Previous Gardner Fellows

2014-15

Yassamin Ansari, '14 (International Relations)
- Fellowship Placement: United Nations Executive Office of the Secretary-General
- Fellowship Mentor: Tomas Christensen, Acting Assistant Secretary-General for Policy Coordination and Strategic Planning
- Hometown: Scottsdale, Arizona
- Service interest: U.S. Foreign Policy in the Middle East, Refugee Issues and Policy, International Human Rights, International Women's Rights
- Stanford Public Service Experience: Co-Director of AMENDS (American Middle Eastern Network for Dialogue at Stanford), Student-at-Large Representative for the Stanford Daily Board of Directors, Intern for Congresswoman Nancy Pelosi, Volunteer at the Zaatari Refugee Camp, During Study Abroad in Amman, Jordan, U.S. Department of State Critical Language Scholar in Morocco, Campus Campaign Chair of Syria Deeply

Matthew Colford, '14 (Political Science, Minor in Arabic)
- Fellowship Mentor: Jeremy Weinstein, Chief of Staff
- Hometown: Palo Alto, California
- Service interest: National and international security policy
- Stanford Public Service Experience: Stanford in Government Board of Directors, American-Middle Eastern Network for Dialogue at Stanford, Haas Center Military Service as Public Service Program Student Coordinator, Center for International Security and Cooperation Research Assistant, Intern at White House Office of Intergovernmental
Affairs, Intern at Embassy of the United States of America, Rabat, Morocco

Karl Kumodzi, ’14 (Public History/Public Service, Minor in Comparative Studies in Race and Ethnicity)

- Fellowship Placement: Center for Popular Democracy
• Fellowship Mentor: Tony Perlstein, Campaigns Co-Director
• Hometown: Las Vegas, Nevada
• Service interest: Antipoverty, Economic Justice, Racial Justice, Public Policy
• Stanford /Public Service Experience: Stanford NAACP, Night Outreach Core Member and Volunteer Coordinator, Catholic Leadership Team, Stanford Project on Hunger, Community Based Research Fellow, Stanford Board of Trustees, Office of Development Student Representative, Hidden Talent Foundation Secretary and Co-Founder, Phoenix Scholars, People for the American Way Foundation, Beth Uriel House of Light

2013-14

Erica Fernandez, ’12, MA ’13, (BA Urban Studies, BA Iberian and Latin American Cultures, and MA in Education: Policy, Organization and Leadership Studies)

• Fellowship Placement: Office for Civil Rights, United States Department of Education
• Fellowship Mentor: Robert Kim, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Strategic Operations and Outreach
• Hometown: Oxnard, California
• Service interest: Education, Immigration and Environmental Justice
• Stanford experience: Frosh-Council 08-09; Ethnic-Theme Dorm Associate and four year resident in Casa Zapata; Bing Overseas Studies in Madrid; Co-President of Strategies for Ecology Education, Diversity, and Sustainability; Haas Summer Fellowship; Centro Chicano Freshman Liaison/Academic Coordinator; Jasper Ridge Biological Preserve Docent; Catholic Community at Stanford Alternative Spring Break to El Paso, Texas, Guatemala, and Arizona; Zoot Suit role; Urban Studies Honors College; Spanish interpreter for Immigration Clinic at the Stanford Law School; Raza Day Speaker; and Chicana/o and Latina/o Community Scholar Convocation Speaker.
• Other service experience: Community Organizer and Builder; Public Speaker; and Environmental, Educational and Immigration Advocate.
• Fellowship goal: to learn how to impact policy at the national level.
• Post-Fellowship plans: Attend law school and pursue public interest law career.

Ezekiel Richardson, ’13 (Human Biology, Differential Community Health)

• Fellowship Placement: Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
• Fellowship Mentor: Joshua Sharfstein, Secretary
• Hometown: Miami, Florida
• Service Interest: Child Nutrition, Food Access, School Lunch Programs, Fair Wage-Practices, Health Conscious City Planning
• Stanford Experience: Stanford NAACP Environmental Justice Chair, Junipero Dormitory Peer Health Educator, Stanford Office of Alcohol Policy and Education Intern and Advisor, Stanford Community Health Advocacy Fellow at MayView Community Health Center in Palo Alto, CA; Chief Managing Officer of Stanford African American Mentorship Program
• Other Service Experience: Assistant Orderly and Intern, HIV/Tuberculosis Ward of Port Au’ Prince, Haiti General Hospital; Intern with TiKay Haiti; Intern with Miami-Dade County Health Department
• Fellowship Goal: Understand how organizations translate new health policies and initiatives into improved health outcomes for underserved communities.
• Post Fellowship Plans: Continue to advocate for health equity while earning a medical degree and the expertise to treat communities both at the point-of-care and through community engagement.

**Alok Vaid-Menon, '13 (Feminist Studies, Comparative Studies in Race and Ethnicity, Sociology)**

- Fellowship Placement: Audre Lorde Project
- Fellowship Mentor: Irma Bajar, Program Coordinator
- Hometown: College Station, Texas
- Service interest: LGBT issues
- Stanford experience: Spoken Word Collective, Stanford Students for Queer Liberation, Stanford Labor Action Coalition, National Marriage Boycott, Stanford LGBT Resources Center
- Other service experience: Worked at Democracy Alliance, a progressive philanthropy organization in Washington DC; Gender DynamiX, a transgender activist organization in Cape Town; and Alternative Law Forum, a progressive human rights organization in Bangalore.
- Fellowship Goal: Cultivate and learn from a network of queer people of color activists.
- Post Fellowship plans: Build a new queer movement that prioritizes issues facing queer people of color including homelessness, incarceration, and police brutality.

**2012-13**

**Darren Bartlette '12 (Political Science)**

- Fellowship Placement: Vera Institute of Justice
- Fellowship Mentor: Fred Patrick, Project Director, Pathways Project
- Hometown: Harlem, New York
- Service interest: Public interest law, criminal justice, prison reform and recidivism rate reduction, housing and food security, and closing the educational achievement gap.
- Stanford Experience: Judicial Affairs Panelist; Stanford’s Mock Trial team participant; Black Pre-Law Society co-president; La Plata, Argentina Impact Abroad participant; Stanford in Washington; and Bing Overseas in Cape Town, South Africa.
- Other Service Experience: Young in Prison in Cape Town life skills coach, South Africa; U.S Department of Education Office of Innovation and Improvement intern; Bronx Defenders Office Policy and Community Development intern; AmeriCorps’ JusticeCorps member, QuestBridge intern, and East Palo Alto Youth Court coach
- Fellowship goal: Gain a greater understanding for how to alleviate the stress and struggles facing disadvantaged peoples in the United States and to become better informed on how policies affect and impact minority communities.
- Post Fellowship plans: Attend law school and pursue a career in public interest law.

**Sharada Jambulapati ’12 (International Relations)**

- Hometown: Whigham, Georgia
• Service Interest: Increasing awareness about immigrant rights, reforming federal and state immigration policies, and addressing immigration detention and mass incarceration

• Stanford experience: Stanford Immigrant Rights Project founding member and director; The Phoenix Scholars mentee development co-director; Alternative Spring Break trip participant and leader; East Palo Alto Stanford Academy tutor; Impact Abroad in India participant; research assistant, Professor Tomas Jimenez and Stanford Center for Poverty and Inequality; Bing Overseas Studies Program in Santiago; Haas Public Service Leadership Program; and Haas National Advisory Board Member

• Other service experience: American Civil Liberties Union National Prison Project and The Beat Within intern; research, Berkeley Warren Institute immigration division; and Rachel Robinson International Fellow in Quito, Ecuador

• Fellowship goal: to better understand the growing intersection between immigration and criminal justice policy, and to learn about policies and activism for immigrant rights on a national and community level

• Post Fellowship plans: Work on immigration and detention issues, and then pursue graduate studies in law or public policy

• Quote about service commitment: Growing up on a farm in Georgia, I witnessed the complex web of dependence, racial backlash, and willful ignorance of immigrants. Due to intolerance and active discrimination, immigrants and their families, like my family, are routinely denied benefits and protections. I want to become a part of the solutions necessary to break social inequities in our immigration and criminal justice systems.

Mia Newman '12 (International Relations)

• Fellowship Placement: Humanity United (San Francisco)
• Fellowship Mentor: Randy Newcomb, President and CEO
• Hometown: San Francisco, California
• Service interest: International human rights, civilian protection, conflict prevention, post-conflict reconstruction
• Stanford experience: Stanford STAND co-president, Haas Center
• African Service Fellow, Bing Overseas Program in Paris
• Other service experience: Survivors Fund intern in Kigali,
• Rwanda, Virtual Tribunal program intern, UC Berkeley; San Francisco Volunteer Legal Services Program intern; and Darfuri Voices project research assistant
• Fellowship goal: to experience foreign policy advocacy and policy-making on international conflict
• Post-Fellowship plans: Continue work on foreign policy issues either within or on the periphery of government before pursuing graduate degree

Photo above: (l-r) Darren Bartlette, Mia Newman and Sharada Jambulapati

See the 2012-13 UC Berkeley Gardner Fellows.

2011-2012

Pooya Yogesh Bakhai '11 (Human Biology)

• Fellowship Placement: UN Women (New York)
Fellowship Mentor: Nazneen Damji, Programme Manager, Gender Equality and HIV/AIDS
Hometown: Buffalo, NY
Service interests: international women's rights, women's health, global health, and community health in underserved areas
Stanford experience: honors thesis on female adolescent sexual health in Chile; founder and president of Global Health Volunteers; patient advocate and interpreter at Arbor Free Clinic; teaching assistant "Principles and Practice of Medical Humanitarianism;" writer and events coordinator Stanford Service in Global Health Journal; student researcher Huntington's Disease Outreach Project for Education at Stanford; Bing Overseas Studies Program in Santiago Chile; participant in the Community Health Program in Oaxaca, Mexico.
Other service experience: intern at Muni Seva Ashram in Goraj, India (taught sexual health education curriculum to village women), participant in reconstructive surgery mission trip Interplast South
Fellowship goal: to learn how to transform academic curiosity and personal drive into social change, how to mobilize national governments, NGOs and private organizations to fight for gender equality in all sectors, how to frame global human rights issues, and how to optimally address complex women's rights violations in developing nations struggling for economic and/or political security.
Post fellowship plans: pursue medical and public health degrees, work as a physician influencing policy related to women's health and reproductive rights, become a national leader in the women's health and women's rights fields

"I am a feminist and a public servant dedicated to improving the lives of women worldwide. My experiences as an Indian woman, Stanford student, daughter, and global health worker have not only opened my eyes to the brutalities inflicted upon women around the world, but also have fueled within me an irrepressible desire to fight gender inequality. As future physician and public health worker, I hope to employ both on-the-ground and large-scale policy approaches to influence women's rights in the United States and throughout the world."

Albert Gilbert ‘11 (Sociology; MA Sociology)

- fellowship placement: Civil Rights Division, United States Department of Justice (Washington DC)
- fellowship mentors: Roy Austin, Deputy Assistant Attorney General
- hometown: Oakland, CA
- service interests: reducing rates of minority prison incarceration; school-to-prison pipeline; juvenile justice; civil rights; criminal justice policy reform; improving the services provided to the formerly incarcerated; and reducing the role race plays in death penalty cases.
- Stanford experience: co-president of the Black Pre-Law Society; research assistant for Stanford Law School's Criminal Justice Center, for Stanford Law Professor Rick Ranks, and for the Mind, Culture, and Society Psychology Lab; Stanford's Mock Trial team participant; Bing Overseas Studies Program in Oxford
- other service experience: East Palo Alto Youth Court; Americorps' Justice Corps program; and research assistant for Harvard Law School's Charles Hamilton Houston Institute, UC Berkeley Law School's Thelton E. Henderson Center
- fellowship goal: to better understand the root causes and resulting consequences of racial disparities in the criminal justice system; and how policies are formulated and can reduce those disparities.
- post-fellowship plans: to spend time working directly on issues related to the criminal justice system, followed by law school.
"Our justice system should represent a social contract with all members of our society for equal access, representation and treatment if it is to receive the full support and respect of all who are subject to it. As that contract is implemented today, it does not afford all people in our society with the same protection under the rule of law. The impact of this disparity has devastating impacts on the lives of many reflected in crime, economic drain, and waste of human capital. I am committed to improving the system and addressing root causes of the disparity."

Andy Parker ‘11 (Political Science)

- fellowship placement: White House Office of Public Engagement (Washington DC)
- fellowship mentor: Jon Carson, Director
- hometown: Corvallis, OR
- service interest: civic engagement and political participation; voter registration; electoral reform
- Stanford Experience: Vice President and Chief of Staff of the Associated Students of Stanford University; President of the Stanford Democrats; Research Assistant to Professors Gary Segura and Mariano-Florentino Cuellar; member of the Stanford ACLU and Stanford Students for Barack Obama.
- other service experience: Assistant to the Executive Director of the National Lawyers Guild; Voter Engagement intern for the campaign of Senator Jeff Merkley (D-OR).
- fellowship goal: to learn how individuals interact with political institutions and the political process, and to explore methods of facilitating and encouraging this type of engagement
- post-fellowship plans: Continue working in the area of civic engagement for an additional year or two, and then pursue graduate studies in law or public policy

"My experience with voter registration drives and campaign efforts has shown me that voting, a core component of our democracy, is difficult or even inaccessible for millions of Americans. I will work to lower barriers and remove obstacles in the registration and voting processes, thereby increasing access and promoting citizen engagement in the political process."

2010-2011

Stanford University

Kevan Christensen ‘10 (Earth Systems/International Relations)
Placement: State Department
Mentor: Steve Radelet, Senior Advisor on Development, Office of Secretary of State Hillary Clinton

Paras Fatemi ‘10 (Chemistry)
Placement: Office of National Coordinator for Health Information Technology, Health and Human Services
Mentors: David Blumenthal, MD, MPP; Aaron McKethan, Director, Beacon Community Project

Bethany Woolman ‘10 (Comparative Studies in Race and Ethnicity)
Placement: ACLU of Northern California
Mentor: Abdi Soltani, Executive Director

UCBerkeley
Christina Eloisa Markle ’10 (Anthropology)
Placement: Corporation for National and Community Service
Mentor: James Siegel, Chief of Staff

Bobby Rosen ’10 (Political Economy)
Placement: White House Office of Science and Technology Policy
Mentor: Tom Kalil, Deputy Director for Policy

Pedro Spivakovsky-Gonzalez ’10 (Economics/Political Economy)
Placement: White House Council of Economic Advisers
Mentor: Jay Shambaugh, Chief Economist

2009-2010

Stanford University

Maggie Chen (Comparative Studies in Race and Ethnicity/Human Biology)
Placement: White House Council on Women and Girls, Washington, DC
Mentor: Tina Tchen, Executive Director, White House Council on Women and Girls; Director, White House Office of Public Engagement

Mondaire Jones (Political Science)
Placement: Office of Legal Policy, US Department of Justice, Washington, DC
Mentor: Spencer Overton, Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General

Seth Silverman (Global Politics of Health, Human Rights, and the Environment; MS ’09, Civil and Environmental Engineering)
Placement: White House Council on Environmental Quality, Washington, DC
Mentors: Jason E. Bordoff, Associate Director for Energy and Climate Change; Maria Blair, Deputy Associate Director for Climate Change Adaptation

UC Berkeley

Jenny Cooper (Geography)
Placement: Environmental Defense Fund
Mentor: Jennifer A. Haverkamp, Managing Director for International Policy & Negotiations, Environmental Defense Fund

Eyal Matalon (Environmental Sciences)
Placement: The Pacific Institute in Oakland
Mentor: Swati Prakash, Program Director, with Catalina Garzon and Eli Moore
Basant Singh Sanghera (History/Political Science)
Placement: South and Central Asian Affairs Bureau (SCA), Department of State
Mentor: Patricia Mahoney, Director of India, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Bhutan, and Maldives Affairs

2008-2009

Stanford University

Elizabeth Kersten (Human Biology)
Placement: Division of Global Health Equity, Brigham & Women's Hospital/Partners in Health, Boston, MA
Mentor: Steve Kadish, Director for Global Health Programs

Olga Medina (Comparative Studies in Race and Ethnicity/Political Science)
Placement: National Council of La Raza, Washington, DC
Mentor: Cecilia Munoz, Senior Vice President

Debbie Warshawsky (Urban Studies)
Placement: Office of Mayor, Newark, NJ
Mentor: Cory Booker, Mayor

UC Berkeley

Christina Hisel (Psychology/Sociology)
Placement: Mercy Corps Social Innovations Team
Mentors: David Lehr, Program Advisor; Karen Doyle Grossman, Director of Social Innovations

Sasha Pippenger (Peace and Conflict Studies)
Placement: International Rescue Committee, New York, NY
Mentor: Anne Richard, Vice President of Government Relations and Advocacy

2007-2008

Stanford University

Colin Burke (Public Policy, minor in Spanish)
Placement: Global Network for Neglected Tropical Diseases, Washington, DC
Mentor: Kari Stoever, Senior Program Officer

Elizabeth Centeno (International Relations/Art History)
Placement: Human Rights First, New York, NY
Mentor: Maureen Byrnes, Executive Director
Cammie Lee (International Relations; MA, Sociology)
Placement: United Nations, New York, NY
Mentor: Robert Orr, Assistant Secretary-General for Policy and Planning

UCBerkeley

Jennifer Browning (Development Studies and French)
Placement: Gender Bureau at the United Nations Development Program, New York, NY
Mentor: Winnie Byanyima, Director

Kyle Maurer (Political Science)
Placement: Senate Democratic Policy Committee, Washington, DC
Mentor: Tim Gaffaney, Research Director

Miriam Solis (Ethnic Studies and Geography)
Placement: Department of Housing Preservation and Development, New York, NY
Mentor: Shaun Donovan, Commissioner

2006-2007

Stanford University

Brian Bergmark (Human Biology)
Placement: US Department of Health and Human Services, Washington, DC
Mentor: Eileen Elias, Deputy Director

Felipe De Jesus Perez (Human Biology) Placement:
Commissioner of Health, Baltimore, MD
Mentor: Dr. Joshua M. Sharfstein, Commissioner of Health

Regan Johnson (Human Biology)
Mentor: Sally Cowal, Senior Vice President

UCBerkeley

Leslie Lang (Business Administration, Rhetoric)
Placement: World Bank, Africa Financial Sector, Washington, DC
Mentor: Anthony Thompson, Sector Manager

Leila Makarechi (Political Science, Social Welfare)
Placement: United Nations Development Program, Latin America, New York, NY
Mentor: Rebeca Grynspan, Regional Director
Tracey Ross (Anthropology, Political Science)
Placement: Office of Senator Hillary Clinton, Washington, DC
Mentor: Mildred Otero, Legislative Assistant

2005-2006

Stanford University

Katie Hill (International Relations; Economics minor)
Placement: The Acumen Fund, New York, NY
Mentor: David Kyle, Chief Investment Officer

Dung Le (Human Biology and Comparative Studies in Race and Ethnicity)
Placement: Annie E. Casey Foundation, Baltimore, MD
Mentor: Bart Lubow, Director, Program for High Risk Youth

Rita Nguyen (Human Biology)
Placement: The California Endowment, Los Angeles, CA
Mentor: Barbara Masters, Public Policy Director

UC Berkeley

Annie Bird (Peace and Conflict Studies)
Placement: International Center for Transitional Justice, New York, NY
Mentor: Marieke Wierda, Senior Associate

Michael Harrison Jones (Economics)
Placement: Executive Office of the Secretary-General of the United Nations, New York, NY
Mentor: Robert Orr, Assistant Secretary-General for Policy Coordination and Strategic Planning

Sandy Tesch (Psychology; Public Policy minor)
Placement: Youth Service America, Washington, DC
Mentor: Steven Culbertson, President and CEO

2004-2005

Stanford University

Stephen Chan (Public Policy)
Placement: The Boston Foundation, Boston, MA
Mentor: Paul Grogan, President.
Golda Philip (Cultural & Social Anthropology)
Placement: National Immigration Project, Boston, MA
Mentor: Gail Pendleton, Associate Director

Tianna Terry (Political Science)
Placement: Fannie Mae Foundation, Washington, DC
Mentor: Ellen Lazar, Senior Vice President of Housing and Community Initiatives

UC Berkeley

Thomas De Simone (Political Science, City Planning Minor)
Placement: Mayor’s Office of Economic Development, Los Angeles, CA
Mentors: Renata Simril, Deputy Mayor of Economic Development and Yolanda Chavez, Executive Director of Housing

Anna Ferrari (English, Political Economy of Industrial Societies)
Placement: Vera Institute of Justice, New York, NY
Mentor: Marta Nelson, Director of Project Greenlight

Brandon Simmons (Political Science, City and Regional Planning Minor)
Placement: American Enterprise Institute for Public Policy Research, Washington, DC
Mentor: Doug Besharov, Director of Social and Individual Responsibility Project

2003-2004

Stanford University

Tess Bridgeman (Human Biology)
Placement: The World Bank Inspection Panel, Washington, DC
Mentor: Edith Weiss Brown, Chair

Amanda Kahn (Political Science and Urban Studies)
Placement: Office of San Francisco Supervisors, San Francisco, CA
Mentor: Gloria Young, Clerk of the San Francisco Board of Supervisors

Joanna Levitt (Human Biology)
Placement: Center for International Law, Washington, DC
Mentor: Anne Perrault, Senior Attorney

UC Berkeley

Anne Bordetsky (Conservation and Resource Studies)
Placement: National Resources Defense Council, New York, NY
Mentor: John Walke, Director of Clean Air Program
Jenny Lah (History and Political Economy of Industrial Societies) Placement: United Nations Development Fund for Women, New York, NY Mentor: Barbara Adams, Head of Strategic Partnerships and Communications

Cesar Moreno Perez (History and Political Science) Placement: Congressional Hispanic Caucus, Washington, DC Mentor: Ingrid Duran, President and CEO

2002-2003

Stanford University

Heidi Boas (Feminist Studies) Placement: The Tahirih Justice Center, Falls Church, VA Mentor: Layli Miller-Muro, Executive Director


Michael Umpierre (Public Policy) Placement: Youth Law Center, Washington, DC Mentor: Mark Soler, President

UC Berkeley

Rachael Goldbrenner (Political Science, English minor) Placement: Open Society Institute, Washington, DC Mentor: Mort Halperin

Tali Horowitz (Ethics Studies) Placement: Henry Street Settlement, New York, NY Mentor: Susan Fleminger, Director, Visual Arts and Arts-in-Education Program

Chanthip Phongkhamsavath (Sociology, Education minor) Placement: Center for Policy Alternatives, Washington, DC Mentor: Carolina Zumaran-Jones, Director of Leadership Initiatives

2001-2002

Stanford University
Jennie Berry Chandra (Information Economics & Policy)
Placement: Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC
Mentor: Kathleen Abernathy, FCC Commissioner

Alicia Johnson (Public Policy)
Placement: Institute for Youth, Education & Families within the National League of Cities, Washington, D.C.
Mentor: Clifford Johnson, Executive Director

UC Berkeley

Priscilla Aguirre (Political Science)
Placement: National Council on Crime and Delinquency, Oakland, CA
Mentor: Barry Krisberg, President

Dana Kaplan (History, Ethics Studies)
Placement: The Prison Moratorium Project, New York, NY
Mentor: Kate Rhee, Director

Kori Kelley (Political Science)
Placement: Community Outreach and Youth Investment, Washington, DC
Mentor: Carrie Thornhill, Vice President

2000-2001

Stanford University

Azania Andrews (Urban Studies)
Placement: Social Venture Partners, Seattle, WA
Mentor: Paul Shoemaker, Executive Director

Oeindrila Dube (Public Policy)
Placement: World Bank and Oxfam International, Washington, DC
Mentors: Jo Ritzen, Vice President Development Policy, World Bank; Phil Twyford, Advocacy Director, Oxfam International.

Antonia Welch Powell (Latin American Studies; Spanish and Portuguese)
Placement: David and Lucile Packard Foundation; Los Altos, CA
Mentors: Sarah Clark, Director, Population Program; Don Lauro, Assistant Director, Population Program

UC Berkeley

Romi Bhatia (Political Economy of Industrial Societies)
Placement: Grameen Foundation USA, Washington, DC
Mentors: Leslie Enright, Program Officer, Practitioner Support Project; Alex Counts, President
Catherine Fernandez (Social Welfare)
Placement: The San Francisco Foundation; San Francisco, CA
Mentors: Landon Williams, Director, FAITHS Initiative; Tessa Rouveral Calleja, Associate Director, FAITHS Initiative

Charlotte Lee (Political Economy of Industrial Societies, Asian Studies)
Placement: National Endowment for the Humanities; Washington, DC
Mentor: Nancy Rogers, Director, Division of Public Programs

1999-2000

Stanford University

Anupama Menon (Anthropology, Latin American Studies minor)
Placement: Lawyers Committee for Human Rights, Washington, DC
Mentor: Elisa Massimino, Director

Elizabeth Pianca (Urban Studies)
Placement: National Trust for Historic Preservation, Washington, DC
Mentor: Constance Beaumont, Director of State and Local Policy

Carlos Romo (Public Policy and International Relations)
Placement: The Enterprise Foundation, New York, NY
Mentor: William Frey, Senior Vice President and Director of the New York Office

UC Berkeley

Anthony Solana, Jr. (Political Science and History)
Placement: Office of Los Angeles City Councilmember Nick Pacheco, Los Angeles, CA
Mentor: Lloyd Monserratt, Deputy Chief of Staff

Smriti Rana (Development Studies)
Placement: Public Citizen (Global Trade Watch), United States Students Against Sweatshops, Washington, DC
Mentor: Michelle Sforza, Research Director

Grant Harris (Political Science, Women Studies minor)
Mentor: Robert Orr, Deputy to the US Ambassador to the United Nations

1998-1999
**Stanford University**

**Eric Beerbohm** (Political Science; Ethics in Society Honors Program; MA, Philosophy)
Placement: Kenan Ethics Program, Duke University, Durham, NC
Mentors: Elizabeth Kiss, Director, Kenan Ethics Program; Debra Satz, Director, Ethics in Society Program

**Thaddeus Ferber** (Youth Development Policy)
Placement: International Youth Foundation, Takoma Park, MD
Mentor: Karen Pittman, Senior Vice President

**Marie Soller** (Human Biology)
Placement: Montana Office of Rural Health (MOHR), Bozeman, MT
Mentors: David Young, Director MORH and Area Health Education Center; Clarann Weinert, Professor, College of Nursing, Montana State University

**UCBerkeley**

**Casey Coonerty** (History)
Placement: Annie E. Casey Foundation, Baltimore, MD
Mentor: Ralph Smith, Vice President

**Dean Kawamoto** (Integrative Biology and History)
Placement: U.S. Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works, Washington, DC
Mentor: Jimmie Powell, Staff Director

**Jidan Koon** (Political Science)
Placement: Safe and Sound Campaign, Baltimore, MD
Mentors: Hathaway Ferebee, Executive Director; Selwyn Ray, Community Organizing Director

**1997-1998**

**Stanford University**

**Brian Halweil** (Earth Systems)
Placement: Worldwatch Institute, Washington, DC
Mentor: Lester Brown, President

**Felipe Merino** (American Studies)
Placement: Office of the City Manager of Hawthorne, Hawthorne, CA
Mentor: Bud Cormier, City Manager and Professor of Political Science, University of Southern California

**Keiko Suda** (Biological Sciences)
Placement: The Common Enterprise, San Antonio, TX
Mentor: Juan Sepulveda, Executive Director
UCBerkeley

Chitra Aiyar (Development Studies and Nutritional Science)
Placement: Grameen Foundation USA, Washington, DC
Mentor: Alex Counts, Executive Director

Tunua Thrash (Interdisciplinary Studies)
Placement: Greenlining Institute, San Francisco, CA
Mentor: Anthony Reese, Associate Director

Yael Warshel (Interdisciplinary Studies, Dance minor)
Placement: Harry S. Truman Research Institute for the Advancement of Peace, Jerusalem, Israel
Mentors: Edy Kaufman, Executive Director and Senior Research Associate; Gadi Wolfsfeld, Chair, Department of Communication and Associate Professor of Political Science

1996-1997

Stanford University

Solomon Greene (Anthropology and Social Sciences)
Placement: San Francisco Mayor's Office on Housing, San Francisco, CA
Mentor: Marcia Rosen, Director

Nicole Vazquez (English and Political Science)
Placement: Los Angeles Unified School District Board, Los Angeles, CA
Mentor: Vicki Castro, Board Member

UCBerkeley

Sonja Mackenzie (Interdisciplinary Studies (Illness, Culture and Social Change))
Placement: AIDS Legal Referral Panel, San Francisco, CA
Mentor: Eileen Hansen, Public Policy Director

Corina Monzon (Political Economy of Industrial Societies)
Placement: Legislative Analyst's Office, Sacramento, CA
Mentor: Marianne O'Malley, Senior Fiscal and Policy Analyst

Christopher Soares (Political Science and Economics)
Placement: Economics Department, Progressive Policy Institute, Washington, DC
Mentor: Rob Shapiro, Vice President

1995-1996
Leo Carrillo
Davina Groch Drabkin
Luz Herrera
Molly Parker Tapias
Abdi Soltani

1994-1995
Russ Calleros
Ying-Ying Goh
Rachel Maddow
Corri Tate Ravare
Ruth Teague
Mary Walther Pryor

1993-1994
Dominique Blom
Tracy Clay
Steve McCarroll
Heather Miller
Corinna Nicolaou
Alex Terman

1992-1993
Samantha Gibson
Ariane Hoy
Karen Kho
Verna Kuo
Phuong Dai Nguyen
Allen Thorpe

1991-1992
Sean Fox
Mike MacCrystall
Terrence Mulligan
Elan Nguyen
Waseem Noor

1990-1991
Dalia Dassa Kaye
Chloe Fiering Chaudhry
Olga Milsavljevic
Laura Pinkney
Srija Srinivasan
Andrew Weiss

1989-1990
Subodh Chandra
Ellen Dektar
Thomas Ginsburg
Ronni Krasnow
Gail Mackauf Mosse
Jon Weiner

1988-1989
Rudy Fuentes
David Halpert
Amanda Kemp
Gary Rosen
Steven Sherr
Linda Yeung

1987-1988
Robin Herr
Leticia Miranda
David Moguel
Lorne Needle
Meg Richman
David Weiskopf
1986-1987
Donna Anderson
Charla Britt
Elizabeth Butler Steyer
Millicent Choeh Vim
Troy Eid
Laura Jehl

1985-1986
Carole Bialek Vargas
Gerald Cacciotti
Gavin Helf
Jeremiah Ingersoll
Janet Lynch Lambert
Peter Sidebottom