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NROTC UNIT CORNELL UNIVERSITY INSTRUCTION 1650.1G

Subj: DISTINGUISHED MIDSHIPMAN AWARD

Ref: (a) NSTCINST 1533.2A (ROD)

1. Purpose. To promulgate the formula for determining the Distinguished Midshipman Award (DMA).
2. Cancellation. NROTCUCORNELLINST 1650.1F.
3. Background. Reference (a) encourages recognition of outstanding performance. The Distinguished Midshipman Award is designed to identify those individuals whose outstanding performance in academics, aptitude, and physical fitness deserves special recognition.
4. Eligibility. Midshipmen qualify for the Distinguished Midshipman Award if they meet all of the following criteria:
  - a. Named to Dean's List for semester.
  - b. Score at least Excellent-Low on the PRT or 1st Class on the PFT.
  - c. Receive a grade of A- or better in Naval Science. In the case of Marine option midshipmen who did not take a Naval Science course during the semester, but who meet the other criteria, the unit will consider their current performance and their last Naval Science course grade.
5. Award. Recipients of this award are authorized to wear the Distinguished Midshipman star.
6. Action. The Human Resource Assistant will calculate the award winners.

  
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