

Where Are They Now?

Anthony Orellana's journey is nothing short of remarkable. Having dedicated two years to the program, he eagerly awaits the start of his full-ride to UT Austin this fall as an Impact Scholar. It is worth noting that only 72 students out of 18,000 are selected as Impact Scholars, making Anthony's accomplishment truly outstanding.

When asked why he chose to work in the W4C Program over other jobs, he responded, "W4C is more than just a job; it offers valuable work experience, an opportunity to earn scholarship credits, a chance to form friendships, and a glimpse into the college lifestyle." Never having had a job, Anthony was drawn to the program's flexibility and training the supervisors provide. The enthusiasm his friends (former W4C students) displayed upon hearing his intent to participate solidified to him how special the program is.



While in the program, he worked in Student Services, where he managed phones, financial aid matters, and assisted in recruiting events. Impressed by his dedication and performance, NTCC went on to offer him a part-time position. Looking ahead, Anthony intends to continue his work as a student employee on the UT Austin campus.

“W4C is more than just a job!”

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Encourage someone who may benefit to apply for the program next year! If you have any questions, please e-mail Mason May at mmay@ntcc.edu or call 903.434.8246