I am a junior here at the University of Colorado at Boulder interested in participating in the business minor.  The business minor program is an ideal environment in which to pursue my goals of becoming the next big thinker.  Becoming an entrepreneur is my ultimate goal.  I am constantly asking myself: What if this was to be done that way? Or: How does that thing work, and what can I do with it?   I have a million dollar idea every day that is almost immediately squandered due to the fact that it already exists or major holes I failed to see in the beginning.  My ideas fail every day, but it does not stop me from trying to be the next Richard Branson.  I love new ideas and inventions, and when I heard about this program my stomach went aflutter, I know this is where I *need* to be.

I switched from pursuing neuroscience, to computer science last year.  It was the best decision I have ever made.  It was the first time I was ever excited to go to class, the first time I was excited to do my homework.  I am currently in computer systems, and have decided to take the software engineering track. I can safely say I have found my passion.  Even more, I want to apply my passion to entrepreneurial studies.  I don’t want to sit idly as just a programmer, I want to create, explore, and found new ideas.  I want to make a splash in the technological world.

I currently work for the IT department at the university.  This title has me helping users with a host of problems.  This requires a strong ability to work with people effectively, and a sharpness to target and resolve any issue.  In addition, I work to launch new servers, build websites, and improve efficiency in existing technology.  This requires me to think on my feet, and learn new technology and software very quickly.  I believe this experience will translate into both success in business, and computing.

There’s only so much I can learn from business books, or from working in IT.  I want to gain real-life experience.  I want to be challenged.  I want to become the greatest, most creative me I can be.  I firmly believe I am a good fit for this program because I can combine my love for computer science with my ability to think about the world around me in a different light.