

## FULTON BANK EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

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### Parth Patel



Parth Patel is making the most out of his experience at Fulton Bank. As a recipient of the Fulton Bank Diversity Scholarship in 2019, Parth went on to graduate from the University of Delaware with a degree in Computer Science in 2022.

Prior to graduation, he served as a seasonal teller for Fulton Bank for more than three years before joining the Bank's IT Management Trainee program. He had the opportunity to work on the Nautilus system upgrade during his first rotation with the Identity Access Management team, while creating access and program groups for new hires. His second rotation in Protection Services exposed him to a different side of technology focused on the physical security of bank from cameras to security guards to badge security.

Parth also has a passion for financial literacy as evident by his decision to teach a Junior Achievement class at Fulton Bank. Since then, he's counseled friends and others about insurance, savings, retirement and investments for fun – but hopes to become an on-the-job mentor someday.

When asked what he loves most about Fulton, Parth cites the company's culture as its top perk. "It's an incredible culture where managers genuinely support your growth and do all they can to help you succeed. Personal growth doesn't just matter – it's encouraged, which makes for a wholly rewarding experience."

He hopes to continue with Fulton as a full-time employee in the IT department.



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### Amanda Gonzalez-Diaz



Amanda Gonzalez-Diaz moved to the U.S. from Cuba as a child. As a first-generation college student, she received the Fulton Bank Diversity scholarship in 2018.

Amanda actually joined the Fulton team during her college years as a bank teller giving her the opportunity to help fund her education, while learning the basics of the business. Upon graduating from Kutztown University in May 2022 with a degree in marketing, Fulton Bank hired Amanda as a Traditional Management trainee. She completed her first rotation with the retail/small business e-strategy team during the summer of 2022 before playing a key role in Fulton's partnership with the United Way of York County to help manage their annual fundraising campaign.

"The United Way campaign project has been so fulfilling. This experience has not only enabled me to leverage my marketing degree, but it's provided me with an opportunity to have a genuine impact on the lives of others," said Amanda.

In addition to her work at Fulton Bank, Amanda also runs her own beauty business where she applies her on-the-job training, marketing and management experience.

Amanda's favorite part of working at Fulton is the company's commitment to community, diversity and inclusion, and its focus on the well-being of ALL employees.

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### Jagat Pandya



Jagat Pandya is a natural mentor, particularly when it comes to finances. Born in India, he moved to the U.S. as a child. Prior to embarking on the college experience, Jagat served as a military reservist for six years.

He started his career at Fulton Bank as a Help Desk intern through the military internship program, before graduating from Penn State University in 2022 with a bachelor's degree in Security and Risk Analysis.

Following his graduation, Fulton invited Jagat to join the Traditional Management Trainee Program. His first trainee rotation was on the SharePoint team working on the Hub, and he was quickly hired as full-time Associate Information Security Analyst with Information Security.

Jagat looks forward to building a career at Fulton. "I've been so impressed by Fulton's diverse culture, strong training and development programs and peer and manager support."

A natural student and curious observer, Jagat is excited about learning, knowledge and finances – all passions he's had an opportunity to pursue on the job at Fulton.