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#### **Alana Cho –CEPS Brown University Summer Intern, Class of 2024**

Alana was born and raised in Richland, WA. She is a rising junior at Brown University pursuing an Sc.B. in Environmental Science and an A.B. in Computer Science. While at Brown, Alana conducts research for the Rhode Island ACLU through Brown Initiative for Policy, a university think-tank, and volunteers with Providence youth for the Brown Elementary After-School Mentoring program. She also serves as a Hearing Officer on the university's Student Conduct Board. In her spare time, Alana enjoys hiking, playing tennis, and playing the piano.



#### **Helena Evans – CEPS Brown University Summer Intern, Class of 2024**

Helena was born and raised in Miami, Florida, venturing north to Providence, Rhode Island for college. Helena is studying International and Public Affairs, and Africana Studies at Brown University. This is her first summer back home from school, and she is working as a part-time summer intern with the Center for Ethics and Public Service on the Housing and Community Economic Development Project. Helena is splitting her time between CEPS and an NGO based in Sri Lanka, where she is researching domestic violence against women and children. Helena's interests are human and civil rights, and service. She hopes to use what she has learned this summer to make real change in the future.

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#### **Nora Ong – CEPS Brown University Summer Intern, Class of 2023**

Nora is from Saunderstown, Rhode Island, and is a rising senior at Brown University. She is double concentrating in Environmental Studies and Public Policy. Nora is an active undergraduate member of the Institute at Brown for Environment and Society (IBES), serving as both a teaching assistant and undergraduate peer advisor for the department. She also worked as an intern for Senator Sheldon Whitehouse (D-RI) this summer. Outside of academics, Nora is also the captain of the varsity sailing team at Brown.



#### **Elbie Seibert – CEPS Brown University Summer Intern, Class of 2023**

Elbie is a first-generation, low-income student at Brown University studying Public Health and Environmental Studies. He was born and raised in Idaho, and is passionate about advocating for equitable policies that affect the health and rights of a community. At Brown, Elbie is a Bonner Community Fellow and works with first-year undergraduates who volunteer with a wide array of local community organizations. He is also a Questbridge and Jack Kent Cooke Scholar with hopes to attend law school after finishing his senior year at Brown. In his free time, Elbie likes to rewatch old Greys Anatomy episodes and be outside as much as possible.

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# UPCOMING FALL EVENT

## CEPS Annual Lawyers In Leadership Award Luncheon

### *CIVIL RIGHTS COLLECTIVE*

Thursday, September 8, 2022

12:30pm - 2:00pm

Student Lounge

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To advance our mission, for 26 years the Center has served as an incubator and an accelerator for numerous public service initiatives, including the current Community Equity Lab, Historic Black Church Program, and Legal Profession Program. Additional initiatives encompass clinics (Children and Youth Law Clinic, Community Economic Development & Design Clinic, Community Lawyering Clinic, Environmental Justice Clinic, Health Law Clinic, and Social Enterprise Clinic), programs (Brown University Institute at Brown for Environment and Society partnership, Dartmouth College Ethics Institute Internship Program, Professional Responsibility and Ethics Program, Street Law Program, and Joint College of Arts and Sciences Program on Law, Public Policy, and Ethics), summer colloquia (UM Environmental Justice, Policy, & Science), and oral histories and documentary films (Oral History & Documentary Film Project).

Since 1996, Center faculty and staff have trained more than 1,382 graduate and undergraduate fellows and interns, and collaborated with more than 48,081 civic leaders in ethics and professionalism programs as well as anti-poverty, civil rights, environmental justice, and public health campaigns. Center faculty also have been widely cited in law journals and in the media.

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