

social justice honors dinner

Columbia Law School
Social Justice Initiatives
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Welcome

Ellen Chapnick
Dean for Social Justice Initiatives

Greetings

Susan Lindenauer
(Title?)

Introduction

Ellen Chapnick

Keynote Address

Camilla Taylor
National Marriage Project Director, Senior Staff Attorney
Lambda Legal

Student Awards

Social Justice Initiatives Staff

Special Awards Presentation

New Student Initiative of the Year

Outstanding Public Interest Faculty / Administrator of the Year

Peer of the Year

Joseph Haaf Award for Excellence in Pro Bono Service

Ellen P. Chapnick 'Make It So' Award

Outstanding Public Interest Student of the Year

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

The following 185 students have performed at least 75 hours of pro bono service since their first day at Columbia Law School:

Mae Ackerman-Brimberg Class of 2012	104 pro bono hours Correctional Association of New York, Women in Prison Project Juvenile Regional Services
Jorge Aguilar Class of 2012	216 pro bono hours U.S. Department of Justice, Criminal Division
John Albanese Class of 2012	77 pro bono hours High School Law Institute Wisconsin Judicare
Charles Alvarez Class of 2013	228 pro bono hours The Door's Legal Services Center Election Protection Rightslink African Services Committee
Ngozi Anidi Class of 2013	100 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York
Jacquelyn Arcati Class of 2012	300 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York
Julia Baine Class of 2012	185 pro bono hours U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division
Gabriella Barbosa Class of 2013	115 pro bono hours Navajo Nation Department of Justice Sanctuary for Families
Sam Baris Class of 2012	80 pro bono hours U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Southern District of New York
Amanda Barnett Class of 2012	80 pro bono hours African Services Committee
Benjamin Barron Class of 2012	230 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, District of Texas
Kevin Begley Class of 2012	400 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, District of Columbia
Amanda Bell Class of 2012	114 pro bono hours The Door's Legal Services Center Jailhouse Lawyer's Manual Rightslink

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

Rachel Bennek Class of 2013	93 pro bono hours Children's Rights Sanctuary for Families
Branden Berns Class of 2012	135 pro bono hours U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission
Robert Bernstein Class of 2013	380 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, District of Columbia
Mark Bierdz Class of 2012	110 pro bono hours Youth Represent STEPS to End Family Violence
Barbara Bijelic Class of 2012	75 pro bono hours Earthjustice, International Program International Bridges to Justice, Cambodia Program
Derek Borchardt Class of 2012	99 pro bono hours Legal Aid Society Bronx Defenders
Julie Braker Class of 2013	81 pro bono hours Las Americas Immigrant Advocacy Center Legal Aid Society, Immigrant Law Unit Courtroom Advocates Project African Services Committee
Catherine Bratic Class of 2013	135 pro bono hours African Services Committee U.S. Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit
Daniel Bregman Class of 2013	172 pro bono hours Maryland Court of Appeals Open Society Institute, Justice Initiative
Matthew Bridge Class of 2013	306 pro bono hours Queens County District Attorney's Office U.S. Attorney's Office, Eastern District of New York Sanctuary for Families STEPS to End Family Violence
Nathan Brownback Class of 2012	76 pro bono hours Legal Outreach High School Law Institute
Damian Caputo Class of 2012	144 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

Angelica Cesario Class of 2013	150 pro bono hours Puerto Rican Legal Defense and Education Fund
Monica Chang Class of 2012	150 pro bono hours U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission
Yuwoon Choi Class of 2012	439 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, New Jersey Asian American Legal Defense Fund
Angela Chung Class of 2012	215 pro bono hours End Child Prostitution in Asian Tourism No Peace Without Justice
Tess Cohen Class of 2012	164 pro bono hours Law Office of Zachary Margulis-Ohnuma High School Law Institute
Amy Conners Class of 2013	75 pro bono hours U.S. Department of Education, Office of Civil Rights
Laura Corbin Class of 2012	89 pro bono hours LawHelp Unemployment Action Center California Appellate Project
James Corcoran Class of 2012	80 pro bono hours Suffolk County District Court
Jade Craig Class of 2012	104 pro bono hours Fair Housing Justice Center Rightslink
Jeffrey Crough Class of 2013	80 pro bono hours Navajo Nation Department of Justice Legal Outreach
Alan Davidson Class of 2012	80 pro bono hours Israel Law Center
Blake Davis Class of 2013	76 pro bono hours Public Counsel Early Care and Education Project
Andrew Degner Class of 2012	336 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Central District of California

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

Shayna Dickstein Class of 2012	312 pro bono hours Jailhouse Lawyer's Manual Miami-Dade Public Defender Manhattan District Attorney's Office Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office
Adam DiClemente Class of 2013	480 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Western District of North Carolina
Philip Dimola Class of 2013	160 pro bono hours New York State Supreme Court, Appellate Division
Katie Donohue Class of 2012	140 pro bono hours Kings County District Attorney's Office
Frederick Dumas Class of 2012	248 pro bono hours U.S. Attorney's Office, District of Connecticut
Aymeric Dumoulin Class of 2012	150 pro bono hours U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission
Larissa Eltsefon Class of 2013	80 pro bono hours International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia Battered Immigrant Women Project
Chih-I Fang Class of 2012	120 pro bono hours The Door's Legal Services Center
Nona Farahnik Class of 2012	168 pro bono hours Los Angeles Superior Court
Bobak Fatemizadeh Class of 2012	200 pro bono hours U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Southern District of Texas
Kaitlyn Ferguson Class of 2012	84 pro bono hours Westside SRO Law Project
Jennifer Fernandez Class of 2013	108 pro bono hours California Appellate Project High School Law Institute Miami-Dade Public Defender
Michael Fernandez Class of 2012	495 pro bono hours U.S. Court of Appeals, Third Circuit New York State Supreme Court Office of the City Attorney of Miami Jailhouse Lawyer's Manual
Stephanie Fine Class of 2013	400 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Northern District of Illinois

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

Moshe Frank Class of 2013	290 pro bono hours New York State Supreme Court
Matthew Fleming Class of 2012	330 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Northern District of California
Wendy Francois Class of 2012	81 pro bono hours Legal Services of Greater Miami Florida Immigrant Advocacy Center High School Law Institute
Devin Freedman Class of 2012	400 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York
Jessica Frey Class of 2012	110 pro bono hours City Bar Justice Center, Homeless Advocacy Courtroom Advocates Project Rightslink Battered Immigrant Women's Project
Ashley Fry Class of 2012	216 pro bono hours Opportunity Agenda Legal Outreach
Leora Gabry Class of 2012	130 pro bono hours New York Legal Assistance Group Legal Aid Society, Juvenile Rights
Salvatore Gambino Class of 2012	400 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York
Tulsi Gaonkar Class of 2012	365 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York Sanctuary for Families, Immigration Intervention Project
Abiel Garcia Class of 2012	200 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Texas
Caitlin Giaimo Class of 2013	98 pro bono hours Courtroom Advocates Project Capital Appeals Project
Alexandra Golden Class of 2013	112 pro bono hours Office of the White House Counsel
James Goldfeier Class of 2012	344 pro bono hours New York State Supreme Court
Keith Goodwin Class of 2013	75 pro bono hours U.S. Attorney's Office, Southern District of California

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

Garrett Gorlitsky Class of 2013	400 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York
Rohan Grey Class of 2014	80 pro bono hours Juvenile Justice Project of Louisiana Legal Outreach
Tanya Hajjar Class of 2012	256 pro bono hours New Jersey Judiciary
Jessica Hallett Class of 2012	96 pro bono hours Sanctuary for Families, Immigrant Intervention Project Jailhouse Lawyer's Manual Greater New Orleans Fair Housing Action Commission
Jocelyn Hanamirian Class of 2012	210 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania
Brian Haroldson Class of 2012	185 pro bono hours U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission
Christopher Hazlehurst Class of 2012	80 pro bono hours Legal Outreach
Justin Hebenstreit Class of 2013	150 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Middle District of Louisiana
Kristian Herrmann Class of 2012	263 pro bono hours Office of the Pennsylvania Attorney General
Jason Hipp Class of 2013	194 pro bono hours DNA People's Legal Services New York City Law Department
Makiko Hiromi Class of 2012	174 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York Total Life Choices
Shouan Ho Class of 2012	112 pro bono hours U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission
Michael Homer Class of 2012	200 pro bono hours Legal Outreach
Gregory Howling Class of 2012	81 pro bono hours Bankruptcy Assistance Project California Appellate Project

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

Maren Hulden
Class of 2012

119 pro bono hours
High School Law Institute
New York Charter School Association
Wisconsin Judicare

FeiFei Jiang
Class of 2014

81 pro bono hours
Juvenile Justice Project of Louisiana
High School Law Institute

Andrea Johnson
Class of 2012

331 pro bono hours
Davis Polk Asylum Workshop
DNA People's Legal Services
Columbia Law School Sexuality and Gender Clinic
Sanctuary for Families, Immigration Intervention Project
Wisconsin Judicare
Battered Immigrant Women Project

Jacob Johnston
Class of 2012

200 pro bono hours
Human Rights Watch, International Justice Program

Dan Karmel
Class of 2012

400 pro bono hours
U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York

Maureen Kellett
Class of 2012

270 pro bono hours
U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Michigan

Alexandra Kelly
Class of 2012

120 pro bono hours
Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
National Immigration Law Center

Margarita Kelrikh
Class of 2013

75 pro bono hours
U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission
Legal Outreach

Thomas Kessler
Class of 2013

160 pro bono hours
U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York

Satyam Khanna
Class of 2012

350 pro bono hours
Public Defender, Eastern District of Missouri

Regina Kim
Class of 2012

441 pro bono hours
U.S. Magistrate Judge, Southern District of New York

Glenn Kimball
Class of 2012

280 pro bono hours
U.S. Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit

James Kirby
Class of 2012

324 pro bono hours
El Paso County Combined Courts Department

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

Andrew Kirchner Class of 2013	91 pro bono hours U.S. Department of Justice, Environmental and Natural Resources Division
Andrew Klugman Class of 2012	395 pro bono hours Kings County District Attorney's Office
Matthew Kokot Class of 2012	312 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York
Jeong-Mo Koo Class of 2012	350 pro bono hours Legal Aid Society
Benjamin Kopelman Class of 2012	150 pro bono hours Kings County Supreme Court
Evan Kreiner Class of 2012	80 pro bono hours Legal Outreach
Wen Wei Lai Class of 2012	80 pro bono hours International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia
Carla LaRoche Class of 2012	99 pro bono hours LAMP for Haiti Foundation Sanctuary for Families, Battered Immigrant Women's Project Haitian TPS Assistance
Angela Lee Class of 2014	86 pro bono hours American Civil Liberties Union Legal Outreach
Joyce Lee Class of 2012	109 pro bono hours United Nations, High Commission for Refugees United Nations, Office of Legal Affairs
Zhuo Jun Lim Class of 2012	75 pro bono hours High School Law Institute
Shelly Lin Class of 2012	120 pro bono hours U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission
Andrea Lo Class of 2012	79 pro bono hours Davis Polk Asylum Workshop African Services Committee Iraqi Refugee Assistance Project
Stuart Lombardi Class of 2012	300 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

Oscar Lopez Class of 2013	131 pro bono hours Wisconsin Judicare Community Lawyers, Inc. High School Law Institute
John Love Class of 2013	112 pro bono hours Office of the Tennessee State Attorney General
Tamar Lusztig Class of 2012	400 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York New York Legal Assistance Group, Total Life Choices
Jane Mackie Class of 2012	250 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Michigan
Sayoni Maitra Class of 2013	90 pro bono hours Iraqi Refugee Assistance Project
Adam Mandelsberg Class of 2013	76 pro bono hours U.S. Department of Justice, Office of the Solicitor General
Maggie Maurone Class of 2013	95 pro bono hours Legal Aid Society
Bridget McDevitt Class of 2012	100 pro bono hours Texas Defender Service Jailhouse Lawyer's Manual
Matthew McDonald Class of 2013	80 pro bono hours Federal Trade Commission
Matthew McElroy Class of 2012	350 pro bono hours Superior Court of Pennsylvania
Aerin Miller Class of 2012	315 pro bono hours California State Appellate Court
Elise Minter Class of 2012	370 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, District of Connecticut High School Law Institute
Lakshmi Mohandas Class of 2012	85 pro bono hours New York Historical Society, Office of the General Counsel Metropolitan Museum of Art
Katherine Moore Class of 2012	272 pro bono hours Brooklyn Family Defense Project Battered Immigrant Women Project Jailhouse Lawyer's Manual Westside SRO Law Project

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

David Morales
Class of 2012

258 pro bono hours
LatinoJustice
Paso Del Norte
Congressional Black Caucus
New York State Bar Association, Civil Rights Section
Legal Aid Society, Immigration Law Unit
Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund
ACLU Death Penalty Project

Elizabeth Moulton
Class of 2012

82 pro bono hours
Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft Non-Profit Incubator
Nevada Legal Services
High School Law Institute

Daniel Mulé
Class of 2013

123 pro bono hours
Westside SRO Law Project
Paso del Norte
Unemployment Action Center
Miami-Dade Public Defender
African Services Committee

Andrew Napier
Class of 2013

80 pro bono hours
New York Civil Liberties Union

Allison Neswood
Class of 2013

80 pro bono hours
Navajo Nation Department of Justice
Wisconsin Judicare

Sharon Obialo
Class of 2013

80 pro bono hours
Legal Outreach
New Orleans Workers' Center for Racial Justice

Natalie Orpett
Class of 2012

80 pro bono hours
Jenner & Block

David Ortenberg
Class of 2012

360 pro bono hours
U.S. District Court, Northern District of California

Delphine Papaud
Class of 2012

360 pro bono hours
U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York
Vale Columbia Center on Sustainable International Investment

Andrew Podolin
Class of 2012

280 pro bono hours
State of New York, Office of Court Administration

Samuel Powers
Class of 2012

80 pro bono hours
9/11 Victim Compensation Fund
Legal Outreach

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

Alessandro Presti Class of 2012	392 pro bono hours U.S. Court of Appeals, Second Circuit
Andrew Pusar Class of 2012	240 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, New Jersey
Lena Qiu Class of 2013	174 pro bono hours Wisconsin Judicare U.S. Court of International Trade
Graham Ravdin Class of 2012	400 pro bono hours U.S. Court of Appeals, Third Circuit
Zain Rehman Class of 2012	125 pro bono hours U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Eastern District of Missouri
Joseph Reich Class of 2012	320 pro bono hours U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Northern District of Ohio
Christian Reigstad Class of 2012	224 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Northern District of Ohio
Samantha Reitz Class of 2013	250 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York
Emily Rena-Dozier Class of 2013	80 pro bono hours ACLU Reproductive Freedom Project
Sarah Rosenbluth Class of 2013	107 pro bono hours U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
John Rossman Class of 2012	153 pro bono hours U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission Rightslink
Aaron Rubin Class of 2012	79 pro bono hours Resilience Advocacy Project
Briza Sanchez Class of 2012	145 pro bono hours Davis Polk Asylum Workshop U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
Faiza Sayed Class of 2012	78 pro bono hours Society for Immigrant and Refugee Rights 9/11 Victim Compensation Fund High School Law Institute

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

Mary Schindler
Class of 2012

331 pro bono hours
LawHelp
Center for Appellate Litigation
Lenox Hill, Neighborhood House
STEPS to End Family Violence
Courtroom Advocates Project

Olivia Schmid
Class of 2012

96 pro bono hours
U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Eastern District of New York

Hillary Schneller
Class of 2012

158 pro bono hours
Columbia Law School Sexuality and Gender Clinic
ACLU, Women's Rights Project
Planned Parenthood of Western Pennsylvania
The Door's Legal Services Center

Erica Selig
Class of 2012

80 pro bono hours
California Appellate Project

Peter Sheppard
Class of 2012

100 pro bono hours
Legal Outreach
Four Directions, Native Vote

Christina Shin
Class of 2012

163 pro bono hours
Human Rights Foundation

Jason Short
Class of 2012

504 pro bono hours
U.S. District Court, Southern District of Florida

Vincent Sica
Class of 2012

360 pro bono hours
U.S. District Court, District of New Jersey

Lee Silver
Class of 2012

360 pro bono hours
U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York

Ashley Simpson
Class of 2012

440 pro bono hours
U.S. Court of International Trade

Caitlin Smith
Class of 2012

164 pro bono hours
DNA People's Legal Services
Special Commissioner of Investigation for the NYC School District
Wisconsin Judicare

Deborah Sohn
Class of 2012

79 pro bono hours
Orleans Public Defenders
Open Society Institute
Jailhouse Lawyer's Manual
STEPS to End Family Violence

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

Bahrad Sokhansanj Class of 2012	81 pro bono hours Columbia Law School Environmental Law Clinic
Andra Stanley Class of 2012	181 pro bono hours U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission California Appellate Project Election Protection Resilience Advocacy Project
Sophie Staples-Vangel Class of 2012	320 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York
Yael Steiner Class of 2012	400 pro bono hours U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Eastern District of New York
Richard Stone Class of 2012	120 pro bono hours Legal Outreach
Nathan Stopper Class of 2012	81 pro bono hours Earthjustice
Robert Stratford Class of 2012	200 pro bono hours International Center for Law and Religion Studies
Ashley Sullivan Class of 2012	76 pro bono hours Capital Defender's Office Law Offices of Sean M. Maher, LLC High School Law Institute
Eric Taffet Class of 2012	400 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York
Landes Taylor Class of 2013	360 pro bono hours Sacramento County Superior Court
Jared Taylor Class of 2012	285 pro bono hours U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York
Theodore Tywang Class of 2012	120 pro bono hours Maryland Office of the Public Defender
Rebecca Visgaitis Class of 2012	144 pro bono hours New York County District Attorney's Office, Cybercrime and Identity Theft Bureau
Timothy Vogeler Class of 2013	200 pro bono hours Utah Supreme Court
Jonathan Waisnor Class of 2012	364 pro bono hours Advocates for Children Jailhouse Lawyer's Manual

honorees for 75 or more hours of pro bono work

Kimberly Walters
Class of 2012

101 pro bono hours
National Labor Relations Board
New York State Access to Justice Program
Resolution Assistance Program
Sullivan & Cromwell
Election Protection

Jessica Weidmann
Class of 2012

130 pro bono hours
The Door's Legal Services Center
Sanctuary for Families
Juvenile Regional Services

Kathryn Gillespie Wellman
Class of 2013

102 pro bono hours
Juvenile Justice Project of Louisiana
Lawyers for Children

Samuel Wells
Class of 2012

348 pro bono hours
Project Renewal

Caroline White
Class of 2012

400 pro bono hours
U.S. District Court, Northern District of California

Stephanie Wolter
Class of 2012

230 pro bono hours
Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society

Qian Yang
Class of 2012

240 pro bono hours
New York State Unified Court System

Justine Young
Class of 2013

227 pro bono hours
National Center for Transgender Equality
California Appellate Project
Legal Outreach

Joy Ziegeweid
Class of 2012

197 pro bono hours
Sanctuary for Families, Immigrant Intervention Project
Immigrant Defense Project
Sanctuary for Families

Ariana Zikopoulos
Class of 2012

315 pro bono hours
Office of the Bronx District Attorney, Domestic Violence Bureau

honorees for two public interest summers

The following 69 students have spent both of their law school summers working for public interest organizations or government agencies:

Maxwell Abbott	2010	Center for Media and Democracy
	2011	United Nations Development Programme, Bureau for Development Policy, Democratic Governance Group
Mae Ackerman-Brimberg	2010	Legal Resources Centre
	2011	National Center for Youth Law
Francesca Bartolomey	2010	Kings County District Attorney's Office
	2011	U.S. Attorney's Office of New Jersey
Amanda Bell	2010	Coalition for Immokalee Workers
	2011	U.S. Department of Labor, Fair Labor Standards Division
Mark Bierdz	2010	Legal Aid Foundation of Los Angeles
	2011	Metropolitan Public Defender
Barbara Bijelic	2010	International Bridges to Justice
	2011	Earthjustice
David Casler	2010	Office of the Bronx District Attorney
	2011	U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission
Angela Chung	2010	International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda
	2011	United Nations Office of Legal Affairs
Adrian Clevenot	2010	African Services Committee
	2011	New York City Council
Tess Cohen	2010	Los Angeles District Attorney's Office
	2011	U.S. Attorney's Office of the Southern District of New York, Criminal Division
Ezra Corral	2010	Immigrant Legal Resource Center
	2011	Oxford University Press
Brianna Cummings	2010	Habeas Corpus Resource Center
	2011	Goldstein Demchak Baller Borgen & Dardarian
Aisha Davis	2010	Human Rights Advocacy Centre
	2011	Harvard Program on Humanitarian Policy and Conflict Resolution
Briana Dema	2010	National Heritage Institute
	2011	Earthjustice
Shayna Dickstein	2010	San Francisco District Attorney's Office
	2011	Los Angeles District Attorney's Office

honorees for two public interest summers

Chih-I Fang	2010	Juvenile Justice Project of Louisiana
	2011	The Door's Legal Services Center
Haben Fecadu	2010	Article 19
	2011	U.S. Department of Justice, Criminal Division, Office of Enforcement Operations
Adelle Fontanet	2010	Nevada Legal Services
	2011	IMPACT Fund
Russell Gallaro	2010	New York City Administration for Children's Services
	2011	Office of the Attorney General, New York, Antitrust Bureau
Adriana Garcia	2010	American Civil Liberties of Southern California
	2011	Hadsell Stormer Keeny Richardson & Renick
David Garfinkel	2010	U.S. Attorney's Office of the Northern District of California, Criminal Division
	2011	North Carolina Department of Justice
Sasha Graham	2010	Human Rights Advocacy Centre
	2011	Neufeld, Scheck & Brustin
Kyle Gruber	2010	Campaign for Educational Equality at Teacher's College
	2011	New York City Council
Jessica Hallett	2010	California Appellate Project
	2011	Southern Center for Human Rights
Michael Hilton	2010	Office of the Appellate Defender
	2011	North Carolina Department of Justice
Makiko Hiromi	2010	Human Rights Now
	2011	Children's Rights
Novika Ishar	2010	Wits Law Clinic at the University of Witwatersrand
	2011	Office of the Attorney General, New York, Litigation Bureau
Rodd Izadnia	2010	Center for Applied Legal Studies
	2011	Asociacion Por Los Derechos Civiles
Osasumwen Izevbigie	2010	Center for Media and Democracy
	2011	Center for Media and Democracy
John Jeffcott	2010	U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
	2011	Office of the Attorney General, Maryland
Andrea Johnson	2010	Legal Resources Centre
	2011	U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division
Anna Kentros	2010	Legal Outreach
	2011	U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission

honorees for two public interest summers

Deborah Kerzhner	2010	Staten Island Legal Services, Legal Services of New York
	2011	Office of the Attorney General, Georgia
Andrew Klugman	2010	Office of the Attorney General, Alaska
	2011	U.S. Attorney's Office, Southern District of New York, Criminal Division
Jenna Kreuger	2010	Helsinki Citizen's Assembly, Turkey Refugee Advocacy and Support Program
	2011	American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals
Akshaya Kumar	2010	International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia
	2011	United Methodist Committee on Relief
Richard Lee	2010	U.S. Attorney's Office, Eastern District of New York, Criminal Division
	2011	Kings County District Attorney's Office
Joyce Lee	2010	United Nations Office of Administration of Justice
	2011	United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
Jee Aei Lee	2010	United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
	2011	ACLU, Racial Justice Program
Andrea Lo	2010	Equality Now
	2011	Iraqi Refugee Assistance Project
Darius Longarino	2010	Yirenping, China's Northwest University of Political Science and Law
	2011	The Door's Legal Services Center
Michael Mathai	2010	International Development Law Organization, Community Land Titling Initiative
	2011	Human Rights Law Network
Caroline McDermott	2010	New York State Division of Human Rights
	2011	Children's Rights
Bridget McDevitt	2010	Texas Defender Service
	2011	Legal Aid Society, Criminal Defense Division
Laiza Melena	2010	U.S. Department of Justice, Environment and Natural Resources Division
	2011	Senate Committee on the Judiciary
Alison Moe	2010	Port Authority of New York and New Jersey
	2011	New York City Law Department
Katherine Moore	2010	Lansner Kubitschek Schaffer & Zuccardy
	2011	Sanctuary for Families
David Morales	2010	Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund
	2011	Southern Poverty Law Center

honorees for two public interest summers

Janine Morna	2010	Center for Constitutional Rights
	2011	Interights
Ryan Ponte	2010	New York State Banking Department, Criminal Investigations Bureau
	2011	New York City Department of Investigation
Jasmine Rowe	2010	Queens County District Attorney's Office
	2011	Columbia Law School National State Attorneys General Program
Ajay Saini	2010	PRS Legislative Research
	2011	Brooklyn Legal Services Corporation
Nana Ama Sarfo	2010	International Federation of Women Lawyers
	2011	Thirteen/WNET
Faiza Sayed	2010	Children's Law Center of Los Angeles
	2011	American Civil Liberties Union, Immigrant's Rights Project
Mary Schindler	2010	Community Legal Services
	2011	Maryland Office of the Public Defender
Erica Selig	2010	Human Rights Law Network
	2011	Orleans Public Defenders
Paul Smith	2010	American Civil Liberties Union of North Carolina
	2011	Patterson Harkavy
Kurt Steinhouse	2010	Port Authority of New York and New Jersey
	2011	Port Authority of New York and New Jersey
Ashley Sullivan	2010	Northern Virginia Capital Defender Office
	2011	Colorado State Public Defender
Krishna Sutaria	2010	Catholic Charities, Immigrant and Refugee Department
	2011	United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
Ariel Toft	2010	Santa Clara County Public Defender's Office
	2011	Federal Public Defender, Northern District of California
Matthew Tynan	2010	Office of the Attorney General, Washington State, Medical Fraud
	2011	Office of the Attorney General, California, Antitrust Division
Neal Ubriani	2010	Brennan Center for Justice
	2011	NAACP Legal Defense Fund
Alex Washington	2010	Columbia Law School, Center for Institutional and Social Change
	2011	East Bay Community Law Center
Jessica Weidmann	2010	Legal Resources Centre
	2011	South Brooklyn Legal Services

honorees for two public interest summers

Jessica Wentz	2010	Columbia Law School, Center for Law and Climate Change
	2011	Earthjustice
Courtney Wilson	2010	Office of the Georgia Capital Defender
	2011	Federal Defender Program
Ross Wolfarth	2010	Center for Media and Democracy
	2011	Columbia Law School, Center for Law and Climate Change
Stephanie Wolter	2010	Helsinki Citizens' Assembly, Refugee Advocacy and Support Program
	2011	African Services Committee
Joanna Wright	2010	AIRE Centre
	2011	American Civil Liberties Union, National Prison Project
Joy Ziegeweid	2010	Sanctuary for Families, Center for Battered Women's Legal Services
	2011	Lansner Kubitschek Schaffer

honorees for post-graduate employment in public interest

The following students are strongly committed to working at public interest organizations or government agencies immediately after graduation:

Maxwell Abbott	Anna Kentros	Jessica Weidmann
Francesca Bartolomey	Fatimargentina Lacayo	Jessica Wentz
Amanda Bell	Caroline McDermott	Stephanie Wolter
Mark Bierdz	Bridget McDevitt	Joanna Wright
Barbara Bijelic	Alison Moe	Joy Ziegeweid
Candice Cho	Katherine Moore	
Angela Chung	David Morales	
Tess Cohen	Molly Schindler	
Jade Craig	Hillary Schneller	
Brianna Cummings	Erica Selig	
Aisha Davis	Caitlin Smith	
Katie Donohue	Sarah Steinfeld	
Haben Fecadu	David Stoopler	
Adriana Garcia	Ashley Sullivan	
Jessica Hallett	Ariel Toft	
Makiko Hiromi	Matthew Tynan	
Maren Hulden	Kimberly Walters	
Andrea Johnson	Alex Washington	

honorees for public interest philanthropy

The Philanthropy Awards are bestowed upon the following students with respect and appreciation for their leadership of efforts to raise funds for public interest legal work by their fellow students and/or grassroots legal organizations.

Dean's Cup

Public Interest Law Foundation
(Auction Chairs)

Public Interest Law Foundation
(Dinner Chairs)

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