Alumni Spotlight



Alex Furry studied Finance at Penn State from 2020 to 2024. He joined LLC entering his junior year, serving as an Associate Analyst in the Consumer & Retail sector.

In Summer 2023, Alex interned at J.P. Morgan in their markets division, focusing on research in the Credit Portfolio Group. He later returned full time to the Credit Portfolio Group as a Markets Research Analyst.

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1. When were you a member of Leveraged Lion Capital and what positions did you hold?

I interviewed in Spring 2022 and then joined LLC in Fall 2022. I served as an Associate Analyst in the Consumer & Retail Sector before spending my junior spring abroad in Rome. During my senior year, I stayed involved with LLC through senior panels and networking calls. I graduated from Smeal in 2024 with a degree in Finance and a minor in International Business.

2. What did Leveraged Lion Capital mean to you when you were on campus?

LLC (along with PSFIA) was instrumental in my time at Penn State. It deepened my interest in financial markets and allowed me to connect with like-minded, intelligent, and hardworking individuals. From a knowledge perspective, it gave me a competitive edge in interviews and networking calls, as I was able to discuss the fundamental and technical aspects of credit in great depth. Additionally, I developed essential soft skills that helped me navigate and build relationships with peers and alumni. I was able to leverage the skills gained from LLC during my internship, most notably leaning on pitches and presentation abilities, to receive a return offer. I am truly grateful for the invaluable experiences and opportunities provided through LLC.

3. What advice do you have for members of Leveraged Lion Capital who are currently recruiting for internships?

Always be prepared, stay true to yourself, and never stop being curious or asking questions. The recruiting process can be stressful, so focus on what you can control, and everything else will fall into place. Leveraged Lion Capital provides an incredible network both on and off campus—leverage these connections to your advantage. Alumni are eager to help and want LLC students to succeed. Lastly, and most importantly, remember to have fun while you're at school because it's the best university in the world!