

Benjamin G. Taylor

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EDUCATION

- State University of New York Upstate Medical University**, Syracuse, NY Aug 2011 – Present
Doctor of Medicine (anticipated May 2015)
USMLE Step 1: 257
- Lafayette College**, Easton, PA Aug 2003 – May 2008
Bachelor of Arts
Double major in *Mathematics & Economics* and *Classical Studies*
Summa Cum Laude (GPA: 3.91/4.00)
- Antioch University Study Abroad**, Bodh Gaya, Bihar, India Aug 2005 – Dec 2005
- Studied Buddhist meditation traditions and Buddhist philosophy
 - Conducted independent study project in Sagaing, Myanmar

HONORS & DISTINCTIONS

- State University of New York Upstate Medical University**, Syracuse, NY
- Pathology Honor Society: Awarded to top 5% of the class, May 2013
 - Letter of Commendation: Exceptional performance in 1st year of medical school, May 2012
- Lafayette College**, Easton, PA
- Phi Beta Kappa: National Honor Society in Liberal Arts and Sciences, 2006
 - Pi Mu Epsilon: National Honor Society in Mathematics, 2008
 - Omicron Delta Epsilon: National Honor Society in Economics, 2008
 - Psi Chi: National Honor Society in Psychology, 2006
 - Oechsle Scholar: Merit-based award endowing entire cost of college education, 2003
 - Dean's List: All semesters

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- State University of New York Upstate Medical University**, Syracuse, NY Jan 2014 – Present
Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, Co-Investigator
- Designed a study investigating nipple-areola complex and skin flap ischemia as determined by intra-operative SPY angiography following immediate implant-based breast reconstruction after nipple-sparing mastectomies
 - Performed literature search and formulated study objectives and design
 - Composed study protocol and Institutional Review Board application
 - Performing data collection and analysis
- Montefiore Medical Center**, Bronx, NY Jun 2012 – Aug 2012
Cardiothoracic Surgery, Research Assistant
- Provided analytical support to the study designed to examine Energy Equivalent Pressure and Surplus Hemodynamic Energy achieved with centrifugal and roller pumps during cardiopulmonary bypass using various perfusion parameters as compared to that achieved by the native circulation in a swine model
 - Assisted with data collection and statistical analysis, wrote sections of manuscript

WORK EXPERIENCE

Citigroup Corporate and Investment Bank, New York, NY.

Jul 2008 – Jun 2011

Credit Risk Management, Analyst

- Monitored ~20 banking relationships with aggregate exposure of ~\$3.0Bn across transportation, gaming and healthcare sectors
- Partnered closely with Corporate and Investment Banking and Capital Markets teams on origination of new credit products across investment grade, leveraged finance and structured products spaces
- Analyzed company performance, completed industry stress tests, provided quantitative and qualitative analysis of securities issuers as well as debt instruments
- Designed detailed financial models to analyze recapitalization, creditor recovery, liquidity analysis and debt capacity
- Completed client DCF valuations under various scenarios to produce Enterprise Value collateral coverage and risk of loss analysis for risk mitigation strategies including CDS purchases and asset sales

LEADERSHIP & SERVICE

State University of New York Upstate Medical University, Syracuse, NY

Aug 2012 – 2015

College of Medicine Class of 2015, Treasurer

- Plan and organize class events and fundraisers, organize student orientation to clinical years
- Promote inclusiveness and team-building
- Serve on Phase 1 and 2 curriculum committees
- Act as a student liaison to the Dean for Student Affairs and Dean for Medical Education

State University of New York Upstate Medical University, Syracuse, NY

Aug 2012 – May 2013

Upstate Donor Initiative, Vice-President

- Helped educate campus community about blood, bone marrow and organ donation
- Organized bone marrow and blood drives and organ donation lecture series

PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS

- **Taylor, B.G.**, S.G., Hu, Z., Gutierrez, L.H., Schafer, M., de la Roza, G.L., Badawy, S.Z. (2015) Müllerian Remnant Cyst Causing Abdominal Pain in a Female with Müllerian Agenesis. *AAP National Conference and Exhibition*, submitted.
- Bello, R.A., **Taylor, B.G.**, Oriyanhan, W., et al. (2014). Pulsatile Cardiopulmonary Bypass Can Augment Hemodynamic Energy Comparable To That Of The Native Circulation. *ASAIO*, submitted.
- **Taylor, B.G.** & Weinstein, S. (2013). Pediatric Surgery for Unroofed Coronary Sinus. *Medscape*. Available: URL <http://emedicine.medscape.com/article/902906-overview> [Accessed 03/11/15]
- **Taylor, B.G.** & Weinstein, S. (2013). Ebstein Malformation Surgery. *Medscape*. Available: URL <http://emedicine.medscape.com/article/903579-overview> [Accessed 03/11/15]
- Payne, L., **Taylor, B.G.**, Boss-Williams, K., Moore, J., and Weiss, JM. (2005, August). *Fos Quantification in Stressed Female Hyperactive and Control Rats*. Poster presented at the Summer Undergraduate Research Experience meeting, Emory University, Atlanta, GA.

INTERESTS

Tennis, skiing, photography, triathlons, wine, traveling, yoga, Russian literature, community service

John R. Smith

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EDUCATION

SUNY Upstate Medical University , Syracuse, NY Doctor of Medicine, anticipated May 2016	2012-present
Georgetown University , Washington, D.C. Masters of Science in Biology, thesis on hypoxia in pancreatic cancer	2011-2012
Georgetown University , Baltimore, D.C. Bachelor of Science in Cellular and Molecular Biology	2007-2011

HONORS

SUNY Upstate <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dean's Commendation for outstanding academic achievement• National Pathology Honor Society	2012, 2013, 2014 2014
Georgetown University <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Alpha Epsilon Delta Pre-Medical Honor Society• Tri-Beta Biological Honor Society	2009-2011 2009-2011

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Medical Genetics , SUNY Upstate, Syracuse, NY Worked with Dr. Roger Lebel at Upstate Center for Behavior, Development, and Genetics	2013
Pancreatic Cancer , Georgetown University, Washington, D.C. Worked in the laboratory of Dr. Christine Iacobuzio-Donahue on the genetics of pancreatic cancer	2008-2012

PUBLICATIONS

Yachida S, Vakiani E, **Smith J**, Zhong Y, Saunders T, Morgan R, *et al.* Small cell and large cell neuroendocrine carcinomas of the pancreas are genetically similar and distinct from well-differentiated pancreatic neuroendocrine tumors. *Am J Surg Pathol.* 2012;26(1): 193-186.

Yachida S, **Smith J**, Naito Y, Zhong Y, Brosnan J, Macgregor-Das A, *et al.* Clinical significance of the Genetic Landscape of Pancreatic Cancer and Implications for Identification of Potential Long Term Survivors. *Clin Cancer Res.* 2012; 18(20): 6309-6387.

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE AND EXTRACURRICULARS

Peer Tutor , SUNY Upstate, Syracuse, NY Tutor for basic science courses in MSI/II years including being a pharmacology study buddy	2013-present
President Ambassador , SUNY Upstate, Syracuse, NY Representative of the student body at SUNY Upstate at various important university and community events	2013-present
Summer Running Program Coach , Jordan-Elbridge, NY Summer running coach for high school boys	2013
Southwest Community Center Volunteer , Syracuse, NY Afterschool tutoring program for inner-city children	2012-2013
Tour Guide , SUNY Upstate, Syracuse, NY Provided tours and introduction to the college of medicine for applicants	2012-2013

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American College of Physicians	2012-present
American Medical Association	2012-present

INTERESTS

Long distance running, working out, hiking, cooking/baking, reading, traveling, and spending time with my family, friends, and pets.

Luke N. Smith

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EDUCATION

August 2012 – present
SUNY Upstate Medical University, College of Medicine

- Doctor of Medicine, anticipated May 2016
- USMLE Step 1 Score: 258

August 2009 – May 2012
Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

- Bachelor of Arts, Biology, summa cum laude

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Summer 2007 – August 2013
Good Samaritan Hospital Medical Center, West Islip, NY
Laboratory Technician Assistant

- Processed, prepared and transported laboratory specimens from central receiving to appropriate departments for analysis.

May 2009 – August 2010
Town of Huntington Beaches – Camp Soundview
Lifeguard and First aid

- Provided lifeguarding and first aid for over 100 elementary aged children during the swimming season in the Long Island Sound.

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

August 2013 – present
SUNY Upstate Medical University, College of Medicine
Student Advisor

- Advise groups of lower level medical students on a range of topics including study habits and methods, getting involved in research, scheduling and preparing for USMLE step 1 exam, and staying healthy in medical school.

December 2011 – January 2012 and June 2013
Beijing English Camp and Orphanage
Missions Worker

- Organized and taught multiple intensive camps directed toward teaching the English language and American culture to underserved Chinese populations (deaf/blind populations and orphans). Provided aid and support in the form of food, manpower, and teaching materials to rural and neglected Chinese communities.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Interobserver Reliability of assessment of lumbar spinal stenosis on MRI: Impact of Surgeon Experience
January 2015 - present

- Conducted statistical analysis on MRI data looking to correlate years of practice as a spinal surgeon to ability to accurately read MRI's.

Epigenetics in Alzheimer's disease
Fall 2010 – May 2012

- Designed and tested protocol for analyzing the epigenetics of DNA segments to be used to compare epigenetic modifications between Alzheimer's disease brain tissue and healthy brain tissue.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Orthopedic Surgery Club

President, May 2013 – May 2014

- Responsibilities included arranging residents and surgeons to speak on topics such as various fellowships in orthopedics, imaging reading, case-presentations, and a “Casting clinic.” Co-organized a surgery specialty panel in which all surgical specialty department chairs hosted a brief conference on their specialties and a Q&A afterward.

Medical Professionals and Personal Finance

October 2014-Present

- Established and coordinated a lecture series presented by an Emergency Medicine Physician and the Department of Financial Aid on personal finances (loan repayment, income management, etc.) specifically related to medical students, residents and physicians.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Medical Association, 2012 – present

ACADEMIC ACHEIVMENTS

Recipient on the Gold Humanism Award, 2015

HOBBIES, INTERESTS, AND ACTIVITIES

Home-brewing, cultural foods, record collecting, photography, vintage cars, reading.

Patrick L. Smith

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Education

SUNY Upstate Medical University, Syracuse, NY

- Doctor of Medicine anticipated (2012-present)
- Rural Medicine Scholar Program
- USMLE Step One: 248

Liberty University, Lynchburg, VA

- Bachelor of Science in Biology, *Summa Cum Laude* (2008-2012)
- Minor in Government: Politics and Policy
- GPA: 3.93

Christ Church, Oxford University, Oxford, UK,

- Medical Ethics, Philosophy of Religion, C. S. Lewis

Research Experience and Publications

- Research Institute, Bassett Medical Center, Cooperstown, NY (2012-present)
- Clinical prediction of Obstructive Sleep Apnea in diabetic populations.
- **Smith P**, Gahan S, Victory J, Scribani M, Edmonds LC. Inability to fit hands around neck as a predictor of obstructive sleep apnea. *SLEEP 2014*, Minneapolis, MN, June 2014
- **Smith P**, Thongprayoon C, Thamcharoen N, Cheungpasitporn W. Pneumatosis intestinalis from thromboembolism: a fatal complication in a patient with total artificial heart. *J Gastrointest Liver Dis.* 2014 Sep;23(3):240.
- **Smith P**, Perlstein MD, Dumond CL, Ramaiya A, Cronkright P. Prevalence of Dyslipidemia amongst refugees from Bhutan, Iraq, and Somalia upon arrival to the United States. *North American Refugee Conference*, Rochester, NY, June 2014
- Cheungpasitporn W, Thongprayoon C, Srivali N, O'Corragain OA, **Smith P**, Ungprasert P, Kittanamongkolchai W, Erickson SB. Preoperative renin-angiotensin system inhibitor use linked to reduced acute kidney injury: a systematic review and meta-analysis. *Nephrology Dial. Transplant* March 2015
- **Smith P**, Cronkright, P. Prevalence of anemia among resettled refugees from Somalia, Iraq, and Bhutan upon arrival to the United States from 2010-2014. *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health.* 2015, Sep; Pub Status: Submitted.

Honors and Awards

- Gold Humanism Honor Society (2015)
- Eagle Scout (2008)
- Rookie of the Year Award for Academic Excellence as an Athlete (2009)
- MVP Award, Division I Cross Country, Track and Field (2010)
- USA Triathlon Collegiate Championships, Tuscaloosa, AL (2012)

Volunteer Service and Extracurricular Activities

Christian Medical Fellowship, (2012-present)

- Weekly meeting of students and staff from the Upstate community. Participate as a frequent speaker and the service chair for community outreach. Outreach includes providing meals and flu vaccinations for homeless shelters.

Refugee Clinic (2012-2014)

- Volunteered twice a month as an MS1 taking vital signs, histories, and physicals using translator services for newly arrived refugees from Nepal, Bhutan, and Iraq. As a second year, became a clinical coordinator responsible for organizing volunteers and running the clinic.

Helping Hands for Forgotten Feet (2013-2014)

- Worked with a group of students and local podiatrist to start a foot clinic at a local homeless shelter. My role as education chair was to the homeless population using Power Points on foot care, diabetes management and cardiovascular health.

Southwest Community Center (2012-2014)

- Worked once a month with inner city youth by helping them with schoolwork and a fitting amount of Syracuse's favorite past time—basketball.

Pediatric relief (Fall 2012)

- Spent time with long term patients of the Children's hospitals by playing games and helping them feel like a healthy child.

Royal Bemuah Hospital and Cape Coast Hospital, Ghana, (Summer 2013)

- Traveled in West Africa visiting hospitals and followed local physicians to learn about global health and primary care in the developing world.

Policy Debates in Healthcare (Spring 2014)

- Policy debate arguing as the negative team against the resolution that insurance companies should charge obese individuals higher premiums.

Community Bible Chapel (2012-present)

- Teach Sunday school and youth group in Cooperstown, NY.

Employment Experience

- Outdoor Adventure Instructor, Clark Sports Center, Cooperstown, NY (2007-2014)
- Laboratory Assistant Organic Chemistry (2012)
- Teaching Assistant Constitutional Government (2012)

Professional Development

- SLEEP Conference 2014, Minneapolis, MN, (Spring 2014)
- North American Refugee Conference, Rochester, NY (Spring 2014)
- American College of Physicians, member (2015-present)
- American Academy of Sleep Medicine, member, (2013-2014)
- Christian Medical and Dental Association, member (2014-present)

Personal Interests

- Running, pastel drawings, collecting insects, rock climbing, reading, and canoeing.
- Lake Placid Ironman 2015 11:06:47

Roger N. Theriault

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EDUCATION

- 2012 – Present **SUNY Upstate Medical University**, Syracuse, NY
Doctor of Medicine, anticipated May 2016
- 2008 – 2012 **SUNY Geneseo**, Geneseo, NY
Bachelor of Science in Psychology, Summa cum Laude, May 2012
Minor: Classical Studies

RELEVANT ACTIVITIES AND VOLUNTEER SERVICE

- 2012 - 2014 **Tour Guide**, SUNY Upstate Medical University Office of Admissions
Gave campus tours to prospective medical students
- 2013 - 2014 **Interview Day Presenter**, SUNY Upstate Medical University Office of Admissions
Gave weekly presentations to prospective medical students
- 2012 - 2014 **Southwest Community Center Volunteer**, SUNY Upstate Medical University
Volunteered weekly with children at a local community center
- 2012 - 2014 **Donor Initiative Club Secretary**, SUNY Upstate Medical University
Worked as officer for club dedicated to running blood drives, bone marrow donation registry, etc
- 2012 - 2014 **JMA Club Secretary**, SUNY Upstate Medical University
Worked as officer for club connecting medicine and Judaism
- 2012 - 2014 **Emergency Medicine Club**, SUNY Upstate Medical University
Active member, attended all meetings, events, simulation sessions, and skills workshops
- 2012 - 2014 **Surgery Club**, SUNY Upstate Medical University
Active member, attended all meetings and events
- Fall 2014 **Emergency Medicine Medical Student Symposium Day Attendee**
Emergency Medicine symposium with skills workshops and simulation sessions hosted by SUNY Upstate Medical University
- Fall 2013 **Orientation Advisor**, SUNY Upstate Medical University
Worked with incoming first year medical students to orient them to campus

RESEARCH

“The Relationship of Alcohol Consumption and Social Support with Weight Gain over the First Year of College” Conference Presentation at The Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA. April 2012, Published Abstract: Annals of Behavioral Medicine

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Summer 2011: **Tennis Pro**, Tiger Tennis, West Caldwell, NJ
Organized and ran numerous tennis camps and clinics for kids and adults as a tennis instructor
- 2006 – 2008 **Camp Counselor**, Blue Rill Day Camp, Airmont, NY
Worked as a summer camp counselor for children of different age groups

HOBBIES/ INTERESTS

Basketball, Tennis, Fishing, Movies

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EDUCATION

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M.D. Candidate, *Anticipated May 2017*

State University of New York, University at Buffalo, Buffalo, NY
B.S. in Biology, *magna cum laude*, 2013

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2016 **Rural Medical Education Program**, Adirondack Medical Center
5 months of intensive community medicine training with local attendings the following specialties:
Emergency Medicine, Family Medicine, Surgery, and an Elective
- 2008-2010 **Flight Paramedic**, LifeNet of New York
Helicopter-based advanced life support for 911 emergencies and critical care inter-facility transfers
- 1999-2010 **Paramedic AEMT-P**, Alamo EMS and Mobil Life Support Services
Advanced life support for 911 emergencies and inter-facility transfers

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2012 **Research Assistant**, NY State Dept. of Health, Wadsworth Center, Lab of Dr. Sam Bowser Designed a method of using photoluminescence to identify stercomata of *Gromia* species, as part of a project assessing nutrient content of water in adjacent benthic ecosystems

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2013-present **Instructor**, Upstate Medical University Emergency Medicine Simulation Technology Training Center
Assist with simulations and practical exams for paramedic training program
- 2003-2009 **Advanced Cardiac Life Support Instructor, CPR, First Aid, and Wilderness First Aid Instructor**, HealthQuest & American Heart Association
Provided training for healthcare providers and laypersons
- 2002-2005 **Adjunct Instructor of EMS Education**, Herkimer Community College
Provided EMS training for paramedics and EMTs

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- 2013-2014 **Student Volunteer**, Helping Hands for Forgotten Feet, Rescue Mission Homeless Shelter, Syracuse, NY
Assisted physicians with patient care, taking vitals, obtaining histories, performing physical exams
- 2013 **Student Volunteer**, Ameus Clinic, Syracuse, NY
Assisted physicians with patient care, taking vitals, obtaining histories, performing physical exams
- 2012 **Intern**, Staff of Senator Joseph Addabbo, NYS Senate Minority Conference, Albany, NY
Drafted recommendations for proposed legislation to regulate marketing of fast food products directed at children to help families make healthier dietary decisions for children
- 2012 **Habitat for Humanity**, Buffalo, NY: Collaborated on a team to build affordable homes for low income families
- 1998-2000 **Volunteer EMT**, Town of Ovid Rescue Squad, Ovid, NY: Basic Life Support for rural 911 emergencies; receive *Top Responder Award 1999*

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- 2013-present American Medical Association
2013-present Onondaga County Medical Society
2014-present American College of Physicians
2014-present American Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene
2016-present American College of Emergency Physicians
2016-present Emergency Medicine Residents Association