

# CRAVATH

## *National law firm with a rich history of meaningful pro bono work of the highest quality*

Cravath has partnered with Lawyers Alliance since 2001, providing pro bono assistance to more than 60 nonprofit clients on more than 66 legal matters, including 19 new cases during the past year. The exemplary support of Cravath's attorneys has led to the success of pro bono projects, including strategic alliances, lease agreements, privacy policies, and entity formations.

Attorneys from Cravath assisted **Teens of Color Abroad**, an organization dedicated to cultivating the next generation of globally conscious youth of color through full language immersion study abroad experiences, by updating four Memoranda of Understanding with partner schools. Cravath also reviewed and negotiated a license agreement for **Bushwick United**, an early childhood education program serving low-income children and their families in the Bushwick and Williamsburg areas of Brooklyn, which aimed to protect its property and ensure it could continue services during construction on the adjacent building. Cravath attorneys have consistently received accolades from Lawyers Alliance clients praising their passion and professionalism, which they carry through to each representation.

### *Q. How does the firm encourage and support business and transactional lawyers at all levels to participate in pro bono?*

Cravath offers a wide array of pro bono opportunities to meet the interests of lawyers in all departments, including transactional lawyers, ensuring that everyone can utilize their specific skill set and contribute meaningfully. By providing resources, mentorship and guidance, we equip our lawyers with the necessary tools to best serve our pro bono clients, including

nonprofits and individuals starting small businesses. We also encourage transactional attorneys to explore and engage in pro bono work beyond their usual practice areas, recognizing and supporting diverse interests and passions. We highlight impactful projects through newsletters and other Firm-wide announcements, fostering an inclusive environment where all lawyers feel that their contributions to our pro bono program are valued.

### *Q. As you look to the future, how do you see the firm's pro bono program evolving to meet the needs of the nonprofit sector?*

Challenging pro bono work has long been a cornerstone of legal practice at Cravath, and our program is poised to respond to the ever-changing needs of the nonprofit sector. By partnering with organizations such as Lawyers Alliance for New York, we continue to identify the nonprofit sector's most pressing legal needs and support our clients with the same top-tier representation we are known for across the Firm. Our Corporate and Tax lawyers play crucial roles in this effort, leveraging their expertise to provide invaluable assistance to our nonprofit clients. The Firm is proud to support incredible organizations through our transactional pro bono work, ensuring they receive the comprehensive legal support they need, enabling them to continue to enrich our communities.

*"ETD felt extremely cared for by Cravath. Everyone worked very efficiently and thoughtfully when asking questions about our dance company to understand our needs better. Many dance companies don't have the opportunity to work with a legal team to create important statements. ETD feels more confident and honest about how we ask for personal information."*

— Savannah Gaillard  
Lead Administrator,  
Eryc Taylor Dance

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Cravath attorneys have worked with the following Lawyers Alliance clients in the last three years: **Braata Productions, Bronx Community Guardianship Network, The Bronx High School of Science Foundation, Bronx River Art Center, Bushwick United HDFC, Center for American Mobility, Center for American Mobility Fund, Dancing Classrooms, Dieu Donne Paper Mill, Duncan Tree Foundation, Earth Matter, Eryc Taylor Dance, Goodwill Industries of Greater New York and Northern New Jersey, Grand Street Settlement, Guardians of Flushing Bay, Gun Violence Project, Hanson Place Child Development Center, Harlem Dowling West Side Center for Children and Family Services, I'RAISE Girls and Boys International Corp., Impact 100 NYC, International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons, I WILL GRADUATE f/k/a Entertainers 4 Education Alliance, Kaleidoscope Psychology, Legacy College Preparatory Charter School, Museum at Eldridge Street, National Urban Fellows, New York Urban League, Project Come Up, Queens Community House, Queens Women's Chamber of Commerce, Race Forward, Riverdale Neighborhood House, Sculpture Space NYC – Center for Ceramic Art, Spark Arts, Speak Mentorship d/b/a SPEAKHIRE, STEM from Dance, Teachers & Writers Collaborative, Teens of Color Abroad, Ujima Pan African Media Archives, UnionDocs, and Walk In My Shoes Media.**

Firm attorneys who have worked with these clients include: Chloe Amarilla, Konadu Amoakuh, Michael L. Arnold, Jin Baek, Joshua Banafsheha, Brian Budnick, Andrew Carlon\*, Dan Cerqueira, Justin Clarke, Cierra Coury, Ronald E. Creamer, Jr., Helen Catherine Darby, Andrew Davis, Doug Dolan, Cole DuMond, Joanne Dynak, Christopher K. Fargo, Jeryne Fish, Gabriela Flores-Romo, Daphne Fong, Alissa Fromkin\*, Ryan Genkin, Abhilasha Gokulan, Nicole Gould, Kiyana Grimes, Star Gulant, Emily Gust, Clay Hackney\*, Mikayla Harris, Shoumick Hasan, Jesse Houchens\*, Esther Kang, Sonia Katharani-Khan, Celeste Kearney, Matthew Kelly, Kelly King, Yoshiyuki Kitajima\*, Lyudmila Kirichenko, Sam Klotz, Nicholle Lamartina\*,

Brian Larkin\*, Celine Li, Carolyn Liziewski \*, Luke Martin, Chris Moon\*, Grace Mooney, Matthew Morreale, Kara Mungovan\*, Sanjay Murti\*, Julia Nagle, Molly Nichols, Jonathan Nickas\*, Connor O'Neill, Carlos Obando, Ryan Patrone, David Perkins, Kamini Persaud, Bethany Pfalzgraf, Lauren Piechocki, Andrew Pitts, Matthew Ploszek, Samuel Plutchok\*, Justin Poitras\*, Brooke Purington\*, Zachary Ramirez-Brunner, Arvind Ravichandran, Jill Refvem\*, Claudia Ricciardi, Jordan Rogers, Sasha Rosenthal-Larrea, Adam Sanchez, Jessica Sandor, Brianna Sawhney, Natan Sebhat, Rhemé Sloan, Kelly Smercina, George Smith\*, Victoria Stringfellow\*, Gary Uter\*, Andrew Wark, Carys Johnson Webb, Justin Williams, Tiffany Wong, and Matthew Ybarra.

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