## **PURDUE FOOD SCIENCE**

# **GRADUATE STUDENT**

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## **NEW Summer 2024 FOOD SCIENCE GRADUATE STUDENTS**



**Gabriel Garcia, MS**Dr. Cantu Jungle's
Lab



**Doriane-hans Sossou, MS**Dr. Deering's Lab

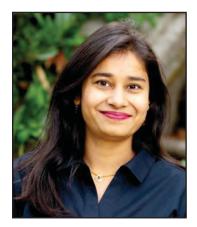
## **GRADUATE STUDENTS - Graduated Summer 2024**



Hansel Mina Cordoba PhD



Manoj Sawale PhD



Uzma Siddiqui MS



**Autumn Stoll MS** 



**Geraldine Tembo PhD** 

#### **GRADUATE STUDENTS - PASSED PRELIMINARY EXAMS**



**Edward Moncada** 



Vignesh Nathan

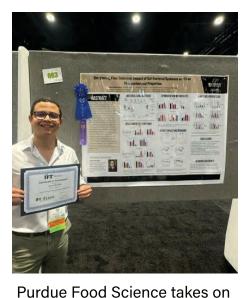
# **AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS**



Congratulations to Ph.D. candidate Mary Busayo
Oluyemi! Mary was honored as the 2024 Woman of Promise by the YWCA Greater Lafayette during their Salute to Women. Mary was recognized for her dedication to "ensuring young women have access to crucial resources and providing support to those who may feel alone." We are proud of you, Mary!



Each year, the Kirleiss
Graduate Student Award
honors Purdue Food Science
graduate students from Africa,
Asia, Middle East, or Latin
America with an exceptional
GPA who have presented
their research at a national
scientific meeting.
Congratulations to this year's
recipients, Elma Kontor-Manu
and Edward Moncada!



IFT! Faculty, staff, and students had the opportunity to network with other food scientists, learn about industry innovations, and present their research at IFT First in Chicago.

Congratulations to Edward Moncada, who was awarded first place in the Carbohydrate

Division of the Graduate
Student Oral Competition!







Nicholas Gallina has been selected as the recipient of the Meat Foundation Merit Scholarship for \$5,000. Congratulations to Nick on this outstanding achievement.



Amandeep Singh received a travel award from the Society of Food Engineering to attend Conference for Food Engineering in July 2024.

Congratulations to Ph.D. candidate Manoj Sawale! Manoj's poster won first place in the Developing Scientist Competition at the International Association of Food Protection (IAFP) annual meeting. Amandeep Singh accepted the award on Manoj's behalf. Way to go!

### **Summer 2024 Internships**

Paola Andino Carbajal-Nestle

Christian Mensah-Chobani

Kayla Roy-Pepsico

Rui Zhu-Nestle

Keyshla Narvaez-Kerry Ingredients

#### 2024-2025 FSGSA Officer Board!

President- Sarah Eckrote
Vice President- Heather Milliron
Treasurer- Marcelo Guerrero
Secretary- Victoria Gutierrez
Social Media Chair- Dalne Sinclair
FSGSA Senate Representative- Daniel Fajardo

Be on the lookout for FSGSA events starting this fall.

#### NEW ADDITIONS



Owen Burnett was born on May 15, 2024 at 4:04 pm. He weighed 4 pounds 15 oz. and 18" long. Congratulations Jack Burnett!



Adesuwa Adunoluwa Imade was born on June 16, 2024. She weighed 6 pounds 2 oz and 18" long. Congratulations Mary Oluyemi!



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