



*The Amara Legal Center envisions a society where our clients are free from stigma, violence, oppression, exploitation, and criminalization.*

## Speaker Series Featuring Survivor Interview on January 20th



### CIRCLE OF HOPE

Speaker's Series featuring  
Julia Hubbard

Meet Our Speaker: Julia is a survivor turned investigator specializing in Criminal Profiling, Human Trafficking, Open Source Intelligence, E-Commerce Fraud, and Social Media Intelligence. She is also a senior board member of the VA Coalition Against Human Trafficking and an Ambassador for Amara Legal Center.

Join Amara Legal Center in  
Recognizing human Trafficking  
Awareness month on

JANUARY 20TH  
12:30 - 2:00 PM ET

RSVP TODAY!

Moderated by  
Amara's Communications Associate  
Kyla Woods



The 2021-2020 "Circle of Hope" campaign represents Amara's diverse community, our holistic and culturally-sensitive approach to helping survivors fight for justice, and our training and advocacy efforts to increase awareness and push for equity.

As part of this effort, Amara kicks-off its monthly 2022 Speaker Series with Amara Ambassador and Survivor Advocate Julia Hubbard. Please join Amara for this discussion to hear about Julia's lived experience and her journey towards empowerment.

[Register Today](#)

## Amara Launches New Ambassador Program

Amara is pleased to launch its new Ambassador Program! For 2022, we provide leadership and professional develop skills-building to two ambassadors, thanks to recent funding from the DC Diversity Fund. Julia Hubbard, referenced in the

**AMARA  
AMBASSADOR**

article above, is our first Ambassador.

**We have an open slot for one more individual. If you are interested in serving as an Amara Ambassador, please complete our [online application](#) by February 28, 2022.**



The Ambassador Program brings together survivors, family members of survivors, individuals from marginalized populations, and people who are passionate about Amara's work to center their lived experiences in order to help advance Amara's mission.

Amara Ambassadors will gain professional experience and leadership skills while assisting staff in conveying Amara's mission to a broad and diverse audience, and ultimately helping us serve more individuals in need of our services. Ambassadors promote Amara's services and programs, advocate on behalf of our clients and other marginalized populations, and provide staff with support and input on special projects. Amara creates a unique work plan for our Ambassadors based on their professional and personal development goals and the strategic needs of the organization. Amara Ambassadors commit to 10 hours/month for one year and receive a \$2,500 stipend.

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## International Day to End Violence Against Sex Workers

Racial and ethnic  
discrimination  
makes sex workers  
vulnerable to  
violence.

DEC 15, 2021

Read more about this issue and how Amara  
Legal Services sees this issue in their work.

Violence does not happen in a silo. This December 17, we remember those individuals from our community who have lost their lives to violence. December 17 is the International Day to End Violence Against Sex Workers, an international day to remember those community members who have returned to and become our ancestors in the past year.

This Dec 1-16, Reframe Health and Justice and the Sex Workers Project are naming and highlighting the experiences which lead up to violence, and highlighting some of the organizations who are tackling the root causes head on. Check out the [blog](#) from Amara Legal Center's CEO Carole Bernard.

## Board Member "Circle of Hope" Video Message

Help us amplify the voices of survivors, elevate the discussion, and break the injustice faced by survivors by becoming a "Circle of Hope" donor.

Your contribution will help Amara provide 100 survivors with free legal services and give them hope as they move forward in their journeys towards healing! Don't forget to check out our [2021 Annual Report](#) to learn more about Amara's accomplishments!

Hear from Cindy Fox, Amara Board Vice President!



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ACCESS JUSTICE &  
PAVE A PATH  
TOWARDS HEALING!**



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