I believe that a happy life is the direct result of balancing the things you need to do with the things that you have to do. Obviously we all need to work in order to support ourselves in our day-to-day lives. This is an integral part of leading a happy life so that you do not have to struggle to support yourself and your family, leaving you with both the time, money, and relationships necessary to pursue the other things that make you happy. My goal for the next 10 years is to really focus on developing my personal and professional skills that will allow me a wide variety of job opportunities so that I am able to find a job that both supports my lifestyle and affords me a degree of happiness, independence, and fulfillment. Through the strong support that I build for myself in my employment, I hope to be able to put some of my disposable income towards the things that I truly enjoy: trying new restaurants, traveling to new countries, and meeting tons of fun people to spend my free time with. I believe that by building a strong educational and professional foundation for your life that you will be afforded with the necessary resources and therefore the ability to balance your life, making time for the people and things that are important to you.