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DC JUSTICE LAB’S 2024 MOVEMENT MIXER

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Since its inception, the Movement Mixer has been a resounding success year after year, marked by a vibrant and engaging atmosphere that draws people from diverse backgrounds eager to make positive change in the DC. The energy at the event is palpable, filled with lively discussions, meaningful connections, and a shared commitment to advancing social justice and equity.

With hundreds of attendees, including influential leaders, advocates, and community members, the Mixer creates a dynamic space for collaboration, networking, and idea-sharing. The “positive vibes only” and enthusiastic participation make it a standout gathering that leaves a lasting impact on everyone involved, reflecting the dedication and passion of the DC Justice Lab community.
ABOUT DC JUSTICE LAB

OUR MISSION

DC Justice Lab is a team of law and policy experts researching, organizing, and advocating for large-scale changes to the District of Columbia’s criminal legal system. We develop smarter safety solutions that are evidence-driven, community-rooted, and racially just. We aim to fully transform the District’s approach to public safety and make it a national leader in justice reform.

HELP ACHIEVE AN EQUITABLE VISION FOR DC

Your contribution has the power to drive transformative change in the District, fostering safer and freer communities. With your support, DC Justice Lab envisions and works towards a District that:

1. Eradicates the root causes of crime and violence.
2. Ends overreliance on police, prosecutors, and prisons in favor of solutions that maximize safety and freedom for all.
3. Treats every person as essential to our community.
4. Constantly reexamines its rules and practices to ensure they make us safer, freer, and more equal.
5. Takes dramatic measures to recognize, rectify, and reverse harm it inflicted on poor people and Black people.

ALIGN YOUR VALUES WITH JUSTICE

When you give, you elevate principles, drive policy change and prioritize those adversely affected by the criminal justice system in the District, creating a meaningful impact in the lives of DC residents, advocates, and community leaders.

We believe in entirely reimagining the systems that fail to keep us safe. We are committed to fighting against the past that holds us back and for the future we deserve.

Sustainable change can only happen with the expertise of the most impacted communities. We commit to honoring the expressed interests, concerns, agency, and capacity of Black native Washingtonians.

LEARN MORE AT WWW.DCJUSTICELAB.ORG
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**POLICY TRAINING ACADEMY AND COMMUNITY SAFETY FAIR**

Last summer, we held our inaugural week-long advocacy training where native Washingtonians learned how to transform their ideas into real policy change. Guided by the DC Justice Lab team, they created campaign plans, drafted statutory language, and learned how to present their ideas to lawmakers, reporters, and neighbors. Following their presentations at our first Community Safety Fair, council members, staffers, and representatives from our police department and local agencies have reached out with requests to meet with the authors of the proposals. In February 2024, we hosted a second cohort. During this week, participants built both the knowledge of systems of policy and legislative change in the District and the skills needed to navigate them.

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**DC JUSTICE FELLOWSHIP**

Through this program, justice-committed law school graduates spend one year working on criminal policy reform under the guidance and mentorship of DC Justice Lab experts and our external partners. We are equipping them with the tools necessary to work in government, legislative bodies, and other influential advocacy entities across the country.

**RICHARD K. GILBERT POLICY ADVOCACY COMPETITION**

In March 2024, DC Justice Lab hosted their first-of-its-kind competition. Designed as a step toward diversifying Capitol Hill legislative staff and the legal field at large, teams comprised of students from the five DC law schools competed in legislative advocacy-focused mock hearings to win scholarship prize money. The event convened DC-area law school students, local politicians, lawyers, and advocates; and aims to facilitate the generation of new strategies for tangible legislative change.
CAMPAIGNS

This year, DC Justice Lab is prioritizing four impactful campaigns led by our policy team, each addressing critical issues in our justice system.

The first campaign targets mandatory minimums to restore judicial discretion for fairer outcomes. Our reparations campaign addresses historical injustices and promotes equity by advocating for reparative measures. Additionally, our efforts to end solitary confinement in all its forms and focus on humane treatment and alternatives to isolation within correctional facilities continue. Lastly, our probation reform campaign strives to incentivize early termination of probation for people who comply with the conditions of release and support successful reintegration into society.

YOUR SPONSORSHIP NOT ONLY SUPPORTS THESE VITAL INITIATIVES BUT ALSO ALIGNS YOUR BRAND WITH MEANINGFUL CHANGE AND JUSTICE ADVOCACY.

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

Spur Local Community Changemaker Award
Greater Washington Urban League Champion of Justice Award
Washington Lawyers Committee for Civil Rights and Urban Affairs Alfred Mckenzie Award
World Justice Challenge Finalist in Equal Rights and Nondiscrimination Category
National Reentry Network for Returning Citizens Partnership Award
National Bar Association Young Lawyers Division
Lendon J. Alexander Advocacy and Leadership Award
Echoing Green Fellowship

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★ 10 tickets*

$1,000 FRIENDS OF DC JUSTICE LAB
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Do you know a friend, colleague, or business who should learn more about our impact & sponsor the 2024 Movement Mixer? Drop us a note at giving@dcjusticelab.org or pass along this packet.

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