Yale Law School Public Interest Fellowship Recipients

Yale Law School is proud to congratulate the following law students and alumni who were awarded fellowships for 2024-2025 and 2024-2026

Fellowships Sponsored by Yale Law School

Arthur Liman Public Interest Fellowship

Ryanne Bamieh '23 - Santa Barbara Public Defender (Santa Barbara, CA) Gregory Briker '24 - Institute for Constitutional Advocacy and Protection (Washington, DC)

Nathan Cummings '23 - Shriver Center on Poverty Law (Chicago, IL) Ellie Driscoll '23 - Washington Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights and Urban Affairs (Washington, DC)

Jonathan Gibson '24 - MacArthur Justice Center, Supreme Court & Appellate Program (Washington, DC)

Charlie Jiang '24 - Asian American Legal Defense and Education Fund (AALDEF) (Boston, MA)

Zoe Kreitenberg '24 - ACLU of Massachusetts (Boston, MA) Terin Patel-Wilson '24 - NAACP Legal Defense Fund (LDF) (New York, NY)

Gruber Fellowship in Global Justice and Women's Rights

Kee Chong LLM '24 - Human Trafficking Legal Center (Washington, DC)

Heyman Federal Public Service Fellowship

Nathan Chael '24 - White House Office of Domestic Climate Policy (Washington, DC) Oluwalani Oisaghie '24 - White House Domestic Policy Counsel (Washington, DC) Brianna Yang '24 - White House Gender Policy Council (Washington, DC)

International Court of Justice Fellowship

Alaa Hachem '24 - International Court of Justice Judicial Fellowship Programme (The Hague, The Netherlands)

Robert L. Bernstein Fellowship in International Human Rights

Al Brady '24 - International Refugee Assistance Project, Climate Fellow (New York, NY)

Anuj Chand '23 - Informal Sector Service Centre (Kathmandu, Nepal) Jonathan Epps '24 - Clooney Foundation for Justice's Docket Initiative

Robina Foundation Human Rights Fellowship

Medha Damojipurapu LLM '24 - International Committee of the Red Cross and the Global Centre for the Responsibility to Protect (Geneva, Switzerland/New York, NY) Akriti Gaur JSD '27 - European Court of Human Rights (Strasbourg, France)

YLS Permanent Court of Arbitration Fellowship

YLS Public Interest Fellowship (YPIF)

Melissa Kay '24 – Earth Rights International (Washington, DC) Emma Kromm '24 – U.S. Senate Committee on the Judiciary, Office of Senator Sheldon Whitehouse (Washington, DC)

Yale Law Journal Fellowship

Sarah Baer '24 – Jane Matilda Bolin Fellow - Center for Biological Diversity
(Albuquerque, NM)

Leighton Fernando Cook '24 – Justine Wise Polier Fellow - Mexican American Legal
Defense and Educational Fund (MALDEF) (Washington, DC)

Sarah Tseggay '24 – Shirley Adelson Siegel Fellow - Law Center for Better Housing
(Chicago, IL)

Non-YLS Funded Fellowships

Contra Costa County Public Defender's Fellowship

Yixuan Liu '24 - Contra Costa County Public Defender's Office (Martinez/Richmond, CA)

Equal Justice Works Fellowship

Hannah Eichner '24 - Bread for the City (Washington, DC)

Justice Catalyst Fellowship

Ezra Ritchin '23 - Freedom Community Center (St. Louis, MO) Poonam Daryani '23 - Pregnancy Justice (New York, NY) Leah Fessler '24 - MacArthur Justice Center (St. Louis, MO)

Douglas T. Kendall Fellowship

Nargis Aslami '24 - Constitutional Accountability Center (Washington, DC)

Independence Foundation Public Interest Law Foundation Fellowship

Solveig Olson-Strom '24 - Justice at Work Pennsylvania (Philadelphia, PA)

Skadden Fellowship

Grace Choi '22 - ACLU Immigrants' Rights Project (New York, NY)
Diego Fernandez-Pages '24 - Make the Road New York (New York, NY)
Rebecca Harris '24 - National Veteran Legal Services Program (Arlington, VA)
Alexandra Johnson '24 - ACLU, LGBTQ & HIV Project (New York, NY)
Helen Malley '24 - ACLU of Alaska (Anchorage, AK)
Shyamala Ramakrishna '24 - A Better Balance (New York, NY)
Benjamin Rodgers '24 - Central West Justice Center, Seasonal & Migrant Farmworker
Project (Springfield, MA)
Isir Said '22 - CAIR Legal Defense Fund (Washington, DC)

Natural Resources Defense Council/Yale Law School Environmental Law Fellowship

Jane Jacoby '24 – Natural Resources Defense Council - Yale (New York, NY/New Haven, CT)

THIS LIST INCLUDES ALL PUBLIC INTEREST FELLOWSHIPS REPORTED TO CDO AS OF MAY 2024