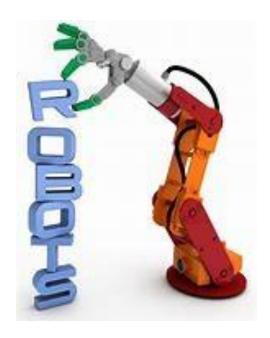
Christopher BlanksSeptember 27, 2018 UMES Hercules Scholar





Mr. Banks is a **4.0 GPA senior, Computer Engineering** major, who already has a software engineer position waiting for him upon graduation. There he can hone his skills in preparation for owning a **Made in the USA robotics company**.

A passionate proponent of minority participation in **STEM** (Science, Technology, Engineering & Math), Christopher has spent untold hours sharing his stories and STEM philosophy with high school students, attending multiple conferences and presenting his work in capacitor research. His perseverance and dedication are fueled by his motto of *"Never stop learning."* And, he credits his mother, a 20-year Army veteran, with teaching him to work hard to achieve his goals.

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