

Where do **you** want to

**go?**

**Excellence in  
Academics at  
the University  
of Tennessee**



**T**he University of Tennessee challenges you to embark on an academic adventure and go as far as your intellect will take you. Your talents, your discoveries, your performance and your accomplishments manifest themselves in many ways. At UT the doors are wide open for you to explore uncharted territories, to go where no one has gone before.

The University of Tennessee is a national public university, Tennessee's flagship institution and its only public Carnegie Doctoral/Research-Extensive University. UT is ranked as a Top 50 Public University and offers you more than 100 majors and programs from which to fashion a career.

**It's all here!**

**The question is: How do you choose? How do you know what's right for you? What if you're interested in so many areas of knowledge that you can't focus on one in particular? What if you know exactly what you want to study?**

**At UT you can go where you want to go!**

Are you fired up about science, math, and engineering?

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Do you dream of being a writer, journalist, or performing artist?

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Are you motivated to educate people or help solve social problems?

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Do you express your creative talents in art, architecture, or design?

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Does the world of business and finance motivate and energize you?

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Do your ambitions lie in the area of health care or medical research?

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Are you intrigued by the study of human psychology and the social sciences?

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Do you aspire to become a professional athlete?

Do you love nature and aspire to solve the world's environmental problems?

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Are your interests highly diverse, intercultural or international—appropriate to a uniquely designed course of study?

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## Joseph Tipton

"Three major special opportunities enriched my career preparation. Honors seminars gave me the opportunity to study topics outside my engineering major: Poverty in America, American Politics, Native American Culture, Invention and Design, and Humor and Creativity in Metaphor.

"Participation in Engineering's Cooperative Education program allowed me to intern with a prominent aerospace corporation. Putting my "book knowledge" to practical application so early in my career helped me appreciate the usefulness of my coursework.

"Finally, NASA's Reduced Gravity Student Flight Opportunity Program gave me the unique opportunity to perform research in microgravity fluids while experiencing short periods of weightlessness aboard NASA's KC-135 "Weightless Wonder." **Leading a team of UT students in this program taught me volumes about leadership and project management."**

Bicentennial Scholar, National Merit Scholar, University Honors Program Class of 2002

B.S. in Aerospace Engineering  
Project leader for UT's 2002 NASA Reduced Gravity Program entry  
Tennessee Space Grant Consortium Scholarship

Sigma Gamma Tau Aerospace Engineering Honor Society  
Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society  
Aerospace Education and Research Organization

