

# **ACLU FOUNDATION OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA** PRO BONO AWARDS 2021

The ACLU Foundation of Southern California gratefully acknowledges and thanks all of the many pro bono firms and cooperating attorneys who have worked with us to advance social justice and civil liberties in the past year. We could not do our work without their support.

#### THANK YOU FOR YOUR COMMITMENT TO SOCIAL JUSTICE.

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# COMMUNITY **SERVICE AWARD**



#### LOEB & LOEB LLP

We are grateful to Loeb & Loeb, which has provided a wide variety of support to our legal and advocacy efforts and has been a steadfast partner on many of our in-house projects providing rigorous legal expertise and guidance.

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### **CIVIL LIBERTIES AWARD**

Morgan Lewis

# MORGAN, LEWIS & BOCKIUS LLP

We are grateful to Morgan Lewis and its partnership in challenging the unlawful use of force and harassment by police officers on four high school students in Delano that led to a settlement dismissing the charges and new training requirements for the Delano Police Department.

Debra Fischer Kathy H. Gao

Megan McDonough

Blake Ramsay

Sonia Vucetic



### **ACCESS TO JUSTICE AWARD**

In Youth Justice Coalition v. City of Los Angeles, Munger Tolles & Olson LLP (MTO) defended the due process rights of class members who were unjustly subjected to gang injunctions. The attorneys who worked on this case will receive the Access to Justice Award.

Jacob Kreilkamp Laura Smolowe

#### **IMMIGRANTS' RIGHTS AWARD**

In Kidd v. ICE., MTO supported our class action lawsuit to force ICE agents to stop using impersonation tactics and other unlawful practices during home arrests. The attorneys who worked on this case will receive the Immigrants' Rights Award.

Oliver Brown

Terra Castillo Laughton

Anjan Choudhury

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Jacob Kreilkamp



The **A.L. Wirin Pro Bono Award** is named for the man widely acknowledged as one of the first pro bono attorneys in the United States. A.L. Wirin worked for years with the ACLU SoCal on a pro bono basis before becoming one of our first staff attorneys in 1933. He argued Korematsu and Yasui at the Supreme Court and was involved in some of the most important civil rights cases of his time.

The A.L. Wirin Pro Bono Award is given annually to firms whose commitment to supporting our work has been especially profound.

# **A.L. WIRIN PRO BONO AWARD**

#### **MUNGER TOLLES** & OLSON LLP

We are proud to honor MTO with their second A.L. Wirin Pro Bono Award for being an extraordinary partner on many cases and issues with us-dedicating dozens of attorneys to our joint commitment to social justice.



#### FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AWARD

As part of a broader firm initiative to address systemic racism, MTO has taken on the Herculean task of co-counseling to enforce new laws opening police records regarding serious uses of force and certain officer misconduct, including in Johnson v. L.A. County Sheriff's Department. The attorneys and paralegals who are working on this case and broader initiative will receive the Freedom of Information Award.

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#### **GENDER JUSTICE AWARD**



# ALEXANDER MORRISON + FEHR LLP

We are grateful to Alexander Morrison + Fehr, for co-counseling on *Atkinson* v. *AECOM* and *Bragg* v. *Pacific Maritime Association* cases that brought urgent attention to cases of pregnancy discrimination, sexual harassment, and lactation discrimination.

J. Bernard Alexander Amelia Alvarez Michael Morrison



#### **HUMANITARIAN AWARD**



### COVINGTON LATHAM&WATKINSLIP

When COVID-19 forced our country to shut down to protect itself, vulnerable people who are incarcerated were forgotten. As the ACLU SoCal fought for their health and safety, we were joined by three remarkable firms who worked with us on different aspects of the crisis. We proudly honor:

#### BIRD MARELLA P.C.

For working on the prison COVID-19 cases of *Wilson* v. *Ponce* and *Torres* v. *Milusnic*.

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For challenging the conditions at the Adelanto Detention Center in *Hernandez Roman* v. *Wolf.* 

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