

## Chapter 1 : Wac Stats: The Facts About Women: racedaydvl.com: Women's Action Coalition: Books

*Wac Stats has 7 ratings and 1 review. WAC was organized in New York City in January by a group of women determined to fight these and other injustic.*

Female founders, in particular, contribute some of the greatest stats in growth in revenue, growth in employment, and financial efficiency. Female founders in particular contribute some of the most eye-popping stats around growth in revenue, growth in employment, financial efficiency, and entrepreneurial spirit. See how many of these facts you know already and how many surprise you: Facts about female founders and starting companies

1. Women start companies at 1. The absolute number of startups in Crunchbase with at least one female founder has more than quadrupled in the last five years, from in to in Women entrepreneurs in the United States rank their happiness at nearly three times that of women who are not entrepreneurs or established business owners. Today, 18 percent of all startups have at least one female founder. There are just over 9 million women-owned companies in the United States. Facts about hotbeds of women and entrepreneurship
7. Brooklyn, New York, banks more female startups than any other single city in the United States. Las Vegas has the honor of the highest percentage of venture-backed companies with at least one female founder: Texas claims the worst record of supporting women seeking venture capital. Last year, 42 Texas startups got Series A rounds. Zero of them had female founders. In the United States, the frontiers of fast growth in the raw number of companies founded by women are, in order, North Dakota, Wyoming, the District of Columbia, Arizona, Georgia, and Nevada. Over half of Australian women who start businesses are college-educated, which provides them with networks and experiences that they can leverage for growth. Facts on women entrepreneurs and job creation A net new , jobs were added by woman-owned businesses between and At the same time, men-owned businesses shed 1. Facts about female founders and raising capital No matter which crowdfunding platform they choose, female founders perform equal to or better than their male counterparts when raising money online. Only 10 percent of startups which raised Series A last year had female founders. Ninety percent of it never sees a female founder. That said, venture capital firms with women partners are more than twice as likely to invest in companies with a woman on the executive team. Venture firms with a woman partner are more than three times as likely to invest in companies with women CEOs. Ninety-four percent of decision makers at venture capital funds are male. Facts on performance and women entrepreneurs Businesses with a woman on the executive team are more likely to have significantly higher valuations at Series A--as in, 64 percent higher. Businesses with a woman on the executive team are more likely to have significantly higher valuations in their last funding round percent higher. Financially, women entrepreneurs outperform everyone but blue chips over time. Female-founded or co-founded "unicorn" companies, those with a billion or more in valuation, include Theranos, Eventbrite, SunRun, and Houzz. The list of richest women entrepreneurs in the U. What women entrepreneurs say they need Almost half-of female founders 48 percent cite a lack of available mentors or advisers as holding them back. Only a third say lack of capital is a constraint. Jul 6, More from Inc.

*WAC Stats. The Facts About Women The Women's Action Coalition (WAC) was a feminist direct-action organization founded by a group of friends in New York City on.*

Two days later, Mrs. Five training centers were opened within a year. Rogers introduced another bill in to enlist and appoint women in the Army of the United States. In May a large group arrived in Sydney, Australia. In February , the War Department began a program aimed at retaining women still in service and re-enlisting those who had served during World War II. By the end of May , WAC strength had dropped from a wartime high of more than 99, to about 21, and by the end of May , WAC strength totaled approximately 6, women on active duty. The Korean War With the beginning of the Korean conflict, women were again needed in greater numbers than in peacetime. In August , many WAC Officers and enlisted reservists returned voluntarily on active duty, but when more were needed the Army involuntarily recalled a number of reservists on active duty. A WAC unit was not sent to Korea, but in , a number of individual women filled administrative positions in Pusan and Seoul. Ridgeway, Chief of Staff of the Army dedicated the Center. The Center conducted basic training, clerk-typist, stenography, personnel specialist, leadership, and cadre courses for enlisted personnel and basic and advanced courses for officers. Wilkes and master Sergeant Betty L. They were replaced annually. The detachment remained there from January until October when all US troops began to withdraw from Vietnam. Women Generals On 8 November Congress removed promotion restrictions on women officers, making it possible for women to achieve general officer rank. Hoisington on 11 June , the second was Mildred C. Bailey, and the third was Mary E. They were the seventh, eighth, and ninth and last Directors of the WAC, respectively. As a result of a strong recruiting campaign and the opening of all Military Occupational Specialties MOS to women except those involving combat duties, the strength of the WAC increased from 12, in to 52, in On 1 July all WAC officers were permanently detailed to other branches of the Army except the combat arms and the WAC officers career branch was reduced to zero. Defensive weapons training for enlisted women, warrant officers and women officers became a mandatory course in July The policy also applied to women in the Reserve and National Guard. In the fall of , women began taking the same basic training course as enlisted men and a year later they began training together in the same units. After four-year trial period, joint training was discontinued in August The first women cadets entered the United States Military Academy at West Point in July and women have graduated with every class since June To fully utilize barracks space world-wide, separate WAC units were phased out in and Enlisted women continued to be housed separately to insure privacy in sleeping and bat facilities, but they are jointly administered by on commander and cadre group. With the closing of Ft McClellan, a new museum will be built at Ft.

**Chapter 3 : 8 facts about love and marriage in America**

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During the Civil War women disguised as men served on both sides. Women also served as spies, nurses--including aboard at least one hospital ship and one, Dr. Mary Walker, received the Congressional Medal of Honor. Women have served in the American armed forces for over hundred years--since when the Army Nurse Corps was established. The Navy Nurse Corps soon followed in Only nurses served in the Army during this war; but the Army did hire about civilian women who were fluent in both English and French to serve as telephone operators. Their names can be found inscribed on the Vietnam Memorial. Almost 41, women served in theater during Persian Gulf War. To date, more than 20, women have served as peacekeepers in Bosnia and Kosovo. Two women sailors were killed and five were wounded in the terrorist attack on USS Cole. About 10 percent of the U. Forces currently serving in Afghanistan and Iraq are women. Cathay Williams is the only known woman to have served as a Buffalo Soldier. A former slave, she served as Private William Cathay for two years before her true sex was discovered during an illness. Click here for more information. They served in various Navy Department offices in the Washington DC area from until they were mustered out in Quarterly Report on Women in the Military vol. Putney, When the Nation Was in Need: The first African American women to serve in the Marine Corps entered in Brigadier General Hazel W. Johnson-Brown, who served as Chief of the Army Nurse Corps from September until August , was the first African American woman to reach general officer rank in American military history. Today over 15 percent of active duty women officers and over 33 percent of active duty enlisted women are African American. Herodotus reports that Artemisia "sailed in command of the men of Helicarnassus, Cos, Nisyra and Calydia and furnished five ships of war not one of the confederate commanders gave Xerxes sounder advice than she did. One, Nana Hatun, fought so gallantly in the Ottoman-Russian War that a memorial was erected in remembrance of her courage and patriotism in Erzurum in Eastern Turkey. Their service as combat pilots was especially notable. The most famous of these were the Night Witches, an all women squadron of bomber pilots, who flew only at night because their canvas and wood bi-planes were too slow to fly day-light missions. A Soviet woman became the first woman Ace with 12 kills. They were combatants in El Salvador. They are involved in combat on both sides of the Sri Lanka fighting. A woman, Maryan Rajavi, commands Iranian National Liberation Army operating on behalf of the government in exile and opposed to the current regime.

## Chapter 4 : WAC Stats | The New Press

*The book, WAC Stats: The Facts about Women [Bulk, Wholesale, Quantity] ISBN# in Paperback by may be ordered in bulk quantities. Minimum starts at 25 copies. Availability based on publisher status and quantity being ordered.*

Women blink 19 times per minute, compared to 11 for men. Women live longer than men partly because their immune systems age more slowly. The average woman in the UK has different hairstyles in her lifetime. Women experience significantly more nightmares than men and have more emotional dreams, a research found. Despite popular belief, studies show men are not more flatulent than women. Jamaica, Colombia and St Lucia are the only countries where a woman is more likely to be a boss than a man. In China, women who remain unmarried in their late 20s and beyond are called "Sheng nu" which means "leftover women. Men sweat up to twice as much as women. The United Arab Emirates has the biggest gender imbalance in the world, with men for every women. Shorter women have shorter pregnancies, a study found. Miami is the only major U. The smallest wage gap between men and women is to be found in New Zealand: In developing countries, women are half as likely as men to speak out online. The modern concept of women shaving their armpits only began in Oxytocin is believed to have a more significant impact on women than on men, which may be why women associate sexual attraction or sexual activity with romance and love more than men do. Up to a third are affected by urinary incontinence. The first computer programmers were women. Over , women served in the Soviet armed forces in WW2. Women secrete twice as many amino acids as men and in a distinct distribution, studies say. In the 19th century, doctors treated hysteria in women by inducing orgasms. This is how the vibrator was invented. Over women have run for President of the United States. The average woman generates pounds of tampon trash in her lifetime. St Lucia is the only country in the world named after a woman. Women who get breast implants are 3 times more likely to commit suicide. Only half of women in developing regions receive the recommended amount of health care they need for maternity. Bras make breasts sag, according to a French study published in After an Islamic cleric blamed women who dress provocatively for earthquakes in , , women joined for a "Boobquake" to test the theory. Italy has the biggest gender gap when it comes to carving up chores. Italian women clock up 21 hours more per week than men on housework. According to a U. One of the first woman in the world to receive an academic degree and the first to receive a Ph. The first female governor of a U. Over 80 women have been elected or appointed as head of government of their respective countries. Over 50 women were elected for president or prime minister in modern history. Dirty water kills more women worldwide than diabetes, AIDS, or breast cancer. They did not work, do housework, or look after their kids for an entire day. In Northern Ireland, women earn 3.

**Chapter 5 : Western Athletic Conference**

*WAC Stats is an invaluable resource of up-to-date facts for any woman whether she be student, activist, or incognito friendly educator. -- Gay & Lesbian Times.*

To gain passage, Mrs. Rogers had to accept changes in the WAAC bill. When it was finally passed on 14 May, it provided for a corps of 25, to be an auxiliary to the U. Army without military status. Later that year, the corps was authorized to increase to , The WAACs would serve under women commanders, be given duty at army posts in the United States and overseas, have separate grade titles and pay schedules from men, be noncombatants, wear uniforms, and serve under WAAC rather than army regulations. The head of the corps would have the title of colonel but receive the lower pay of an army major. Ironically, bills enacted later in permitted women to serve in the U. Navy and Marine Corps as reservists on active duty with the same military status, pay, and benefits as men. Over 60, members were on active duty then; in North Africa and England. One woman, the director, Oveta Culp Hobby, received the title and pay of a full colonel. Initially, as WAACs, women were limited to work as clerks, cooks, drivers, and telephone operators. After receiving military status, the WACs were assigned to an increasing variety of army jobs. Nearly , were on active duty on 30 April –over 16, serving overseas. He wanted WACs permanently in the army to do the work they had done so well in wartime. The bill was enacted 12 July WAC officers and NCOs commanded units of enlisted women, who were housed in separate detachments, companies, or battalions on army posts. WAC officers and enlisted women were assigned, sent to schools, discharged, and retired by Department of the Army orders. In Korea, the combat zone was so fluid and unpredictable that a noncombatant WAC unit could not be assigned in the country. After the war ended, WAC strength fell to 7, New opportunities opened for women officers and enlisted women in communications, intelligence, logistics, and transportation. During the Berlin crisis and the Cuban Missile Crisis, both active duty and reserve WACs participated in logistical efforts. In June, WAC strength was 11,; following the pattern after crises, it fell to 8, by June Early in the s, South Vietnam requested and obtained U. In January, the U. In, a WAC unit of arrived for duty with the U. By, opposition to the war caused President Richard M. Nixon to order the withdrawal of U. The WAC detachment left in October Finally, on 8 November, Congress enacted a bill to equalize retirement eligibility and remove restrictions, making women officers eligible to compete for promotion to general and flag rank. Hoisington, was the first WAC officer to be promoted to brigadier general. After, WAC directors obtained other important policy and statutory changes. Except in combat units and combat jobs, army men and women were assigned interchangeably to positions in the United States and overseas. In, women entered the U. The positions of director and deputy director were abolished, April; Congress then disestablished the WAC as a separate corps of the army, October Corps strength at that time was 52, The action taken by Congress was not popular with the majority of corps members. They missed the cohesiveness of their units, the esprit fostered by individual and unit achievements, their role models, and the camaraderie of working together as a unit. Morden Pick a style below, and copy the text for your bibliography.

## Chapter 6 : FastStats - Womens Health

*Wac STATS: The Facts about Women* by Barbara Ess (Editor), Andrea Blum (Editor), Julie Harrison (Editor) starting at \$ Wac STATS: The Facts about Women has 1 available editions to buy at Alibris UK.

Although they did not enter combat as soldiers, many women helped by serving in the armed forces. They also helped to keep the country together at the home front. Women worked in factories producing ships, tanks, munitions and other much needed products for the war effort. Poster recruiting women for the armed forces Source: Some served as nurses in the Army Nurse corps. This could be a dangerous job as some nurses worked in hospitals that were close to the war front. They served in a variety of areas including field hospitals, ship hospitals, medical transport planes, and evacuation hospitals. This was a branch of the armed forces started up in Women served in non-combat areas such as mechanics repairing vehicles, army post offices sorting mail, and working in communications and warning systems. There were , women in the WAC by the end of the war. They served throughout the military, even landing in Normandy only a few weeks after D-Day. Nurses in the Army Source: National Archives At first many men did not want women in the armed forces. Later, women troops were such good soldiers that some leaders suggested that women should be drafted. They flew military planes between army bases and flew cargo planes carrying supplies. This freed up men pilots for combat missions. Rosie the Riveter Source: They produced much needed planes, tanks, warships, guns, and other munitions for the war. In order to inspire women to work in the factories, the US government came up with the "Rosie the Riveter" campaign. Displayed on posters and magazines, Rosie the Riveter was a character that portrayed a strong patriotic woman who worked in the factories to help the country. There was even a popular song called "Rosie the Riveter". The campaign was successful as hundreds of thousands of women entered the work force taking on jobs that had been previously done by men. Roosevelt, Eleanor was a strong supporter of the troops and for civil rights. She opposed the internment camps of the Japanese Americans and was active in boosting moral on the US home front. Eleanor Roosevelt on a plane Source: She was a great source of moral for the troops. When she was advised to take her children and flee London, she refused saying that the King would never leave and neither would she. She tried to demoralize the troops by continuously telling them that they could not win the war. She married him at the end of the war, right before they committed suicide together. She was arrested for protesting the war and later executed. She is considered a great hero giving her life to try and stop the Nazis. Anne Frank - Anne Frank was a Jewish girl who became famous for her diaries written while hiding from the Nazis for two years in a secret room. She eventually was caught and died in a concentration camp. Activities Take a ten question quiz about this page.

## Chapter 7 : Blitzkrieg Baby

*A Book Of Facts About the WAC United States Army Women's Army Corps brochure. The book "We, the American women: a documentary history" says it was published in*

In the recruiting momentum stopped and went into reverse as a massive slander campaign on the home front challenged the WACs as sexually immoral. Women factory workers often wore military-looking utilitarian beige, khaki, olive drab, or pearl-gray slacks or skirts with matching jackets and white, beige, khaki, or olive drab blouses that looked like a uniform. If women wearing these faux uniforms got in fights or brawls, were publicly intoxicated, or were caught "behaving inappropriately" everything from walking after dark with a man to having sex with him while in uniform, they were initially assumed to be WAACs. Add to them the number of "Victory Girls" thrill-seeking local teen girls who slept with servicemen, local "townie" women, and prostitutes - they often dressed in uniform as either a kink, a means to commit fraud by pretending to be servicewomen, or get access to military installations to meet servicemen. Legitimate WACs who had duties off base often had to wear a "field sign" an expedient symbol to tell friend from foe to distinguish them from the throngs of imitators trying to sneak on base. General Douglas MacArthur called the WACs "my best soldiers", adding that they worked harder, complained less, and were better disciplined than men. Eisenhower said that "their contributions in efficiency, skill, spirit, and determination are immeasurable". The situation was highly unfavorable: Wacs, Waves, Spars and women Marines were war orphans whom no one loved. Since then, women in the US Army have served in the same units as men, though they have only been allowed in or near combat situations since when Defense Secretary Les Aspin ordered the removal of "substantial risk of capture" from the list of grounds for excluding women from certain military units. In Jeanne Pace, at the time the longest-tenured female warrant officer and the last former member of the WAC on active duty, retired. The Director was initially considered as equivalent to a major, then later made the equivalent of a colonel. The enlisted ranks expanded as the organization grew in size. Promotion was initially rapid and based on ability and skill. As members of a volunteer auxiliary group, the WAACs got paid less than their equivalent male counterparts in the US Army and did not receive any benefits or privileges. It was worn in gold metal as cap badges and uniform buttons. Enlisted and NCO personnel wore it as an embossed circular cap badge on their Hobby Hats, while officers wore a "free" version open work without a backing on their hats to distinguish them. Their auxiliary insignia was the dark blue letters "WAAC" on an Olive Drab rectangle worn on the upper sleeve below the stripes for enlisted ranks. WAAC personnel were not allowed to wear the same rank insignia as Army personnel. They were usually authorized to do so by post or unit commanders to help in indicating their seniority within the WAAC, although they had no authority over Army personnel.

### Chapter 8 : Women's Army Corps Veterans' Association

*Today we look at 24 facts about women that may take your breath away. Okay, so these facts aren't just for the women in India, but for women in general across the planet. While some of these facts are downright outrageous, there are a few of them which reaffirm stereotypes.*

The landscape of relationships in America has shifted dramatically in recent decades. From cohabitation to same-sex marriage to interracial and interethnic marriage, here are eight facts about love and marriage in the United States. However, being a good financial provider was seen as particularly important for men to be a good husband or partner, according to a survey by the Center. One factor driving this change is that Americans — particularly men — are staying single longer. According to the U. Census Bureau, in , the median age at first marriage had reached its highest point on record: Marriage declined most among those with a high school diploma or less education. In , for every 1, married adults ages 50 and older, 10 had divorced — up from five in . Among those ages 65 and older, the divorce rate roughly tripled since . In addition to the half of U. Roughly half of cohabiters are younger than 35 — but cohabitation is rising most quickly among Americans ages 50 and older. Remarriage is more common among men than women. One possible reason for this disparity is that women are less interested than men in remarrying. Interfaith marriage is more common in certain metropolitan areas , as well as in urban rather than rural areas. Many of these interfaith marriages are between Christians and those who are religiously unaffiliated. Meanwhile, marriages and partnerships across political party lines are relatively rare in the U. Large majorities of members of both political parties say their spouse or partner belongs to the same party. The growth in online dating can be seen particularly among young adults. Mobile dating apps are partly responsible of this increase: For the most part, people today view online dating positively. This is an update of a post originally published on Feb.

### Chapter 9 : Wac Stats: The Facts About Women by Women's Action Coalition

*Every 90 seconds, one woman dies during pregnancy or childbirth. All of the 20 richest women in the world --except for # inherited their money from either their husband or their father. Women speak about 20, words a day. That's 13, more than the average man. Women in ancient Rome wore the.*