Yale Law School Public Interest Fellowship Recipients

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Joshua Blecher-Cohen ’20 – ACLU of Illinois, Chicago, IL

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Elise Grifka Wander ’19 – Ohio Public Defender’s Office, Columbus, OH

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Mary Ella Simmons ’20 – Orleans Public Defenders, New Orleans, LA

Alexander Wang ’19 – Curtis-Liman Clinical Fellow, Yale Law School, New Haven, CT

Megan Yan ’20 – ACLU of D.C., Washington D.C.

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Hannah Hussey ’20 – New York Legal Assistance Group, New York, NY

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**Robert L. Bernstein Fellowship in International Human Rights**

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Patricia Cruz LLM ’20 – Center for Justice and International Law, Washington D.C.
Paul Rink ’19 – Our Children’s Trust, Eugene, OR

Robina Foundation Human Rights Fellowship
Tayla Lockman-Fine ‘20 – International Senior Lawyers Project, New York, NY
Abigail Pershing ‘20 – European Court of Human Rights, Strasbourg, France
Louise Michele Willocx LLM ‘19 – Special Jurisdiction for Peace, Bogota, Colombia

YLS International Court of Justice Fellowship
Idriss Fofana ‘18

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Reddy Kethireddy ‘19 – Permanent Court of Arbitration, The Hague, Netherlands

YLS Public Interest Fellowship
Rafael Bezerra Nunes JSD ‘24 – Access Now, New York, NY
Jade Ford ‘20 – Campaign Legal Center, Washington D.C.
Leanne Gale ‘20 – Capital Area Immigrants’ Rights Coalition, Washington D.C.
Rebecca Loomis ‘18 – Natural Resources Defense Council, New York, NY
Samantha Peltz ‘20 – New York City Law Department, New York, NY
Rebecca Steinberg ‘20 – Legal Aid Society, Washington D.C.

Yale Law Journal Fellowship
Alexandra Gutierrez ’18 – The Center for Investigative Reporting, Emeryville, CA
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Emily Villano ’19 – Public Justice, Washington D.C.

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Katie Haas ‘17

Connecticut Bar Foundation’s Singer Public Service Fellowship
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Equal Justice Works Fellowship
Faith Barksdale ’20 – The Innocence Project, New York, NY
Dana Bolger ’19 – A Better Balance, New York, NY
Rita Giles ’20 – Mount Sinai Medical-Legal Partnerships, New York, NY

Justice Catalyst Fellowship
James Campbell ’20 – Equally American, St. Croix, USVI
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Sarah Levine ’20 – Attorney General’s Office of D.C., Washington D.C.
Joseph Meyers ’18 – National Immigration Project of the National Lawyers Guild, Washington D.C.
Scott Stern ’20 – Greenpeace, Amsterdam, Netherlands
Zoe Tucker ’20 – UNITE HERE 11, Los Angeles, CA

Law and Liberty Fellowship – Institute of Justice
Katrin Marquez ’20

Reporters Committee Technology and First Amendment Fellowship
Mailyn Fidler ’20 – Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press, Washington D.C.

Skadden Fellowship
Esther Araya ’19 – Kids in Need of Defense, Washington D.C.
Eric Baudry ’19 – Mid-Minnesota Legal Aid, Minneapolis, MN
D’Laney Gielow ’18 – Legal Aid Chicago, Chicago, IL
Iva Velickovic ‘19 – Rocky Mountain Immigrant Advocacy Network, Westminster, CO
Jesse Williams ’20 – Legal Aid of North Carolina, Greenville, NC
Kath Xu ’20 – ACLU Women’s Rights Project, New York, NY