Starting year two for Rory Finn!

Hello everyone! My name is Rory Finn. It is an honor to be given the opportunity to prolong my internship for at least another 6 months. I look forward to working with everyone to continue making this community the loving and accepting family that we all know and cherish.

I graduated from Saint Joseph Regional High School in Montvale, New Jersey in 2019. Throughout all four years at SJR, I was an active member of the Marist Community, visiting Esopus at every chance I could. My Encounter, along with numerous retreats and summer camps have been some



of the fondest memories that I have made to this day. I still talk to many of my friends that I have met at Esopus regularly and cannot wait to see them back Home every time I visit. My passion to help others and the opportunities that this community provides me made it an easy decision to become a Marist Young Adult once I graduated high school.

I am currently a graduate student at Binghamton University, in Binghamton, New York. I graduated last May with a computer engineering degree. I am taking advantage of the 4+1 program that is offered for a Master of Science degree. I aspire to pursue a career in cybersecurity and am focusing on Data Assurance as my graduate specialization.

Matt Fallon has decided that he would like to reinstate the practice of having staggered interns. The purpose of this is so that one intern already has 6 months of experience by the time the new intern is hired. The hope is that this tactic will make work and events run smoother than a team of interns with no experience. Since I had a great experience the past year, I was extremely happy to help bring back this practice. As an intern, I have sharpened numerous skills such as public speaking, optimizing work completion with a team of various amounts of people, leading events, and managing my school life with exterior work. Throughout the next few months, I plan on continuing to do my best at enriching the environment for everyone in the Marist Family.

I am excited to continue being involved in the Marist USA Province and all the events throughout the year. I hope to meet as many people as possible and to contribute to the family aspect of our Marist Community. I am extremely grateful for this opportunity, and I cannot wait to put in the work to continue helping our family thrive.