

## **Olivia Cole**

Mechanical Engineering

**Hometown:** Brecksville, OH

**Professional/Student Organizations:**

- Tau Beta Pi
- Society of Women Engineers
- Engineering Service Design Team
- Akron Against Cancer

**Why UA College of Engineering?**

UA is a great college for engineering with many benefits. I chose UA because it has a great engineering program and is affordable. Since arriving at UA I have found many fun ways to be involved on campus such as joining a design team, volunteering with Women in Engineering, and awesome co-op opportunities. I am very thankful for my Akron experiences and excited to use skills developed at UA out in the real world.

**Why did you choose your major?**

I chose mechanical engineering because I have a desire to help people. Solving problems and finding better ways to do things through improving and creating new designs is something I enjoy doing. Of course I also enjoy using math and science to develop these solutions to new challenges. Mechanical engineering equips you with skills needed in numerous fields of industry.