

Woodrow Wilson Pennsylvania Teaching Fellows, 2019

Heather Amper | Pittsburgh, PA | Will attend: Duquesne University

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: University of Pittsburgh, 2018, environmental engineering Engineer, engineering and manufacturing company; leader, children's and youth ministry small group; university chapter vice president, Society of Women Engineers; university chapter co-president, Engineers for a Sustainable World.

Marc Bassler | Philadelphia, PA | Will attend: University of Pennsylvania

- Undergraduate college, class, and major: Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, 1995, biochemistry
- Graduate institution, year, degree: Clemson University, 1998, genetics
- **Doctoral institution, year, degree:** College of William and Mary, 2001, environmental law and policy review Substitute direct support professional, school for children and adults with complex, behavioral health challenges; intellectual property attorney; member, Pennsylvania bar, Virginia bar; associate editor, William and Mary Environmental Law and Policy Review; recipient, scholarship for Virginia residents; graduate fellow, Wade-Stackhouse Fellowship.

Jessica Campos | Tempe, AZ | Will attend: Duquesne University

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: Arizona State University 2019, mathematics secondary education Instructor, K-12 mathematics; instructional assistant, college mathematics, college algebra, pre-calculus; class supervisor, university math and science honors program; math tutor; graduate research assistant, math education; undergraduate researcher, math education; member, AmeriCorps; volunteer, college-access camp for inner-city youth.

Erin Caplan | Pittsburgh, PA | Will attend: Duquesne University

- Undergraduate college, class, and major: Franklin & Marshall College, 2016, public health
- Graduate institution, year, degree: University of Pittsburgh, 2018, public health Student science teacher, kindergarten and first grade students; research assistant, university school of nursing; project coordinator, examining sleep among mothers who deliver preterm infants and whether this affects milk volume and/or milk microbiota; researcher and author, genetic handbook on inherited protein processing disorder in the local Amish community.

David Chapman | North Brunswick, NJ | Will attend: University of Pennsylvania

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: Rider University 2019, health sciences Research intern, Temple University school of medicine, Seton Hall University; secretary/coach, university men's club lacrosse team; secretary, university math club; coach, youth football program; volunteer teacher, Sunday school; member, undergraduate multicultural student leadership institute; awardee, university scholarship.

Kaninta Esmeralda | Jeannette, PA | Will attend: University of Pennsylvania

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg 2019, applied mathematics Research assistant, first-hand accounts of the mathematical field; statistics intern, Division of Natural Sciences, Mathematics, and Engineering; teaching assistant, calculus III, applied statistical methods; recipient, Green Scholar; president, campus mathematics honor society; president, religious fellowship club; member, social media manager volunteer, church.

Jessica George | Media, PA | Will attend: University of Pennsylvania

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: University of Pennsylvania 2019, cognitive science Research assistant, brain research group; mentor, Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Philadelphia; volunteer coordinator and counselor, program supporting children during and after their parents' cancer; member, South Asian female acapella group; member, healthcare fraternity.

Bethany Giombetti | Lake Ariel, PA | Will attend: Duquesne University

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: Robert Morris University, 2018, applied mathematics Tutor/mentor, university first-year seminar program; mentor, university exchange student program; volunteer, community after school program, religious humanitarian organization; student, mathematics education summer program, Budapest; awardee, Vira L. Heinz Women in Global Leadership program.

Alexandra Gow | Pittsburgh, PA | Will attend: Duquesne University

- Undergraduate college, class, and major: Duquesne University, 2016, mathematics
- Graduate institution, year, degree: Canisius College, 2017, M.B.A.

Member, international women's fraternity; recipient, undergraduate athletic and merit scholarship; tutor, students with disabilities; captain, university cheerleading; marketing intern and project coordinator, food production company.

Clayton Jacques | Newburyport, MA | Will attend: Duquesne University

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: Dartmouth College, 2019, biology Tutor, biology, chemistry; teaching lab assistant, ecology field course; volunteer and intern, college access summer camp and school program for 10th graders; undergraduate ecology researcher; class valedictorian; National Merit Scholar; amateur bird watcher.

David Kalb | Westport, CT | Will attend: University of Pennsylvania

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: Bucknell University 2016, chemical engineering Math teacher; coach, university men's basketball team; professional video gamer; graduate researcher, molecular dynamics, quantum chemistry; teaching assistant, chemical engineering; researcher, optoelectronics; contestant, chemical engineering competition crisis counselor, text messaging crisis intervention; volunteer, AmeriCorps; practitioner, shotokan karate.

Julia Klingler | Bethel Park, PA | Will attend: University of Pennsylvania

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: Pennsylvania State University, 2017, biology Learning assistant, molecular biology; undergraduate researcher, disease resistance in plants; office manager, after-school STEM program; environmental specialist, enterprise waste management and environmental services company.

Nicholas Manning | De Pere, WI | Will attend: University of Pennsylvania

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: University of Wisconsin – Stevens Point, 2018, biology Undergraduate researcher, ecological effects of road salt on wetlands; ecosystems student, Indonesia; ecology student, Ecuador; assistant Boy Scout master; Scout camp instructor; member, freshman honor society; *cum laude* graduate; swim instructor.

Rachel Milliron | South Plainfield, NJ | Will attend: Duquesne University

- Undergraduate college, class, and major: Stockton University, 2012, environmental science
- Graduate institution, year, degree: Penn State University, 2016, agronomy

Agronomy educator and researcher, Penn State continuing education; teaching assistant, sustainable agriculture, environmental; extension educator, university agricultural community; volunteer, middle school afterschool program; assistant in event and tour planning, university community garden; volunteer, AmeriCorps; published author.

Natalie Panigall | San Diego, CA | Will attend: Duquesne University

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: Duquesne University, 2019, biology Mentor, Pittsburgh area school districts, Strong Women Strong Girls; director of voting and public relations, social/service sorority; dean's list student.

Cristina Ramacciotti | Langhorne, PA | Will attend: University of Pennsylvania

- Undergraduate college, class, and major: University of California at Los Angeles, 1998, geology
- Graduate institution, year, degree: Duke University, 2000, M.E.M., resource ecology

Geologist and hydrogeologist; adjunct college instructor, physical geology, physical science, astronomy, environmental geology; developer, open educational resources course; volunteer, university program supporting first-generation college freshmen; research intern, Environmental Defense Fund; recipient, numerous academic awards and scholarships.

Andrew Rinn | Philadelphia, PA | Will attend: University of Pennsylvania

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: Temple University, 2012, mathematics
Tutor, algebra, pre-calculus, calculus; bookkeeper, local library; transportation security officer,
department of homeland security; on-the-job training coach, department of homeland security; physical
trainer; member, national honors society; recipient, multiple contribution awards.

Rachel Scoratow | Pittsburgh, PA | Will attend: University of Pennsylvania

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: University of Richmond, 2017, biology and healthcare studies Success coach, team leader, nonprofit education organization; undergraduate researcher, cytoskeletal elements in intracellular dynamics and whole cell motility; intern, multiple nonprofit public health outreach organizations, recipient, university science scholarship.

Kerry Martin Skora | Kent, OH | Will attend: Duquesne University

- Undergraduate college, class, and major: University of Chicago, 1982, mathematics
- Graduate institution, year, degree: University of California, Santa Barbara, 1989, religious studies
- Doctoral institution, year, degree: University of Virginia, 2001, religious studies

Professor, religious studies; tutor, calculus, SAT mathematics; computer analyst, electric utility company; teaching assistant; founder, elementary math enrichment program; recipient, academic scholarships, grants, and fellowships.

Michael Slaza | Pennington, NJ | Will attend: University of Pennsylvania

• Undergraduate college, class, and major: Stockton University, 2019, biochemistry and molecular biology Teaching assistant, chemistry, biodiversity and evolution; tutor, AP biology; undergraduate researcher, yolk-derived proteins within white pekin ducks; member, various honor societies; international space station research project, nematode muscle atrophy in space; resident assistant, university housing; summer medical intern, Sri Lanka; member, service fraternity.

Lindsey Snyder | Philadelphia, PA | Will attend: University of Pennsylvania

- Undergraduate college, class, and major: Drexel University, 2006, biology
- Graduate institution, year, degree: Drexel University, completed masters' coursework, Public Health Research specialist, Monell Chemical Senses Center; mentor, Monell Science apprenticeship program; teaching assistant aid; member, early education school board committee; scientist, olfaction and virology; research assistant, laboratory manager, RNAi based therapeutics for hepatitis B virus, human influenza A, and avian influenza; entrepreneur.

Denise Tyler | Pittsburgh, PA | Will attend: Duquesne University

- Undergraduate college, class, and major: North Carolina Central University, 1992, biology
- Graduate institution, year, degree: University of Iowa College of Medicine, 1998, MD

Medical doctor and specialist, New York and Iowa national guard; hospital corpsman, United States Navy reserve and active duty; STEM coach/science teacher, private high school; published author; recipient,

letter of recognition from New York Governor George Pataki for dedication during September 11, 2001; member, natural science and mathematics honor society.

Kwesi Vincent | Plainfield, NJ | Will attend: University of Pennsylvania

- Undergraduate college, class, and major: Pennsylvania State University, 1999, industrial and systems
 engineering
- Graduate institution, year, degree: Rutgers University, 2003, M.B.A., information systems Instructor, college algebra, pre-calculus; math development specialist, first-generation and low income college students; tutor, high school math; creator, producer, and host, STEM education podcast; program manager, K–12 professional development.

Madeline Winn | Carlisle, PA | Will attend: Duquesne University

Undergraduate college, class, and major: Pennsylvania State University – University Park, 2019, animal sciences

Teaching assistant, animal genetics; undergraduate researcher, PDL1 ligands in bovine reproduction; visitor education department intern, New England Aquarium; resident assistant, university housing; field crew manager, farm-based youth employment program; project team manager, student farm club; honors college student; recipient, multiple academic scholarships and awards.