Why did you choose Purdue?

Purdue is one of the best universities for engineering and technology in the world. Since my core research interest is the use of technology in education, I found Purdue as the best fit for me. Additionally, Purdue offered me the most prestigious fellowship of the college of education Andrews Fellowship.

Please briefly describe your research:

My primary research interest revolves around online teaching and learning. In other words, I explore how we can make online education more beneficial to students. The COVID-19 pandemic has taught us how important online learning can be, and I am glad that decades of research in this field has shown some paths in this unprecedented situation. Some of my secondary research interests are social media in education, microlearning, and human performance technology.

How did you decide where to live?

Since I have a kid, I decided to live in a family friendly housing. Many people recommended Purdue Village, and I requested a family housing at Purdue Village immediately after I had accepted the offer of admission. My wife and kid really love the place.

What was your process for selecting a graduate school?

After deciding what to study, I did a thorough research on the programs in the US that are related to the discipline. I visited their websites, looked at their faculty profiles, and explored the funding opportunities they had. Then, I made a short list of programs based on my initial research. Finally, I applied to seven programs, and I was accepted to five. Finally, I chose Purdue because of the faculty expertise and the fellowship they offered me.

What are you hoping to do after your life at Purdue?

I will continue teaching, research, and service. I will implement the newly gained knowledge and skills to better serve my institute and students. I believe that a PhD will gradually prepare me to become a better learner, ask effective questions, and find innovative solutions to problems. My most important focus in my post PhD period will be to become a life-long learner and instill this belief into my students.
EXPLORE YOUR OPTIONS

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- Biochemistry
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- Entomology
- Food Science
- Forestry and Natural Resources
- Horticulture

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
- Curriculum and Instruction
- Educational Studies

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING
- Aeronautics and Astronautics
- Biomedical Engineering
- Chemical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Electrical and Computer Engineering
- Engineering Education
- Engineering Management
- Environmental and Ecological Engineering
- Industrial Engineering
- Interdisciplinary Engineering
- Materials Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Nuclear Engineering

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- Defense Engineering and Technology
- Biomedical Sciences
- Ecological Sciences and Engineering
- Information Security
- Life Science

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- Health and Kinesiology
- Health Sciences
- Hospitality and Tourism Management
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- Nursing
- Nutrition
- Psychological Sciences
- Public Health
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- American Studies
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- Linguistics
- Philosophy
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- Economics
- Finance
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- Marketing
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- Pharmacy Practice

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- Construction Management Technology
- Engineering Technology
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