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Entrepreneur, Scholar, and Author

Mikaila Ulmer is a social entrepreneur, published author, and student. She is pursuing a B.A. in Economics with a minor in Quantitative Sciences at Emory University as a full-ride Robert W. Woodruff Scholar. At four-and-a-half, Mikaila founded Me & the Bees, a social good lemonade product that saves the bees, and she has since scaled it to be distributed in over 6,500 stores with over 3 million bottles sold. In 2016, she founded the Healthy Hive Foundation: a non-profit that researches, protects, and educates about pollinators. The Healthy hive has partnered with numerous schools to provide educational tools, beekeepers to support their hives, and farmers. She was a success on ABC's *Shark Tank*, one of *TIME*'s 30 most influential teens, the 2023 Emory NAACP image award Entrepreneur of the Year, one of AfroTech's 2023 Future 50 of tech. She introduced former president Obama at the United State of Women conference, has worked with social businesses across the world from Cape Town to Singapore, and published the best-selling book *Bee Fearless: Dream Like a Kid* in 2020.