

# WILLIAMS-FRANKLIN FOUNDATION NEWSLETTER

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## CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATING WFF SCHOLARS!!



### NOAH NICHOLAS

On May 9th, Noah Nicholas became an alumnus of Howard University. While at Howard, Noah studied Sports Medicine and was a member of the HU Swim and Dive Team. After graduation, he plans to gain experience in the medical field as an EMT and then apply to a Physician's Assistant graduate program with a specialization in orthopedics. The quote that describes his HBCU experience, is "What is life without a challenge, I believe that challenges is what makes life meaningful." The University plans to hold an in-person ceremony for Noah's class in May 2021. Noah is a 2018 and 2019 WFF scholarship recipient and exclaimed, "The WFF embodied the values that I want to have in the future." [Read more about Noah Nicholas](#) on WFF's new blog where we feature scholars' achievements, goals, and so much more.



### MARVELLOUS OKE

Marvellous Oke became an alumna of Morgan State University on May 16th through a virtual ceremony.

While at Morgan State, Marvellous studied Psychology. Now, she plans to complete medical school and a PhD program to become a Pediatrician Neurologist and conduct neuroscience research. Ms. Oke will participate in a postponed Morgan State graduation ceremony in December 2020. We asked Ms. Oke to describe what graduation means to her and she said "Graduation means that I have achieved the first phase/goal towards my long-term goal. It is a combination of hard work and life teaching experiences." As a WFF recipient in 2019 she held the Honorable Louis Stokes HBCU Scholarship Award. This scholarship is awarded to the highest scoring WFF applicant. We are so proud of Ms. Oke's accomplishments as she goes on to the next phase in her journey. [Read more about Marvellous Oke](#) on WFF's new blog where we feature scholars' achievements, goals, and so much more.



### JULIA NICHOLS

On May 9th, 2020, Julia Nichols became an alumna of Edward Waters College. While there she served as the SGA Business Manager from 2019-2020. Julia majored in Computer Science at Edward Waters College. Julia plans to enter the workforce for a while before she begins graduate school for a Master's Degree in Computer Information Systems. Julia Nichols is a 2019 Recipient of the Williams-Franklin Foundation Scholarship. [Read more about Julia Nichols](#)

"You do not want to look back and regret the things that you did not do. You want to look back and see all your accomplishments."  
-- Julia Nichols