

/ Class of 2023 Design-Your-Own Fellowship Sponsor Preferences

Equal Justice Works' Design-Your-Own Fellowship program sponsors have expressed dedicated interest in the geographic and issue areas below. The below list is neither exhaustive nor final; new sponsor preferences will be added periodically in the months and weeks preceding the application deadline of **September 13, 2022**.

Please note that many preferences will not be known until the application deadline has passed.

Equal Justice Works encourages projects and applications in **ALL geographic and issue areas** from applicants who have a passion for pursuing our nation's promise of equal justice for all.

/ NATIONWIDE:

- Accountability for police misconduct
- Agriculture/underserved farmers
- Children/youth
- Communications law
- Community/economic development
- COVID-19 pandemic related
- Criminal legal system reform
- Disability rights
- Education
- Environmental
- Fees and fines
- Food insecurity
- Gun violence
- Healthcare
- Human trafficking
- Immigrant populations
- LGBTQIA+ rights
- Medical-legal partnerships
- Mental health
- Opioid/substance use disorder
- Reproductive rights
- Restorative justice
- Small, BIPOC-led businesses
- Veterans
- Voting rights
- Women's rights

/ CALIFORNIA (STATEWIDE):

- Racial justice
- Social justice
- Systemic community economic development issues
- Criminal legal system reform
- Education
- Environment
- Human rights

BAY AREA

- Racial justice
- Criminal legal system reform

LOS ANGELES

- Racial justice
- Criminal legal system reform
- Children/youth

SAN DIEGO

- Children/youth

SILICON VALLEY

- Racial justice
- Criminal legal system reform
- Healthcare

/ CONNECTICUT:

BRIDGEPORT

- All issue areas

FAIRFIELD

- All issue areas

/ GEORGIA:

ATLANTA

- Racial justice
- Veterans
- Children/youth
- Addressing and preventing domestic violence

/ ILLINOIS (STATEWIDE):

- Food insecurity
- Agriculture; underserved farmers

CHICAGO

- Racial justice
- LGBTQIA+ rights
- Healthcare/medical-legal partnerships
- Children/youth
- Food insecurity
- Environmental

/ MASSACHUSETTS:

BOSTON

- Consumer debt
- Racial justice
- Healthcare
- Technology; STEM

/ MINNESOTA (STATEWIDE):

- Healthcare

- Water rights

/ MISSOURI:

ST. LOUIS

- Racial justice

/ NEW JERSEY (STATEWIDE):

- Healthcare
- Maternal health
- Criminal legal system reform
- Addressing and preventing domestic violence
- Immigration

/ NEW YORK:

NEW YORK CITY

- Racial justice
- Healthcare
- Medical-legal partnerships
- Criminal legal system reform
- Civil fines and fees
- Accountability for police misconduct
- Immigration
- Domestic violence
- Education
- Children/youth
- Voting rights
- Environmental
- LGBTQIA+ rights
- Workers' rights
- Prison reform

/ NORTH CAROLINA:

DURHAM

- Racial justice

/ OREGON (STATEWIDE):

- Racial justice
- Criminal legal system reform

/ PENNSYLVANIA (STATEWIDE):

- Healthcare
- Maternal health

PITTSBURGH

- Education

/ TENNESSEE (STATEWIDE):

- Veterans
- Access to justice

MEMPHIS

- Racial justice
- Veterans
- Access to justice

/ TEXAS (STATEWIDE):

- Racial justice
- Immigration
- Reproductive rights
- Charter schools
- Criminal legal system reform
- Veterans
- Rural justice

DALLAS

- Racial justice
- Medical-legal partnerships
- LGBTQIA+ rights
- Environmental

/ VIRGINIA (STATEWIDE):

- Criminal legal system reform
- Addressing and preventing domestic violence
- Immigration

/ WASHINGTON (STATEWIDE):

- Immigration

SEATTLE

- Youth homelessness/houselessness
- Children/youth
- Immigration
- Environmental

/ WASHINGTON, DC:

- Racial justice
- Children/youth
- Criminal legal system reform
- Immigration
- Addressing and preventing domestic violence