



# JERROD JESSIE JR.

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My name is Jerrod Jessie, Jr., and I'm from LaPlace, Louisiana. I transferred to the University of Dubuque in my senior year to finish my sport marketing and management degree and play for the Spartans basketball team. Now, I'm pursuing my master in management - sports marketing and management, continuing my basketball career, and working as a Graduate Assistant in the Office of Advancement and Alumni Engagement while serving as the Resident Director of Donnell Hall.

What I love most about UD is the sense of community—it feels like a second home. The support I've received, including scholarships and financial assistance, has been life-changing, allowing me to focus on my education and experiences without worrying about student loans. I'm so grateful to the donors who invest in UD, as their contributions create opportunities that truly make a difference in students' lives, including mine.

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