

STEM AMBASSADOR SPOTLIGHT



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How did you select your college major? What was the biggest influence?

I selected my STEM major after a lot of research and actually craving a passion for engineering and robotics. Not only that but being an African American woman in STEM would make an impact on the younger generation to see that it is possible. My biggest influence was watching transformer movies and going to robotic camps when I was younger.

What advice would you share with K-12 students who are considering your major?

Words of wisdom I would give to K-12 grade students would be to take well-written notes. I would also tell them to not be afraid to ask questions; professors love when there are questions, and it will show that you are serious about the topics and the work.

What high school elective course do you wish you had taken to better prepare you for college?

A high school elective course I wish I could have taken to better prepare myself for college would have been a higher-level coding class.



When you aren't in class or studying, what can you be found doing in your spare time?

In my spare time, you could find me working with the West TN Stem Hub. I also enjoy going out and trying new restaurants.

What motivates you to get out of bed and go to class every day?

The first thing that motivates me to get out of bed and go to class every day would be that I have goals in life that I want to achieve and accomplish. One would be to graduate with an engineering degree to make changes. Another motivation is that I like to challenge myself and when some days are a little rough, I still push through.

How do you or your major make a positive impact on society/our community?

The impact I have been as part of my major is showing African Americans and as well as the younger generation, especially women, they can see how the not common can be common. My college major impacts society because we train intelligent individuals to help 'build' the economy.

What do you look forward to the most while being a STEM Ambassador?

The things I look forward to while being a STEM ambassador is seeing others be inspired and in awe by different topics pertaining to STEM. As well as, engaging with the younger population and introducing them to another world outside of regular school topics and classes.

