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Community Service and/or Extra Curricular Activities (if any):	<p>On campus I am involved in numerous extracurricular activities. My first extracurricular activity is Brotherhood of Successful Scholars (BOSS). Brotherhood of Successful Scholars is an academic retention organization at Indiana State University targeted to help African American and Latino males, although we are inclusive to anyone, succeed during their collegiate years. Brotherhood of Successful Scholars also helps men through our five core values Academic Success, Personal Development, Spiritual, Mentoring, and Community Engagement. With these values, we hope to build a brotherhood and prepare tomorrow's leaders by leading today. I've been part of Brotherhood of Successful Scholars since the beginning of my freshman year in college (August 2019). Every year the Brotherhood of Successful Scholars holds a special ball called the "BOSS Ball". The BOSS</p>

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Ball is not only a ball but there is also an award given you at the end of the ball called the "Black Male Of The Year" scholarship award. This award is given out to a member of BOSS that earns a GPA higher than a 3.0 during the fall semester and who has shown "BOSS " like attributes on campus . On March 1st, 2020, I was fortunate enough to win the 2020 Black Male Of The Year scholarship award as a freshman.

I also hold an executive board position for Brotherhood of Successful Scholars (BOSS). My position is the Professional Development Chair. As the Professional Development Chair, I'm responsible for enhancing professionalism in each member of Brotherhood of Successful Scholars. I do this by teaching our members about career development, graduate school preparation, and professional networking. I'm also responsible for scheduling and planning teachable moments during the general body meetings, creating programs that promote development in members and the Indiana State University student body and providing mentorship opportunities between senior BOSS members and new BOSS members. Furthermore, I'm responsible for professional conferences and presentations that informs members about leadership initiatives on campus.

My second extracurricular activity is Mentoring Assistance For Prospective Scholars (MAPS). MAPS is a program here at Indiana State University. I've been part of MAPS since the beginning of my Sophomore year in college (August 2020). The goal of MAPS is to increase student interaction with professionals in varying fields, monitoring that experience, and providing opportunities for academic growth, and campus involvement. MAPS strive to see scholars matriculate and become successful, upstanding members of society who "reach back and pull forward" other prospective scholars, resulting in the graduation rates among historically under-represented students here at Indiana State University. Everyone in the program is assigned to a mentor related or closely related to their field. These mentor help with academic success and personal development.

My third extracurricular activity is Interior Designer Embrace Architecture (IDEA). I am a general body member of IDEA. I've been part of IDEA since the beginning of my Sophomore year in college (August 2020). IDEA is an organization to help establish relationships between design professionals and design students. IDEA is an amazing organization. Professionals in many different parts of the industry have taken their time to come and speak to the students, offering invaluable advice. IDEA is open to all Indiana State University students who are pursuing a degree in Interior Architecture Design or Architectural Engineering. For my major Interior Architecture Design, I use a lot of advanced architectural programming like Revit, Sketchup and AutoCAD. Upper class mates from IDEA have helped me understand these programs which makes me obtain architectural information for my future career.

Back in October I volunteered at ComForCare Indianapolis.

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ComForCare provides in-home senior care in the north metro Indianapolis area. The event they were doing was a safe social distance Halloween event for the Kids around the area. My volunteering duties for the event included setting up decorations, moving tables around for pathways of social distancing and handing out candy and apple cider to the youth. This event was a success for the youth during this troubling time of COVID-19.

Honors and Awards (if any):

- Indiana State University Fall 2020 Deans List
<https://www.indstate.edu/registrar/fall-2020-deans-list>
- 2020 B.O.S.S. (Brothers Of Successful Scholars) Black Male Scholarship Award (February 2020)
- Indianapolis Alumni Chapter Of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity Inc. Senior Scholarship Award (July 2019)
- Kappa League Leon W. Steward Guide Right Senior Essay Award (July 2019)
- Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church, Kirk Gilliam III Outstanding Youth Of The Year Award (July 2018)
- Kappa League Diamond In The Rough Award (July 2018)
- 100 Black Men Of Indianapolis Beautillion Militaire Scholarship Program: (April 2018)
- Certificate Of Completion Award and Perfect Attendance Award

Please list below the names and amounts of any grants or scholarships you have been awarded for the coming school year:

Name of Award: Amount: Granted/Pending:

N/A \$0 \$0

Please share your educational and career goals/aspirations and how you plan to move toward greatness:

My name is Gregory Leon Shelton. I'm from Indianapolis, IN. I am currently a junior at Indiana State University. My major is Interior Architecture Design. A career goal of mine is to keep up with a high work ethic ability. My work ethic in the classroom, today, plays a role in my future career plans on becoming an Architect. My work ethic will help me succeed and earn trust with those I will work with in my future career. I believe that there are five main, good work ethics; character, productivity, cooperation, reliability, and dedication. Those who possess a strong character, most likely have a good work ethic. To have character means that they push themselves to complete work, instead of requiring others to intervene. They are also trustworthy and very honest, these individuals view these traits as beneficial to the high-quality employees they seek to become. To demonstrate their strong character, these workers embody these positive traits daily, likely distinguishing themselves from the rest.

Those with a good work ethic, work at a consistently fast pace, and are often highly productive. They commonly get large sums of work finished faster than others who lack their work ethic, as they don't quit until they have completed all presented tasks. This productivity, at such a high level, is also due to the fact that these individuals want to appear as stronger workers. The more productive they are, the more beneficial to the company they will be. I see myself keeping my work ethic high from now until forever.

