

# Senior Spotlight 2021-22



## Mateo Julio

International Student from Argentina reflects on his athletic and academic experiences at Purdue

**Hometown:** Olavarria, Buenos Aires

**Major & Concentration:** Agribusiness with a management concentration

**Minors or Certificates:** Entrepreneurship and Innovation

**Why did you come to Purdue:** To play Division 1 tennis and get a great education

**Favorite Purdue tradition:** Tailgating

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

1. Purdue Men's tennis (Teammates, Coach Francisco Stuardo)
2. Travelling through different places with my team
3. Learning a different language

**Top five memories of your time at Purdue:**

1. Travelling to San Diego with my team for spring break
2. The day I arrived on campus for the first time
3. Celebrating the victories with teammates
4. Travelling to Indian Wells California
5. Going to the tailgates with teammates in the fall of 2019

**Places you have been as a Purdue student:** -Working in NY for an internship

-Competing at Indian Wells Collegiate Challenge

-All the places we competed inside and outside the big ten which I had never been before

**Favorite club/organization:** Purdue Tennis

**Favorite Purdue event:** Athletic events

**Favorite Social Activity:** Hanging out with teammates/friends

**Favorite place to study:** Brees, Krannert library, Hicks library

**Favorite spot on campus:** The green area around the engineering fountain during the fall.

**Favorite thing about CoA:** The resources given to students

**Favorite thing about your major:** The tools I have learned in various topics of my interest

**Favorite class:** AGECE 220

**Favorite professor:** Professor Eales

**Coollest project:** Coming up with an idea and make it into a start up company.



**Three biggest accomplishments:**

1. Academic All Big-Ten
2. Semester Honors
3. Playing consistently at the number 1 spot on my team

**Things on your resume not listed above:** Durham Brothers Leadership Award, SAAC representative

**Where do you want to end up:** Yet to be decided

**Advice for underclassman:** Focus on academics but don't miss out on the social aspect of the college experience including having fun, meeting a lot of new people and attending events.

**Biggest takeaway from Purdue:** The experience which changed me in a lot of ways to better myself

