

Zane transcript

04.000 - 08.559 "hi my name is Zane I'm originally from Toronto I'm going into my fourth year at"

08.559 - 13.799 "the University of Guelph I study environmental geomatics"

13.799 - 15.720 "Why did you Choose University of Guelph"

15.720 - 19.980 "so I picked the University of Guelph mainly for their geography"

19.980 - 26.640 "department when I went on my fall preview back in 2017 and 2016 I found"

26.640 - 31.560 "that everybody on campus was smiling everybody was friendly and the science"

31.560 - 35.310 "that they were conducting at the time was something I hadn't seen before back"

35.310 - 39.840 "in high school everything I did was kind of just test questions whereas at the"

39.840 - 43.800 "University they were doing things that were new and exciting and things I"

43.800 - 48.450 "actually wanted to base my career on and so after some visiting the school and"

48.450 - 54.950 "seeing all of that it made me know no choice but to come here"

57.720 - 02.050 "so I chose environmental geomatics at the University of Guelph primarily"

02.050 - 1:05.740 "because it was a very broad major for what I was interested in when I was"

1:05.740 - 1:09.640 "first looking at university I actually was considering engineering"

1:09.640 - 1:15.040 "and I didn't really know exactly what I wanted to do with that after discovering"

1:15.040 - 1:20.470 "geomatics I realized that not only could I dive into earth sciences that things"

1:20.470 - 1:25.660 "like geology meteorology was even something I was interested in as well as"

1:25.660 - 1:30.790 "the humanities and just anything environmental I was able to still go"

1:30.790 - 1:34.810 "into it without knowing exactly what I wanted to do and even three years down"

1:34.810 - 1:39.430 "the line I still don't know exactly what it is but I've been given every"

1:39.430 - 1:43.330 "opportunity to figure it out and that's what I'm really happy this program has"

1:43.330 - 1:45.780 "let me do"

1:47.880 - 1:51.689 "so when I came to the University of Guelph my first year was obviously very"

1:51.689 - 1:57.000 "scary just like most people's are and I found that what most people suggested is"

1:57.000 - 2:01.259 "that there's tons of resources available and that everything is at your"

2:01.259 - 2:05.670 "fingertips at the University and that is true and what they don't let you know is"

2:05.670 - 2:11.670 "just how much and how deep that package goes things like free software I got the"

2:11.670 - 2:16.620 "entire Microsoft suite ArcGIS all these things were available for me there's"

2:16.620 - 2:20.880 "even a kind of Netflix rival that's available for the University of Guelph"

2:20.880 - 2:23.790 "that provides you with movies that you can't see anywhere else"

2:23.790 - 2:29.790 "and there's also all these packages of just clubs and activities and tons of"

2:29.790 - 2:34.140 "things you can do with your free time that I didn't really take advantage of"

2:34.140 - 2:37.290 "until my second or third year and if I could have done it differently I would"

2:37.290 - 2:40.190 "have just started sooner"

2:42.190 - 2:46.900 "so something that I'm looking forward to specifically for this year especially"

2:46.900 - 2:52.030 "due to the current conditions with the pandemic we have a research position"

2:52.030 - 2:56.020 "that I will be partaking in with one of our professors conducting research on"

2:56.020 - 3:00.940 "flood dynamics using GIS and remote sensing and the fantastic thing is"

3:00.940 - 3:05.410 "normally with these classes due to the amount of people there are most of the"

3:05.410 - 3:09.730 "content that you look at tends to be stuff that's already been done however"

3:09.730 - 3:13.180 "with this research position I'll be doing research and conducting"

3:13.180 - 3:17.440 "experiments and collecting data that hasn't been done before and may"

3:17.440 - 3:23.440 "potentially provide something to the world that was needed and so it's really"

3:23.440 - 3:28.030 "exciting to find out that the work I'll be doing has a potential to change lives"

3:28.030 - 3:34.080 "as well as get my foot in the door to maybe a future career in GIS"