

To: Jay T. Akridge, Provost and Executive Vice President  
for Academic Affairs and Diversity

From: Christine DeHahn Pass, Senior Assistant Registrar *Chris*

Date: May 3, 2021

Subject: Posthumous Degree

On November 11, 2020, David J. Russomanno, PhD, Dean, School of Engineering and Technology sent a memo requesting a posthumous Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering from Indiana University-Purdue University to Rutuj S. Gavankar.

The policy states the awarding of a posthumous degree by Purdue University requires that the deceased student completed:

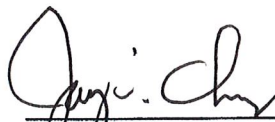
1. At least 85% of the credit hour requirements
2. Most of the requirements for the major

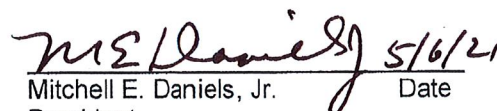
At the time of his death, Rutuj had completed 114 of the required 124 credit hours. I have attached copies of the supporting documentation.

Please let me know if I can be of further assistance. I can be reached at 494-6163 or my email address is [dehahn@purdue.edu](mailto:dehahn@purdue.edu).

Approved Recommended:

Approved:

  
Jay T. Akridge Date 5/3/21  
Provost and  
Executive Vice President for  
Academic Affairs and Diversity

  
Mitchell E. Daniels, Jr. Date 5/6/21  
President