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WSD HANDA Center for
Human Rights & International Justice



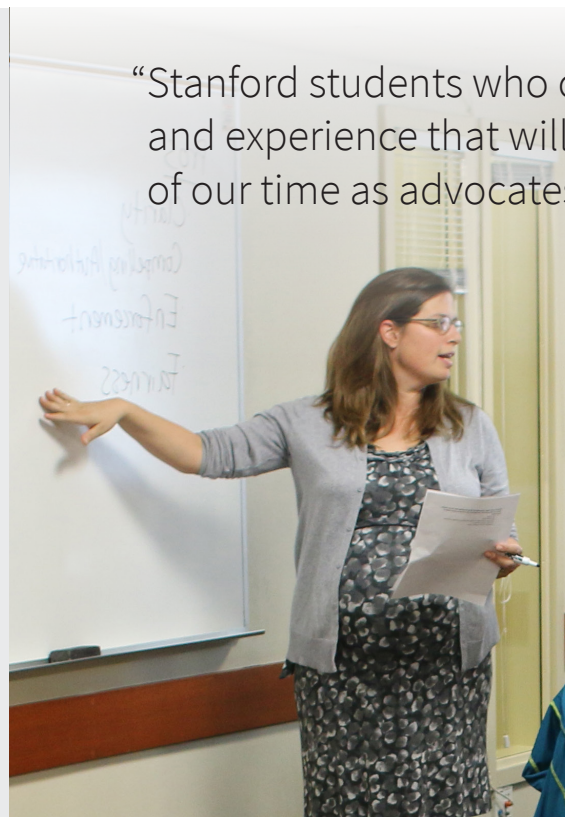
*Critical inquiry,
innovative approaches, and
collaborative engagement
in the classroom and in the world*



THE HANDA CENTER equips a **new generation** of leaders with the knowledge and skills necessary to protect and promote **human rights** and dignity for all. Reflecting a deep commitment to international justice and the **rule of law**, the Center collaborates with partners across Stanford University and beyond on innovative programs that foster **critical inquiry** in the classroom and in the world.

PROGRAMS

- Rule of Law & Accountability
- Human Rights Education
- Trauma Mental Health
- Sexual & Gender-Based Violence
- Human Trafficking
- Digital Archives & New Technologies
- Criminal Justice



“Stanford students who come to the Handa Center seek opportunities to gain knowledge and experience that will help them address the most pressing societal and global issues of our time as advocates for human rights.” — **DAVID COHEN**, DIRECTOR

in the classroom

- Offers a **Minor in Human Rights**, which gives students an interdisciplinary framework to study the subject. Students from any major are welcome to declare the minor
- Provides opportunities for students to engage in **research** on challenging human rights issues, such as international criminal proceedings, human trafficking, and criminal justice
- Advises students on **career pathways** and provides networking opportunities
- Hosts a **full slate of events** to bring human rights practitioners to campus
- Strengthens the **human rights community** at Stanford University

in the world

- Bridges study in the classroom with real world application through fully funded **internships and fellowships**
- Connects students to **community-engaged learning** opportunities to enhance classroom learning through practice
- Informs **policies and practices** by providing expert analysis and testimony
- Advances rule of law and accountability through **overseas programs** aimed at reconciliation and justice sector capacity building in post-conflict settings

“The Handa Center has become an academic home for me, a place where I can always visit for advice or talk through some aspects of my honors thesis. Its staff and affiliates are some of my closest mentors at Stanford.”

— ALINA UTRATA, '17, 2017 MARSHALL SCHOLAR

GET INVOLVED

We invite you to support our many initiatives aimed at tackling the world's most pressing challenges. There are a number of ways for Stanford alumni and the public to get involved in the work of the Handa Center. Whether by engaging students directly with internship and career opportunities, attending Handa Center events, invigorating our community with new expertise or ideas, or through giving, you can directly support the Handa Center's mission of advancing human rights and the rule of law in the classroom and in the world.

Learn more at handacenter.stanford.edu/get-involved.

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