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- The Corrosion Squad
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Why UA College of Engineering?

As I was deciding which college I wanted to attend, I was also discovering that I wanted to go into engineering. After considering several different schools, I decided that Akron would be the best choice. The UA Engineering Program is very strong, and extremely helpful when it comes to finding co-ops. Co-ops were one of the top things on my list when it came to selecting a school. These allow you to work full time in an engineering position before you graduate, and that experience is one of the best things you can gain as an undergraduate student.

Why did you choose your major?

As of now, UA has the only Corrosion Engineering BS degree in the country. I had no idea what I was getting myself into when I decided to go into the Corrosion Program, I just knew that there would be endless opportunities and benefits from taking on a new engineering degree at a University known for engineering. Over the past 4 years, the vast amount of opportunities and benefits have been proven to me over and over.