



**CAPA Community Education Fund**

**Summer  
Internship  
Graduation  
2014**

**Sunday, September 7, 2014**  
Round Hill Country Club  
Alamo, CA

**We Proudly Support  
the CAPA Community Education Fund  
and their Summer Internship Program**



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# CAPA COMMUNITY EDUCATION FUND CHAIR'S MESSAGE



Welcome to the 2014 Intern Graduation Program of CAPA Community Education Fund. I wish to sincerely thank all of you who so generously support our wonderful programs and activities throughout the year. Your commitment to our organization is greatly appreciated.

With the passing of every year, we add to the ever-growing number of CAPA CEF interns who have spent an eye-opening experience working at a public office for a few short months. In fact, this internship is most likely their first experience working in a professional environment. The internship experience can be a challenge, yet upon graduation, it can provide them with a sense of accomplishment. I am certain that this summer will always be remembered by our interns.

I also cannot express enough gratitude and appreciation to the parents and family of the interns. Such support is invaluable to both the students and to the program, and ultimately, the benefits from such a nurturing environment are felt by all.

We hope that you will enjoy this afternoon's event, and that we will see you again soon. We cannot be any prouder of our 2014 interns. Thank you once again.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Eric Golangco". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Eric Golangco  
Chair, CAPA Community Education Fund

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## Graduation Program

*2:15 pm*

### **Welcome Remarks and Introduction of CAPA Community Education Fund Board**

*Eric Golangco, Chair of CAPA Community Education Fund*

### **Introduction of VIPs and Special Guests**

*Stephen Lin*

### **Intern Program - Debate**

*Bettina Wong-Uno*

### **Intern Program - Skit**

*Evelyn Lin, Chair of the Summer Internship Program*

### **Experiences Shared From the Public Officials**

*Marsha Golangco*

### **Experiences Shared From the Interns**

*Evelyn Lin, Chair of the Summer Internship Program*

### **Graduation Ceremony**

### **Conclusion of Program**

### **Reception**

# — Introducing our Class of 2014 Interns —



## **Charlotte Bueno**

**School:** College Park High School  
**Office:** Contra Costa County District III  
Supervisor Mary Nejedly Piepho  
**Career Goal:** Becoming a nurse

**Words to live by:** "Challenges are what make life interesting and overcoming them is what makes life meaningful."



## **Joanne Chen**

**School:** Acalanes High School  
**Office:** Contra Costa County District IV  
Supervisor Karen Mitchoff  
**Career Goal:** Dentist or Physician's Assistant

**Words to live by:** "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose."

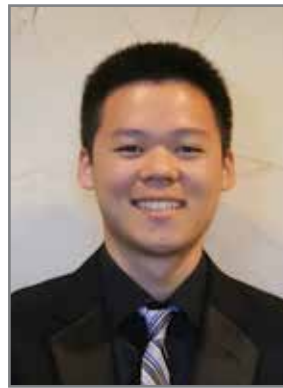
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## **Lawrence Cheung**

**School:** Alameda Science and Technology Institute  
**Office:** Assemblymember Rob Bonta  
**Career Goal:** Nurse Practitioner

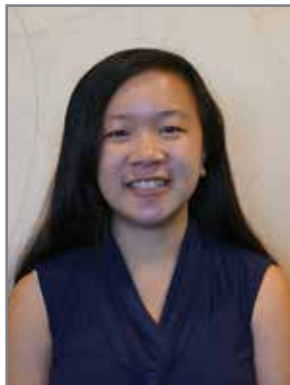
**Words to live by:** "The great affair, the love affair with life, is to live as variously as possible, to groom one's curiosity like a high-spirited thoroughbred, climb aboard, and gallop over the thick, sun-struck hills every day."



## **Jason Chiou**

**School:** Campolindo High School  
**Office:** San Francisco Mayor Ed Lee's Office of Neighborhood Services  
**Career Goal:** Engineer

**Words to live by:** "You make a living by what you get, you make a life by what you give."



## **Emily Chuah**

**School:** Monte Vista High School  
**Office:** Office of Contra Costa District Attorney, Mark Peterson  
**Career Goal:** Attorney

**Words to live by:** "How wonderful it is that nobody need wait a single moment before starting to improve the world."

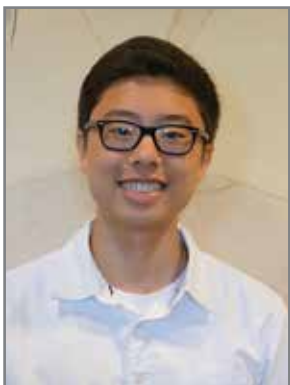


## **Anand Kannappan**

**School:** Dougherty Valley High School  
**Office:** U.S. Senator Barbara Boxer  
**Career Goal:** Business Executive

**Words to live by:** "I may walk slowly, but I never walk backward."

- Abraham Lincoln  
who once profoundly stated



## **Christopher Lim**

**School:** Northgate High School  
**Office:** State Senator Mark DeSaulnier  
**Career Goal:** Music Producer

**Words to live by:** "Anyone who has never made a mistake has never tried anything new." - Albert Einstein



*Intern Orientation at Roundhill Country Club in Alamo with Alameda Vice Mayor Lena Tam, Moraga Mayor Ken Chew, County Supervisor Karen Mitchoff, State Senator Mark DeSaulnier, members of CAPA/CEF Board and the class of 2014*

# — Introducing our Class of 2014 Interns —



## **Yian Liou**

**School:** Monte Vista High School  
**Office:** San Francisco Mayor Ed Lee's 311 Office  
**Career Goal:** Pursue a career in the financial or IT Sector

**Words to live by:** "Life is what you make of it. Keep a healthy balance and do what you enjoy most."



## **Shanwu Lo**

**School:** Dougherty Valley High School  
**Office:** Congressman George Miller  
**Career Goal:** Economics w/ minor in Political Science

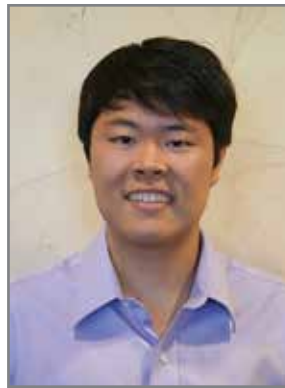
**Words to live by:** "Don't spend all your time worrying about the future that you forget to live in the present."



## **Yash Sanghrajka**

**School:** Dougherty Valley High School  
**Office:** Assemblymember Phil Ting  
**Career Goal:** Lawyer

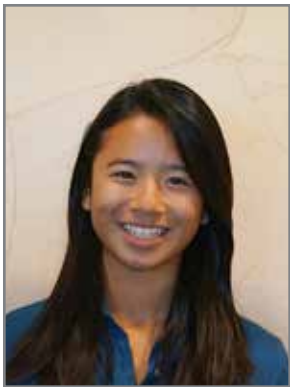
**Words to live by:** "In three words I can sum up everything I've learned about life: it goes on." - *Robert Frost*



## **Ryan Sim**

**School:** Dougherty Valley High School  
**Office:** Danville Mayor Robert Storer  
**Career Goal:** Public Office

**Words to live by:** "That which We manifest is before Us." - *Garth Stein*



## **Alexa Tanoto**

**School:** Northgate High School  
**Office:** Assemblywoman Susan Bonilla  
**Career Goal:** Research in Biology

**Words to live by:** "You can't have success unless you accept failure."



## **Jasmine Tsui**

**School:** Monte Vista High School  
**Office:** Contra Costa County District II Supervisor, Candace Andersen  
**Career Goal:** Pediatrician

**Words to live by:** "Fear stops you from doing a lot of things, but it should never stop you from doing the right thing."



*Alexa Tanoto along with staffers and interns at the annual STORM Girl's Soccer Clinic hosted by Assemblymember Susan Bonilla's office*



## **Hayley Uno**

**School:** Las Lomas High School  
**Office:** State Senator Mark DeSaulnier  
**Career Goal:** Biotechnology Research

**Words to live by:** "Mistakes are always forgivable, if one has the courage to admit them." - *Bruce Lee*

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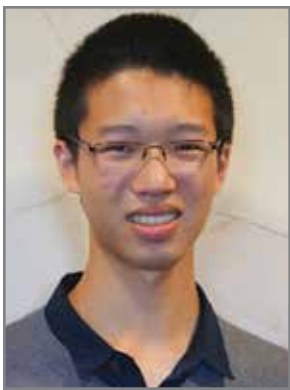
**Jared Wong**  
**School:** Monte Vista High School  
**Office:** Office of Contra Costa District Attorney, Mark Peterson  
**Career Goal:** Hedge Fund Manager or Mergers and Acquisition Lawyer

**Words to live by:** "Two roads diverged in a wood, and I- I took the one less traveled by, And that has made all the difference." - *Robert Frost*



**Jonathan Wu**  
**School:** Albany High School  
**Office:** Contra Costa County Supervisor District I, John Gioia  
**Career Goal:** To help the world acquire a better understanding of each other and the reasons behind their actions.

**Words to live by:** "Kindness can become its own motive. We are made kind by being kind." - *Eric Hoffer*



**John Xie**  
**School:** Berkeley High School  
**Office:** Assemblymember Rob Bonta  
**Career Goal:** To gain as much knowledge as possible

**Words to live by:** "When in doubt, make a fool out of yourself."  
- *Cynthia Heimel*



**Sophia Yang**  
**School:** Amador Valley High School  
**Office:** Assemblymember Joan Buchanan  
**Career Goal:** Undecided

**Words to live by:** "For I know the plans I have for you...plans to give you hope and a future" - *Jeremiah 29:11*



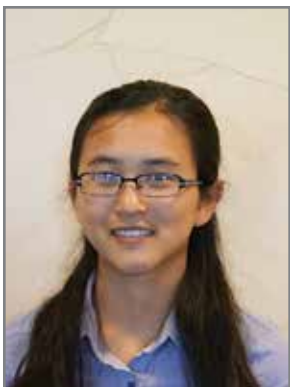
**Edward Yu**  
**School:** Dougherty Valley High School  
**Office:** Dublin Mayor Tim Sbranti  
**Career Goal:** Journalism

**Words to live by:** "Three things cannot be long hidden: the sun, the moon, and the truth."



**Bradley Zhu**  
**School:** Campolindo High School  
**Office:** Assemblyman Phil Ting  
**Career Goal:** Biological Engineer

**Words to live by:** "I'd rather regret the things I've done than regret the things I haven't done." - *Lucille Ball*



**Dana Zhu**  
**School:** The College Preparatory School  
**Office:** Alameda County District III Supervisor, Wilma Chan,  
**Career Goal:** I want to pursue a career where I can help people to my fullest without too many limitations. I want to solve problems and be there for people to rely on.

**Words to live by:** "Work hard and be smart while following your heart."



# 2014 CAPA CEF Internship Program Chair



Evelyn Wei Wu Lin holds a Master of Science (M.S.) in Financial Accounting. After working several years for international corporations, she discovered her true passion was human relationships, with a focus on helping others to achieve happiness and success. Evelyn is a certified professional Life Coach and Trainer.

As the Intern Chair for CAPA, Evelyn's goal is to teach life strategies in a real work environment, helping students discover their true passion and unique identities in the course of completing their CAPA student internships.



*Charlotte Bueno with Supervisor Mary Nejedly Piepho*



*Hayley Uno with State Senator Mark DeSaulnier*



*Christopher Lim with State Senator Mark DeSaulnier*



*Jonathan Wu with Supervisor John Gioia*



*Dana Zhu with Supervisor Wilma Chan*



*Joanne Chen with Supervisors Karen Mitchoff, Federal Glover and Candace Andersen*



*Jared Wong with District Attorney Mark Peterson along with fellow interns, deputy district attorneys and staffers*



# CAPA Community Education Fund

*Advancing Chinese and Asian American Leadership and Participation in Public Affairs*

The CAPA Community Education Fund (CAPA Ed Fund) is a non-profit organization. The goal of CAPA Ed Fund is to strengthen and empower the Chinese and other Asian American communities by promoting leadership, civic engagement, cultural diversity and understanding.

Programs include voter registration and education, community forums, a summer student internship program and leadership development. We invite you to join us in our mission to encourage broader civic participation and promote a better understanding and appreciation of the diversity that makes the San Francisco Bay Area a most unique and vibrant community.

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## Get more involved with CAPA Community Education Fund

Here's your chance to become a more active member and/or supporter of our programs. Email us at [Edfund@Capacommunity.org](mailto:Edfund@Capacommunity.org) if you would like to volunteer to help the board and assist with our programs.

*Please indicate the following:*

### I would like to get involved:

- I would like to serve on the Board.

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- Fundraising Events
- Summer Internship Program
- Fall Forum / Debates
- Holiday Activities (as scheduled)

Please provide your name and phone number in addition to your email address so that a board member will contact you. Thank you for your time and interest. If you have any questions, please email us at [EdFund@CAPAcommunity.org](mailto:EdFund@CAPAcommunity.org).



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