## **Kevin Paredes Bio**

My name is Kevin Paredes and I am a Peruvian-American from Queens, NY. I'm was born in New York and have lived here my entire life. I am the son of two Peruvian immigrants and am the first in my immediate family to finish high school, go to college, and attend law school. Currently I am a student at Columbia Law School where I am a Public Service Public Interest fellow. I am passionate about constitutional law, civil rights and creating a fair legal system for everyone. I am super excited to be a part of this project and to be able to speak about a case that affects so many people yet is rarely if ever talked about.