YLS Public Interest Fellowships 2021-2025 Summary of Awards to YLS Applicants*

Since 2021, 94% of graduating JDs who applied for YLS PI Fellowships through the common application were awarded a YLS-funded fellowship.

FELLOWSHIP YEAR	YLS AWARDED FELLOWSHIP APPLICANTS**				YLS AWARDED FELLOWSHIP AWARDS**				OTHER REPORTED FELLOWSHIP AWARDS***
	J.D.	J.D. Alumni	LLM/JSD	Total	J.D.	J.D. Alumni	LLM/JSD	Total	Total
2025-2026	20	7	4	31	20	7	3	30	12
2024-2025	15	5	5	25	15	3	4	22	18
2023-2024	23	6	3	32	21	6	3	30	21
2022-2023	26	7	9	42	24	4	2	30	16
2021-2022^	36	12	1	49	30	9	1	40	17

^{*}Based on fellowships reported to CDO

^{**} Includes all fellowships on the YLS PI Common Application: Arthur Liman Public Interest Fellowship, Gruber Fellowship in Global Justice and Women's Rights, Heyman Federal Public Service Fellowship Program, Robert L. Bernstein Fellowship in International Human Rights, Robina Foundation Human Rights Fellowship, YLS Public Interest Fellowship, and Yale Law Journal Fellowship.

^{***} Includes fellowships awarded by YLS but not on the Common Application (Tom and Andi Bernstein Fellowship for Public Service, Information Society Project Fellowship, International Court of Justice Fellowship, David Nierenberg '78 International Refuge Assistant Project Fellowship (awarded in 2023-24 only), and Permanent Court of Arbitration Fellowship) along with externally awarded fellowships (e.g., Skadden, Equal Justice Works).

[^] For 2021-2022, the YLS Awarded category includes award data for 3 full-term Mary A. McCarthy Memorial Fund Postgraduate fellows.