

# THEODORE L. CAPUTI

## EDUCATION

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**School of Public Health, University College Cork** August 2017 - November 2018  
Master of Public Health in Advanced Epidemiology (*First Class Honours; Rank: 1/63*)

**The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania** August 2013 - August 2017  
Bachelor of Science in Economics (Math Minor), *summa cum laude* (LGPA: 4.08; GRE: 169V/170Q/6.0W)

## ACADEMIC HONORS

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Marshall Scholarship November 2018  
Phi Beta Kappa May 2017  
Mitchell Scholarship November 2016  
Beta Gamma Sigma May 2016  
Penn Leonard Davis Institute for Health Economics Undergraduate Research Prize December 2016  
Benjamin Franklin Scholar Honors Program May 2014  
Joseph Wharton Scholar Honors Program May 2014  
Dean's List 2013-2014, 2014-2015

## EXPERIENCE AND EMPLOYMENT

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**Harvard University Department of Economics** Cambridge, MA  
*Full-Time Research Fellow* June 2018 - Present

Perform statistical and qualitative analyses for projects in labor economics under Professor of Economics Amanda Pallais. Contribute to all parts of the research project, including conceptualization, development of methods, statistical computing, and writing.

**Harvard Medical School Health Equity Research Lab** Cambridge, MA  
*Part-Time Research Consultant* December 2017 - Present

**Penn Center for Health Incentives and Behavioral Economics** Philadelphia, PA  
*Part-Time Research Assistant* May 2017 - Present

**Johns Hopkins University Department of Computer Science** Baltimore, MD  
*Summer Research Assistant* May 2017 - August 2017

Initiate research projects applying methods from computer science and related fields to public health. First-authored paper topics included marijuana sales (*Am. J. Preventive Medicine*), emerging tobacco products (*PLoS ONE*), and mental health disparities among LGBQ adolescents (*J. American Medical Association*).

**University of Pennsylvania Department of Economics** Philadelphia, PA  
*Part-Time Research Assistant under Prof. Francis Diebold* April 2017 - May 2018

**UCSD Center for Data-Driven Population Medicine** San Diego, CA  
*Part-Time Research Assistant* September 2016 - Present

Initiated and carried through projects in epidemiology related to substance use and other topics related to behavioral health, including first-authored papers on LGBQ substance use (*JAMA Internal Med.*) and the effect of the #MeToo Movement (*Am. J. Public Health*).

**The White House Executive Office of the President** Washington, D.C.  
*Drug Policy Research Assistant* August 2016 - December 2016

As an intern in the Office of National Drug Control Policy, helped to coordinate official White House conference on addiction medicine and contributed qualitative analysis to policy papers on medication-assisted treatment.

**J.P. Morgan Investment Banking Division***Investment Banking Summer Analyst*

New York, NY

June 2016 - August 2016

Working in the Financial Institutions Group, contributed to financial valuation models and assisted with strategy presentations for clients in the financial services industry.

**Annaly Capital Management***Summer Analyst*

New York, NY

June 2015 - August 2015

As a member of the research team, contributed to projects describing and predicting trends in mortgage-backed securities. Presented end-of-summer presentation on the monetary policy to the entire firm.

**Wharton Summer Program for Undergraduate Research***Independent Researcher*

Philadelphia, PA

June 2014 - August 2014

Conducted independent research project on the D.A.R.E. drug prevention program. First-authored paper was published in *Drugs: Education, Prevention, and Policy* and won journal's Editor's Choice Award.

**University of Pennsylvania Departments of Finance, Math, and Statistics***Teaching Assistant*

Philadelphia, PA

August 2014 - May 2016

Led recitations, held office hours, and graded homeworks as teaching assistant for courses in single-variable calculus, business statistics, macroeconomics, and financial derivatives.

**CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP**

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**Penn Leadership Training Institute***Founder and Past-President*

Philadelphia, PA

May 2014 - May 2017

Started federally-registered 501(c)(3) non-profit organization to provide leadership education courses in 13 Philadelphia middle and high schools. Recruited and train over 100 volunteers from PLTI chapters at four Philadelphia colleges (UPenn, Temple, U. Sciences, and Community College of Philadelphia).

**Penn Drug and Alcohol Peer Advisers***Founder and Past-President*

Philadelphia, PA

January 2014 - May 2017

Started student group focusing on reducing the harm associated with drugs and alcohol on campus, grew membership from single-digits to 50+. Developed strategic plan, recruited comprehensive leadership team, began partnerships with campus organizations (e.g. Counseling and Psychological Services, Student Health Services, Alcohol and Other Drug Initiatives, Office of Student Affairs).

**Bucks County Drug and Alcohol Commission***Board of Directors Member*

Bucks County, PA

October 2011 - October 2017

Board member for organization that allocates millions of state, federal, and county dollars to drug and alcohol prevention, intervention, and treatment providers across the county, serving mostly lower-income residents who lack health insurance coverage for substance use disorders. Served as Board Vice Chair (2013-2015), Board Treasurer (2012-2013), Strategic Planning Chair (2014), Program Services Chair (2015), Strategic Prevention Team Lead (2014-2015).

**OTHER INTERESTS**

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Blogging ([Huffington Post](#), [Daily Pennsylvanian](#)), collecting fountain pens, politics and policy, writing and performing poetry, constitutional law, cancer advocacy (survived testicular cancer Fall 2017)