving businesses forward, Veronica has established herself as a dynamic leader in the defense industrial base, cybersecurity, and entrepreneurship. Drawing from over a decade of diverse experience across various industries, Veronica has become a sought-after expert in navigating the complexities of CMMC, small business, and doing business with the DoD.

Veronica graduated from Michigan State University in 2013 with a bachelor's degree in marketing and a sales communication specialization. She has held sales and leadership positions across multiple industries including

grocery, automotive, small business, defense, and cybersecurity.

In October 2023, Veronica started with the National Advanced Mobility Consortium (NAMC) as the Membership Manager where she leveraged her expertise in small business and fostering collaborative partnerships with DoD experts and entities. Currently, she serves as the Cyber and Digital Systems Manager at NAMC to deliver cyber compliance and internal digital, software, and program efficiencies. She is a recipient of 40 Under 40 for Macomb County Chamber's Inaugural 2024 Class and graduated from Dale Carnegie in April 2024.

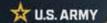


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# GUEST SPEAKER













# DOUG "ODIE" SLOCUM

# FOUNDER AND CEO THE SLOCUM GROUP LLC RETIRED U.S. AIR FORCE BRIGADIER GENERAL

Retiring as a Brigadier General in 2019, Doug "Odie" Slocum has 35 years' experience with the Air Force and the Air National Guard. His last assignment was as the Commanding General of the 127th Wing and Selfridge Air National Guard Base. Under his leadership, the men and women of the base earned numerous accolades including awards for being the top Air National Guard Wing in the country, the top fighter aircraft organization, the most efficient aerial tanker Wing in the Air Force, and only the third Air National Guard Wing in history to receive the Meritorious Unit Award for "outstanding devotion and exceptional performance." He is well known for his leadership style which has been branded as "violent positivity." Prior to coming to Michigan in 2014, he was the Air National Guard Inspector General in Washington DC.

He is known in Southeast Michigan for expanding partnerships and leading pioneering projects that unite coalitions locally and nationally. He is the recipient of DTE's 2019 Environmental Steward of the Year Award, Macomb County's 2018 Economic Partner of the Year, and was inducted into the Macomb County Hall of Fame in 2017. Odie is a world-renowned educator and acclaimed motivational speaker having delivered more than 750 presentations or keynote addresses to over 150,000 attendees.

Odie is a career fighter pilot with more than 4,100 hours flying F-4, F-16, and A-10 aircraft — the top 1% of experienced fighter pilots in the Air Force. As an instructor pilot, he has personally authored more than 250 lessons, textbooks, and professional publications. He served as the Air National Guard Director of Safety, where he is credited with leading the four safest years in the organization's history. He created and championed several proposals including an innovative program that addressed human error in aircraft maintenance. As a result the U.S. Air Force realized a 76% decrease in preventable mishaps, saving lives as well as more than \$78 million. He championed nation-wide programs for suicide prevention, fatigue management, driving safety, midair collision avoidance, and flight safety. He is also a trained and experienced aircraft mishap investigator. As a result of his safety innovations and results, Odie was inducted into the Air Force Safety Hall of Fame in 2013.

Odie is active in the community as a consultant and as a volunteer veteran advocate. In 2024, he published a book entitled "Violent Positivity" based on his career leadership experiences and lessons. Odie is the State President of the Michigan Air and Space Forces Association and was recently elected to the organization's National Board of Directors.



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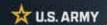
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# LTC AARON PETERS

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# **GUESTS OF HONOR**

This evening, the National Defense Industrial Association Michigan Chapter, the Sponsoring Organizations and the ROTC Awards Banquet Committee recognizes the top ROTC cadets and midshipmen with the highest scholastic and military achievement in their respective programs.

This ROTC Awards Banquet honors ROTC cadets and midshipmen from the Army, USMC, Navy and Air Force from all universities and other institutions of higher education in Michigan with ROTC programs including:

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MICHIGAN TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

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# SPECIAL THANKS TO:

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Anchor Bay High School AFJROTC, Anchor Bay, MI

# INVOCATION

Anthony Owens, Gideon Defense

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Mr. Chris Martinez, TACOM

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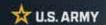
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# LTC KOKY SISOURA

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# MS. SABREE WILSON

Michigan State University
US Air Force











# **PROGRAM**

# 1830 - 1900

# **WELCOME & CALL TO ORDER**

Veronica Baginski, NAMC Mistress of Ceremonies

# PRESENTATION OF THE COLORS

Anchor Bay High School AFJROTC, Anchor Bay, MI

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Mr. Chris Martinez, TACOM

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Anthony Owens, Gideon Defense

# TOASTS

All in Attendance



1900 - 1945 **DINNER** 

# REMARKS

Valde Garcia, President, NDIA Michigan Chapter

# INTRODUCTION OF THE GUEST SPEAKER

Veronica Baginski, NAMC Mistress of Ceremonies

# **GUEST SPEAKER**

Doug "Odie" Slocum, Founder and CEO The Slocum Group LLC Retired U.S. Air Force Brigadier General

# **GROUP PHOTO**

All Award Recipients to Join Odie Slocum on Stage for Group Photo



1945 - 2000

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2000 - 2100 PROGRAM

# PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

LT COL Stephen Graham, USAF (Ret): Sponsoring Industry Partners



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# TOASTS

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COL GERHARD SCHRÖTER, USA (RET)

I PROPOSE A TOAST TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

ALL

TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

COL VALDE GARCIA, MI-ARNG (RET)

I PROPOSE A TOAST TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

ALI

TO THE PRESIDENT

COL SCOTT DAVIS, USA (RET)

I PROPOSE A TOAST
TO THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES

ALL

TO THE ARMED FORCES

LT COL STEPHEN GRAHAM, USAF (RET)

I PROPOSE A TOAST
TO OUR VETERANS OF THE CURRENT AND PAST WARS.

ALL

TO OUR VETERANS

LTC BOB AMENT (USA RET, VIETNAM ARMOR PLT LDR)

NOW, IN REMEMBRANCE OF OUR FALLEN HEROES
A MOMENT OF SILENCE.

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(MOMENT OF SILENCE)











# THE LEONARDO DRS AWARD: FRESHMAN

AWARDED TO THE FRESHMAN CADETS AND MIDSHIPMEN DEMONSTRATING THE MOST OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT.



MR. BOB MCNEILL

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# RECIPIENTS

# CADET MORGAN BELLEFEUILLE

Michigan Technological University
US Army

# **CADET ELIJAH BERTHAUME**

University of Michigan US Air Force

#### CADET MASSIMO CUGLIARI

Central Michigan University
US Army

# CADET TY DORTON

Michigan Technological University
US Air Force

# CADET EVA FAHRENKOG

Michigan State University
US Air Force

# **CADET GUINNESS GLIVAR**

University of Michigan US Army

#### CADET COLTON LAMAUDUE

Eastern Michigan University
US Army

# MIDSHIPMAN JACKSON PAGAN

University of Michigan
US Marine Corps

# CADET LANDON POWELL

Western Michigan University

US Army

# **CADET SOPHIA SHELTON**

Michigan State University US Army



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# THE WASÉYABEK FEDERAL GROUP AWARD: SOPHOMORE

AWARDED TO THE SOPHOMORE CADETS AND MIDSHIPMEN DEMONSTRATING THE MOST OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT.

# **PRESENTERS**

MR. MIKE DEVLIN MR. PHIL WILLS

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# RECIPIENTS

# **CADET MASON BAUER**

University of Michigan US Air Force

# **CADET ISABEL DENNIS**

Western Michigan University US Army

#### CADET BENJAMIN GRADY

Michigan Technological University
US Air Force

# CADET ETHEN HOWAY

Central Michigan University
US Army

# MIDSHIPMAN ANGUS MACCHESNEY

University of Michigan US Navy

# CADET ADAIN MULLER

Eastern Michigan University
US Army

# CADET VEDHA NAGAIAH

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US Army

# CADET ISAAC OLSEN

Michigan Technological University
US Army

# CADET ANNAMARIA SCHNEIDER

Michigan State University
US Air Force

# CADET BENNETT STANEART

Michigan State University
US Army











# THE AMENTUM AWARD: JUNIOR

AWARDED TO THE JUNIOR CADETS AND MIDSHIPMEN DEMONSTRATING THE MOST OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT.

# **PRESENTER**

CW4(RET) CHAD BROWN MR. JAMES RABB

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# RECIPIENTS

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US Army

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Eastern Michigan University
US Army

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# THE BAE SYSTEMS AWARD: SENIOR

AWARDED TO THE SENIOR CADETS AND MIDSHIPMEN DEMONSTRATING

THE MOST OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT.

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MS. ANGIE LOMMEN

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US Army

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Michigan Technological University
US Air Force

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Michigan State University US Army

# CADET ISAAC HEIN

Michigan Technological University
US Army

#### CADET LOGAN HEMSTREET

Western Michigan University
US Army

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University of Michigan US Army

# **CADET BRANDON IDE**

Central Michigan University
US Army

#### MIDSHIPMAN SILAS KRAJNIAK

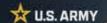
University of Michigan US Marine Corps

#### CADET ANTHONY PAUL

Michigan State University US Air Force

# CADET PRISCILLA PITIAK

University of Michigan US Air Force











# THE KBR ALL CLASS ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

AWARDED TO THE AIR FORCE CADETS AND NAVY MIDSHIPMEN DEMONSTRATING THE MOST OUTSTANDING MILITARY LEADERSHIP, ACHIEVEMENT, PROFICIENCY, SCHOLASTIC EXCELLENCE, AND PARTICIPATION IN EXTRACURRICULAR COLLEGE ACTIVITIES.

# PRESENTER MR. WILL BROADBENT

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# RECIPIENTS

# CADET AMANDA AUTIN

Michigan Technological University
US Air Force

# CADET CALEB CHADWELL

University of Michigan US Air Force

# MIDSHIPMAN THOMAS MUHA

University of Michigan US Navy

# **CADET KYSA SCHILLING**

Michigan State University US Air Force



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# THE GDLS COMMANDER'S EXCELLENCE AWARD

AWARDED TO THE RETIRING ROTC GROUP/BATTALION COMMANDERS, DECEMBER 2024.

# **PRESENTERS**

BG(RET) GEOFF NORMAN MR. TIM WATERS

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# GENERAL DYNAMICS

Land Systems

# RECIPIENTS

#### CADET PRESTON CARTER

Eastern Michigan University
US Army

#### CADET GILLIAN DRAFT

Central Michigan University US Army

# CADET LILY HAGHPASSAND

University of Michigan US Army

# **CADET ANNA HILLMAN**

Western Michigan University
US Army

#### CADET LEVI MOORE

University of Michigan US Air Force

#### CADET VINCENT MOTOWSKI

Michigan State University
US Army

# MIDSHIPMAN ETHAN ONG

University of Michigan US Navy

#### CADET LUKAS PFAU

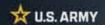
Michigan Technological University
US Army

# CADET DILLON TERPENING

Michigan State University
US Air Force

# CADET TAYLOR WENTEN

Michigan Technological University
US Air Force











# THE BAE SYSTEMS COMMANDER'S EXCELLENCE AWARD

AWARDED TO THE RETIRING ROTC GROUP / BATTALION COMMANDERS, MAY 2025.

# **PRESENTERS**

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MS. ANGIE LOMMEN

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# RECIPIENTS

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Central Michigan University
US Army

#### CADET EMIKO CLARK

University of Michigan US Space Force

# **CADET EDYA GU**

University of Michigan US Army

#### CADET JUSTIN MCCLELLAN

Eastern Michigan University
US Army

#### CADET CHASE MONTOUR

Michigan State University US Army

# MIDSHIPMAN THOMAS MUHA

University of Michigan US Navy

# CADET CAROLINE ORCUTT

Michigan State University
US Air Force

# CADET EDWARD PRESCOTT

Western Michigan University
US Army

#### CADET DANIEL STAELGRAEVE

Michigan Technological University
US Army

# **CADET JONATHAN WILLIS**

Michigan Technological University
US Air Force



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# GDLS SCIENTIFIC LEADERSHIP EXCELLENCE AWARD

AWARDED TO THE OUTSTANDING ARMY ROTC CADETS WHO HAVE MAINTAINED EXCELLENCE IN SCIENCE, ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT, DEMONSTRATED INTEGRITY AND LEADERSHIP.

# **PRESENTERS**

BG(RET) GEOFF NORMAN MR. TIM WATERS

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# **GENERAL DYNAMICS**

Land Systems

# **RECIPIENTS**

# **CADET KATIE EGGERDING**

Eastern Michigan University
US Army

#### CADET LILY HAGHPASSAND

University of Michigan US Army

# CADET ALICIA HORECKI

Michigan State University
US Army

# CADET MICKEY KOHLERT

Michigan Technological University
US Army

#### CADET AUTUMN LOWE

Central Michigan University
US Army











# THE UNMANNED SYSTEMS AWARD

AWARDED TO CADETS OR MIDSHIPMEN WHO MAKE SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS

TO HIS/HER SERVICE IN UNMANNED SYSTEMS THROUGH EITHER

OPERATIONAL ASSIGNMENTS OR ACADEMIC CLASS WORK.

# **PRESENTERS**

MR. BERNARD THEISEN MR. GERALD LANE

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# CADET BENJAMIN CURTIS

Central Michigan University
US Army

# CADET ALEXANDER MARCZUK

Michigan State University US Air Force

#### (CERTIFICATE)

# **CADET BRENDAN COLLEY**

Michigan State University US Army

# CADET EZRA CRANDELL

Michigan Technological University US Air Force

# CADET JONATHAN LI

University of Michigan US Army



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# THE NATIONAL DEFENSE INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION AWARD

THE OUTSTANDING AIR FORCE CADETS AND NAVY MIDSHIPMEN
WHO HAVE MAINTAINED EXCELLENCE IN SCIENCE, ACADEMIC
ACHIEVEMENT AND DEMONSTRATED INTEGRITY AND LEADERSHIP.

# PRESENTER COL(RET) VALDE GARCIA

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US Air Force

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University of Michigan US Navy

#### CADET KYSA SCHILLING

Michigan State University
US Air Force











# THE ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY AWARD

AWARDED TO THE ARMY ROTC CADETS DEMONSTRATING THE MOST OUTSTANDING MILITARY LEADERSHIP, ACHIEVEMENT, PROFICIENCY, SCHOLASTIC EXCELLENCE, AND PARTICIPATION IN EXTRACURRICULAR COLLEGE ACTIVITIES.

# PRESENTER

LTC(RET) CHUCK COGGER COL(RET) RYAN HOWELL

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# THE ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY SABER AWARD

AWARDED TO THE DISTINGUISHED ARMY CADET
DEMONSTRATING THE MOST OUTSTANDING MILITARY LEADERSHIP,
SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT, AND INVOLVEMENT
IN EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES.

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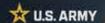
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#### CADET GILLIAN DRAFT

Central Michigan University
US Army











# THE REAR ADMIRAL LEON J. JACOBI MEMORIAL SABER AWARD

AWARDED TO GRADUATING MIDSHIPMAN WITH THE HIGHEST RECORD OF ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT.

# **PRESENTERS**

MS. JANINA JACOBS MR. RANDALL TROMBLAY

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MIDSHIPMAN ETHAN ONG

University of Michigan US Navy NDIK

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# COL RUSSELL PAQUETTE USMC AWARD

AWARDED TO THE DISTINGUISHED UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS MIDSHIPMAN DEMONSTRATING THE MOST OUTSTANDING MILITARY LEADERSHIP, SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT, AND INVOLVEMENT IN EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES.

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# MIDSHIPMAN ABIGAIL REINDOLLAR

University of Michigan US Marine Corps











# THE GENERAL DANIEL "CHAPPIE" JAMES JR. AWARD

AWARDED TO THE DISTINGUISHED AIR FORCE CADET IN THE STATE OF MICHIGAN DEMONSTRATING THE MOST OUTSTANDING MILITARY LEADERSHIP, SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT, AND INVOLVEMENT IN EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES.

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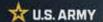
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> Senior Aerospace Science Instructor













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ROTC AWARDS BANQUET
APRIL 11, 2026











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