

A message from Dr. Steven J. Landry

Peter & Angela Dal Pezzo Chair and Department Head

Congratulations on graduating in a year where you faced challenges that no other graduate has ever faced! You have experienced an entire year of mostly remote instruction during a global pandemic, something that would not have even been possible 10 years ago. Despite all these challenges, you have persevered and should be incredibly proud of all your accomplishments.

We look forward to hearing from you about your successes in the coming years!

Congratulations!







Dr. Steven J. Landry

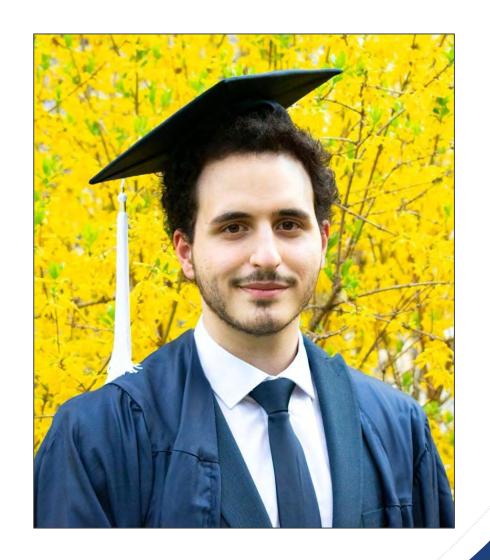


Undergraduate students



Suhail Al Sharabati Amman, Jordan

Thanks to my loving family and friends for their continued support throughout my college career.





Jiawei Bai Jiangsu, China

Those times when you don't feel like working, you are too tired, and you don't want to push yourself, but you do it anyway, That is actually the dream.





Emily Barefoot Norwich, Connecticut

I would like to thank my friends and family who got me to love my time in Happy Valley. Especially my wonderful husband, Trey Barefoot, for getting me through the struggles that the last few years brought our way.





Carolina Biffe Sao Paulo, Brazil

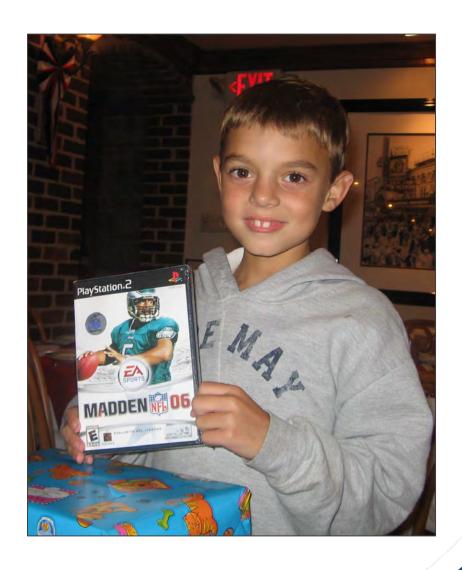
Thank you to my family for providing me with the opportunity to further my education and supporting me throughout it! Thank you to my friends who became family during this experience! Couldn't have done it without all of you!





Andrew BrigliaPhoenixville, Pennsylvania

Thank you to all friends and family for your endless love and support over the years! I couldn't have done it without you!





Lance Burek Skippack, Pennsylvania

Thank you, Mom and Evan!





Julia Byers Harmony, Pennsylvania

Thank you, Mom & Dad!!!

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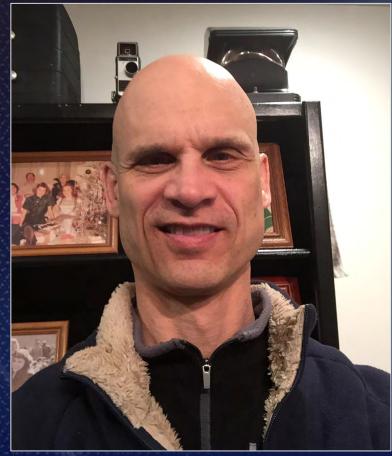
Sean DeLanceyWest Chester, Pennsylvania

Another lion joins the pride. Thank you to all my family and friends who helped me get to this moment









Congratulations to the Class of 2021 from the Bat Cave.

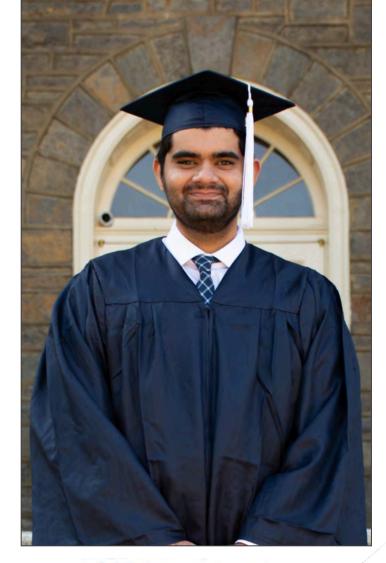
Dr. Ed DeMeter



Pulkit Dutta Visakhapatnam, India

I would like to thank my mom, dad, friends, IME faculty and especially my brother Ankit for encouraging and supporting me throughout this journey!

Thank you!







Congratulations, Class of 2021!



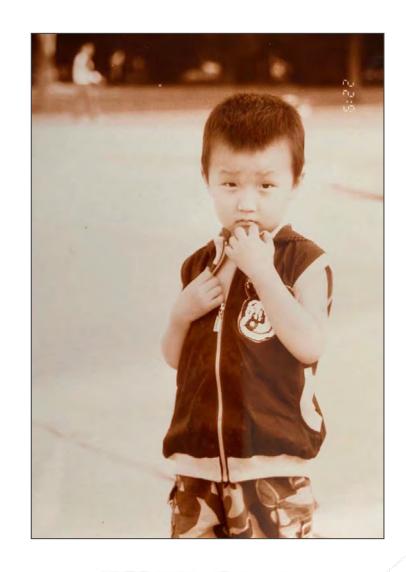




Mandy Engel-Herbert & Family

Yinuo Fan China

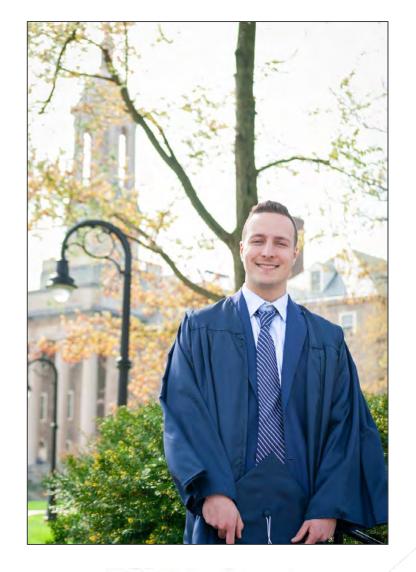
Be Happy Everyday!





Thomas Fasano Blue Bell, Pennsylvania

I want to thank all my professors for making my Penn State experience so enjoyable!





Zixuan Feng Beijing, China

There is another journey of five years to go...

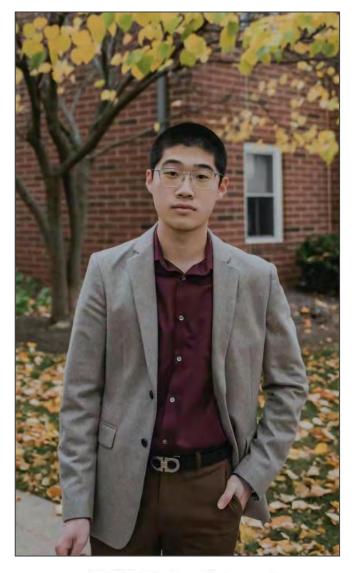
To ordain conscience for Heaven and Earth.

To secure life and fortune for the people.

To continue lost teachings for past ages.

To establish peace for all future generations.

为天地立心,为生民立命, 为往圣继绝学,为万世开太平。





Alexa Ferchaw Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Thank you to my family for all the love and support.

Thank you to all my IE friends that made getting this degree bearable.

Thank you, Penn State, for the best 4 years of my life.

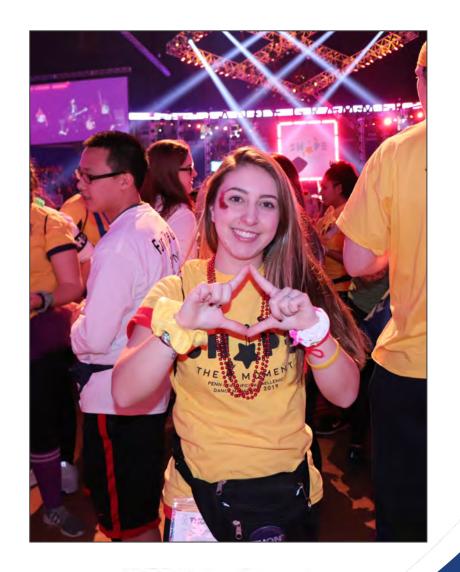




Ashley Fischer Danvers, Massachusetts

I want to thank my professors, friends and family for supporting me through my college career.

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Always & Forever

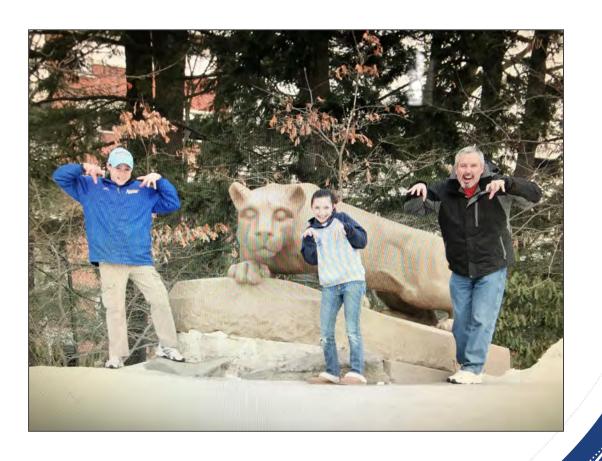




Sydney Foy Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

"Dreams are so important. You need to have big goals and expect a lot of yourself, but you have to enjoy the ride too."

Sidney Crosby





Sydney Jaylynn Frazier Washington, DC

"I can do all things through Christ which strengthens me" Philippians 4:13











Dr. Andris Freivalds







YOU DID IT!

Congratulations,
Penn State Class of 2021!

Danielle Fritchman & Family

Jason Giamarino New Hyde Park, New York

I DID IT!







Pascal, who regularly gave his strong opinion during IE 460 Zoom lectures, wishes you all the best in your new careers!

Dr. Paul Griffin



Luisa Guimaraes Sachser Bonilha Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

To my friends, leaving this place will be hard because of you, because you brought me such joy, laughter, and pure happiness. Never again will life be this easy, this pretty, this effortless, cause never again will I be surrounded by you, my second family, my support system. You have no idea how much you've taught me. Thank you for the best 4 years, for the best memories, and for being the best of friends.

To my family, spending 4 years apart was not easy but somehow you till managed to be present and support me every step of the way.

To my mom, I owe you everything! I have no words to describe how grateful I am for this life changing experience; this was the greatest gift you could ever give me! I love you.





Sophie Haas Trappe, Pennsylvania

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Congratulations Class of 2021!!

You persevered and you made it!

Wishing you success and happiness in life. And welcome to the ranks of us Alumni

-- We Are!!



Dr. Catherine Harmonosky

Sebastian Hazoury Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic

I would like to give thanks to my family and friends for helping me with everything along the way.





Hoyt L. Hoelper Feasterville, Pennsylvania

It's been a long time coming





Emilie Hovanec Aliquippa, Pennsylvania

Anything in life worth having is worth working for.

THANK YOU!

Mom and Dad & myself for doing the work





Bradley Hufford Orwigsburg, Pennsylvania

"Don't cry because it's over, smile because it happened" - Dr. Seuss

"You miss 100% of the shots you don't take. – Wayne Gretzky" – Michael Scott

Thanks to my parents and brother for pushing me and supporting me every step of the way.

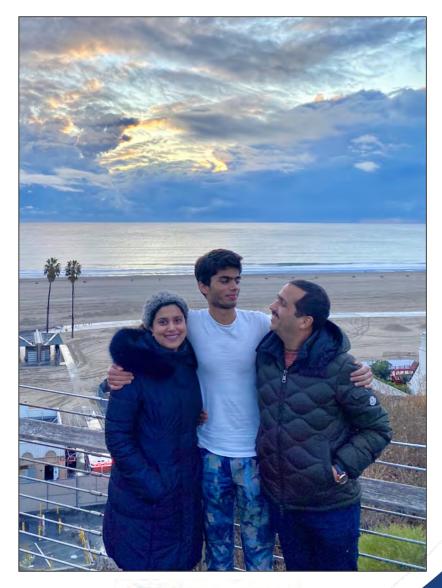




Samyak Jain New Delhi, India

From this point forth, I shall forever hold the bragging rights of being the first engineer in my family.

Thank you, PSU!









Congratulations on this wonderful achievement.

Come back and visit!





Nicolas Kingsland Belle Vernon, Pennsylvania

To the ones who helped me get here, thank you. To the ones I met along the way, we're family now.

Dear COVID-19, you only made me more resilient.

"I wish there was a way to know you're in the good old days before you've actually left them."

Blue and white forever.







Tatiana Klett Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

"Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter."

- Martin Luther King Jr.





Kelly Koehler Crofton, Maryland

Thank you to my family, friends, professors, classmates, and Penn State for a great four years!!!





Brittany Kotvas Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Thanks to my family for always loving and supporting me. I couldn't have done it without you guys!





Olivia Kucenski Erie, Pennsylvania

Thank you to all my friends and family. I wouldn't be here without you!

Go Nittany Lions!









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Dr. El-Amine Lehtihet



Shawn LessmanMt. Pleasant, Pennsylvania

"Don't stop until you're proud."





Erin Liddy North Brunswick, New Jersey

"We keep moving forward, opening new doors, and doing new things because we're curious and curiosity keeps leading us down new paths"

Congrats to all my fellow IME graduates!





Jenny Lynch Royersford, Pennsylvania

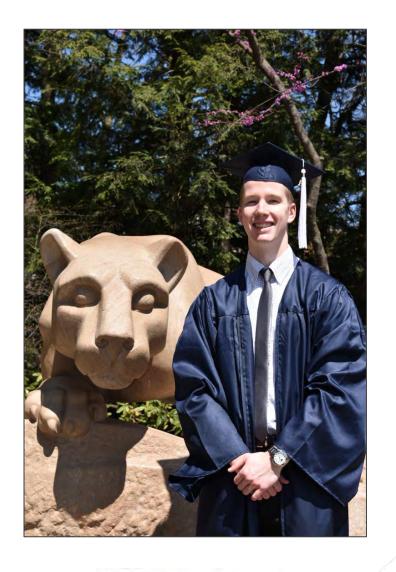
Radiate positivity





Jakob Maier Bucks County, Pennsylvania

Thank you to my family and friends for all of your support over the past 4 years. Love you all and couldn't have done this without you!





David Mancosh Wexford, Pennsylvania

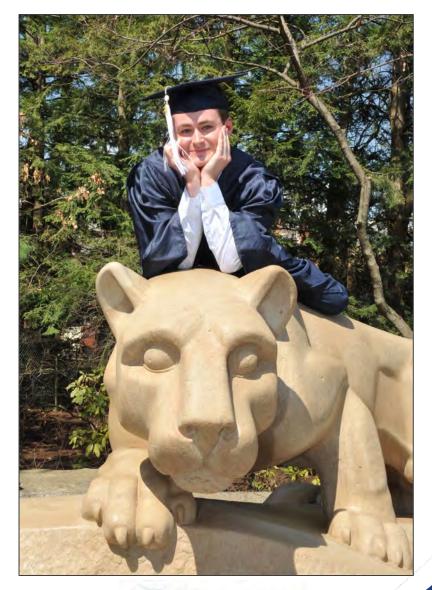
Thank you to my parents for always being supportive and making my Penn State experience possible!





Braeden McGowan Kensington, Maryland

Wow! Look at me go! Very nice!





Nicholas McGrath Yardley, Pennsylvania

Yallah Taco + Starbucks = Diploma

It took four years but I finally learned the formula for success.





Alexander Michenzi Pleasant Hills, Pennsylvania

Go Flyers

"Believe deep down in your heart that you're destined to do great things." -- Joe Paterno

"It's a Long Way to the Top If You Wanna Rock 'N' Roll" - AC/DC

"Born To Lose Live To Win" - Lemmy

Thanks Mom, Dad, Evan, and Uncle Bill





Karen Miller Clifton Park, New York

"There's no limit to how much you'll know, depending how far beyond zebra you go." – Dr. Seuss

Thank you to my parents for always encouraging me to challenge myself and providing unwavering support throughout my college career.





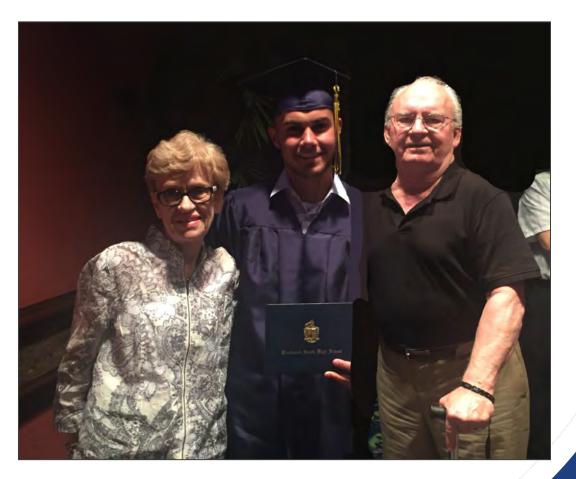
Jeffrey Campbell Mitchell

Glenview, Illinois

I know you are here with me; heck you guys probably have the best seats in the house.

Love you guys

Rock and Roll.





Jose Negron Caracas, Venezuela

Gracias especiales a mi papa, a mi mama y a mi familia por que sin ellos esta experiencia no hubiese sido posible.

Gracias a mis amigos por hacer estos 4 años inolvidables.





Kyle Nolen Palmyra, Pennsylvania

Thank you to all of my friends and family who supported me along the way.





Carlos Norman Jr. Aliquippa, Pennsylvania

"In order to live a 1% lifestyle, you have to be willing to do what 99% won't"

Hey mom and dad! Your boy did it!

#FirstGeneration







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Denise Olivett & Family



Maria Luisa Perla Quintanilla San Salvador, El Salvador

I want to thank my family for giving the greatest gift of education and supporting and cheering me in every decision and life path.

To my friends, who after 4 years have become a part of me. For being there in the laughs, cries, long study nights, in the accomplishments, and during the most stressful moments.

Without all of you, this wouldn't have been possible. Thanks again.





Kaitlyn Pigeon Blue Bell, Pennsylvania

Thank you to everyone that supported me through these amazing four years! I loved every moment thanks to my family supporting me from home and my Penn State friends that turned into family along the way.









Sunrise reflecting on Kanchenjunga, Himalaya

Congratulations! Wishing you the very best future.

Dr. Vittal Prabhu





The end of one journey and a new day awaits congratulations!

From Charlie & Sue





Colin Quinn Centreville, Virginia

Thanks to my family and friends for supporting me throughout my college career!

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Safaan Rahim Murrysville, Pennsylvania

Sponsored by Reign Energy Drink





Neel Ramani Rajkot, Gujarat, India

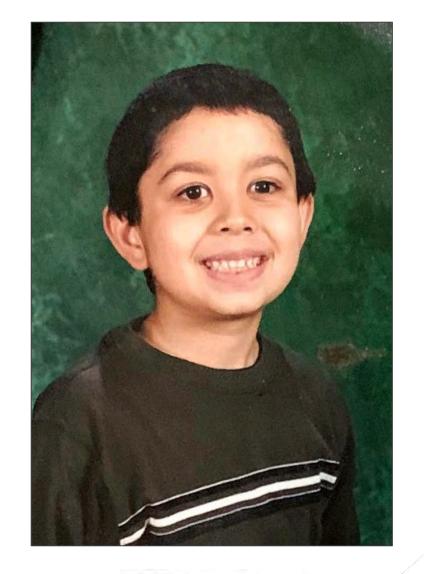
"You have a right to perform your prescribed duties, but you are not entitled to the fruits of your actions. Never consider yourself to be the cause of the results of your activities, nor be attached to inaction"





Junaid Rehman Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

"And my success cannot come from any source besides Allah"





Cole ReynoldsLancaster, Pennsylvania

Made Possible By:

Family, Friends, and Excessive Coffee Consumption

Thanks Mum!





Marissa Rizzolo Ashland, Massachusetts

Hi mom! Thank you for pushing me so much in these last 4 years. I couldn't have grown as a person and learned so much about myself without you and your constant support. Love you to the moon and back!!

"This is only the ending of the first chapter of a grand adventure."











Daniel Roldan Mexico

Thank you to my family and friends for always supporting my dreams and ambitions.

I wouldn't be who I am today without you.

Mama y papa, los amo y gracias por ser mis ídolos.







Congrats Class of 2021!

You have gotten an intense crash course in adaptability and collaborating and challenging times. I know this resilience will position you for great things in the future.

We will miss you!



Dr. Sarah Root





Congrats Class of 2021!

Dr. Ling Rothrock

Sarah Rubino Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

I want to thank my sister and brother for being amazing role models and helping me reach my potential. I cannot thank my parents enough for supporting me through every overcommitment and making me feel unstoppable in every way. To my coworkers at career services and club members-thank you for making my college experience exponentially better. But more importantly, to my friends in IE, I could not have gotten this degree without you! I love you and lets knock 'em dead PSU!





Terrence Saylor State College, Pennsylvania

Thank you to everyone who made me the student, engineer, and person that I am today.

Without the support of my family, professors, and peers, I would not have accomplished the same level of success in my PSU career.





Gabriel Sansón Nicaragua

Thank you, Mom and Dad, for all of your love and support during these 4 years of my life.





Joseph M Schrum, Jr. Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

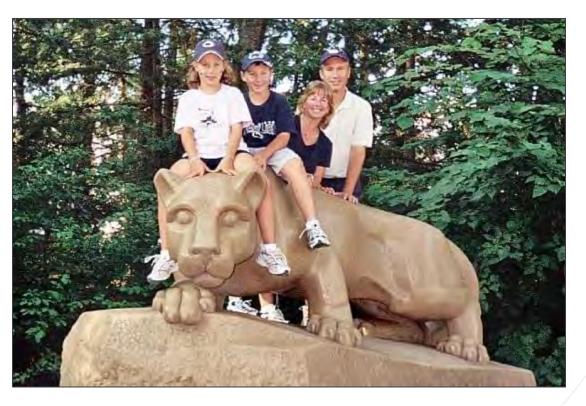
I want to thank my family and friends for supporting me on my educational journey. It's been a good run.





Brandon Singer Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Always was and always will be a Nittany Lion for life. Thank you to everyone who helped me along the way!





Jon Skiba Haddonfield, New Jersey

The difficult, I'll do right now
The impossible, will take a little
while!

Congrats to all the seniors, and good luck everyone!





Michelle Soeganto Jakarta, Indonesia

I would like to dedicate this important milestone to my parents, my siblings, my good friends, and coffee.

Wish you were here to see this, Mom, but I hope I made you proud!







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I would like to commend everyone for your perseverance and hard work during this difficult time.

Congratulations! You all earned it and it's time to savor it!

Dr. Eunhye Song & Birdie

Phillip Telesz New Castle, Pennsylvania

I would like to thank my family and friends for all their support over the past 4 years!





Katherine Timashenka Mercer, Pennsylvania

I could not have done it with all of the support from family and friends.





Tyler Tracy Garnet Valley, Pennsylvania

Thank you to my parents for their endless support throughout these four years. It has been a long journey of learning and growing, but also a journey that seemed to pass in the blink of an eye. I can't wait to see what awaits in the years to come.





Lucrecia Urruela Toriello Guatemala

To my family, thank you for your endless caring and giving spirit which guided me to accomplish this dream.

To my friends, thank you for being part of this long journey, which we all triumph!

The reason I am here today is because of the support I receive from all of you, God bless your hearts.





Deeksha Vishneek Dubai, United Arab Emirates

A big thank you to mom & dad for the opportunity and undying support!

A shoutout to my Penn State family for an unforgettable 4 years.





Stephanie Vojtek Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

A special thank you to my amazing parents - I could not have done it without you both!! Here's to the next stages in our lives!





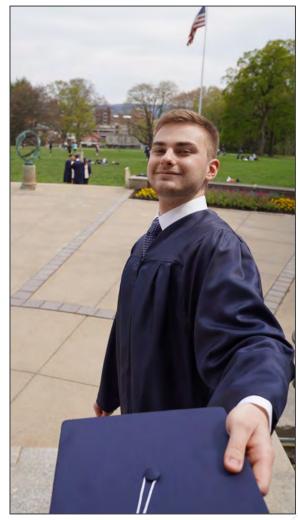


Gregory VuteraOssining, New York

Love you lots Mom, Dad, Luke, and all the friends I made along the way

I still don't know what the powerhouse of the cell is...







Daniel Wagner Frederick, Maryland

"If you don't know where you are going, any road will get you there"

- Lewis Carrol





Alison Wanamaker Valley Cottage, New York

Thank you to everyone who made me the engineer I am today.

We Are!





Alyssa Washeleski Trappe, Pennsylvania

"Your time is limited, so don't waste it living someone else's life" -- Steve Jobs

Congratulations to my fellow IE's. Getting to know you all the last four years has been a pleasure.

Thank you to my parents and sister for being my rock, I could not have done this without you, you have truly made me the person I am today ©

P.S. You are finally relieved of the crying phone calls after tough exams!





Alexandra Nicole Weaver Brownsville, Pennsylvania

"I'm fine. It's fine. Everything's fine." -- Ally Weaver most days

Hi guys! I can not thank you enough for all the support that you have given me over the last 4 years. Love you all!





Fangda Wei Chengdu, China

Time really moves fast fast fast fast





Hannah Willison Slippery Rock, Pennsylvania

"Happy are those who take life day by day, complain very little, and are thankful for the little things in life"

Thank you to everyone that I have crossed paths with these past 4 years and making it the most memorable college experience! Also, a huge shoutout to my family for supporting me every step of the way, I wouldn't be here without you! Congratulations everyone!





Aldrich Xiao Royal Oak, Michigan

"For this is the secret of the soul: only when the hero abandons her, she is approached in dream by – the over-hero." – Thus Spoke Zarathustra





Haoran (Howie) Xu Paoli, Pennsylvania

I would like to thank my family for their support throughout my time at Penn State. Good times or bad times, they always had my back.

I would also like to thank my fellow classmates for making my college experience an unforgettable one!





Shujin Xu Hangzhou, China

A little explorer who embraces this huge huge world.





Yijia "Doris" Xu Qingdao, China

Everything matters.

-- Russ Rose





Kate ZakrzwskiRostraver Township, Pennsylvania

Thank you to my parents, brother, family, and friends for their support over the past four years!







Michael Zambotti Apollo, Pennsylvania

I would like to thank all of my great friends and professors that have helped me complete my degree. In addition, I would most like to thank my Mother, Father, and Sister for their continued support in helping me achieve anything I set my mind to. I love you all and hope to continue to make you proud.





Xiaoci Zhang Shenyang, China

It is my honor to be one of the PSU students. Thank you, my family and my professors.





Margaret Zug Lebanon, Pennsylvania

I am very grateful to have spent the last four years at Penn State.

Thank you to my family and friends for supporting me throughout this journey.

Excited to see what the future holds!











You graduated!
Wait a minute,..
when did that happen?

The Undergraduate Program Office



Graduate students



Jesse Bukenberger Mammoth Lakes, California

Thank you to my family, friends, and advisors for all your support!

"It is necessary to be guided by what is common to all, although many a man lives as if he followed his own private reason."

-- Heraclitus





Yu-Hao Chang Taichung, Taiwan

Thank you, Mom and Dad, for being my biggest support to complete my master degree.

I also like to share the quote accompanying on my study journey - "You must do the thing you think you cannot do".

-- Eleanor Roosevelt.





Jairajsingh Chandhok Mumbai, MH, India

The best thing about learning is that no one can take it away from you.







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Congratulations, from the *FAME* Lab!

Brent Johnston & Travis Richner



Gibran Haque Nagpur, India

To my family and friends back in India going through these tough times, stay strong and stay safe.

Our prayers are with you.





Christie Hasbrouck Terre Haute, Indiana

Special thanks to my friends and family who have helped me maintain some semblance of sanity during this program. I'll continue to rely on your support as I finish my Ph.D. Always remember to ask the important questions in grad school, like..... "is mayonnaise an instrument?"





Suhas Hurli Gopalakrishna Bengaluru, India

The free Pizzas during class always helped!

A huge shoutout to all the great teachers, who pushed us to work harder with 5 assignments each week!







Congratulations graduates!!



Dr. Soundar Kumara





Dr. Jingjing Li & Family



Palaniappan Meenashisundaram Tamil Nadu, India

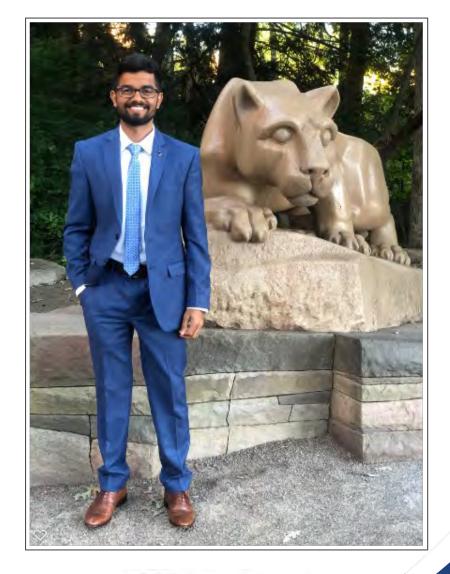
Work, Not until they compliment you, But until you become the compliment:)





Rohit Mishra Pune, India

You are never fully dressed without a smile.





Karthikeya Prakash Muthiah Ramesh Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, India

"The quieter you become, the more you can hear"





Kaival Rajesh Nayak India

We do not need magic to change the world. We carry all the power we need inside ourselves already: we have the power to imagine better.

- J.K. Rowling





Pallavi Sharma India

"WE ARE"

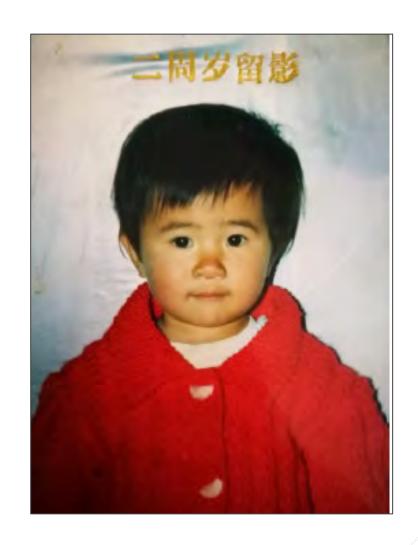
Thank you is a small word to express my gratitude towards everyone who has been a part of my journey at Penn State.





Xiaomei Tan China

Hello, two-year-old me. This is a game. Live another life!





Anerudh Vijayaraghavan Chennai, India

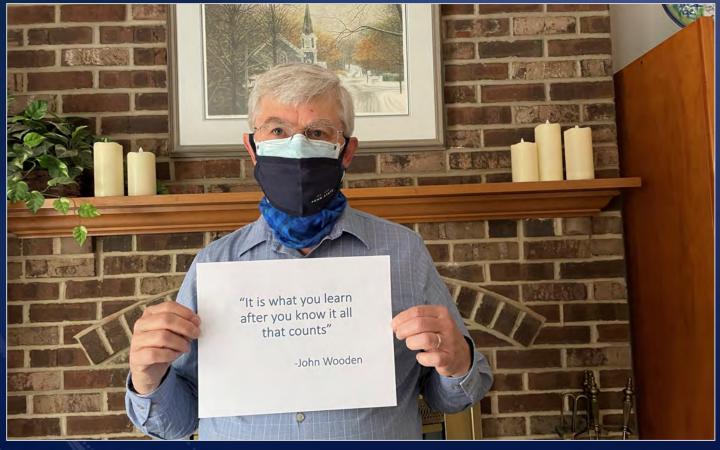
I've learned to say "here" when the Professor hesitates while taking attendance

#NewDegreeNewMe #AneOut #CanlGetARefund #TwoYearsTooLate #CovidGrad #ThanksMa&Pa









"It is what you learn after you know it all that counts."

-- John Wooden

Dr. Robert Voigt





Big Congratulations to the Class of 2021!

Your future is as bright as you are!

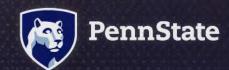
Dr. Hui Yang

Cong Zhang Shandong, China

I hope happiness and well-being could surround my family and my friends all the time.







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