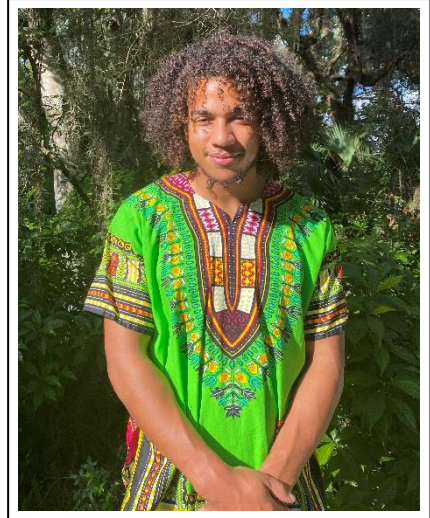


Kent Phipps
Business Administration
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Kent Phipps is enrolled as an undergraduate PaCE student studying business administration. This is his second year at the University of Florida but his first year on campus. His first year was completed at home online.

Although it has only been one month since arriving at UF, Kent has already been active in many organizations. He attends Black Student Union meetings, Krishna gatherings, and Rec Sports activities. Kent holds an executive position in Umbra Inc. Umbra is a social service group to help communities while also engaging with other campus organizations. Even with a full plate, he continues to go out to other organizations to support and serve. His next endeavor will be to join BMEN, a peer mentoring program.



Health, knowledge, and family are Kent's three main pillars of life. Kent's beard is parted in three ways to symbolize this. He dedicates all his time to the pursuit of these objectives. Health is to live a long worthy life to create opportunities. Kent does not only look after his health but also others in his life. Knowledge is key to understanding the world and where we fit in it. Family is its pillar because of the importance of familial bonds and relationships.

Kent enjoys social interactions and community service. He wants to know he is making an impact on any community in need. Kent does this by reaching out where he can and doing what needs to be done. He has volunteered to feed the homeless, join environmental cleanup groups, and donate to many nonprofits that support his pillars.