

Seeking Inspiration: A Short Interview With a Rising Star

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Q. What would you say is people's first impression of you?

A. I'm tall, I smile a lot, and I can be really goofy. Other people have told me when they first met me it was very obvious to them that I plan a lot and I care about details.

Q. Why did you decide to join SEP?

A. I was interested in SEP because of the entrepreneurial aspect, but I ultimately joined because of the people. The people in SEP are so diverse in experiences and passions and there's always someone to challenge the way you

think. More than that, but by being in an entrepreneurship fraternity, it's in our innate culture to want to start something. Just being around brothers who have started their own projects makes you want to get out there and do something.

Q. What are your passions and hobbies?

A. Because of SEP I actually realized a strong passion I have with graphic design; I like the challenge of taking a jumble of information and turning it into something that's logical, intuitive, and aesthetically pleasing. I'm also very passionate about just working and being productive. In terms of hobbies, I love playing tennis, playing piano, reading life-changing books, and chilling in cafes.

Q. What are some of your inspirations?

A. I'm inspired most not by the successful out-of-touch people, but by the people around me, namely the closest people in my life. I truly value friendships where the other person makes me see another perspective or challenges me, and it's in those relationships where I find motivation and inspiration. A lot of the people in SEP have inspired me to want to start something, and our amazingly strong brotherhood has shown me how to truly care for others.

Q. What does entrepreneurship mean to you?

A. Entrepreneurship is for those who don't want to live the rest of their life being told what to do by another superior. I think it's the chance to really pursue what makes you happy and it forces you to know and be good at many skills.