

Senior Spotlight 2021-22



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Small town girl wants to make a big impact on the world

Hometown: New Carlisle, IN

Major & Concentration: Agribusiness Management

Minors or Certificates: Farm Management & Organizational Leadership

Why did you come to Purdue: I visited Purdue during high school and fell in love with the campus. The College of Ag is well known and feels like home!

Favorite Purdue tradition: Singing Hail Purdue at the end of basketball games

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

1. Study Abroad
2. College of Ag
3. New friendships made at Purdue

Top five memories of your time at Purdue:

1. Study Abroad trip to Italy
2. Helping pack 150,000 meals during Ag Week
3. Introducing my younger siblings to the campus
4. Having a pen pal program to communicate with the elderly during the pandemic
5. The first time my family came to visit me after I moved away for school (the first week was difficult)

Places you have been as a Purdue student: Italy, Internships with Co-Alliance, Purdue Extension, and Cultivate Food Rescue

Favorite club/organization: Adopt-A-Grandparent Club

Favorite Student-led event/initiative: Moonlight Pancake Breakfast

Favorite Purdue event: Basketball games at Mackey

Favorite Social Activity: I love all board/card games! Especially euchre and monopoly, although it can get a little intense!

Favorite place to study: Hicks Underground Library

Favorite spot on campus: Harry's

Favorite thing about CoA: I love how CoA pushes you to get out of your comfort zone and provides so many opportunities for their students.

Favorite thing about your major: The chance to learn about all aspects in the agricultural industry

Favorite class: AGRY 105 – Crop Production

Favorite professor: Professor Eales



Coolest project: Food Preparation, Production, and Marketing in Italy (study abroad project)

Three biggest accomplishments:

1. Making Dean's List
2. Landing an internship every summer
3. Receiving scholarships every year to help pay for college

Things on your resume not listed above: International Agriculture Ambassador, President of Adopt a Grandparent Club, Member of Agribusiness Club

Where do you want to end up: I would like to find a job near my hometown that allows me to make a difference within my community

Advice for underclassman: Be open to new opportunities! Purdue has endless opportunities that will help you grow as a person, you just have to say yes!

Biggest takeaway from Purdue: My experience in the study abroad program made a big impact on me! I loved being able to visit a new country and learn more about agriculture there. I suggest everyone consider studying abroad at some point if they are able to!

