



VENTURE FELLOWS 2021 - 2022



William Wang
Class of 2022

Concentration: Finance, Systems Engineering

Will loves reading, hiking, skiing, and is a huge sports fan!

Fun Fact: He was in a boat that began to sink in the Delaware River!

Best WLV Memory:
Playing card games with all the VFs during Spring Training!



Bjarni Rassmusen
Class of 2022

Concentration: Entrepreneurship & Innovation

Bjarni loves embarking on adventures with friends, backpacking, and working on his startup!!

Best WLV Memory:
Spring Training in 2019 we had a deep, powerful and vulnerable reflection session on the events of the day. Left a lasting impression on me, and it highlighted the uniqueness of the group.



Malia Kealaluhi
Class of 2022

Concentration: Marketing & Operations Management

Malia loves hiking, climbing, paddle boarding, and making art!

Fun Fact: She can say the alphabet backwards in 2.7 seconds- she says, "It is pointless, but cool."

Best WLV Memory:
Recruitment her freshman year when she guided VF Yiwen Li (Class of 2021), up the rock wall in Pottruck while he was blindfolded!



Alex Rusis
Class of 2022

Concentration: Accounting

Alex loves skiing, mountaineering, mountain biking.

Favorite Quote: "The truth of the matter is that you always know the right thing to do. The hard part is doing it." -Norman Schwarzkopf, Jr

Best WLV Memory:
Leadership training with NOLS pre Covid; learning about good ice-breakers to get a group to be more acquainted with each other quickly



Danielle Schweitzer
Class of 2022

Concentration: Business Analytics and Behavioral Economics

Danielle loves going for bike rides or hikes!

Fun fact: Danielle was once chased by a bear on a hike in Alaska!

Best WLV Memory:
Spring training 2020 was a really powerful experience for me. Not only were we able to learn hard skills like navigation and tying knots, but we were also able to bond as a group through thoughtful discussion and debriefs.



Raul Vila
Class of 2022

Concentration: Healthcare Management & Neuroscience

Raul loves kitesurfing, playing soccer, and spending time with friends.

Fun Fact: He is a PADI certified Master scuba diver

Best WLV Memory:
"I had an amazing time on my WLV trip to Patagonia during my sophomore year. I remember flying into Santiago, Chile having no idea who the other students were but through our intense day-long hikes and adventures, we grew close as a group. This inspired me to join WLV to enable similar experiences for the Wharton community in the future."



Oliver Osei-Asibey
Class of 2022

Concentration: Management - Entrepreneurship & Innovation

Oliver is a big fan of budget and solo travel! Mobile photography is also a hobby of his (one day he will upgrade to camera photography!)

Favorite Quote: "Every trip is lived 3 times: when you dream of it, when you go, and when you remember it."

Best WLV Memory:
Accidentally waking up at the crack of dawn during my WLV expedition in Utah and witnessing the most amazing sunrise in the Canyons with my tentmates



Turner Halle
Sophomore

Concentration: Business Analytics

Turner loves to cook, rock climb, blast Taylor Swift, and road trip.

Favorite Quote: "... if you don't have an obvious passion, forget about it. Follow your curiosity, because passion is sort of a tower of flame that is not always accessible and curiosity is something that anybody can access any day. Your curiosity may lead you to your passion or it may not. It may have been for "nothing". In which case, all you've done your entire life is spend your existence in pursuit of the things that made you feel curious and inspired.." - Elizabeth Gilbert

Best WLV Memory:
Trail running 8 miles in the Wissahickon then binging Ben and Jerry's over heated card games.



Aubrey Schafer
Class of 2023

Huntsman Program

Aubrey loves hiking, running, reading, traveling, and finding really good food!

Fun Fact: She worked as a farmhand on a vineyard in France!

Best WLV Memory:
"While I only had the chance to be in-person with WLV for a couple of months, I have been most impacted by the warmth of my fellow VFs who barely knew me but invited me to join their adventures this past year. I've had the pleasure of being welcomed into the community with open arms and I can't wait to grow and learn from other fellows over the next few years."



Stacy Shimanuki
Class of 2023/2024

Concentration: Business Analytics

Stacy loves traveling and living abroad!

Favorite Quote: "Act the way you want to be, and soon you'll be the way you act"

Best WLV Memory:
"Hearing the stories and bonds at last year's senior sendoff (despite being virtual)"

