# **Zachary Pyle**

**Electrical Engineering** 

## Hometown: Bellville, OH

# **Professional/Student Organizations:**

- Choose Ohio First STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, & Math) Program
- Williams Honor College Scholar

#### **Co-op/Research Experience**

- Arcadis
- Hughes Primeau Controls

## Why did you choose the University of Akron?

I chose the University of Akron for several reasons. The most important purpose for attending the university was due to the fantastic reputation of the co-op education program as well as The College of Engineering.

#### Why did you choose Electrical Engineering as your major?

I chose Electrical Engineering as my degree and career path due to my passion for the digital age. Another considerable influence for my decision was my engineering-type hobbies of electronic/software projects, 3D Printing, and wood working.

# What is the most valuable thing you have learned from your UA experiences?

The most valuable item that I have learned at the University of Akron is how to be a professional.

#### What advice would you give to an incoming engineering student?

My advice is to get involved outside of your classes on a personal project or join a design team. For myself, I have learned a ton outside of school, in the workplace, and at home doing projects with my 3D Printer and such.

