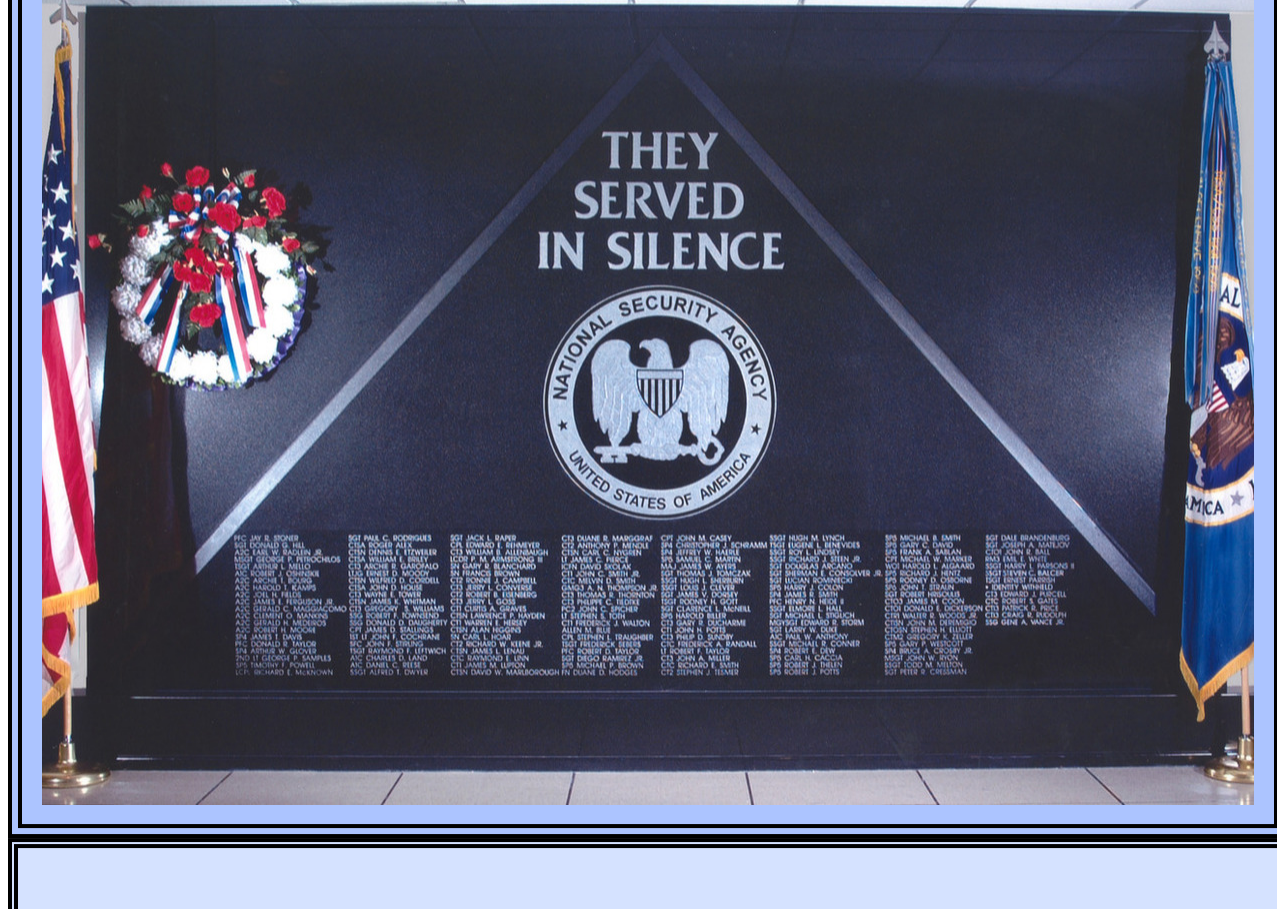




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**Remember ~ Honor ~ Commemorate**



### NSA's Cryptologic Memorial Wall

The National Security Agency/Central Security Service Cryptologic Memorial honors and remembers those who gave their lives "serving in silence" in the line of duty. It serves as an important reminder of the crucial role cryptology plays in keeping the United States secure and of the courage of these individuals to carry out their mission at such a dear price.

On Memorial Day 2001, NSA began a tradition of declassifying and sharing the stories behind the names on the wall.

Dear Friend -

Welcome to an *NCF Web Link* honoring **Memorial Day 2021**.

We salute all individuals who have served our country, and pay special tribute to those who have worked in the cryptologic service, as well as those who made the ultimate sacrifice.

The Foundation honors individuals who worked in the cryptologic service via the [In Memoriam Registry](#), [In Memoriam Panel](#), and with our [Benefactor and Patron Panels](#). To all who have dedicated their lives to serving our country and protecting our freedom, ***we Thank You.***

*What you will find in this issue:*

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- Watch Recordings of Recent NCF Programs
- Preliminary Details for 7 October Crypto Cup Tournament
- NCF CEO Featured on *Iron Butterfly* Podcast

Anyone can make an *In Honor of or In Memory of* donation as a tribute to a family member, friend, or colleague. This Memorial Day, please consider a donation in honor or in memory of a veteran or dedicated civil servant. [See our Tribute Donation options.](#)

We thank you for your continued, invaluable support!

***Have a safe Memorial Day,  
Your Friends at the National Cryptologic Foundation***

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## NCF Receives Grant from the Gula Tech Foundation

### Gula Tech Foundation Awards 3rd Place Grant to the NCF



During the recent RSA 2021 virtual conference, the Gula Tech Foundation announced the winners of their competitive "Data Care" grant. The Gulas have proposed the term "Data Care" to make cybersecurity synonymous with personal responsibility. This competitive grant highlights non-profits committed to broadening the cybersecurity industry to be more inclusive and to increase personal responsibility for data.

In recognition of the NCF's efforts and goals to raise public awareness about cybersecurity, we received a 3rd place grant of \$150,000. In their press release, the Gula Tech Foundation noted, "*The NCF provides free cyber education resources for K-20 cohorts and stimulates conversation regarding Data Care.*"

The NCF is very honored, grateful, and excited to move forward with this exciting project and to spread the message of "Data Care."

**Read the Press Release**

## NCF PROGRAM RECORDINGS

### MISSED A RECENT PROGRAM? WATCH THE RECORDING.

- 13 May 2021 - **NCF Spring Cryptologic Program** with Dr. Robert Spalding, Brig Gen, USAF (Ret), [DETAILS](#).
- 14 April 2021 - **NCF 25th Anniversary Kick-Off with Former NSA Directors**. [DETAILS](#).
- 31 March 2021 - **#CyberChat with Dr. Sally Botsai**. [DETAILS](#).
- 23 March 2021 - **#CyberChat with Ms. Debbie Plunkett** (via Nepris). [DETAILS](#).

## 20th ANNUAL EAGLE ALLIANCE HOSTED CRYPTO CUP

**7 OCTOBER 2021**

The **20th Annual Eagle Alliance hosted Crypto Cup Golf Tournament** will be held **7 October** at Compass Pointe in Pasadena, MD. Sponsorships are available and some are limited.

Sponsorships and player registration fees can be purchased soon via our website. If your company is interested in being an early bird and grabbing one of the limited sponsorships, please contact Event Coordinator Stephanie Agostinelli Brandhofer at [Stephanie.Agostinelli@gdit.com](mailto:Stephanie.Agostinelli@gdit.com).



**Crypto Cup Details**

## MORE NEWS BYTES



### Iron Butterfly Podcast Features NCF CEO Laura Nelson

The 11 May "Crypto Raven" episode of the *Iron Butterfly* podcast featured NCF CEO Laura Nelson. The podcast highlights real stories of women in Intelligence, and during her episode, Laura shares what she learned as a leader of technical teams, how she found her voice in a male-dominated area, and challenges of finding mentors who were like her.

**Check Out the Podcast**

## Cryptologic History Symposium - Call for Papers

The next NSA-CCH Cryptologic History Symposium is scheduled for **11-13 May 2022** (rescheduled due to COVID). The theme will be "*Icons and Innovation*," and paper proposals are due by **7 September 2021**.



**Learn More**

## UPCOMING EVENTS, #CYBERCHATS, PROGRAMS, & MORE

- **MUSEUM remains closed due to COVID-19. However, virtual opportunities are available - see below.**
- **ONGOING** - Museum virtual events via EventBrite. **MORE.**
- **23 JUNE 2021** - 25th Anniversary Panel Program to Celebrate International Women in Engineering Day. **Details coming soon.**
- **26 JULY 2021** - 25th Anniversary Panel Program in honor of United States Intelligence Professionals Day. **Details coming soon.**
- **7 SEPT 2021** - Paper Proposals are Due for May 2022 Cryptologic History Symposium (NSA). **MORE.**
- **14 SEPT 2021** - Save the Date for a Special 25th Anniversary Virtual Program.
- **7 OCT 2021** - 20th Annual Eagle Alliance-hosted Crypto Cup. **MORE.**
- **14 OCT 2021** - Save the Date for our General Membership Meeting & Annual Symposium.
- **11-13 MAY 2022** - Cryptologic History Symposium. **MORE.**

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