Advice
Research is not one-dimensional, and neither are our passions. Early in my college career, I thought that research was not for me since I could not pinpoint one passion of mine. However, as I enter my senior year, I have learned that there is a freedom that exists in the research field. With passion and creativity, you can pursue research across multiple disciplines. So start early: identify your passion(s) and find a mentor who can help you learn the tricks of the trade.

Current Research
I am currently working on two research projects related to each of my majors. My first research project relates to my Education major in that I am focusing on how bilingualism can affect the child-parent relationship, and, in turn, affect the schooling experience. My second research project incorporates elements from my Psychology major, as I have designed a study interested in assessing perceptions of hiring practices of diverse candidates in higher education - specifically, at Chapman. In the future, I am eager to pursue a career in research that combines my passion for education, psychology, and the Spanish language.