



## **Jeremy Broussard '95**

This morning, we are happy to have another alumni speaker. Our guest speaker is from the class of 1995. He is an attorney and Presidential Management Fellow assigned to the Office of the Secretary of Defense in Washington, DC. He works on counterterrorism policy and operations for Afghanistan and Central Asia at the Pentagon. He has also served as a federal prosecutor in DC and helped investigate war crime allegations in Somalia and the former Soviet republic of Georgia.

At Jesuit, he was a member of the Marine Corps JROTC band, the speech and debate team, and the Blue Jay Band. After receiving his BA from Hampton University in Virginia, he served as an airborne artillery officer at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, leaving active duty with the rank of Captain. He earned his law degree at Howard University while also serving as the co-founder and president of VoteVets.org, a first-of-its-kind non-profit organization dedicated to electing Iraq and Afghanistan veterans to office regardless of party affiliation.

In 2007, he was awarded the Howard University Humanitarian of the Year award for two consecutive years – 2006 and 2007 – for conceiving, organizing, and running the “Alternative Spring Break” program. This program enabled more than 800 graduate and undergraduate students to spend their spring break volunteering in various recovery programs in New Orleans and St. Bernard Parish.

He currently lives in Maryland with his wife and daughter. Please welcome a great Blue Jay from the Class of 1995, Jeremy Broussard.