



## ACE Mentor Bio



**Arielle O'Neal**  
*Student Mentor*

### Education:

University of North Florida, Jacksonville, FL, Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering

**Professional Affiliations:** Society of American Military Engineers

**How long have you been a mentor?** First year

### Who or what inspired you to join ACE as a mentor?

I participated in ACE as a student and found that the program provided the students a unique opportunity to be involved in contributing to making profound contributions to the city's evolution.

### What have you found to be most rewarding about being a mentor?

Seeing the students make discoveries about their capabilities and how they can contribute in a real-world environment.

### What is the most surprising thing(s) you've learned from being a mentor?

How much a little guidance can contribute towards inspiring students to develop impressive concepts and ideas.