



The University of Maine Pathways to NROTC Program

The Pathways to Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps (PTN) program is a combined University of Maine and NROTC initiative to provide a Navy commissioning opportunity for highly motivated and exceptional NJROTC cadets. The PTN Program prepares Midshipmen-Candidates to succeed in the Naval ROTC curriculum through academic success, exposure to the military lifestyle, and an integrated transition into the ROTC culture. We are looking for the best and brightest to become part of our team. The NROTC program at UMaine prides itself on and dedicates itself to our inclusive team mentality, and we invite you to join in that experience as a PTN Midshipman-Candidate. Approved applicants will receive the below benefits and the opportunity to become a future naval leader in America's Navy combat team.

Benefits:

The University of Maine will provide tuition, fees, and room & board for a one-year NROTC preparation program as Midshipmen-Candidates. Provided the candidates meet criteria listed below, they will be awarded a National NROTC scholarship to UMaine at the conclusion of their first year. This NROTC scholarship will provide up to 4 additional years of tuition & fees to attend UMaine. During the four years of the NROTC scholarship, UMaine will provide for room and board. A complete full ride!

Requirements:

- Student enters a science, technology, engineering or math major (33 majors available)
- Maintain greater than 2.8 minimum GPA
- Pass Navy's Physical Fitness Assessment once a semester with a score of "Good Low" or higher
- Maintain good standing* within the ROTC unit
- Live in University of Maine provided housing
- Receive a favorable endorsement from the Professor of Naval Science and the College of Engineering at the conclusion of year one as a Midshipman Candidate
- Meet Department of Defense minimum standards for physical qualifications for commissioned officers

The leadership of our Naval ROTC team stand ready to assist you should you choose to partake in our program. If you would like additional information about this program, or have questions about becoming a naval officer, please do not hesitate to give us a call. Our point of contact is Captain Kenneth Motsay, USMC, who can be reached at kenneth.motsay@maine.edu or at 207-581-1551.

Very Respectfully,

Sean D. Kearns

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Commanding Officer

* Good standing is defined as maintaining academic and physical requirements per NSTC 1533.2D - Regulations for Officer Development