

High School North Senior, Christopher Quinn received and accepted a Letter of Appointment from the US Merchant Marine Academy (USMMA). The USMMA is one of the 5 service academies, and requires more credit hours than any other federal academy. Christopher will also spend a year at sea, and upon graduation will have a bachelor of science degree, US Coast Guard license and be a commissioned officer in the Armed Forces. He can serve in any division of the military, or secure a position within NOAA. He will be required to serve for 5 years post graduation, or 8 years in the Naval reserve. He needed a congressional nomination for acceptance, and we are proud to let you know that he received a recommendation from Senator Menendez, Senator Booker, and (past) Congressman MacArthur. It is difficult to attain one commendation, yet he received **all three**. Congratulations Christopher and thank you for your service!