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Why did you choose CMU?

I chose CMU because the program provides a deep and broad foundation in composition style, grammar, and document design. From this solid foundation, students have the freedom to specialize in a specific communication field, from technical writing and instructional design, to public relations and journalism. I didn't find another program that provided that kind of substantial foundation coupled with the opportunities for specialization.

How did your time at CMU prepare you for what's next?

As a technical writer, I want to author software and API documentation. CMU has given me the skills and frameworks to do well in these fields by fostering a strong interdisciplinary approach to communication.