# THE UNFULFILLED RIGHT TO ACCESS TO COUNSEL FOR DETAINED IMMIGRANTS

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## THE PROJECT









### PAPER STRUCTURE

#### Introduction

- Why Counsel is Essential in Detained Immigration Cases
- II. The Right to Access to Counsel for Immigrants Detained in the United States
- III. Immigration Detention Violates the Right to Access to Counsel
- IV. Intertwined Solutions: Abolition and Law Clinic Involvement
- V. Goals for Law Clinics Working in Immigration Detention Conclusion

# QUESTIONS FOR REVIEWERS RE: STRUCTURE/ORGANIZATION

- We welcome comments on structure of the paper!
- Do the pieces fit together now and are they useful together? Are there certain pieces that need a lot of additional research or do not fit and should be omitted (e.g. section on international law)?
- Would additional information about the details of the work done by the students be useful?
- How do case studies and use of collected data fit into the paper now? Should there be a methodology section discussing the data collected in the detention centers?



# QUESTIONS FOR REVIEWERS RE: THEORY/CONTENT

- Movement lawyering: How do we explain our work as responsive to the community when we mostly collaborate with other lawyers?
- Access to Counsel as an abolitionist goal: does this argument make sense as currently framed?
- Audience: how can we focus this paper more? In what direction should we take this, given the angles we already have or others not yet included?
- Clinical challenges: how do we write about this in a genuine way when the project capacity and structure keeps shifting?





## THANK YOU!

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