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Useful Information for Sam H. Jones Community Service Scholars

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**Don't Forget!** Student Scholarship Applications for the 2016-2017 Sam H. Jones Community Service Scholarships are due **February 1st!**

Request an Application on our website at [go.iu.edu/samjones](http://go.iu.edu/samjones)

To submit ideas, photos or event information to the SAM, email Adam Peters at [adapeter@iupui.edu](mailto:adapeter@iupui.edu).

## Scholar Recruitment Contest: Who's the Boss?

***The contest to recruit the most students is underway!***

Currently, FSN Scholar **Levi Brown** has the lead for 1st place, but the next 4 places are wide open!

## Remember

Student organizations are having their final meetings of the semester, giving you the perfect opportunity to talk about your experiences as a scholar! By talking a couple minutes at the student organizations you are apart of and getting some interested students to sign up for more information, you get **5 points!**

**The 5 scholars with the most points at the end of January will get their pick of IUPUI accessories from the Bookstore!**

**If you need a reminder of the rules or materials, click the links below, talk with your program directors, or stop by the Center for Service and Learning!**

[Organization Sign-up](#)

[Recruitment Contest Info and Student Sign-Up Sheets](#)

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## Program Spotlight: Community Service Scholars

### Community Service Scholars

By Shane Whittington,  
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#### Number of Scholars:

15

#### Where do they serve:

Scholars serve at a variety of

community organizations around Indianapolis including:

The Ronald McDonald House of Indiana, Indianapolis Urban League, Academic Model Providing Access to Healthcare (AMPATH), Indy Urban Acres, and Mary Rigg Neighborhood Center, Volunteers of America, Exodus Refugee Immigration, George Washington Community High School, Haughville Library, United Way of Central Indiana, and the Concord



2016-17 CSS Scholars

## Unique Characteristics:

Scholars have the opportunity to gain first-hand work experience at community-based organizations, gaining professional and leadership skills, along with a deeper understanding of social issues.

## Why they believe it is the "best" SHJ program:

We are not the "best" SHJ program, they are all great! Nevertheless, we, CSS, are engaged, enthusiastic, and action oriented leaders; as a result, we believe that one must on occasion "risk it to get the biscuit!"

## Scholar of the Week

The "Scholar of the Week" promotional campaign is well underway and we have already had 3 outstanding scholars highlighted so far!



Every Wednesday a new "Scholar of the Week" will be announced on Instagram and Twitter, and can also be found on the Center for Service and Learning Website! Follow and find out who the next scholar of the week will be, and stay up to date on all the fun things going on through CSL and CSCE!

Follow us on Instagram at [iupui\\_csce](https://www.instagram.com/iupui_csce) 

Follow us on twitter [@IUPUICSCE](https://twitter.com/IUPUICSCE) 

Check out our Website: <http://csl.iupui.edu/>

## Scholar Photo Gallery

Check out what our scholars have been up to!

If you have any pictures of you or other scholars serving, please email Adam Peters



## GA Spotlight: Sarah Stalter



# Sarah Stalter

*Social Justice Scholar*

*Graduate Assistant*

## **Degree Program:**

Masters of Museum Studies

## **Go-To Snack:**

Popcorn with Parmesan cheese sprinkled on top

## **What is the most rewarding aspect of being apart of the Sam H. Jones**

### **program?**

The most rewarding part of my job is advising my students and helping them achieve their program goals.

### **Words of Advice:**

Treat every opportunity as a chance to network and create more connections, make sure that you have an organized plan for achieving your goals, and most importantly, plan ahead!

### **If you could be any fruit or vegetable, which would you be and why?**

Sweet Pepper; I am nice and helpful, but also passionate and feisty.

## **Upcoming Opportunities You Don't Want To Miss**

### **SpeakOUT Presents: Last Words**

Are you interested in poetry or creating visual art? If so the Social Justice Education is putting on *Last Words*: a workshop exploring narratives through writing poetry and creating visual art. No experience is needed and all are welcome! The workshop takes place on **December 2nd in the Campus Center Room 307 at 7pm.**

### **Pass the mic: How much student debt do you have?**

More and more emphasis is put on young people to obtain college degrees, yet the price of these degrees have been rising steadily, after adjusting for inflation. Join our Social Justice Scholars to discuss the rising costs of tuition and the pressure to obtain a degree. **Wednesday, December 9th, from 11-12pm in the Campus Center Cafeteria.**

## Indiana University Foundation's Summer 2016 Development Internship

Are you interested in nonprofit management and philanthropy? The IU Foundation is offering a paid summer internship for graduate and undergraduate students to increase their professional, leadership, management, and philanthropic skills. Interns will lead special projects, and learn from both the IU Foundation in Bloomington and the Lily Family School of Philanthropy's Fund Raising School. To learn more and apply, go to <https://jobs.iuf.iu.edu>. Applications are due by **Friday, December 11.**

## Service + Community Leadership Summer Internship

Are you interested in a summer internship? The Institute on Philanthropy & Volunteer Service in Washington DC is now accepting applications for undergraduates passionate about service and a summer experience making a community impact. The program equips students with the practical and ethical tools needed to strengthen their leadership and professional skills. For those students who apply by the early deadline of **December 10** are eligible to receive a 5% tuition discount! For more information and to apply go to: [www.dcinternships.org/IPVS](http://www.dcinternships.org/IPVS)

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