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## **CAC Intern Night** **Thursday, July 28th at 7:00PM**

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[Join us virtually on Zoom, July 28th at 7:00 PM for Intern Night!](#)

Throughout the summer, our interns have flexed their civic muscles and gained lifelong skills. At Intern Night, they showcase what they've learned!

Read below for more information on our Summer 2022 interns:

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### **Reyna Herrera | Legal Intern**

My name is Reyna Herrera and I am a rising 3L at Southern Illinois University. In school, I am involved with Law Journal, Moot Court, and am president of Women's Law Forum. My passion for democracy began during my undergraduate years when I participated in a course that took me to a dozen civil rights museums and landmarks throughout the south. I experienced the immense impact of community organizing. Interning at CAC has fostered that passion in my own community through legal research and writing, and provided the opportunity to give public comment at a City Council meeting. At intern night, I will be presenting my paper discussing the Illinois Safe-T Act and the best practices for implementing Illinois's anti-prison gerrymandering legislation. I look forward to seeing you there!



### **Sofia Terenzio | College Intern**

Hi, my name is Sofia Terenzio. I am a rising senior at the University of Michigan in the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy. My public policy degree focuses on "The Role of Social Inequalities in Political Movements and the Law." I am pursuing a Spanish minor. Apart from academics, I work as a Senior Podcast Editor at The Michigan Daily newspaper and I serve as the President of Michigan's jiu jitsu club, Blue Jitsu. While my career aspirations are still taking shape, I am motivated to take part in the force that achieves gender and social equity and I hope that in whatever I pursue, I can make a positive impact on my community and country. At CAC this summer I've engaged with the DuPage County community by assisting community members. I conducted research on their questions surrounding local and state law, an immensely rewarding process. At intern night, I'll be presenting my paper on the use of ephemeral, or "disappearing," messaging apps by public officials and how ephemeral messaging will present a grave threat to transparency laws. I



am excited to see you all there!

### **Imaan Niazi | High School Intern**

My name is Imaan Niazi, and I am a rising senior at Naperville Central High School. I discovered an interest in current events and the political process volunteering in voter registration drives and taking government courses. I currently serve as president of my school's Junior State of America chapter, a nonpartisan political activism organization for youth. I also serve as captain of my school's Speech Team and am part of Argonne's Exemplary Student Research program. At the CAC, I'm currently working on creating resources for teens to get involved in local and national politics. I'm also working on updating resources regarding key political events in 2022. Hope to see you at Intern night!



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**Join us on Zoom here:**  
**<https://bit.ly/CaCIntern2022>**

**Zoom Meeting ID: 899 8520 6716**  
**Passcode: 853021**

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