Saakshi Arora, a junior at Rutgers University, became naturalized as a US citizen at a ceremony hosted by Citizenship Rutgers at the Eagleton Institute of Politics in November 2011. Vanessa Matthews, (Bloustein, MPP and Eagleton Fellow, 2011) a volunteer with Eagleton’s Program on Immigration and Democracy, recently sat down with Ms. Arora to find out about what the experience meant to Saakshi and her family.

Vanessa: What is your native country and how long have you been living in the United States?

Saakshi: I am 20 years old and was born in India. I have been living in the United States for 11 years. When I was 9 years old, my mother got a work visa (H-1B) with a pharmaceutical company in the United States, which is when we moved.

Read the complete Interview at http://epid.rutgers.edu/gallery/citizenship-rutgers/

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