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Why I chose Wesleyan:
I found Wesleyan to be a place that enabled me to integrate the sciences within a strong liberal arts context. Everyone in the close-knit community was genuinely interesting and loved what they were doing at Wes.

Outside the Classroom:

Extracurriculars:
- Wesleyan Investment Group
- Shakti, South Asian Student Association
- Wesleyan Entrepreneurship Society
- Men’s Club Soccer Team

Favorite Activity at Wes:
Playing the piano in the Music Studios

Favorite moment at Wes:
Spring Fling, Holi

Favorite movie(s):
Interstellar

Favorite song:
Hymn for the Weekend Remix by Coldplay, Seeb

Fun Fact:
I have two brothers who also attend Wesleyan.

Academic Interests:
I am Economics and Chemistry double major at Wesleyan. I am interested in applying my background to the finance, healthcare or technology sectors.

Favorite class at Wes:
I really enjoyed the First Year Seminar course Music and Downtown New York, 1950-1970. The class was exiting and informative because we studied firsthand the history of folk, jazz, experimental and rock music in the Greenwich Village area of NYC. The instructor challenged us to research not only the music of the time period, but also the social context in which it was produced. I was truly able to gain an appreciation for different musical genres in an interactive way!

Current Classes:
- Microeconomic Analysis
- Economic Analysis and the Law
- Chemistry Symposia I
- Integrated Chemistry Lab I
- Physical Chemistry II
- Advanced Research Seminar, Undergraduate

Why I want to be a tour guide:
When I first visited campus, my tour guide left a lasting impression on me. His experiences inspired me to learn more about the school and the possibility of attending Wesleyan. I hope to be able to impact a potential student’s visit and convey the same level of excitement and Wesleyan pride that my tour guide provided me.