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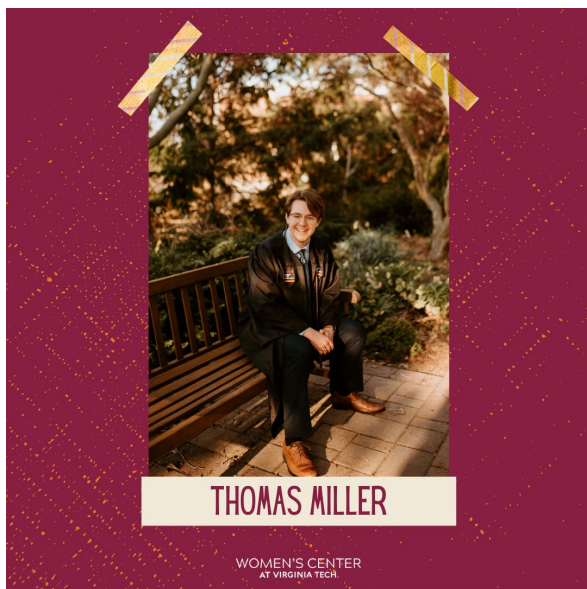
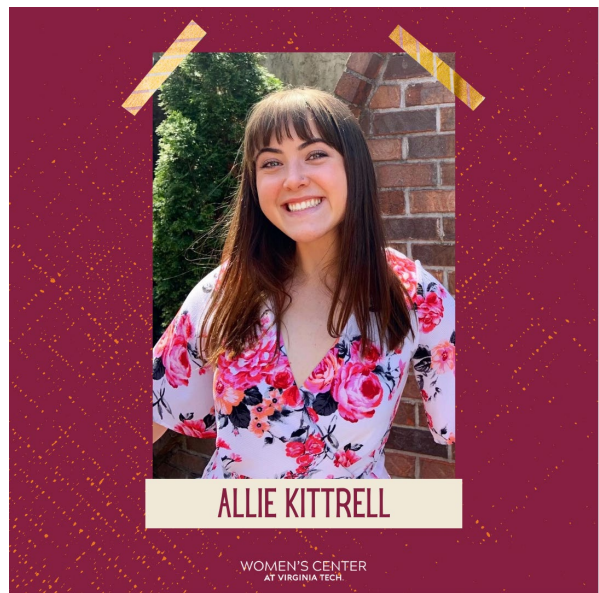
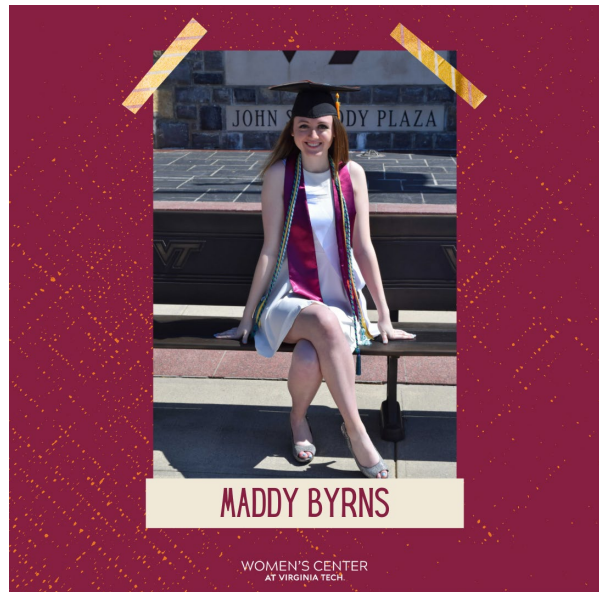


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Each year we have the privilege of working with incredible students who are passionate and dedicated to the mission of the Women's Center. This year has been no exception. Even though we weren't able to connect in person with most of our students, we were able to support and provide opportunities for them virtually. It was a pleasure working with them and as always it is bittersweet saying goodbye.

Join us in celebrating and congratulating our students who have worked so hard to get to this day!



**Anti-Opressive Advocacy Training**

Passionate about intersectional approaches to ending sexual and relationship violence?

Want to learn more about the origins and legacy of bias in the anti-violence field?



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## Join Us for a Virtual Training!

Sponsored by: Women's Center at Virginia Tech, Black Cultural Center, Dean of Students Office, Women & Gender Studies Program, and Women's Resource Center of the New River Valley

Join us on **Friday, May 21st from 10am to 3pm** for this virtual training hosted by award-winning and nationally recognized advocate and educator Wanda Swan of Start By Talking LLC. & the Swan Center for Advocacy & Research.

This training examines work at the intersection of bias and efficiency and critiques the ways the anti-violence field holds space for White Comfort, White Supremacy, anti-Blackness, and the white-washing of itself as a means of disassociating from its problematic "handling" of its own Black-centered origin story.

[Register here.](#)

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## Upcoming Events



The Women Impact Virginia Series will aim to advance women leaders in Virginia. Each session will promote connections, engagement and empowerment of women who feel a desire to impact their community, region, state, nation and world. Whether you're currently working in these sectors, want to gain knowledge to shift careers, or are interested in hearing about the work taking place across Virginia, this series is for you.

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