

2015 HBCU All-Star



Jeremiah 29:11

“For I know the plans I have for you”, declares the Lord,
plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give
you hope and a future.”

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About Me!

Leah Williams is a triplet, with a brother one minute older than her and a sister one minute younger than her. Leah is from Upper Marlboro, MD and made history at DSU by being the first person to ever be awarded both the Presidential Academic Award, for having a cumulative 4.0 GPA all eight semesters, and the Presidential Leadership Award, for her outstanding leadership throughout campus. She graduated May 2015 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Management with a concentration in Economics and a minor in music. During her career at DSU, she was involved in many activities. Leah was co-founder and former President of “Focusing on Renewing Christ-like Existence” (F.O.R.C.E Ministry). Leah also served as a mentor to incoming freshmen and a Supplemental Instructor (SI) for introduction to algebra, college algebra, and microeconomic courses. Leah was a four-year member of the DSU marching, concert, jazz, and pep bands. Leah was the only female arranger in the band program and as an arranger she used her talents to compose musical selections that the band performed in field shows, parades, and other events. One of her arrangements is played at the beginning of every home football game. Leah, who is able to play nine instruments, also served as a four-year student conductor, two year section leader of an all-male section, four-year selection to attend the MEAC tournament, and a featured jazz soloist. Leah also represented the University overseas in China as a music student. Academically, in addition to her 4.0 GPA, Leah was a member of Alpha Chi Honor Society for top 1% of class, Beta Gamma Sigma Honor Society in Business Excellence, Omicron Delta Epsilon International Honor Society in Economics, and received other departmental awards. Leah is now pursuing an MBA on a full-tuition scholarship, while working as a Product Specialist Intern for SAP on the new Project Propel movement.

What are your plans after graduation?

Upon graduation Leah plans to continue her career with SAP and help other HBCU students receive career opportunities through “Project Propel.” Leah strives to work her way up the corporate ladder in hopes of becoming a top executive at SAP or a company in the SAP ecosystem. In the future, Leah plans to continue furthering her education to gain a PhD. Leah’s ultimate career goal is to become a CEO and one day found her own non-profit organization.



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