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2022-2023: Junior

Major: Aerospace Engineering Minors in Mathematics and Business

Academic & Extracurricular Highlights:

- Texas Trophy Hunters Association Wildlife Conservation (Texas A&M Chapter)
- Texas A&M Engineering Honors Program: Research Team Soph & Junior
- Aide for Students with Disabilities: Academic/Athletic Helper
- Texas A&M Aerospace Engineering NUA2NCED Lab: Undergraduate Researcher
- Fulcrum Engineering, LLC: Aerospace Engineering Intern



While many aspects of life seemingly dissolve as years pass, everyone that walks this Earth can leave an imprint that withstands the test of time. This imprint is called one's legacy. My father served 30 years in naval aviation and left a legacy of selflessness and integrity to be followed by this nation's next generation. I have committed myself to continuing this legacy through my education and future career. As a junior aerospace engineering student double-minoring in mathematics and business at Texas A&M University, financial burdens pose a tremendous hurdle in life. However, receiving a Wings Over America Scholarship has lifted the weight of worry from my back, allowing me to focus on following in my father's footsteps through advancing the aerospace industry. Knowing that an organization is generous enough to sponsor me in achieving an education in the career I have dreamed about for years provides me with motivation and joy that words cannot describe. Obtaining my education is a crucial chapter in my book of influencing those around me through upholding my father's legacy. Yet this book remains unfinished... pages are yet to be discovered... and a final story is yet to be revealed.