



July 1, 2014 Update For Global Giving



Youth Journalism International students in Toronto in June 2014.

Toronto Tour 2014 a big hit for YJI students

We are scrambling to catch up with many stories in the wake of the five-day Toronto Tour 2014 that brought three YJI students from Connecticut together with a trio of their colleagues in Toronto. It proved an exhausting, exhilarating, wonderful time that will offer our readers stories on everything from Seneca Falls, New York to paddle boats on Toronto's harbor front. The first few stories are available on our website and blog now, with more to come soon.

We've also been working with students around the world to get stories published on the World Cup in Brazil, the missing girls in Nigeria, a so-called honor killing in Pakistan, jaundice in Nepal and so much more. Nobody gives young people a voice the way we do.

Aside from providing the chance for tens of thousands of people read their work every month, YJI also gives its students a leg up in their own journeys. Consider this partial list of the many colleges and universities where our current and former students have earned degrees (or on their way to doing so):

ACADEMY OF ART UNIVERSITY

Michael Nguyen (MFA)

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OF AFGHANISTAN

Edrees Kakar (2014)

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY (Washington, DC)

Paul Bartok (2002)

AMHERST

Gabi Smith-Rosario (2017)

ARIZONA, University of

Stefan Koski

BATES

Kiernan Majerus-Collins (2018)

BOSTON UNIVERSITY

Collin Seguin (BA, 2003)

Natalie Minor (BA, 2006)

Jacqui Moreau (BA, 2006)

Michael Nguyen (BA, 2007)

Zach Brokenrope (BS, 2012)

Sana Ali (BA, 2012)

Alan Burkholder (2017)

BRANDEIS

Leah Igdalsky

CAMBRIDGE (UK)

Cassie Lloyd Perrin (2010)

CARLETON

Jenna Potter (2017)

CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY (Washington, DC)

Sara Greene (JD, 2012)

CENTRAL CONNECTICUT

Casey (DiBella) Schneider (MS)

CHICAGO, University of

Chi Thuy Le (2018)

CHICHESTER, University of (UK)

Madison Pollard

CONNECTICUT (UConn)

Corrie (Balash) Kerr

Hila Yosafi-Lehman

Jon Theriault

Sean Soltys

Wesley Saxena
Sarah Jordan (BA, 2004)
Jessica Norton (BS, 2004)
Suzanne (Gregorczyk) Tate (BA, 2006)
Katie Jordan (BA, 2009)
Julia Cocca (BA, 2010)
Collin Seguin (JD, 2010)

CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

Hila Yosafi-Lehman (JD, 2008)

DARTMOUTH

Clare Hern (2017)

DENISON

Jessica Elsayed (2015)

EASTERN CONNECTICUT

Danielle Letourneau (BS, 2009)

EDINBURGH, University of (Scotland)

Noah Kidron-Style

EMERSON

Amanda Lehmert (BS, 2002)

FAIRFIELD

Casey (DiBella) Schneider (BA)

FLORIDA, University of

Cresonia Hsieh (2017)

GEORGE WASHINGTON

Courtney Coughlin (BA, 2010)

GERMAN UNIVERSITY (Cairo)

Jala Ayman Sadek

GOODWIN

Kara Dumond

HARTFORD, University of

Joe Bun Keo (BA, 2009)

Danielle Letourneau (MA, 2011)

HARVARD

Katherine Agard

Alma Macbride (2017)

HELSINKI, University of (Finland)

Cara Nelissen (2012)

HENDRIX

Beth Pond (BA, 2012)

HOBART & WILLIAM SMITH

Kathryn Middleton (BA, 2014)

HOFSTRA

Jennifer Rajotte (BSS)

HOLY CROSS

Heather Pilarcik-Murawski (BA, 2006)

Sara Greene (BA, 2009)

INSTITUT D'ETUDES POLITIQUES DE PARIS

Sara Chatterjee (BA, 2013)

JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY

Courtney Pendleton (MD, 2012)

KWAZULU-NATAL, University of

Nicole Megan Gounder (BA, 2012)

MALTA, University of

Maressa Zahra

MANHATTAN COLLEGE

Danielle Ouimet (2003)

MARIST

Jenifer Rajotte (MPA)

MARLBORO

Shaina Zura (BA, 2002)

MASSACHUSETTS, University of (Amherst)

Monica Gleberman (BA, 2008)

Matt Albrecht (2018)

MICHIGAN STATE

Monica Blaze (2016)

MILAN, University of (Italy)

Eugenia Durante

MUNSTER, University of (Germany)

Katie Grosser

NAVAL POSTGRADUATE SCHOOL

Paul Bartok (MA)

NEW SCHOOL

Danielle Ouimet (MA)

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY

Courtney Pendleton (BA, 2004))

NIGERA, University of (Nsukka)

Linus Okechukwu (2016)

Festus Iyora

NORTHWESTERN

Matt Middleton (2016)

OKLAHOMA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY

Evangeline Han (2017)

PENNSYLVANIA, University of

Thuy Thanh Li

PITTSBURGH, University of

Jacqui Moreau (MD, 2014)

PRINCETON

Jasmine Wang

Katie Lothrop	PURDUE
Monica Gleberman (MS, 2009)	QUINNIPIAC
Mark Cyr (BS, 2001)	RENSSELAER POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE
Sara Chatterjee (MA, 2015)	SCIENCES PO PARIS
Corrie (Balash) Kerr (MA) Shaina Zura (MSW, 2006)) Celeste Kurz (2018)	SIMMONS
Geraldine Soon	SINGAPORE, National University of
Mariechen Puchert	STELLANBOSCH, University of (South Africa)
Samantha Perez (BA, 2010)	SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA
Brian LaRue (BA) Leslie (Marshall) Fredericksen (BA, 2010)	SOUTHERN CONNECTICUT
Shagorika Ghosh (BA, 2013)	ST. XAVIER'S (Mumbai)
Janini Ramachandran Michel Lee	STAMFORD
Anh Tuấn Nguyễn	SWARTHMORE
Shagorika Ghosh (MA, 2015)	TATA INSTITUTE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES (Mumbai)
Mariah Pulver	TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY
Lanni Hammonds	TEXAS STATE
Cara Nelissen (2014, masters) Mehran Shamit	TORONTO, University of
Samantha Perez (MA, 2012)	TULANE
Elaine Truong	UCLA
Rachel Glogowski (BA, 2013)	VILLANOVA
	WELLESLEY

Jessica Majerus

WESLEYAN

Kaishi Lee (BA, 2009)

WINONA STATE

Kate (Majerus) Hanke (BA, 2006; MA, 2007)

YEREVAN STATE UNIVERSITY (Armenia)

Narine Daneghyan (BA, 2010; MA, 2014)

We're so proud of our YJI family, where so many are doing so much.

If you can help, we can use the aid. We do all of this on less than a shoestring – and we have thousands of young people who want to participate but don't get the opportunity because we can't begin to keep up with demand.