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Why I chose Wesleyan: I went to a high school where the entire student culture consisted of football. I felt like my educational experience was a series of jumping through hoops. I wanted a place where I could pursue my artistic passions and learn for the sake of exploration, growth, and social change. Wesleyan's open curriculum and thriving student arts scene has allowed me to do just that with incredibly passionate people.

Academic Interests:

It's only my second semester at Wes but I have really gotten to reap the benefits of the open curriculum. Not sure about my major yet but I definitely want to pursue the Education Studies program, English Program, and maybe even a certificate in The Study of Public Life.

Favorite class at Wes:

"Why You Can't Write," a first year seminar about writing in education.
Also: The Universe! An astronomy class for non-science majors taught by the sweetest man, Professor Herbst! I'm not usually a stem person but that class was so interesting!

Current Classes:

Primate Behavior
South Indian Voice
Schools in Society
Foundations of Contemporary Psychology
American Sign Language

Why I want to be a tour guide: At every school I visited, I felt like my experience on the tour was indicative of how I felt about the school. When I got to Wesleyan I absolutely fell in love with the school and wanted to tell everyone I could about it. I thought that being a tour guide would be my best opportunity to spread my Cardinal pride. Also, I did a lot of theater in high school so "performing" for a crowd of strangers is right up my alley.

Outside the Classroom:

Extracurriculars:

The Mazel Tones (Jewish
A capella)
Gag Reflex (Improv
Comedy Group)

Favorite Activity at Wes:

Late night study breaks
buying snacks at Wesshop
(Wesleyan's on-campus
grocery store)

Favorite moment at Wes:

Common Moment (A class wide
dance during first year orientation!)

Favorite movie(s):

Ratatouille
Ladybird
Big

Favorite song:

"Dancing Through Life" from
Wicked

Fun Fact:

I work as a lifeguard over the
summer!

I'm vegan!