

# Meagan Schulman '20

**HOMETOWN:**  
Levittown, NY

**MAJOR:**  
Atlantic World Studies

**ACTIVITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS:**  
Honors College

Honors College Student Association

Phi Alpha Theta

Phi Kappa Phi

Marching Band

**SCHOLARSHIPS:**  
Paul & Caroline Beideman Honors  
College Fellowship Endowment

## POSITIVE IMPACT OF SCHOLARSHIPS:

"I just recently got back from a research trip to Bermuda. I would have never been able to go on that trip to get information for my Honors College thesis. The opportunity for scholarships is a driving factor for me academically, and it pushes me to consistently work hard for my grades to be eligible for these opportunities."

## UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

"The topic for my research is 'Privateering, Piracy and Diplomacy.' The research is centered on looking at the disparities regarding privateering and piracy and the foreign policy during the reign of Queen Elizabeth, King James and King Charles, specifically regarding Bermuda.

For me, history is about giving voices to those who lost them, and with this research I am piecing together a new part of a story for those involved and giving them a new narrative. I am using this research to complete my Honors College thesis but would eventually like to use it as a foundation for a master's thesis and later an opening for a dissertation."

## FUTURE PLANS:

"In the future I want to be either the director of a museum or a professor at a university. I love the higher education system and want to make a difference in people's lives, whether it be in a classroom or in a museum."

# STUDENT LEARNING EXPERIENCES - Undergraduate Research



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