## **2019 DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE**



Aaron Carrico Engineering

"The only person you are destined to become is the person you decide to be."

-Ralph Waldo Emerson

aron Carrico was born in San Antonio on May 29, 1991. He is the youngest of three children. When he was 16, he began homeschooling so that he could work full-time in an attempt to help his family keep their house amidst economic turmoil. This would ultimately be unsuccessful. He worked managing a restaurant, selling premium home theater equipment and tech support to support himself for nearly ten years before enrolling in San Antonio College.

Aaron was elected the president of the Phi Theta Kappa honor society, Beta Nu chapter, at San Antonio College. He has twice received the "Golden Service Award" from Phi Theta Kappa for his volunteer service. He has a 4.0 GPA and has made the President's List each semester. He is also a member of MESA, TRIO, and SHPE.

Aaron will graduate with an associate of science in engineering degree in May of 2019. His short-term goal is to pursue a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering. One day he would like to pursue his master's degree and doctoral degree.



