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Jiajun Zhang is an undergraduate student at the University at Buffalo studying biochemistry.

His interests lie in the biochemical pathways responsible for the manifestation of diseases, and how they are treated.

He consistently drew connections between concepts from his physiology and chemistry classes, realizing that these subjects are intertwined in many ways.

In his physiology lectures, he noticed that the origins of various neurological disorders can be traced down to the very nucleotides that build our DNA. From here, he sought to learn more about the biochemistry behind such diseases. He aims to make valuable contributions to the research of axon degeneration in Dr. Beirowski's laboratory.