## **Summer 2021 EJA Fellow:**



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**Update 1:** I am three weeks into my summer internship at Equal Justice Center and it has been such an eye-opening experience already! So far, I have been submerged in all things employment law and have been assigned various cases ranging from big construction companies underpaying or not paying their employees to sexual harassment on the job. While this experience has been rewarding, it has also been very frustrating to see how common it is for employers to take advantage of individuals due to their lack of immigration status, language barriers, or simply because they believe they can.

I am proud to be interning at an organization that gives these individuals a voice and a sense of security, and also holds corporations and contractors accountable for their actions.

I look forward to a summer filled of advocacy and continued growth and knowledge so that I may continue fighting for those who go unheard and unseen in this country.

**Update 2:** Halfway through my internship at Equal Justice Center and have already done so much including prep for a deposition, attend a pre-trial conference, and legal research for jury damages in sexual harassment cases!

**Update 3:** Nearly done with my internship at Equal Justice Center and truly enjoyed all the legal hands-on experience I have received while fighting for low-income workers.

**Entry 4:** I have finally completed my summer internship at Equal Justice Center and am so grateful for the opportunity. I learned all about employment law, pre-trial motions, negotiations, and settlements. Thank you, Equal Justice America, for this opportunity.