

Senior Spotlight 2021-22



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Reflecting on what I've done so I can realize where I'm going

Hometown: Paso Robles, CA

Major & Concentration: Agribusiness Management

Minors or Certificates: Entrepreneurships Certificate

Why did you come to Purdue: Coming from California I came to Purdue so that I could gain a broader understanding of the greater agriculture industry than that I grew up with and experience a culture different than the one I grew up with.

Favorite Purdue tradition: Homecoming

Top three influences at Purdue(people, ideas, experiences):

1. FarmHouse Fraternity
2. Purdue NAMA
3. My friends

Top five memories of your time at Purdue:

1. FarmHouse winning BMOC back-to-back
2. NAMA conference trips
3. Tailgating on the IM fields
4. FarmHouse Formal in Nashville
5. The people I've met

Places you have been as a Purdue student:

- The Rice Partnership Internship in San Luis Obispo, CA
- Cargill Internship virtually from home summer of 2021
- Agriculture Futures of America leadership conference in Kansas City
- National Agri-Marketing Association competition in Kansas City

Favorite club/organization: National Agri-Marketing Association

Favorite Student-led event/initiative: BMOC by Zeta Tau Alpha

Favorite Purdue event: Grand Prix

Favorite Social Activity: Tailgating

Favorite place to study: FarmHouse Fraternity Basement

Favorite spot on campus: Memorial Mall

Favorite thing about CoA: How close nit and interconnected the CoA is.

Favorite thing about your major: How dedicated and willing to work with you the professors are. It is clear to tell how passionate they are about what they do and that they want you to be successful.

Favorite class: HIST 351

Favorite professor: Dr. Brady Brewer

Coollest project: GlycerMax Marketing Plan



Three biggest accomplishments:

1. Placing top Six in the NAMA competition in 2020
2. Receiving multiple scholarships each year
3. Being admitted to Purdue

Things on your resume not listed above:

- Teaching Assistant
- NAMA President
- FarmHouse Exec member

Where do you want to end up: Working in a position where I will be able to make lifelong connections and have a positive impact on the lives of others.

Advice for underclassman:

Get involved and never turn an opportunity down without exploring it first, but at the same time be willing to say no. College is too short to be overworked and overcommitted. If you find yourself constantly stressed out and being pulled in too many directions don't be afraid to take a step back. For most of us college is only four years so make sure to enjoy them. You have the rest of your life to work and worry so make sure to have some fun in the present.

Biggest takeaway from Purdue: It's good to have goals and plans but it is also important to remember that priorities change. Always be expanding your horizons and looking outside of your comfort zone. Continue to challenge and push yourself because sometimes you never know how far you can go until you look back and see just how far you've come from where you began.

