

The American Democracy Project, the Dept. of Political Science, Legal, and Urban Studies, and the Pre-Law Program present

Voting Rights: Progress and Prospects

A talk by
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As the 2020 election approaches, much hangs in the balance for New Jersey and the United States. Civic participation, particularly the right to vote, has long been a site of civil rights struggle. Join the ACLU-NJ to discuss historical voting rights and disenfranchisement fights in the Garden State and the US, current efforts to enfranchise those who do not have access to voting rights, and to learn about how the COVID-19 pandemic has changed voting this year and how New Jerseyans can make sure their votes are counted. The upcoming elections and ballot questions will have long term impacts for our state and country and will shape our futures.



Sarah Fajardo serves as the policy director for the ACLU-NJ, managing statewide campaigns and efforts to protect the civil rights and liberties of all New Jerseyans. A policy generalist, Fajardo has worked on education policy, criminal justice reform, civic engagement efforts, government transparency, immigrant rights, and more.

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