

Statement of Ambition

I am going to go to college to study computer science. I hope to get into MIT, partially because they are a world-class institution, but also because it seems like a quirky and fun place. Regardless of what university I attend, I plan to explore a wide range of subjects in addition to computing. There is a lot I don't know about, and I want to learn more. I will stay involved with my church, and probably with Scouting too. After college, I'll either go back for a master's degree or find a job somewhere. I don't have a great sense of what kinds of jobs are available in computing, but I would love to work on something important or where my faith could make a difference. I've thought that working for NASA or in cybersecurity would be cool. Unrelatedly, I would like to see the fjords of Norway. Above all, I feel like the modern world has gone crazy; I want to be a rock of faith and reason in the chaos. We'll see how that goes. Pray for me, please!

As a homeschooler, I haven't had many opportunities for community leadership positions outside of Scouting. My favorite extracurricular activities are video game development, robotics, piano, and drama.