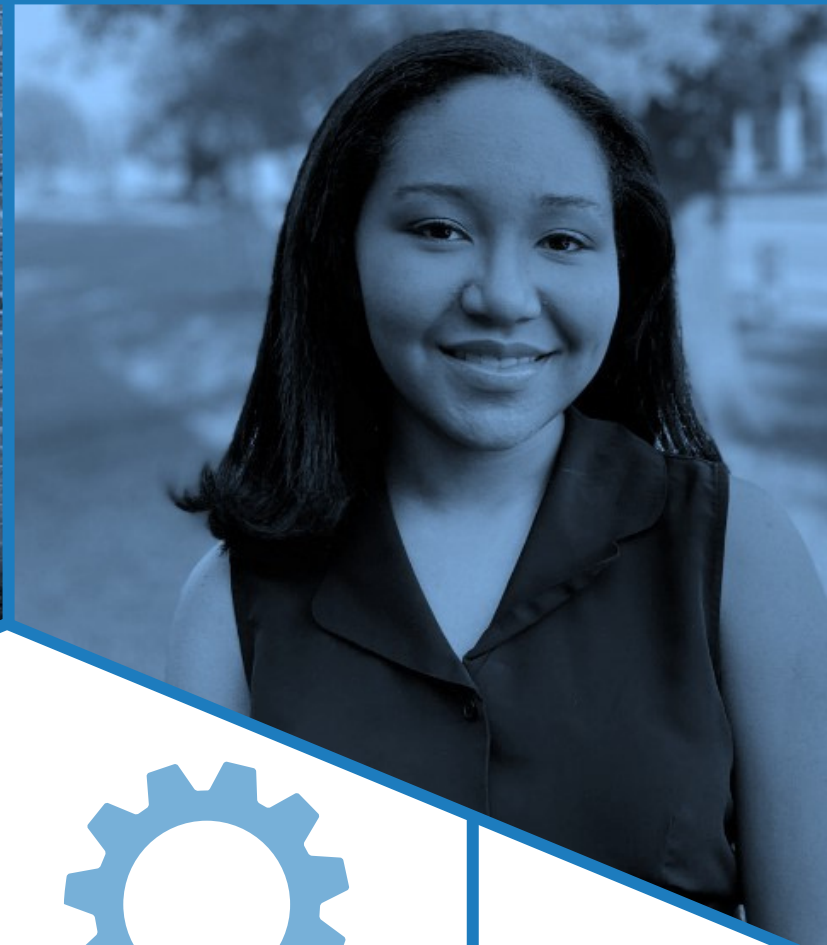


STEM AMBASSADOR SPOTLIGHT



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

I found the STEM courses I took in school to be the most interesting when ideas that I learned in one class would apply to another. When I first took an project based engineering class, I could apply all of the cool concepts and ideas from my favorite classes to solve many kinds of problems.

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

If you want to solve or investigate problems that improve people's health, there are many careers you can go into with a Biomedical Engineering degree! It takes a lot of people to solve problems with people's health, so you often get to work with other scientists and engineers.

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

If given the opportunity, I would have taken an engineering problem solving course.

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

I like to go bowling and play board games with my friends.

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

I like seeing my friends in class and in the halls every day.

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

Biomedical Engineers help improve people's quality of life by creating devices that can treat, diagnose, and mitigate diseases and conditions.

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

I look forward to helping create the next generation of STEM enthusiasts that will hopefully pursue STEM careers.

