

If I were to sum up my preparing for graduate admission in the past four years, I would say 'Persistence is key to victory'.

Since the preparation process was long-term and complicated in fact, many students around me dropped in the halfway as I could see. Overcoming various difficulties, I managed to keep myself in the top 1 in my major, learn English comprehensively and constantly, and gained significant growth in researches, projects, and competitions.

Though I was immature and stressed when facing the new challenges at the beginning of my college life, I was later a lot braver to step out dealing with them and finally conquer them much to my own surprise. For example, when I was requested by others, I would accept the requests even if I was not adequately prepared, and had to force myself to improve my abilities and then find ways out. Contrary to the worst expectations, the results often turned out to be nice, giving me further confidence for later efforts.

As a decisive person, I always execute my plans right away when my decisions were made. To exemplify, it only took me an hour to make a basic plan for the *A Java Advanced Programming and Application* before I started. Not stopping at the simplest plan, I strived for excellence in functions beyond what was required and improved the details of the plan while proceeding. Acting adamantly and in an appropriate manner, I have complete many projects like this independently with high efficiency.

My cognitive field is also broadening as I work hard and learn well. I am not only good at learning from educational media such as literature and websites, but also good at learning from people around me concerning their strengths; I dare to ask questions to those authorities, as well as seek knowledge and life experience from them. That is to say, I believe that I should stand on the shoulders of giants to give myself a higher profile.

Over time, I'm sure I'll end up with not only a master's degree that matches my abilities in the near future, but also numerous profound truths that will benefit me for a lifetime! I believe that by studying in a master's program that is more focused on personal growth and encouraging the personal development of students, I will be bursting with newer thinking and contributing my own unique perspectives to your prestigious university.

If I am admitted to UCLA, I will do my best to actively participate in academic discussions. I will know in advance what topics will be discussed in the seminar after class, actively express opinions and ask questions in the seminar, and try to memorize the content of each seminar to make notes. In addition, I will share with everyone the unique way of thinking of different cultures, such as the way of thinking of Chinese young people, and accept most opinions. I am a better listener than a speaker, so I believe I can learn a lot from the multicultural seminar, and that eventually UCLA may change me a lot.