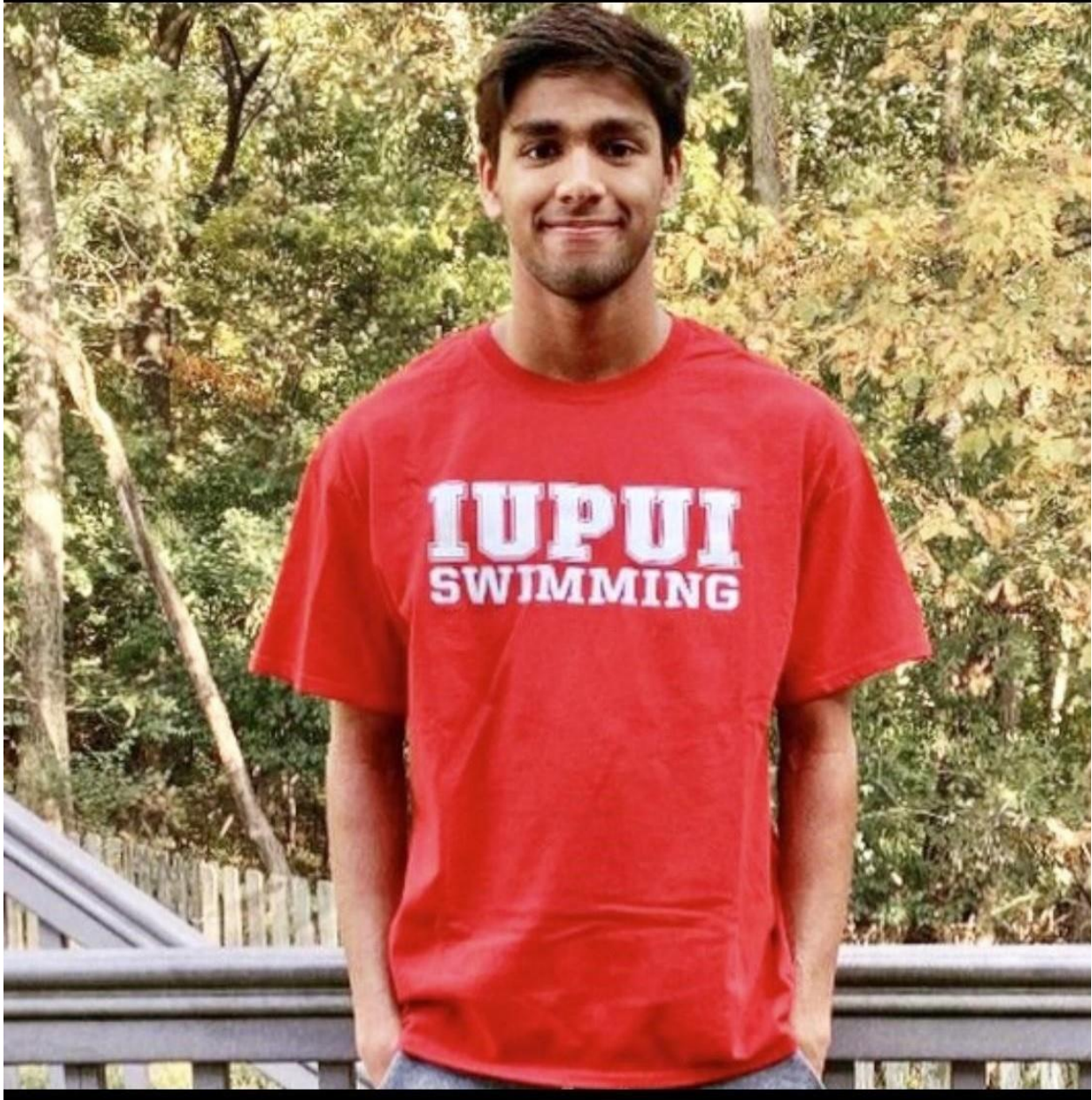


## MIHIR CHANDRA - LAFAYETTE HIGH SCHOOL



Mihir will be attending and competing for Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis - IUPUI and is planning on a double major of Mechanical Engineering and Business Management through the Honors College.

**What will you miss as you move onto college?** Rockwood has been my home for 10 years and I will miss all the friends I have made. At this point, every swimmer on Rockwood is part of my family and I know the program is going to be strong both in and out of the pool for years to come. This is due to the incredible values that are stressed by every single coach on deck.

**What is your most embarrassing swimming moment?** When I was 8 and swimming in a summer league meet in Washington, Missouri we discovered I had forgotten my suit. We

quickly went to Walmart to buy something. The suit ended up being too loose and when I dove in my suit came right off. I yelled to the officials to stop the race because I was 8 and panicking. They just told me to keep going so I pulled my pants up and finished the race and actually ended up winning.

**What is your favorite race/ training set?** My favorite set is the 175 set where you have to get progressively faster each time (Brad's favorite). My favorite race is the 100 breast both long course and short course.

**Your favorite ROCKWOOD memory?** My favorite Rockwood memories have to be during the NCSA trips to Orlando. Every year was filled with new memories that I will never forget - practical jokes, team meals and good racing. I bonded every year with each of my teammates and I know they will forever be some of my best friends.

**From Mihir** - *I want to thank every single person who I have had the privilege of being teammates with. And I want to thank my parents for always supporting me in the quest to swim in college. Without my parents and my teammates I would not be the young man I am today, even when I am doing something foolish.*

