



**“Public Allies gave me a solid set of skills and the opportunity to work in the nonprofit world. It will continue to support me when I go back to school and beyond.”**

Anays Antongiorgi, Class of 2008



... and get paid to make a difference in your community.



# We're changing the face and practice of leadership in your community.

Through our signature AmeriCorps program, Public Allies identifies talented young adults, ages 18-30, from diverse backgrounds and prepares them for careers working for community and social change.

Public Allies' mission is to advance new leadership to strengthen communities, nonprofits, and civic participation.



**“If you're just looking for a job... look somewhere else. If you're looking to be challenged, to grow, to step outside your comfort zone...then Public Allies is for you.”**

Arek Miakowski, Class of 2006

## Change your life, change your community, and change the world!

### Make a career out of making a difference

In our 10-month program you will **work full time for a nonprofit organization** addressing critical community issues, and **develop your own leadership** skills through regular trainings delivered by community leaders.

### Paid work in a nonprofit organization

Allies are matched with a nonprofit organization addressing critical community issues. As an Ally you might **run an after school program for youth, offer programs to runaway teens, educate parents about the dangers of lead poisoning, organize a community health fair, recruit and manage volunteers for a food bank, or facilitate cross-cultural dialogue in your neighborhood.**



### Leadership Training and Networks

You'll gain valuable leadership skills, receive personalized coaching to pursue your career goals, build relationships with a diverse network of local leaders, and participate in a national movement of leaders working for change.

## Program Benefits

- Earn a monthly stipend of \$1,300-\$1,800 (depending on your city)
- Receive healthcare, childcare, and student loan deferment during your term of service
- Earn a \$4,725 education award to pay back student loans or pay for future education
- Develop your leadership skills for your life and career
- Expand your network of diverse, passionate young people and community leaders
- Learn about career opportunities in the nonprofit sector

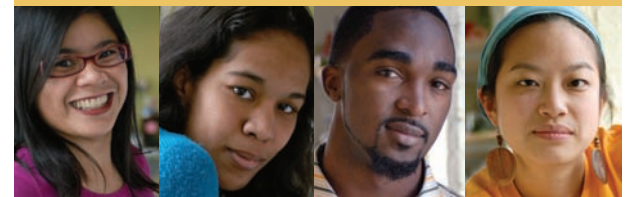
## Be the New Face of Leadership

Join our dynamic and growing movement of young leaders today!

### To Apply

- 1: Visit [publicallies.org](http://publicallies.org) to learn more about the program in your local community
- 2: Contact your local site about application deadlines each spring (each local site is different)
- 3: Submit an application and reference forms (available online or from your local site)

To participate in Public Allies you must be between the ages of 18-30, have a high school diploma or GED, be a US citizen or legal resident, and be committed to making a difference. If selected as a finalist, you will interview with staff and alumni, and then with potential nonprofit partners.



**For more information visit [publicallies.org](http://publicallies.org)**