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Why I chose Wesleyan:

Coming from a high school strictly focused in the sciences, I was looking for more freedom in my college education. I wanted to be able to explore classes that piqued my interest, and at the same time, challenge myself with courses that will take me out of my science comfort zone. Talking to Wesleyan alumni made me realize this university is the perfect place that will allow me to do just that.

Academic Interests:

- Economics
- Data Analysis
- Entrepreneurship and Innovation; Nonprofit Work
- 3-2 Engineering Program

Favorite class at Wes:

- Academic Writing in the US for International Students

Current Classes:

- Introduction to Sociology
- Vectors and Matrices
- General Physics II
- Quantitative Methods in Economics
- History of Rock and RnB

Why I want to be a tour guide:

Wesleyan is a wonderful place to be at, and although I have only been here for one semester, I can confidently say that I will never regret choosing this school. I love everything about Wesleyan: from its intimate classroom settings to the immense number of opportunities available to all of its students. I want to help make other people fall in love with this school, for this school is truly worth falling for.

Outside the Classroom:

Extracurriculars:

- Co-founder and President of two nonprofits: YouthHack Connecticut and CAUSE Philippines
- Freeman Asian Scholar
- Digital Scholarship Fellow
- Asian-American Student Collective
- Wesleyan Sailing Team
- Long Lane Farm

Favorite Activity at Wes:

- Being part of the Sailing Team (I've never sailed before coming to Wes!)

Favorite moment at Wes:

- Performing for the MASH, Wesleyan's annual year-starter student concert!

Favorite movie(s):

- Argo (2012)
- Game of Thrones (not a movie, but it's just so good!! And a Wes alum co-produces it!!)

Favorite song:

- Always Be My Baby (David Cook version)