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Hi, my name is Brayden Sampson, and my pronouns are he/him. I am an Actuarial Science and Finance double major with minors in Mathematics and Computer Science. I plan to continue my studies as an actuary or potentially work somewhere in the financial sector. I am in CSC4500 to help complete my com sci minor and to learn as much as possible about databases. It was recommended to me by Dr. Wyman as a potential class that could be very beneficial to me in my career. I am also a part of the NCAA Men’s Ice Hockey team here at AU, and one of my biggest non-academic related goals is to win our conference this year!

I am originally from Toronto, Ontario, Canada and grew up in Oakville, Ontario (about 20 minutes west of Toronto) where I currently reside with my family. My family consists of me, my mother Loraine, my father Steve, my younger brother Tyler (21), and my younger sister Emily (18). I am extremely close with my family. In the picture above I am with my grandfather Hugh, who is a huge supporter of me and my hockey! I am extremely thankful for hockey and what it has allowed me to do so far in my life. I have made tons of lifelong friends as well as being able to travel the world. One of the coolest places I have ever been when I was able to go to Iceland for hockey! One of the most beautiful places I have ever seen. I currently do not have any pets but consider myself a dog person.

I currently live in an off-campus house with six of my teammates (yes there is seven of us in one house!). This gets extremely hectic at times, but I am extremely close with all my roommates and wouldn’t change it for the world.

I have Netflix, Disney+ and Apple TV subscriptions and spend what little free time I have left watching my favourite shows. These include Peaky Blinders, Criminal Minds, Ozark, and anything Marvel. My top three movies in no order would have to be Interstellar, Inglorious Bastards and the Knives Out.

Lastly, my taste of music is very broad. I like hip-hop, r&b, classic rock, pop, dance… I can basically listen to everything. My top three artists that I listen to are most likely The Weeknd, Drake and 88GLAM.