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## Scientific Interests

- In vivo imaging
- Drug delivery
- Targeted therapeutics
- Imaging-based diagnostics

## I applied to iCURE because...

I applied to the *i*CURE program because of the opportunity to perform research in a diverse environment and to obtain mentorship that can help guide me towards my career goals.

My favorite traditions/holidays	My hometown is
Christmas	Silver Spring, Maryland
In my spare time, I enjoy	A few of my favorite things