

DREAM Act Class of 2001-2010



WHAT AMERICAN DREAMS ARE MADE OF...

Lost in the political firestorm that has surrounded the DREAM Act are the personal stories of the children who would be affected by this legislation. They are young men and women from all fifty states who have known and loved no other country. They have excelled academically, and strive to serve the country they love. Unfortunately, as these undocumented young people were brought to the U.S. as children, their communities cannot fully benefit from their many talents.

On December 18, 2010, their hopes and dreams of improving their communities and serving their country will be decided upon by senators who will vote on the DREAM Act, legislation designed to provide undocumented young men and women who were brought to this country as children with a pathway to legal status if they attend college or enlist in the military.

Enclosed are stories of Floridians, Ohioans, New Yorkers, and other DREAMers from across the country. We encourage you to learn a little more about the Americans-at-heart who would benefit from this commonsense legislation.

My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: DREAMer
CITY: Montgomery
STATE: Alabama

GROWING UP AS AMERICANS:

According to the Migration Policy Institute (MPI), there are up to 10,000 DREAMers living in Alabama. These are children and young people who have grown up in your community, attended Alabama schools, and love Alabama as their own home. These are youth who — given a chance — could become Alabama's future doctors, teachers, and engineers. They are the future of Alabama and the country as a whole.

THEIR AMERICAN DREAM DEPENDS ON YOU.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: DREAMer
CITY: Juneau
STATE: Alaska

GROWING UP AS AMERICANS:

According to the Migration Policy Institute (MPI), there are up to 1,000 DREAMers living in Alaska. These are children and young people who have grown up in your community, attended Alaska schools, and love Alaska as their own home. These are youth who — given a chance — could become Alaska's future doctors, teachers, and engineers. They are the future of Alaska and the country as a whole.

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MY NAME IS: Michael
CITY: Phoenix
STATE: Arizona
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 7
CURRENT AGE: 21

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I have been enrolled in the Army JROTC program for two years. I found the JROTC program worthwhile because it made me a better person in my community and offered me a chance to help others.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I graduated in the summer of '07 from Maryvale High School. I enrolled at Phoenix College and am pursuing a degree in Architectural Engineering.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO JOIN THE U.S. MARINE CORPS.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Juan
CITY: Springville
STATE: Arkansas
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 7
CURRENT AGE: 21

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I started my own business in high school. Because I couldn't participate any many extra curricular activities, I used my money to help with school fundraisers. I was also an active participant in the church choir.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

In my sophomore and junior years I participated in FBLA (Future Business Leaders of America) competitions. In my sophomore year I took 1st place in interim business, and in my junior year I took 2nd place in economics.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BE AN ENTREPRENEUR AND COMMUNITY LEADER.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Ivan
CITY: San Bernardino
STATE: California
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 3 months
CURRENT AGE: 21

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I have always felt it was my duty to help others. I began volunteering at the age of 9 in my local community and my church. I also volunteered at the local animal shelter because I love animals and understand that a few minutes of my day can fill their days with joy.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I graduated top of my class in high school and obtained a presidential scholarship in San Bernardino.

***MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BE A MILITARY DOCTOR
AND A CANCER RESEARCHER.***



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Claudia
STATE: Colorado
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 6
CURRENT AGE: 20

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I am a person of great ideas and a hunger for knowledge, and I don't want all this to go to waste. I know that if I were to share my ideas with the world, maybe — just maybe — I can change something for the good of everyone.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I did my best at school and received outstanding grades that made my mother proud.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BE A MEDICAL BIOLOGIST.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Lorella
CITY: New Milford
STATE: Connecticut
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 10
CURRENT AGE: 22

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I volunteer and intern at several social justice organizations in my local community. I cofounded an organization that fights for justice and equality by mobilizing students in our state to organize and work for the good of all.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I am a Dean's List honors student and have received awards for my academics and leadership. I am also a research program fellowship recipient, and was selected to attend a UN Security Council Debate.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BECOME A LAWYER AND FIGHT FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Alicia
CITY: Wilmington
STATE: Delaware
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 5
CURRENT AGE: 28

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I have been a parish council member and Sunday school teacher for many years. I was also the Board President of Voices Without Borders for 8 years.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I received a community service award in 2007, and am currently a college junior pursuing a Bachelor's Degree in Political Science, with a minor in Communications and Media Arts.

***MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BECOME A STRONG
COMMUNITY LEADER.***



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Gaby
CITY: Miami
STATE: Florida
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 7
CURRENT AGE: 25

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

In high school I was in the Navy ROTC program and also contributed 1,000 hours of community service.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

By 10th grade I was taking college-level classes. I also participated and excelled in three sports and was a ranked officer in Navy ROTC. I graduated among the top three in my class.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BE A TEACHER.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Lorena
CITY: Athens
STATE: Georgia
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 11
CURRENT AGE: 20

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I was captain of the tennis and volleyball teams, president of the Interact Club, member of the Beta club and in the Spanish Honor Society.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO HELP MY COMMUNITY AND TO HELP PROVIDE FOOD TO THOSE WHO ARE HUNGRY.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: DREAMer
CITY: Honolulu
STATE: Hawaii

GROWING UP AS AMERICANS:

According to the Migration Policy Institute (MPI), there are up to 10,000 DREAMers living in Hawaii. These are children and young people who have grown up in your community, attended Hawaii schools, and love Hawaii as their own home. These are youth who given a chance could become Hawaii's future doctors, teachers, and engineers. They are the future of Hawaii and the country as a whole.

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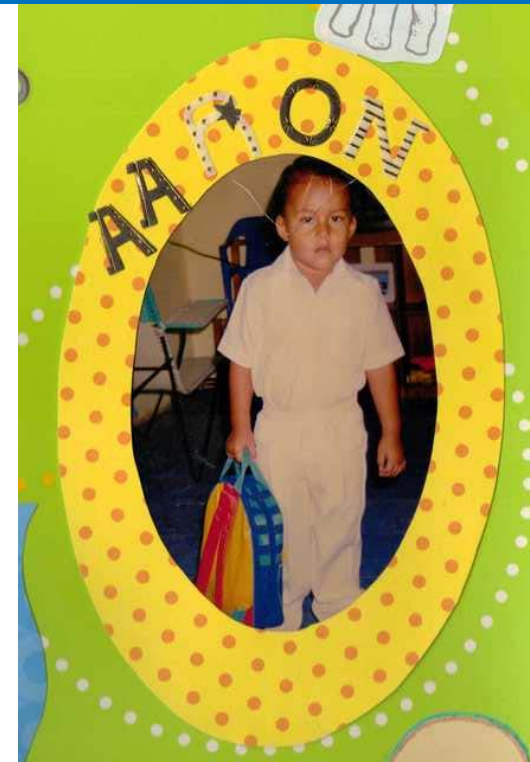
MY NAME IS: Aaron
CITY: Jerome
STATE: Idaho
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 8
CURRENT AGE: 17

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I have always loved working with computers. In high school I was a volunteer technician and helped repair and refurbish computers.

Starting with my first computer, I fell in love with technology. I learned how to build a computer, I learned about operating systems and how they work, I learned about software, and I learned how to make websites. All of this really drives my interest in higher education. Unfortunately, I'm unsure if I will ever be able to achieve my dream.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO PURSUE A CAREER IN INFORMATION AND COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Tania
CITY: Chicago
STATE: Illinois
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 10
CURRENT AGE: 26

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

In high school, I was captain of the swim team and an honors student, and I have a passion for advocating for social justice.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I graduated with a Bachelor's Degree in Sociology, and a minor in Women's and Gender Studies. I am currently pursuing graduate studies in Illinois.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO HELP PEOPLE.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Lizeth
CITY: South Bend
STATE: Indiana
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 14
CURRENT AGE: 20

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I had a typical Midwest high school experience, juggling schoolwork with varsity tennis and soccer.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I started my college career at Indiana University of South Bend and have since transferred to Indiana University Purdue University of Indianapolis (IUPUI) to complete my dream of graduating from Purdue University as a graphics designer. I hope to work for PIXAR, and create media that will make our world a happier place.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO CREATE NEW DIGITAL WORLDS THROUGH GRAPHIC DESIGN.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Diego
CITY: Marshalltown
STATE: Iowa
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 2

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

When I was in high school I remodeled the Orpheum Theater, building new dorms for the college, and also built houses for Habitat for Humanity.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I graduated from high school with six more credits than I needed; I was a good all-around student and involved in my community. While I was a high school student I had the opportunity to attend college and get early college credit. I also played football as a first string defensive tackle.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO WORK IN THE FIELD OF CONSTRUCTION TECHNOLOGY.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Myrna
CITY: Kansas City
STATE: Kansas
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 4
CURRENT AGE: 20

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

Since middle school, I have been involved in a host of school and community activities. I am a patriot. After the September 11th attacks, I wrote letters to the soldiers and prayed for their safety.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

At my high school graduation, I delivered the commencement address. I am a junior in college and pursuing a major in Political Science.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BECOME A LAWYER.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Jennifer
CITY: Lexington
STATE: Kentucky
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 13
CURRENT AGE: 19

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I have been a tutor, mentor, and an active member of our community service student organization. I was also a member of the dance team and play the piano.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I graduated high school with an excellent record and am now a college student.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BE A JOURNALIST.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Selvin
CITY: Portland
STATE: Maine
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 15
CURRENT AGE: 25

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I have been an exemplary member of my community. I am hard working, a committed student, and a faithful member of my church.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO ATTEND COLLEGE.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Lorenzo
CITY: New Orleans
STATE: Louisiana
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 9
CURRENT AGE: 15

After Hurricanes Katrina and Rita hit the Gulf Coast, my family came to New Orleans to help in the reconstruction. I am a sophomore at the International High School of New Orleans and hope to be a software engineer some day.

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I volunteered at a local community organization and offered interpretation services in hospitals, offered educational workshops to low wage workers, and edited video projects. I have also helped to create and produce a community radio program to educate workers on their rights.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BE A SOFTWARE ENGINEER.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Yves
CITY: College Park
STATE: Maryland
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 14 months
CURRENT AGE: 17

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I am 17 years old, and I graduated from Paint Branch High School in Burtonsville, MD this past June. By the grace of God, I did well in my studies my whole life, and I graduated in the top 5% of my class. I got into University of Maryland College Park and other colleges.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I'm currently studying at the University of Maryland and plan to go to medical school

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BE A DOCTOR.



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MY NAME IS: Deivid
CITY: Boston
STATE: Massachusetts
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 9
CURRENT AGE: 21

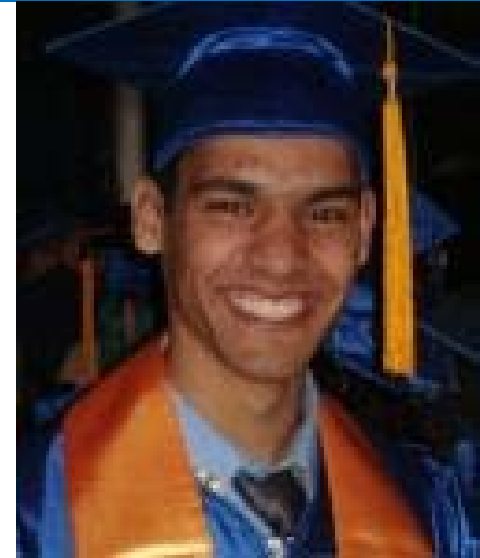
COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I am an active member of the Student Immigrant Movement to give back to my community and provide students with a myriad of opportunities.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I am currently a Physics Major at the University of Massachusetts Dartmouth.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BE A PHYSICS PROFESSOR.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Dayanna
CITY: Detroit
STATE: Michigan
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 9
CURRENT AGE: 20

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I volunteered as a Bible Studies leader and DREAM Act leader

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I was on the Honor Roll through my four-year high school career, played varsity soccer, participated in Moot Court and played the flute in the high school concert band. I am in my second year at Henry Ford Community College, pursuing an education degree.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BECOME A TEACHER SO THAT I CAN GIVE BACK TO THE COMMUNITY THAT HAS GIVEN SO MUCH TO ME.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Maritza
CITY: Saint Paul
STATE: Minnesota
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 1

I have been cleaning bathrooms and offices with my mother most of my life. One of my goals is to stop cleaning bathrooms and do what I love for the rest of my life — art. Art has always been a way for me to express myself, it allows me to escape the burdens of my world, but most importantly, it brings me peace. I love to create something out of nothing, only using my imagination and my ideas. By attending college I will be able to achieve my goal of using my artistic skill as a foundation for my career instead of cleaning bathrooms. It will also assist me in being able to get my mom out of her janitorial job because I will have more opportunities to help my family get ahead.



MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BECOME AN ARTIST.

My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: DREAMer
CITY: Jackson
STATE: Mississippi

GROWING UP AS AMERICANS:

According to the Migration Policy Institute (MPI), there are up to 10,000 DREAMers living in Mississippi. These are children and young people who have grown up in your community, attended Mississippi schools, and love Mississippi as their own home. These are youth who given a chance could become Mississippi's future doctors, teachers, and engineers. They are the future of Mississippi and the country as a whole.

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MY NAME IS: Ricardo
CITY: Belton
STATE: Missouri
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 6 months
CURRENT AGE: 20

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I have been a tireless community advocate for the DREAM Act, even risking my own deportation because this is my home, this is my country.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I recently graduated from community college, and am currently a junior at the University of Kansas, pursuing a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BECOME A PSYCHOLOGIST .



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Carlos
CITY: Missoula
STATE: Montana
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 6
CURRENT AGE: 28

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I volunteer for Big Brothers and Sisters, the local food bank, and the animal shelter.

ACHIEVEMENTS: I am a senior at the University of Montana, majoring in international business and marketing. I received Associate of Arts and Associate of Science degrees. I did entrepreneurship work in high school, receiving a full two-year college scholarship from a private business group. Two of my inventions in the field of baby products have been picked up through my employment with a product development company.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS REACH MY FULL POTENTIAL AND SERVE THOSE AROUND ME.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Daniel Dominguez
CITY: O'Neill
STATE: Nebraska

GROWING UP AS AMERICANS:

Daniel is a senior at O'Neill Public Schools. He was the 103 lbs. Class B state champion in wrestling in 2010 and also participates in Track and Football. Dan believes undocumented students should have an opportunity to live the American Dream. He walked from O'Neill to Lincoln to help raise awareness about the plight of undocumented students and the solution the federal DREAM Act offers.

According to the Migration Policy Institute (MPI), there are up to 20,000 DREAMers living in Nebraska. These are children and young people who have grown up in your community, attended Nebraska schools, and love Nebraska as their own home.

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My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Veronica
CITY: Carson City
STATE: Nevada
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 3 months
CURRENT AGE: 17

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I was a volunteer with Senator Reid's 2010 reelection campaign, and I tutor kids in Spanish.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

For at least 2 months every year from 7th through 10th grade, I was Student of the Month and I was Student of the Year in 10th grade. I'm currently a senior at Douglas High School with a 4.0 GPA.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BE AN ORTHODONIST.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Anna
CITY: Concord
STATE: New Hampshire
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 12
CURRENT AGE: 25

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I have made a positive impact on my community, including joining the Key Club, Future Business Leaders of America, Soup Kitchens, Walking for Hunger, and becoming a leader in the Warmth From the Mildyard project to collect coats for the needy.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I'm working towards a Master's Degree from Harvard University

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO LIVE FREE.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Brenda
CITY: Riverdale
STATE: New Jersey
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 6
CURRENT AGE: 23

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I was awarded Silver and Gold Awards in the Girl Scouts, involved in a community service project, received top grades, worked part time, went to church and was captain of my cross country and track team in high school.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I graduated from high school in the top 10% of my class and obtained an annual scholarship to a Catholic University. I graduated with a 4.91 GPA with highest honors, with a major in Elementary Education and Spanish and an Endorsement in Special Education.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BE A TEACHER.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Alberto
CITY: Española
STATE: New Mexico
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 2
CURRENT AGE: 18

I am a student at Northern New Mexico college where I am majoring in psychology.

***MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BECOME A HIGH SCHOOL
COUSELOR.***



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Cesar
CITY: Brooklyn
STATE: New York
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 5
CURRENT AGE: 27

COMMUNITY SERVICE: I have had prestigious internships in DA offices and in the judiciary. I speak Spanish, French, Italian, and am currently perfecting my Russian and Cantonese. I am captain of my soccer team.

ACHIEVEMENTS: I am a high school graduate, college graduate, and now a third year law student at the City University of New York School of Law. I hold a 3.8 GPA. I am the founder and president of the Prosecutor Law Student Association. I have received scholarships, including the Puerto Rican Bar Association Merit Award.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BECOME A J.A.G. OFFICER AND DEFEND THE COUNTRY I LOVE.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Loida
CITY: Stanford
STATE: North Carolina
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 13
CURRENT AGE: 22

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I graduated from East Forsyth High School and participated in the National Honor Society, Advanced Placement courses, track team, color guard. I am a youth leader

ACHIEVEMENTS: I arrived in North Carolina in 2001 knowing little English. I quickly adjusted and in 2005 graduated with honors from East Forsyth High School in Kernersville. I plan to earn a Bachelor's Degree in sociology and pursue a career in assisting the underserved.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO EARN A BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN SOCIOLOGY AND PURSUE A CAREER IN ASSISTING THE UNDERSERVED .



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: DREAMer
CITY: Bismarck
STATE: North Dakota

GROWING UP AS AMERICANS:

According to the Migration Policy Institute (MPI), there are up to 1,000 DREAMers living in North Dakota. These are children and young people who have grown up in your community, attended North Dakota schools, and love North Dakota as their own home. These are youth who given a chance could become North Dakota's future doctors, teachers, and engineers. They are the future of North Dakota and the country as a whole.

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MY NAME IS: Bernard
CITY: Cincinnati
STATE: Ohio
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 3
CURRENT AGE: 18

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I have become a symbol of the plight of thousands of undocumented students across the state and nation. Hundreds of students have been leading vigils and rallies in my name since my arrest.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I graduated near the top of my high school class and was a standout athlete and the soccer team's star.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BE A PASTOR.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Michelle
STATE: Oklahoma
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 5
CURRENT AGE: 24

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

Ever since the attacks of September 11, I have wanted to serve my country by becoming a Marine. After graduating from high school, I tried to enlist but was turned away because I am undocumented. Serving my country is the greatest community service I could offer.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

In high school, I ran track and was president of the dance club. I was the first person in my family to graduate from high school. I am currently attending community college.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS BECOME A MARINE AND SERVE MY COUNTRY. THEN I WANT TO BECOME A NURSE.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Hector
CITY: Milwaukie
STATE: Oregon
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 6 weeks
CURRENT AGE: 21

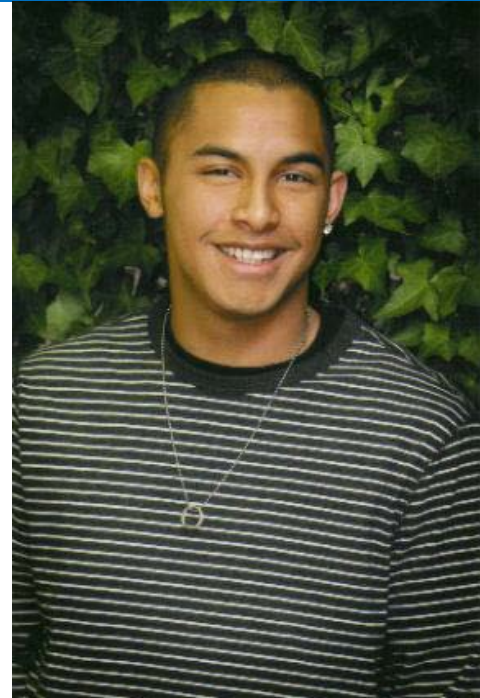
COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I was Student Body President of Rex Putnam High School in Milwaukie, Oregon. I was a Little League coach and also gave over 600 hours of community service.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I attended two years at Clackamas Community College with plans to transfer to Portland State University this fall to study business and marketing.

MY AMERICAN DREAM WAS CRUSHED THE DAY I WAS DEPORTED TO A COUNTRY I'VE NEVER KNOWN.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Jose
CITY: Allentown
STATE: Pennsylvania
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 2
CURRENT AGE: 24

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

In high school, I enrolled in the school's Air Force Junior Reserve Office Training Corp., where I excelled as a cadet. I was deeply involved in community activities, from replacing the worn flags at our veterans' cemetery to presenting the Colors at our community events.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

In JROTC I held leadership positions and served as the Regulation Drill Team Commander, where I led my team to first and second place at regional competitions.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO JOIN THE U.S. AIR FORCE AND SERVE MY COUNTRY.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Tam
CITY: Providence
STATE: Rhode Island
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 6
CURRENT AGE: R.I.P 2010

Tam was born in Germany after her parents were forced to flee Vietnam. She immigrated to the U.S. and grew up in Garden Grove, California. She graduated from Santiago High School, attended Santa Ana College, and transferred to UCLA, where she earned a bachelor's degree in American Literature and Culture. In 2007, Tam testified before a House subcommittee on immigration and advocated on behalf of the proposed DREAM Act. As a doctoral student in the American Civilization program at Brown University, she helped found the Brown Immigrants' Rights Coalition. Tam was an aspiring filmmaker, and produced several short films, including the acclaimed documentary, "Lost and Found."

Tam Tran was tragically killed in a car accident along with her friend and fellow DREAMer, Cynthia Felix.

My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Dayana
CITY: City
STATE: South Carolina
CURRENT AGE: 21

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I graduated in the top 5 percent of my high school class in 2007 and completed nursing prerequisites at Horry-Georgetown Technical College.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BE A NURSE.



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MY NAME IS: DREAMer
CITY: Pierre
STATE: South Dakota

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MY NAME IS: Abril
CITY: Chattanooga
STATE: Tennessee
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 3
CURRENT AGE: 18

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I want to serve my country in the military.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I was an “A” student in high school, played soccer and was a member of the Junior ROTC.

***MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO SERVE IN THE MILITARY
AND STUDY CRIMINAL JUSTICE IN COLLEGE.***



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Karla
CITY: Austin
STATE: Texas
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 12
CURRENT AGE: 24

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I have been an active member of the University Leadership Initiative, striving for equal opportunity for all students.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

This past May, I graduated from the University of Texas at Austin with a Doctor of Pharmacy degree with special honors. The topic of my honors thesis was neuropharmacology, and some of my research was accepted for publication in a national peer-reviewed pharmacy journal.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS BE A PHARMACIST WORKING IN NEONATOLOGY.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Mariella
CITY: Middlebury
STATE: Vermont
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 5
CURRENT AGE: 22

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I am Co-President of both Alianza Latino Organization and Active Minds, an organization that strives to reduce the stigma associated with mental illnesses.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I am currently pursuing a BA in Psychology with minors in Portuguese and Spanish at Middlebury College. I have been a college scholar for seven semesters. I have interned at Dateline NBC, Empowered Youth, and Urban Education where I taught at a bilingual school in the Bronx.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BECOME A MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPIST.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Isabel
CITY: Harrisonburg
STATE: Virginia
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 6
CURRENT AGE: 25

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I have the desire, as well as the ability and skills, to give back to my home in Harrisonburg. I have advocated tirelessly for opportunities for youth like myself in my community.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

After high school, I went on to college and graduated with honors in three and a half years, receiving a Bachelor's Degree in Social Work.

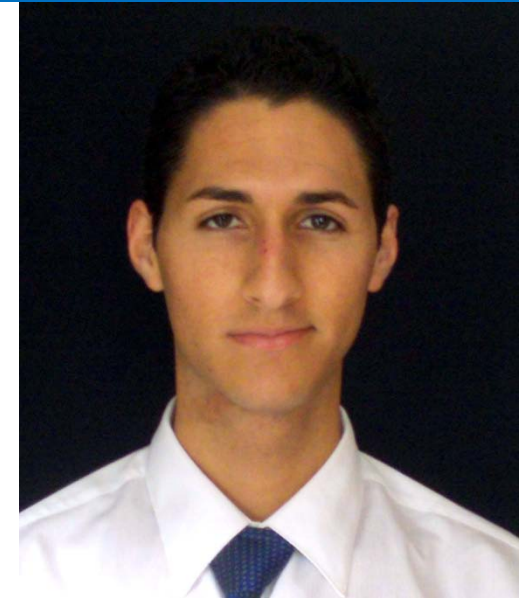
MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BECOME A SOCIAL WORKER.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Alonso
CITY: Seattle
STATE: Washington
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 14
CURRENT AGE: 23

ACHIEVEMENTS: As a Business major in college, I was Chief Marketing Officer for a school project that formed a nightlife event planning company; was volunteer team chair of the Global Social Entrepreneurship Competition 2009; served as Vice President of External Relations of the Undergraduate Entrepreneurship Club; and was a member of the Hispanic Business Student Association. I also started DRY Mobile Wash, a mobile eco-friendly auto detailing service featuring waterless car wash formula. In high school, I played on the soccer team as a right wing and defensive midfielder, and I graduated with honors. I received a degree in Marketing from the Michael G. Foster School of Business at the University of Washington



MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BE A MARKETING GURU.

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MY NAME IS: DREAMer
CITY: Charleston
STATE: West Virginia

GROWING UP AS AMERICANS:

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MY NAME IS: Maricela
CITY: Milwaukee
STATE: Wisconsin
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 3
CURRENT AGE: 20

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

In high school, I took honors classes, was captain of the cross-country team, and put in more than 150 hours of community service.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

I graduated from high school in the top 5% of my class, and am now pursuing a Bachelor's degree in Political Science and English Literature.

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BECOME A LAWYER.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: DREAMer
CITY: Cheyenne
STATE: Wyoming

GROWING UP AS AMERICANS:

According to the Migration Policy Institute (MPI), there are up to 1,000 DREAMers living in Wyoming. These are children and young people who have grown up in your community, attended Wyoming schools, and love Wyoming as their own home. These are youth who given a chance could become Wyoming's future doctors, teachers, and engineers. They are the future of Wyoming and the country as a whole.

THEIR AMERICAN DREAM DEPENDS ON YOUR VOTE.



My DREAM is the American Dream.

MY NAME IS: Liliana
CITY: Salt Lake City
STATE: Utah
AGE AT ARRIVAL: 6
CURRENT AGE: 21

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

I'm in college in Utah, volunteer at a Free Clinic and local health fairs, and mentor high school students.

ACHIEVEMENTS: In high school, I was in Girls State, the American Legion Auxiliary program, was a member of the National Honor Society and Math Honor Society, and received academic athlete awards for maintaining high academic scores while playing soccer, track and cross-country. I was a member of the French Club and the high school band. I'm working towards two bachelor's degrees in behavioral health and philosophy at the University of Utah

MY AMERICAN DREAM IS TO BECOME A LAWYER.



PASS THE DREAM ACT!!!

- **The DREAM Act is** a narrowly-tailored piece of legislation which would provide one-time relief to undocumented youth who were brought to the US as children.
- **The DREAM Act is** supported by educators, faith, labor, business, and civil rights leaders, advocates for children, and state and local officials from both parties.
- **The DREAM Act would** reduce the deficit by \$2.2 billion over 10 years, according to the CBO. Not only is voting for the DREAM Act the right thing to do, but it adds money to the tax rolls.

DREAM Act Supporters

NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

ACLU
African American Ministers in Action (AAMIA)
American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO)
American Association of Community Colleges
American Association of State Colleges and Universities (AASCU)
American Association of University Women (AAUW)
American Council on Education
American Federation of Teachers
American Humane Association
American Jewish Committee
Americans for Democratic Action, Inc.
America's Voice
Amnesty International USA
Anti-Defamation League
Asian American Justice Center
Asian Pacific American Labor Alliance, AFL-CIO
Association of Public and Land-grant Universities (A-P-L-U)
B'nai B'rith International
Boat People SOS
Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc. (CLINIC)
Center for Law and Social Policy
Children's Defense Fund
Christians for Comprehensive Immigration Reform (CCIR)
Church World Service
Coalition on Human Needs
Council for Opportunity in Education
Disciples Justice Action Network (Disciples of Christ)
Episcopal Church
Equal Justice Society
Family Violence Prevention Fund
Family Voices, Inc.
First Focus Campaign for Children
First Star
Foster Care Alumni of America
Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society
Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities
Hispanic Coalition for Comprehensive Immigration Reform
Hmong National Development, Inc.
Immigrant Legal Resource Center
Interfaith Worker Justice
Irish Apostolate USA
Japanese American Citizens League
Labor Council for Latin American Advancement
LatinoJustice PRLDEF
Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law
Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights (LCCR)
Legal Momentum
Lutheran Immigrant and Refugee Service
Marianist Social Justice Collaborative
Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund (MALDEF)
Moms Rising
Multicultural Education, Training & Advocacy (MEA)
NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.
National Advocacy Center of the Sisters of the Good Shepherd
National Association for Bilingual Education (NABE)
National Association for College Admission Counseling
National Association for the Education and Advancement of Cambodian, Laotian and Vietnamese Americans (NAFEA)
NAFSA: Association of International Educators
National Association for the Education of Homeless Children and Youth
National Association for Multicultural Education
National Association of Working Women
National Association of Social Workers
National Coalition for Asian Pacific American Community Development
National Coalition Against Domestic Violence (NCADV)
National Collaboration for Youth
National Council of Jewish Women
National Council of La Raza (NCLR)
National Day Laborers Organizing Network
National Domestic Violence Hotline
National Education Association
National Employment Law Project
National Foster Care Coalition
National Hispanic Christian Leadership Conference
National Immigration Forum
National Immigration Law Center (NILC)
National Korean American Service & Education Consortium (NAKASEC)
National Latina Institute for Reproductive Health
National PTA
National WIC Association
National Women's Law Center
Nationalities Service Center
NETWORK, A National Catholic Social Justice Lobby
People for the American Way (PFAW)
PICO National Network
Progressive Jewish Alliance

DREAM Act Supporters

Public Affairs Alliance of Iranians Americans
Public Education Network
Sargent Shriver National Center on Law and Policy
School Social Work Association of American (SSWAA)
Service Employees International Union (SEIU)
Southeast Asia Resource Action Center (SEARAC)
Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)
The College Board
The Hispanic Association of Evangelicals
The National Advocacy Center of the Sisters of the Good Shepherd
The United Church of Christ, Justice and Witness Ministries
Union for Reform Judaism
Unitarian Universalist Association of Congregations
United Church of Christ, Justice and Witness Ministries

United Food and Commercial Workers International Union (UFCW)
United Methodist Church, General Board of Church and Society
United States Conference of Catholic Bishops
United States Students Association
United We Dream Network
Voices for American's Children
Voices for Utah's Children
Western Association of College Admission Counseling
Wider Church Ministries
Wider Opportunities for Women
WIN – the Welcoming Immigrants Network
Young People for Action
YWCA USA

STATE ORGANIZATIONS

ARIZONA

Colleges:

- Arizona State University
- Pima Community College

Organizations:

- AZ LULAC Youth
- CADENA
- Kino Border Initiative

ARKANSAS

Colleges:

- Arkansas State University System
- University of Arkansas, Little Rock

Organizations:

- Arkansas Advocates for Children and Families
- Arkansas Justice for Our Neighbors
- Catholic Diocese of Little Rock

CALIFORNIA

State/Local Officials:

- Abel Maldonado, Lieutenant Governor of California
- Antonio Ramón Villaraigosa, Mayor of Los Angeles, California

Colleges:

- California State University
- California State University, Fresno
- San Francisco State University
- Stanford University
- University of California
- University of California, Los Angeles

Organizations:

- ACLU of Southern California
- Asian American Christians of Southern California for Social Justice
- Asian Law Alliance
- Asian Law Caucus
- Aubain & Guevara ALC
- Catholic Healthcare West
- California Immigrant Policy Center
- California National Organization for Women
- California Rural Legal Assistance Foundation, Inc.
- Center for the Pacific Asian Family
- Central American Resource Center of Los Angeles CARECEN-LA
- Coalition for Humane Immigrant Rights of Los Angeles
- Compton United Soccer Club/Soccer for Social Change
- Dominican Sisters of San Rafael
- East Bay Community Law Center
- Greater Valley Immigration, Citizenship & Education Services
- International Institute of the Bay Area
- Khemer Humanitarian Organization
- Korean Resource Center, Los Angeles, CA
- LA Community Legal Center and Educational
- Latino Civil Rights Committee
- Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights of the San Francisco Bay Area
- Methodist Federation for Social Action, California-pacific Chapter

DREAM Act Supporters

- National Council of Jewish Women, CA
- Opening Doors, Inc.
- Public Counsel
- Services, Immigrant Rights & Education Network, San Jose
- Sisters of St. Joseph of Orange
- Venice Family Clinic

Resolutions:

- Board of Education of the City of Los Angeles
- City Council of the City of Santa Ana

COLORADO

State/Local Official:

- Joe Miklosi, Colorado State Representative

Organizations

- Colorado Children's Campaign
- Colorado Organization for Latin Opportunity
- Kellogg Fellows Leadership Alliance
- Metro Organizations for People

CONNECTICUT

College:

- Yale University

Organizations:

- Connecticut Association for Human Services (CAHS)
- Connecticut Legal Services, Inc.
- National Council of Jewish Women, Connecticut

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Colleges:

- George Washington University
- Georgetown University

Organizations:

- Community Organizations in Action
- Law Offices of Richard S. Brownberg
- Mensah & Dzubow, PLLC
- Sojourners

FLORIDA

State/Local Officials:

- John Marks, Mayor of Tallahassee, Florida
- Juan Zapata, Florida State Representative

College:

- Florida State University

Organizations

- Florida Immigrant Advocacy Center
- Hispanic Coalition
- Pax Christi Northeast Florida

GEORGIA

CLILA – Coalition of Latino Leaders
Redlands Christian Migrant Association
Marin Women's Commission
The Edwards Law Firm, P.C.

ILLINOIS

Colleges:

- DePaul University
- Dominican University
- Harper College
- Illinois University
- Loyola University
- Northeastern Illinois University
- Roosevelt University
- Triton College

Organizations:

- Diocese of Joliet
- Illinois Maternal and Child Health Coalition
- Korean American Resource & Cultural Center (KRCC)
- Project Irene
- Provincial Council of Clerics of St. Viator (Viatorians)
- SEIU Local 1

INDIANA

Colleges:

- Indiana University
- Indiana University, South Bend
- Indiana Wesleyan University
- Purdue University
- Purdue University, North Central
- St. Mary's College, Notre Dame
- Valparaiso University

Organizations:

- Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), Refugee and Immigration Ministries
- Central Indiana Jobs with Justice
- Indiana Latino Democratic Caucus
- La Casa, Indiana University-Bloomington
- La Plaza, Inc.
- Latino Youth Collective
- Law Office of Hong-min Jun, P.C.

IOWA

Child and Family Policy Center
Sisters of St. Francis of Dubuque
Sisters Charity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

DREAM Act Supporters

KANSAS

Colleges:

- Rockhurst College
- University of Kansas

Organizations:

- Catholic Agency for Migration for Refugee Services
- Justice and Peace Center
- Sisters of Charity of Leavenworth

KENTUCKY

Kentucky Coalition for Immigrant and Refugee Rights
Sisters of Charity of Nazareth Western Province
Sisters of Charity of Nazareth Congregational Leadership

LOUISIANA

College:

- Loyola University New Orleans

Organizations:

- Agenda for Children
- Louisiana Association for Bilingual Education

MAINE

State/Local Officials:

- Larry Gilbert, Lewiston, Maine Mayor
- Diane Russell, Maine State Representative

Organizations:

- Immigrant Legal Advocacy Project
- Maine Children's Alliance

MARYLAND

Columban Center for Advocacy and Outreach
Latin American Youth Center
Institute of the Sisters of Mercy of the Americas
Maryland DREAM Youth Committee
Pax Christi Metro DC
Xaverian Brothers

MASSACHUSETTS

State/Local Official:

- Denise Provost, Massachusetts State Representative

Colleges:

- Amherst College
- Boston College
- Boston University
- Bunker Hill Community College
- Harvard University
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)

- Northeastern University
- Salem State College
- Tufts University
- University of Massachusetts, Amherst (UMass)
- University of Massachusetts, Boston (UMass Boston)

Organizations:

- Catholic Social
- Henry Lee Willis Community Center, Inc.
- Massachusetts Citizens for Children

Resolution:

- City of Cambridge

MICHIGAN

College:

- Wayne State University

Organizations:

- Catholic Caucus of Southeast Michigan
- Dominica Sisters of Grand Rapids
- Michigan's Children
- Office of Social Justice, Christian Reformed Church

MINNESOTA

Colleges:

- Riverland Community College
- University of Minnesota

Organizations:

- Catholic Charities of the Diocese of St. Cloud
- Hmong America Partnership
- Jewish Community Action of St. Paul, MN
- Interfaith Coalition on Immigration
- Immigration Task Force of the MN UCC Conference
- Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet, St. Paul Province

MISSISSIPPI

Family Recourse Center of Northeast Mississippi
El Pueblo – Immigration Legal Services
Mississippi Center for Justice

MISSOURI

InterServ
Latin America/Caribbean Committee of Loretto Community
Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet, St. Louis Province

MONTANA

College:



DREAM Act Supporters

- University of Montana

Organization:

- Montana Human Rights Network

NEBRASKA

Center for Survivors

Parent-Child Center, Lexington, NE

Sisters of Mercy West Midwest Justice Team

NEVADA

Catholic Charities of Northern Nevada

Safe Nest

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Children's Alliance of New Hampshire

NEW JERSEY

Colleges:

- Bergen Community College
- Burlington County College
- Camden County College
- Cumberland County College
- Essex County College
- Hudson County Community College
- Mercer County Community College
- Middlesex County College
- Passaic County Community College
- Sussex County Community College
- Union County College

Organizations:

- Association for Children of New Jersey
- New Jersey Association on Correction
- RESULTS – Central NJ Domestic Chapter
- Statewide Parent Advocacy Network

NEW MEXICO

College:

- University of New Mexico

Organization:

- New Mexico Voices for Children

NEW YORK

State/Local Official:

- Michael Bloomberg, Mayor of New York City, New York

Colleges:

- Columbia University
- Cornell University
- Farmingdale State College
- Fordham University
- New York University

- State University of New York

- Stony Brook University

- Syracuse University

- The City University of New York

- University of Buffalo

- University of Rochester

Organizations:

- Arab American Family Support Center
- Catholic Charities of the Dioceses of Albany
- Drum Major Institute for Public Policy
- Empire Justice Center
- New York Asian Women's Center
- NY Conference Board of Church and Society (United Methodist Church)
- Schuyler Center for Analysis and Advocacy
- Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet, Albany NY Province
- Sisters of St. Joseph of Rochester, Inc.
- The Interfaith Alliance of Rochester (TIAR)
- Thorpe Family Residence, Inc.
- Women of Reform Judaism
- Women's City Club of NY
- UJA Federation New York
- YWVA Genesee
- YWCAs of the Northeast Region

NORTH CAROLINA

College:

- Duke University

Organizations:

- Action for Children North Carolina
- FaithAction International House
- Latin American Coalition
- North Carolina Coalition Against Domestic Violence
- The North Carolina Society of Hispanic Professionals
- The Tomorrow Fund for Hispanic Students

OHIO

College:

- Owens Community College

Organizations:

- Voices for Ohio's Children
- Congregation of St. Joseph
- Latino Migrant Coalition of Clark County

OKLAHOMA

College:

- College of Laq

Organizations:

DREAM Act Supporters

- Immigration Rights Project, University of Tulsa LULAC Oklahoma City Council #19002
- YWCA – Tulsa

OREGON

Colleges:

- Lane Community College
- Mt. Hood Community College
- Oregon State Board of Higher Education
- Oregon University System
- Portland State University
- Southern Oregon University

Organization:

- Immigrant Family Advocacy

PENNSYLVANIA

Colleges:

- Butler County Community College
- Montgomery County Community College
- Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education (PASSHE)
- Swarthmore College
- Temple University
- University of Pennsylvania

Organizations:

- Asian American United
- CATA
- COLAM of the UMC
- Community Youth Organizing Campaign
- Council of Spanish Speaking Organizations of the Lehigh Valley
- HIAS and the Council Migration Service
- Institute for Cultural partnerships
- JUNTOS
- Korean American Association of Greater Philadelphia
- Michael A. Nutter, Mayor of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- Mission Santa Maria, Madre de Dios
- National Council of Jewish Women, Pennsylvania State Public Affairs
- Nationalities Service Center
- New Vision Asian Youth Service
- Pastoral Care for Migrants and Refugees
- Pennsylvania Coalition Against Rape
- Pennsylvania Council of Churches
- Pennsylvania Immigration and Citizenship Coalition (PICC)
- Pennsylvania Immigration Resource Center
- Philadelphia Chinatown Development Corporation

- PRIME – Ecumenical Commitment to Refugees
- Public Citizens for Children and Youth
- Sisters of St. Joseph – Baden
- St. Paul’s UMC
- Vicar for Hispanic Catholics Archdiocese of Philadelphia

Resolutions:

- City of Philadelphia
- University of Pennsylvania

RHODE ISLAND

Brown University KID’S COUNT

SOUTH CAROLINA

South Carolina Appleseed Center Legal Justice Center

South Carolina Coalition Against Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault

The South Carolina Victim Assistance Network

TEXAS

State/Local Official:

- Jessica Farrar, Texas State Representative
- Sylvia Garcia, Harris County, Texas Commissioner

Colleges:

- McLennan Community College
- St. Mary’s University

Organizations:

- American Gateways
- BARCA, Inc.
- Center for Public Policy Priorities
- Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston
- Dominican Sisters of Houston
- Hispanic American Association of East Texas
- Human Rights Initiative of North Texas, Inc.
- La Fe Policy Research and Education Center
- La Union del Pueblo Entero (LUPE)
- Senior Community Outreach Services Inc.
- Southwest Workers Union
- Standing for Truth Foundation

UTAH

College:

- University of Utah

Organizations:

- Law Office of Francisco J. Roman, PLLC
- Luz Robles, Utah State Senator
- Perretta Law Office

DREAM Act Supporters

- Salt Lake Community Action Program
- Utah Health and Human Rights Project
- Voices of Utah's Children
- YWCA of Salt Lake City

VERMONT

Voices for Vermont's Children

VIRGINIA

Colleges:

- Eastern Mennonite University
- Northern Virginia Community College (NOVA)

Organizations:

- Voices for Virginia's Children

Resolution:

- City of Harrisonburg

WASHINGTON

Colleges:

- Eastern Washington University
- University of Washington
- Washington State University
- Yakima Valley Community College

Organizations:

- Law Office of Pamela E. Englett
- Lutheran Public Policy Office of Washington State
- Northwest Federation of Community Organizations
- Northwest Immigrant Rights Project
- YWCA Clark County

WISCONSIN

School/Colleges:

- Green Bay Area Public Schools
- Northeast Wisconsin Technical College
- University of Wisconsin System

Organizations:

- St. Norbert Abbey Justice and Peace Committee
- School Sisters of Notre Dame Global Justice & Peace Commission, Milwaukee Province

BUSINESSES

Microsoft

Candace K. Beinecke Chair, Hughes Hubbard & Reed LLP

Kevin Burke Chairman, President, and CEO, Con Edison

Russell L. Carson, Co-Founder and General Partner Welsh, Carson, Anderson & Stowe

Robert B. Catell, Chairman US National Grid
Kenneth I. Chenault, Chairman and CEO American Express Company

James Dimon. Chairman, President, and CEO JPMorgan Chase & Co.

Jeff Kindler. CEO and Chairman Pfizer

Rochelle B. Lazarus, Chairman Ogilvy & Mather Worldwide

Martin Lipton, Senior Partner Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz

Terry J. Lundgren, Chairman, President, and CEO Macy's, Inc.

John J. Mack, Chairman and CEO Morgan Stanley

K. Rupert Murdoch, Chairman and CEO News Corporation

Richard Parsons, Chairman Citigroup

Wilbur L. Ross, Jr., Chairman and CEO WL Ross & Co. LLC

John Marks, Mayor of Tallahassee, Florida

Joe Miklosi, Colorado State Representative

Michael A. Nutter, Mayor of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Denise Provost, Massachusetts State Representative

Luz Robles, Utah State Senator

Diane Russell, Maine State Representative

Antonio Ramón Villaraigosa, Mayor of Los Angeles, California

Juan Zapata, Florida State Representative

Arne Duncan, U.S. Secretary of Education

Robert Gates, U.S. Secretary of Defense

STATE AND LOCAL ELECTED OFFICIALS

The National Conference of State Legislators

The U.S. Conference of Mayors

Michael Bloomberg, Mayor of New York City, New York

Jessica Farrar, Texas State Representative

Sylvia Garcia, Harris County, Texas Commissioner

Larry Gilbert, Lewiston, Maine Mayor

Mike Huckabee, former Governor of Arkansas

Abel Maldonado, Lieutenant Governor of California

U.S. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS

President Barack Obama

Vice President Joe Biden

Secretary of State Hillary Clinton



DREAM Act Supporters

Janet Napolitano, U.S. Secretary of Homeland Security

Hilda Solis, U.S. Secretary of Labor
Gary Locke, U.S. Secretary of Commerce

U.S. MILITARY

Louis Caldera, Former Director of the White House
David Chu, Bush Administration Undersecretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness
Ashwin Madia, Interim Chairman, Votevets.org
General Colin Powell, Former Bush Administration Secretary of State and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff
Alfred Rascon, Director of the Selective Service System

John Shalikashvili, Former Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff
Military Office and Secretary of the Army
Margaret Stock, Lt. Colonel in the U.S. Army Reserve (Ret.) and former professor at the U.S. Military Academy at West Point
Major General Alfred Valenzuela (Ret.)

CONGRESSIONAL CAUCUSES

Congressional Asian Pacific American Caucus
Congressional Hispanic Caucus

Congressional Progressive Caucus

FAITH BASED COMMUNITIES

American Jewish Committee
Anti-Defamation League
B'nai B'rith International
Catholic Diocese of Arkansas, Little Rock
Christians for Comprehensive Immigration Reform
Church World Service
Episcopal Church
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society
Jewish Council for Public Affairs
Jewish Labor Committee

Jewish Reconstructionist Federation
Jewish Social Policy Action Network
National Association of Jewish Chaplains
National Council of Jewish Women
U.S. Catholic Conference of Bishops
Union for Reform Judaism
United Methodist Church
Women of Reform Judaism
Workmen's Circle/Arbeter Ring

UNIONS

AFL-CIO
SEIU

American Federation of Teachers

COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

Amherst University
Arkansas State University
Arizona State University
Boston College
Boston University
Butler County Community College
California State University, Fresno
Columbia University
Cornell University
City University of New York
Eastern Mennonite University
Eastern Washington University
Farmingdale State College
Fordham University
Georgetown University
Florida State University
Harvard University

Illinois University
Indiana University
Indiana University Southbend
Indiana Wesleyan University
DePaul University
Loyola University
Loyola University New Orleans
Montgomery County Community College
Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education (PASSHE)
New Jersey Council of County Colleges
Northern Virginia Community College
Northeastern University
University of Northeastern Illinois University
Roosevelt University
StoneyBrook University
Syracuse University

DREAM Act Supporters

Salem State College
Sathmore College
State University of New York
St. Mary's University
City University of New York
Temple University
Tufts University
Owens Community College
Oregon University System
MIT University
Dominican University
UMass Boston
UMass
University of Minnesota
Washington State University
University of Washington
University of Arkansas at Little Rock

University of Utah
The California State University
University of New Mexico
University of Wisconsin System
Wayne State University
University of Buffalo
University of Rochester
University of California, Berkeley
University of California, Davis
University of California, Irvine
University of California, Los Angeles
University of California, Merced
University of California, Riverside
University of California, San Diego
University of California, San Francisco
University of California, Santa Barbara
University of California, Santa Cruz

