

.406 Ventures Student Fellows Program

A Unique Opportunity for Student Entrepreneurs



Fellowship Background

The Student Fellows program is a unique opportunity for student entrepreneurs to build upon the academic entrepreneurial experiences offered through school with the real-world skills and networks needed to start successful companies. Over the two years each Fellow will build strong relationships with 15-20 other leading student entrepreneurs and experience the venture capital process.

All Fellows are required to have started a company and many are either working on a company when they join the Fellowship or start a company while an active Fellow. Recognizing the time constraints of student entrepreneurs, the Fellowship is designed to:

- Jumpstart Fellows' entrepreneurial endeavors: Through our partner program, as Fellows start companies, they will get assistance and \$20k+ in subsidies, discounts and deferrals with service providers including Amazon Web Services, Google Compute, Gunderson Dettmer, & CBRE
- Provide exposure to the capital community: In-depth interactions with the .406 partnership as well as access to our full network give students have the ability to understand, assess and engage the capital community when fundraising.
- Understand fundraising process: Fellows learn the fundraising process from within a venture fund as they sit on our Fellows investment committee and participate in everything from deal sourcing to due diligence.
- Facilitate entrepreneurial branding: Fellows carry .406 business cards and are coached on how to develop a brand as an entrepreneurial leader in their academic and local communities as they represent .406 Ventures on campus.

Establishing an Exclusive Network of Successful Entrepreneurs

The Fellowship is made up of successful entrepreneurs from elite universities:



Funded Companies Started by Student Fellows Have Raised \$300M+ and Include:



Currently recruiting for Class XII (Fall 2020 Start)

Interested undergrad & grad entrepreneurs send resume to .406 at studentfellows@406ventures.com



Student Fellow Advantages

This 2-year program is a unique opportunity to augment entrepreneurship academic work with live experience in the field as well as an amazing platform and network from which to create a new start-up.

- Build a strong peer-network with a hand-selected group of proven entrepreneurs from leading universities including a growing network of Fellowship alumni
- Foster connections within and an understanding of the venture capital industry
- Unique start-up opportunities such as:
 - Investor access as the .406 Ventures representative at incubator Demo Days
 - Open-door access to .406 Ventures including pitches, diligence and investment process
- .406 facilitates internships and employment within our portfolio and other companies within our network
- Exclusive deal platform with top service providers including Amazon Web Services, Google Compute, Gunderson Dettmer, & CBRE
- Through the Fellowship's educational modules, Fellows will learn about key entrepreneurial and fundraising aspects and be exposed to top industry practitioners
- Opportunity to participate in offsite meetings with .406 and other industry professionals



Your Qualifications

- Proven success as an entrepreneur.
- Ability to identify and assess entrepreneurial opportunities.
- At least two more years left in school as a student.

Your Role

- Seek out entrepreneurs and potential investment opportunities from within the student body, research professors, tech transfer office and alumni.
- Participate in bi-weekly conferences with all Fellows to assess and discuss startups as well as our three 1-day offsites in Boston.
- Represent .406 Ventures on campus.



Class X Fellows

Umang Bhatt – Carnegie Mellon University



- Senior: Electrical and Computer Engineering (Integrated Bachelors/Masters)
- Cofounder: Percepsense (www.percepsense.com)
- Machine Learning Researcher – Model Interpretability – Moura Group
- Interned at Microsoft (Conversational Agents), Groupon (Supply Intelligence & Dynamic Pricing), InquisitHealth (Text Mining), & Internet of Things Consortium (Growth)
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Muath Bishawi – Duke University



- PhD Candidate: Biomedical Engineering
- Cofounder and CEO – Lacuna Medical: Medical Device Startup
- Cofounder and COO – RayAb: Protective antibody against radiation damage
- Other: Cardiac Surgery Resident, Previous InnovateMD Fellow, Associate, Duke Angel Network
- LinkedIn: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/muath-bishawi-392aa316/>

Flora Di Cara – Harvard



- Senior
- Co-Founder of UScan Technologies
- Former Fellow at Catapult Ideas
- Research Assistant At Harvard Business School
- LinkedIn: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/flora-dicara-38a89589>

Parker Hughes – Emerson College



- Senior: Consumer Psychology with minors in Philosophy and Digital Media
- Co-founder: BRÜZD Foods (social enterprise combatting food waste)
- Former Fellow: Salzburg Global Seminar - media innovation for global impact
- Executive Board Member: Emerson Launch and American Marketing Association
- LinkedIn: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/parker-hughes98/>

Patrick Lundgren – University of Pennsylvania



- Ph.D. in Immunology focusing on Cell and Gene Therapy, formerly University of Oxford (MSc 18') and University of Cambridge (BA 17')
- Co-founder at NanoXCell Therapeutics – supported by Penn Y-Prize competition, Wharton Innovation Fund, Weiss Tech House Innovation Fund, Pennvention competition, NSF I-Corps program, and the PanaceaStars accelerator (UK)
- Previously worked/interned at the NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory (Caltech) and the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
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Jimmy McDermott – Boston College



- Junior: Management of Information Systems
- Founder and CTO of Transeo (<https://gotranseo.com>)
- Previously Co-Founder at 162 LLC (<https://162llc.com>)
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Ayushi Sinha – Princeton University



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Sarah Slater – Tuck School of Business at Dartmouth



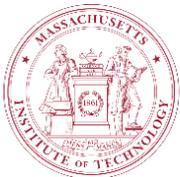
- MBA Candidate at Tuck School of Business at Dartmouth; BC Alum, class of 2013
- Former Strategy & Innovation Consultant at Deloitte Consulting
- Previously VC at Patamar Capital in India: <http://patamar.com/>
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Doris Xin – The University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign



- Ph.D. Candidate in Computer Science and NSF GRFP Fellow specializing in machine learning systems
- Creator and lead developer of Helix (<https://helix-ml.github.io/>), a machine learning system for the next order of magnitude speed-up in data analytics. Co-authored and won multiple industry grants for the development of Helix.
- Extensive machine learning research experience from Google AI, Databricks, LinkedIn, CMU, JPL, and Caltech.
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Rosanna Zhang – Massachusetts Institute of Technology



- Senior: Computer Science, Economics, and Management
- Cofounder: Lind Health (LindHealth.com) - clinical trial recommendation engine
- Entrepreneurship Director of MIT Biotech Group, Founding President of Finance Club
- Computational Biochem Research at MIT/Harvard/MGH, PE Investing at China Development Bank FoF
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Class XI Fellows

André Mota – University of Pennsylvania Law School and Wharton Business School



- J.D./M.B.A. Candidate at Penn Law and Wharton (Health Care Management, Entrepreneurship)
- Former Fellow at Harlem Biospace and Mirna Analytics
- Former Fellow at 118 Capital
- Former Consulting Associate at Sage Growth Partners
- Former Graduate Intern at Johns Hopkins Technology Ventures
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Jake Kinsella – Northeastern University



- Sophomore: Computer Science, Business
- Founder: candidateXYZ, making it easy to run for political office
- Interned at: Threat Stack, Talla, Nutonian, CloudHealth Technologies
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Shelly Xu – Harvard Business School



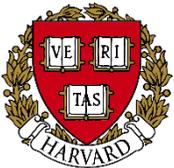
- MBA Candidate at Harvard Business School. BA in Economics-Political Science (major) and Sustainable Development (concentration) from Columbia University
- Founder: Shelly Xu Design for zero-waste fashion
- Inventor: System and method for providing an instant stylist (14/447725), Apparatus and method for smart photography (14/473570)
- Previous experiences: Instagram + Facebook (Creative), eBay (Product Manager), SYPartners (Strategist), McKinsey (Analyst), Prada (Intern)
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Sarah Izzo – Fuqua School of Business at Duke University



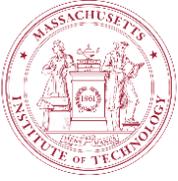
- MBA Candidate at Duke University's Fuqua School of Business
- Founder of Packed. by Sarah
- Former MedTech strategy consultant with Fletcher Spaght
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Glen Cheng – Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health



- Occupational Medicine Resident Physician, board eligible in 2021
- MPH Candidate, Harvard School of Public Health
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Shashank Srikant – Massachusetts Institute of Technology



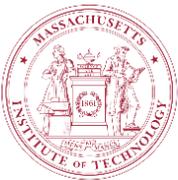
- Ph.D. candidate in computer science, specializing in program analysis, machine learning, cybersecurity, and neuroscience.
- 5 years leading a ML corporate research group at Aspiring Minds (research.aspiringminds.com). Led team of 10+ engineers to productize research on evaluative code with ML
- Co-founder of datasciencekids.org and ml-india.org
- Led strategy, operations, general mgmt., fund-raising, & software development for Seva Setu (sevasetu.org), bridging the gap between government benefits & its last mile delivery in rural India
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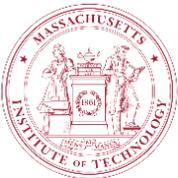
- MBA Candidate at Columbia Business School, Entrepreneurship & Venture Capital
- Previously Head of Growth at Simon Data (www.simondata.com) (Seed to Series B)
- Previously Sales at Salesforce and ZocDoc
- Founder at Cream & Sugar (coffee subscription service)
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Ali Mohamed – Massachusetts Institute of Technology



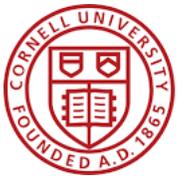
- MIT: Course 6-14 Computer Science, Economics, and Data Science; Course 15-3 Finance
- Forbes 30 Under 30: <https://www.forbes.com/profile/ali-mohamed/#2b7c06f67f5a>
- Cofounder: VOUND Technologies - Audio Visualization AI & Hearing assistive tools using augmented reality wearable technology
- Entrepreneurship activities @ MIT: Running for a president of my class at MIT | Board Member of the Sloan Business Club (SBC) and part of the club entrepreneurship initiative
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Jakub Chudik – Massachusetts Institute of Technology



- Senior: Computer Science and Engineering
- Cofounder and CTO: ConquerX (multi-cancer diagnostic test) www.conquerxlab.com
- Research internships at MIT Computational Biology Group, Expedia Group (Data Science and Pricing Team), National University of Singapore (Global Institute for Health and Technology)
- Kairos Society Fellow, Fung Scholar
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Matthew Bayer – Cornell University



- Sophomore: Computer Science with a minor in Business
- Researcher at Cornell Data Science, creating & productizing a tool for data-backed real estate investment
- Machine Learning Intern at Indico Data Solutions
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Grace Xiao – Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine



- MD candidate at Johns Hopkins focused on neurology and digital health
- Graduated from Harvard, studied neuroscience and economics
- Co-founder of Kynplex, Thiel Fellow, VP of Harvard Biotech Association, Global Health Delegate at UNLEASH Innovation Lab, Summer Fellow Swiss Center for Digital Health Interventions
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