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Frank Porter Graham Awards Ceremony



ACLU of North Carolina Legal Foundation

Frank Porter Graham

Born in 1886, Frank Porter Graham was President of the University of North Carolina between 1930 and 1949. He served as U.S. Senator in 1949 and 1950, and as the United Nations negotiator between India and Pakistan over the Kashmir conflict from 1951 to 1967.

During his lifetime, he was actively committed to education, better labor and race relations, world peace, and the protection of civil liberties. The American Civil Liberties Union of North Carolina's Frank Porter Graham Award was first presented to "Dr. Frank" in 1968 and the award has continued in his name following his death in 1972.



BECAUSE FREEDOM CAN'T PROTECT ITSELF.

Join us and celebrate the 37th annual
Frank Porter Graham Awards Ceremony

Saturday, February 25, 2006
The Durham Marriott at the Civic Center

- Issues of Interest**
- *[Supreme Court Decisions](#)
 - *[Death Penalty Moratorium Campaign](#)
 - *[Your Rights as a Pregnant Student/Teenager](#)

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201 Foster Street, Durham, NC

JAZZ RECEPTION

5:30 p.m.

AWARDS CEREMONY

7:00 p.m.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

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Los Angeles filmmaker and Navy veteran who, by virtue of being in the wrong place at the wrong time while filming a documentary, was picked up by U.S. military forces and held in solitary confinement in an Iraqi detention center for more than 50 days without access to a lawyer, even after the FBI confirmed that he had been cleared, until the ACLU won his release.

FRANK PORTER GRAHAM AWARD

Dr. John Hope Franklin

Outstanding Civil Rights Advocate

PAUL GREEN AWARD

Scott Langley and Sheila Stumph

Raleigh Catholic Worker Hospitality House

NORMAN SMITH AWARD

John Russell

Longtime dedicated ACLU-NC Board member

ACLU-NC AWARD

Joyce McCloy

Activist, NC Verified Voting

***Know Your Rights**
Should Know About Being LGBT in NC (currently unavailable)

[*Know Your Rights: A Guide for NC Public School Students](#)

***God & Country**
in Public Schools (currently unavailable)

[*Your Rights When Stopped, Searched, or Arrested by Police](#)

[*Reproductive Rights: A Guide for Women in NC](#)

[*Reproductive Freedom in NC](#)

[*Post 9/11 Safe and Free Campaign](#)

[*NEW: KNOW YOUR VOTING RIGHTS--A Misdemeanant & Ex-Felon's Guide to Voting in North Carolina](#)

[*NUEVA: CONOZCA SUS DERECHOS ELECTORALES-- Una Guía que culpables de delitos menores y ex convictos por delitos graves pueden votar en North Carolina](#)

Please **RSVP** by calling or emailing the ACLU-NC offices no later than February 21, 2006. You can RSVP by telephone or by email to Jennifer Coleman at aclunc@nc.rr.com or 919-834-3466.

Tickets are \$100. Table Sponsors will receive a table for ten and a placard with their name on it, in addition to a mention in the program, for \$1000.

Got ideas for a public education piece? [Email it to us and let us know!](#)

What are my civil liberties?

ACLU-NC Job Opportunities

STAFF ATTORNEY

The American Civil Liberties Union of North Carolina Legal Foundation (ACLU-NCLF) seeks applicants for a full-time staff attorney to work in our office in Raleigh. The ACLU-NC is the state affiliate of the national American Civil Liberties Union.

Beginning on November 15, 2005, applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis until the position is filled.

For a complete list of qualifications, job duties, and application procedures, [click here](#).

The ACLU-NCLF is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer. We encourage applications from all interested persons, including women, people of color, persons with disabilities and GLBTQ persons.

LEGISLATIVE COORDINATOR

The ACLU of North Carolina is seeking to fill the full-time position of Legislative Coordinator. The Legislative Coordinator will be responsible for advancing the civil liberties agenda of the

The Legislative Coordinator will be responsible for advancing the civil liberties agenda of the ACLU-NC before the state legislature and executive branch, Congress, city councils, and county and school boards. The top priority will be advocacy at the statewide level, lobbying the North Carolina General Assembly and the Governor's administration. The Legislative Coordinator will also work on related policy projects and work to develop and strengthen coalitions around key policy initiatives. The Legislative Coordinator will work out of our office in Raleigh. Salary t/b/d depending on experience and qualifications.

For complete, updated list of qualifications, job duties, and application procedures, click [here](#).

The ACLU-NC is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and encourages all people, including people of color, persons with disabilities, and people who identify as GLBT to apply.

Moratorium Volunteer Opportunity

The North Carolina Coalition for a Moratorium on Executions seeks enthusiastic individuals to serve as volunteer field organizers in specific regions throughout North Carolina.

Field organizers, under the direction of the NCCM campaign director, will be responsible for outreach and organizing efforts in one of six regions. Field organizers will develop contacts throughout each region (*Coastal NC, Northeastern NC, Southeastern NC, Southern Piedmont NC, Western Piedmont NC, Western NC*), serve as liaisons for coalition members and assist with the development of local strategy.

Proven leadership, experience with diverse organizations, grassroots advocacy, and public policy familiarity are required. These positions are work-at-home based and require five hours to fifteen hours per week time commitments. Even though this is a volunteer position, organizers will be paid for travel and communication costs. This is a great position for highly energetic and/or retired persons seeking new experiences.

For more information, please [click here](#).