



**Melissa Bahati** is a junior at ASU double majoring in Justice studies and Criminology and Criminal justice. She has a passion for international policy and law. She hopes to combine her interests and go to law school after her undergrad graduation and obtain a JD dual degree with government. She was born in the Democratic Republic of Congo and grew up in Uganda. Growing up in these countries and seeing the injustices that can be caused by policy makers, she hopes to go back to her home countries one day and influence positive change. Melissa has had 2 past internships at government organizations in Arizona and volunteered at campaigns to further increase her knowledge on policing, law and politics. Melissa is fluent in 5 languages and she uses this to give back to her community as a tutor with Rise Tutoring, an organization that helps refugee children who

move to the U.S. and often fall behind in school due to linguistic barriers. She is also heavily involved in various ASU organizations and spends the weekends serving at her church. In her free time Melissa likes baking, reading fictional romance novels, and exploring new places. Melissa hopes to practice international law to improve economic injustices over the world and bring meaningful change that benefits everyone, not just the top few.



**Ryan Kracinski** is a senior from Gilbert, Arizona pursuing a Bachelors Degree in Political Science, a Minor in Global Studies, with certificates in International Studies, Digital Marketing, and Intercultural Skills; with plans to attend law school after the completion of his undergraduate degree, Ryan is a member of Pi Sigma Alpha, The National Political Honor Society. Ryan has a vested interest in leadership, national security, and encouraging others to be better individuals regardless of their circumstance. While in D.C. completing his undergraduate degree Ryan is interning with a Think Tank inside the beltway, The Competitive Enterprise Institute; he is a participant in The Stand Together Fellowship Program. Outside of his professional ambitions, Ryan has a passion for spending time with family, his dog, physical fitness, entrepreneurship, political policy, and the written word.



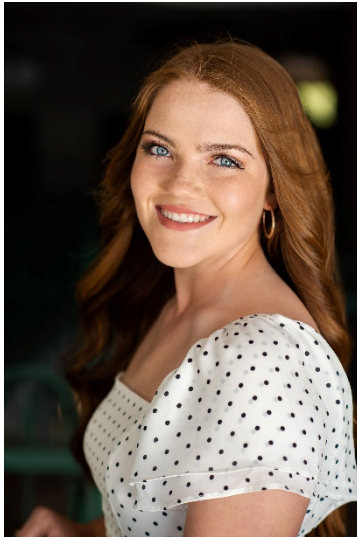
My name is **Jesus Lara**. I am a senior at ASU and I am from California. My major is organizational leadership. My main goal for graduation is to achieve summa cum laude. The achievement I am most proud of while at ASU is being student number one admitted into the Israel study abroad program. After my degree I want to pursue a career in finance. Some goals I have after graduation are to get a series 6 and series 7 license and to apply to a MBA program after getting work experience.



**Anthony Martinez** is entering his senior year as a First generation student at Arizona state university pursuing an economics degree and a minor in Political Science. Anthony is involved with various campus organizations, such as the Hispanic business student association, Garden Club, and the undergraduate law association. He has a passion for public affairs and the environment he hopes to combine when studying in law school after obtaining his undergraduate degree. Anthony Hopes to become a public interest lawyer and eventually become an ambassador or run for public office. Anthony enjoys working and getting to know people and is excited to work in DC in the spring at the Senate with Senator Mark Kelly. Anthony loves to travel, read books, eat new foods, visit art museums, and spend his time outdoors. He hopes to make the most of his experience, foster valuable relationships and be a role model for the next generations.



**Krista Schnarr** is a junior from Columbus, Ohio, pursuing a degree in Biological Sciences and Global Health and has recently been accepted into Barrett, The Honors College at Arizona State University. She is interested in global health policy, health equity, and biological research and is a member of the Honors Society. She is passionate about the right to health sovereignty and self-determination and aspires to bring a scientific perspective into the political field. Her career interests include Chief Medical Advisor for the United States, Health Equity Research Scientist and a member of the United Nations Medical team. She enjoys playing basketball, hiking, and entomology.



**Brintley Spencer**, a Queen Creek, AZ native, is a junior at Arizona State University studying Business (Law) in Barrett, The Honors College. While attending ASU, Brintley is an active member of the Leadership Scholarship Program and Barrett Mentor Program. Outside of her studies, she worked as a student assistant in the Office of the President of the University where she helped run campus-wide ceremonies and events, managed VIP guests, and completed other various tasks. In addition, she volunteers as a coach for Queen Creek Little League and runs a small business for eyebrow and eyelash services. Upon graduation, Brintley is looking forward to pursuing a career in the legal field as an attorney.



**Holly Tourville** is a senior at Arizona State University pursuing a degree in Public Policy and Public Service with a concentration on Law and Policy. Holly has a background in the legal field which sparked a passion for policy making and US political system. Throughout her education, she has focused on learning about important issues like social injustice and economic inequality. Holly hopes to dedicate her life and career to advocating for equitable policies at the local and national levels. After graduation, Holly plans to attain her Masters degree in Public Administration to further her goals in public service. Outside of her time at ASU, Holly loves to travel, listen to music, try new foods, and cook for friends and family.



**Catherine "Cat" Valluzzo** is a senior at the School of Social Transformation at Arizona State University studying African American Studies. She is also studying French to help her interact better with French speaking people in the diaspora. Because of her passion to help and assist the underserved, Cat went back to school to acquire the necessary qualifications to work with social needs of the poorly served in our society. With this in mind, she intends to pursue a career in social services and policy making to enable her implement policies to effect positive change. Cat enjoys helping and working with people and would be interning this spring semester at a bicameral and bipartisan policy analysis, lobbying and advocacy group that will help her to advance her dream of public policy support in her next career move. Cat loves to cook and to travel. She was in Lyon, France this past summer on a study abroad program to learn more French language and Lyon culture.