



## Southern Region

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### Angel Perez

**College:** Rowan University

**Major:** Radio, TV and Film/ Writing  
Arts

**Why I Joined the YAB Team:** To show youth that the most powerful voice for change, is theirs.

**Favorite Quote:** Vision without action is merely a dream. Action without vision just passes the time. Vision with action can change the world..-**Joel A. Barker**

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## Statewide Youth Advisory Board Southern Region



**Current and former  
foster and homeless youth  
creating change  
in the NJ Foster  
Care System!**



## Aaron Ivery

**College:** Cumberland County College  
**Major:** Social Service, expected graduation date May 2015.

**Why I Joined the YAB Team:** This happens to be my field of interest. I would love to have experience to do my future better.

**Favorite Quote:** “We are what our thoughts have made us; so take care about what you think. Words are secondary. Thoughts live; they travel far.”  
-Swami Vivekananda



## Skyla Porter

**College:** Camden County College  
**Major:** Computer Graphics.

**Why I Joined the YAB Team:** I joined the YAB team because I had volunteered with the YAB for 3 years previously, and feel that the work that we did with the youth is very empowering, liberating, and beneficial for the youth. I’m happy that Rutgers decided to take reigns and keep the program going.

**Favorite Quote:** “If you want to be average, do what others do. If you want to be awesome, do what no one does.”  
-Alexander Den Heijer



## Kaysie Getty

**College:** Rutgers University Camden  
**Major:** Social Work

**Why I Joined the YAB Team:** After growing up in the foster care system I realized that some things needed to change with the system and I wanted to be a part of it. I served as the President of the Camden County YAB for 4 years and I loved it so much that I wanted to continue to be a part of YAB. As a part of this team my goal is to help youth in care realize that no matter what their circumstances maybe they can be successful in whatever they want to do.

**Favorite Quote:** “I never dreamed of success. I worked for it” – Estee Lauder