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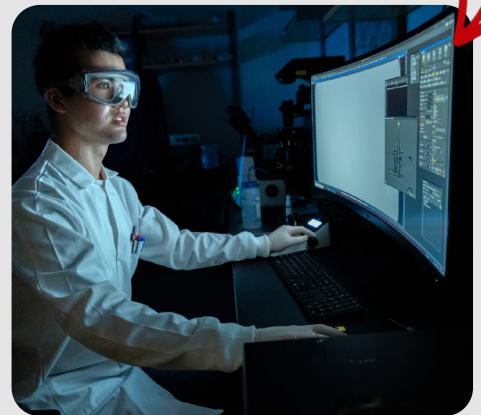


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## Waves of Curiosity

Elliott Weix BSx27 had a high school internship in biochemistry professor Scott Coyle's lab which ignited his passion for research. Now a 2025 Goldwater Scholar, Elliott made an unexpected observation of slow-moving waves in yeast cells. This may be the first step in creating tools to explore early stages of embryonic development.

Learn more about Elliot's research at [grow.cals.wisc.edu](https://grow.cals.wisc.edu).



## On the Farm and In the Lab

Lauren Jacobs BSx27 wasn't sure research was the right fit for her until she found Lautaro Rostoll Cangiano's lab studying how on-farm management affects calf gut and immune health at the Arlington Agricultural Research Station. *"We are able to do both hands-on research and benchwork. It's even better than I expected. I can go to the farm, get a blood sample, then isolate immune cells from the sample in the lab,"* says Lauren.

Read more about Lauren's research experience at <https://go.wisc.edu/1rd4bv>.