Keck Gender & Security Fellowship (GSF) 2024-2025
Professor Taw

Program Goals:
1. Provide GSF selectees with opportunities to explore security as a career by:
   a. Introducing them to CMC faculty members working on security issues
   b. Bringing in speakers – academics and other professionals – who work on issues of security
   c. Bringing in CMC alum who have attended security-related graduate programs
2. Provide GSF selectees with support to conduct independent and group research on the intersection of gender and security.
3. Objective by Spring 2025: to build upon the existing projects on reorientingsecurity.com with 3-4 new research projects or new contributions to the existing projects.

Program Components:
1. The program will choose four GSF selectees in mid-September 2024 (CMC 2nd, 3rd, and 4th years are eligible) through an application process.
2. The program is for academic year 2024-2025. Fellowships will be paid out in halves ($1250), at the end of each semester. *One GSF selectee will earn an additional $250/semester for serving as webmaster.* For full payment of fellowship stipends, fellowship selectees must do the following:
   a. In late September 2024, GSF selectees will meet as a group, with Prof Taw to determine what elements the report should have, how to distribute responsibilities for research and writing, and the timeline for deliverables.
   b. From then through April, GSF selectees will meet weekly with each other and Prof Taw to discuss their progress.
   c. Over the same period, GSF selectees will work on the report; they will meet the deadlines for deliverables during this period, with the final report due NLT April 15th.
   d. GSF selectees will attend the guest lectures each semester; every effort will be made to ensure these are at times that all four Fellows are available.
3. Speakers: There will be speakers or panels each semester; these may include CMC alum who have attended security graduate programs, CMC alum who have served in the military, early and mid-career security professionals, and early and mid-career professors.

To Apply:
Submit the following to jtaw@cmc.edu **no later than 5pm September 11th**:

- your resume and current transcript

- a brief paragraph on your education and career aspirations

- a paragraph about the aspect of gender and security you believe most needs further research and why