



# BIOGRAPHY



## UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

### ALLISON M. WILLIAMS, C/Major AFROTC

Allison Williams is currently a cadet and graduate student at the University of New Mexico. Cadet Williams will be graduating with a Master's in Political Science and commissioning as a second Lieutenant in the United States Air Force in May of 2024.

Cadet Williams is one of nineteen Air Force ROTC cadets nationwide to have been selected into the Office of Special Investigations career field. Upon completion of training, she will work as a Special Agent in the United States Air Force. Cadet Williams received her undergraduate degree from the University of Iowa in 2017 in Chinese Language and Literature. She has spent time studying abroad in China as part of her degree program.

She is married to SSgt Colin Williams who works at Kirtland AFB and also attends the University of New Mexico. Originally from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Cadet Williams and her husband enjoy hiking and exploring New Mexico with their two dogs whenever they get the chance.

Cadet Williams is passionate about empowering other young people, and especially women, to push themselves beyond what they think they are capable of and to wholeheartedly pursue their wildest goals and dreams.



#### EDUCATION

2010- Associate of Arts, Kirkwood Community College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa  
2014- Certificate of Chinese Language, Wuhan University, Wuhan China  
2016- Certificate of Chinese Language, East China Normal University, Shang Hai, China  
2017- Bachelor of Arts, Chinese Language and Literature, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa  
2024 (May)- Bachelor of Arts, Political Science minoring in Military Studies, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico  
2024 (May)- Master's in Political Science, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico

#### ROLES AND EXPERIENCES

January 2023- Field Training Preparation Flight Commander, AFROTC 510th Cadet Wing  
May 2023- Cadet Training Assistant, Maxwell AFB  
August 2023- Cadet Wing Commander, AFROTC 510th Cadet Wing  
August 2023- Public Affairs Officer, Arnold Air Society, Lt Robin E. Gueths Squadron  
January 2024- Executive Officer, AFROTC 510th Cadet Wing

#### AWARDS

Field Training Distinguished Graduate  
Air and Space Forces Association Martin H. Harris Outstanding Cadet  
National Society United States Daughters of 1812  
The Military Order of the World Wars ROTC Award of Merit  
AFROTC Meritorious Award  
AFROTC Commendation Award  
AFROTC Achievement Award  
AFROTC Det 510 Academic Honors Award  
AFROTC Det 510 Physical Fitness Award  
AETC Lt. Jay Smith Memorial Scholarship  
9th Air Force Memorial Scholarship  
Captain Langnau AFROTC Memorial Scholarship  
AFROTC Det 510 POC of the Year  
AFROTC Det 510 AS 200 Cadet of the Semester  
Detachment 510 Top Runner