Samantha Krieg, CEMF Ambassador Undergraduate BC Region

Hi, my name is Samantha, and I am the 2023 CEMF Undergraduate Ambassador for the British Columbia region. I am honoured to be recognized among all the outstanding women in engineering who have won a CEMF Undergraduate Ambassador Award this year and in the past.

I am studying civil engineering at the University of British Columbia Okanagan (UBCO). My passions include engineering, leadership, inclusion, and climate change mitigation. My interest in sustainability drives me to be a structural engineer who designs resilient tall buildings with minimal lifecycle environmental impact. Outside of my studies, I enjoy volunteering, getting involved on campus, and spending as much time outdoors as possible.

As a CEMF Ambassador, I look forward to promoting engineering in an upcoming presentation to high school students. This presentation is especially meaningful to me because when I was in high school, I would have never imagined that I would be pursuing this career path. I am excited to share all the amazing opportunities available in engineering and encourage students to get involved in STEM outside of the classroom.

I would like to thank the CEMF award committee, sponsors, and volunteers who made this award possible. It helps me to focus my efforts on my continued academic success, extracurricular involvement, and volunteering. The CEMF Undergraduate Ambassador BC Regional Award allows me to pursue new opportunities to further my career and inspires me to continue to challenge myself.