

# 2024 ACLI CAPITAL CHALLENGE® CAPTAINS' LIST

## SENATE

10	Senator Mike Braun (R-IN)	Hoosiers for Gold
15	Senator Kyrsten Sinema (I-AZ)	Hot Mess

## HOUSE

100	Representative Chrissy Houlahan (D-PA)	Houla Team
110	Representative Mike Levin (D-CA)	CA-49ers
115	Representative Chris Pappas (D-NH)	Run Free or Die
120	Representative Greg Stanton (D-AZ)	The Dry Heat
125	Representative Josh Gottheimer (D-NJ)	Josh's Jersey Joggers
130	Representative Greg Casar (D-TX)	Team Casar

## EXECUTIVE BRANCH

400	Deb Stempowski, Associate Director (US Census Bureau)	Census vs AI, AI wins
405	Carol Spahn, Director (Peace Corps)	Peace Pacers
410	Scott Beale, Assoc Director for Global Operations (Peace Corps)	Peace Corps Globe Trotters
420	Christopher Fonzone, Asst Attorney General (Dept of Justice, Office of Legal Counsel)	FonZone5
425	Rob Schwartz, General Counsel (Commodity Futures Trading Commission)	Hot Commodities
430	Rachel Brown, Special Asst Economic Policy (National Economic Council)	Not Enough Competition
435	Daniel Koh, Deputy Assist to the President (The White House)	Zients' Zoomers
440	John Podesta, Sr Advisor to the President (The White House)	Zients' Zoomers
445	Vivek Viswanathan, Special Assist to the President (The White House)	Zients' Zoomers
450	Jeff Zients, Chief of Staff (The White House)	Zients' Zoomers
460	Brian Boynton, Principal Deputy Asst Attorney General (Dept of Justice)	Expedited Appeals
465	Denis McDonough, Secretary	VA VA Vroom

470	(Department of Veterans Affairs) Cathy Harris, Chairman (Merit Systems Protection Board)	Title 5Kers
475	Raymond Limon, Vice Chair (Merit Systems Protection Board)	Title 5Kers
480	Pete Buttigieg, Secretary (Department of Transportation)	Running On Time & On Budget
485	Katie Thomson, Deputy Administrator (Department of Transportation)	Running On Time & On Budget
490	Victoria Wassmer, CFO (Department of Transportation)	Train Trust
495	Annie Petsonk, Sr Advisor for Innovation (Department of Transportation)	Train Trust
500	Wyne Jacobs, Special Agent in Charge (FBI)	Finding Better Intentions
505	Kerry Arndt, Public Affairs Director (Department of Transportation)	Pete's Feet
510	Elizabeth Eurgubian, Dir Office of External Affairs & Communications (Nat'l Credit Union Adm)	Running Regulators
515	Kristen Clarke, Assist Attorney General (Dept of Justice, Civil Rights Division)	Exercising our Rights
520	Dave Waddington, Division Chief (Census Bureau)	Census Data Dashers
525	Elizabeth Prelogar, Solicitor General (Dept of Justice, Office of Solicitor General)	Racing in the Morning Suits Us
530	Brian Fletcher, Principal Deputy Solicitor General (Dept of Justice, Office of Solicitor General)	Racing in the Morning Suits Us
535	Eric Feigin, Deputy Solicitor General (Dept of Justice, Office of Solicitor General)	Racing in the Morning Suits Us
540	Megan Barbero, General Counsel (Securities & Exchange Commission)	The Naked Shorts
545	Michael Kikukawa, Assistant Press Secretary (White House Press Team)	Briefing Vroom
550	Sharon Yang, Deputy Communications Advisor (White House Press Team)	Briefing Vroom
555	Andrew Bates, Deputy Press Secretary (White House Press Team)	Briefing Vroom
560	Jeremy Edwards, Assistant Press Secretary (White House Press Team)	Briefing Vroom
565	Rachel Thomas, Senior Communications Advisor (White House Press Team)	Briefing Vroom
570	Robyn Patterson, Assistant Press Secretary (White House Press Team)	Pressed for Time
575	Evan Romero, Chief of Staff/Digital Strategy (White House Press Team)	Pressed for Time
580	Sam Michel, Acting Deputy Press Secretary	Pressed for Time

(White House Press Team)  
585 Todd Kim, Assistant Attorney General  
(Dept of Justice, Env't. & Natural Resources  
Division)

Superfun[ ] Lawyers!

## PRINT MEDIA

705	Molly Moses (Law360)	The Docket Rockets
710	Jason Dick (CQ Roll Call)	Faster Prairie Chickens
715	Todd Ruger (CQ Roll Call)	News Travels Fast
720	Paul Fontelo (CQ Roll Call)	Motion to Vacate the Starting Gun
725	Bryan Koenig (Law36)	Fast-Track This
730	Nicholas Wu (Politico)	Checks and New Balances
735	Kevin Uhrmacher (The Washington Post)	npm run start
740	Andrew Restuccia (The Wall Street Journal)	A-hed of the Pack
745	Annie Linskey (The Wall Street Journal)	Follow the Leder
750	Hans Nichols (Axios)	Smart Brevity
755	Helen Wieffering (Associated Press)	Associated Press-ing Hard to Finish I
760	Danielle Newman (The Washington Post)	The Honorable Mentions
765	Nomaan Merchant (Associated Press)	Associated Press-ing Hard to Finish II
770	Stephen Groves (Associated Press)	Associate Press-ing Hard to Finish III
775	Rich Monastersky (Nature Magazine)	ChatGPT wrote this silly name
780	Jonathan Reid (Bloomberg Industry Group)	I Fought the BLAW
785	Sarah Babbage (Bloomberg Industry Group)	Tales of AFeeTO & Heel Gorsuch
790	Zach Cohen (Bloomberg Industry Group)	I Dream of K Street

795	Fawn Johnson (Bloomberg Industry Group)	Down Ballot Racers
800	Meghan Hoyer (The Washington Post)	The Buried Ledes
805	Sarah Brown (The Chronicle of Higher Education)	We're FAFSA Than You
810	Emma Kumer (The Washington Post)	It Speeds it Ledes
815	Amanda Morris (The Washington Post)	Post Haste
820	Adrienne Lu (The Chronicle of Higher Education)	Acadream Team
825	Francie Diep (The Chronicle of Higher Education)	We're Still Race-Conscious
830	Kate Hidalgo Bellows (The Chronicle of Higher Education)	ChatGPTeam
835	Beth McMurtrie (The Chronicle of Higher Education)	Newsflashes
840	Christine Ashack (The Washington Post)	Down to the Wire
845	Teddy Amenabar (The Washington Post)	Running on A1
850	Marcia Brown (Politico)	Running on Scoops
855	David Fahrenthold (The New York Times)	News That's Fit to Sprint
860	Elizabeth Kennedy (The New York Times)	Trained by Wordle
865	Reid Epstein (The New York Times)	The Paper of Personal Records
870	Bill Horne (AARP Magazine)	Scrambled Legs
875	Todd Albertson (AARP Magazine)	Quick Silvers
880	Misty Williams (AARP Magazine)	Seems Like Old Times
885	Mike Hedges (AARP Magazine)	The Villages People
890	Tim Appenzeller (Science Magazine)	Escape Velocity
895	Mike Dorning (Bloomberg)	Zoomberg
900	Katanga Johnson (Bloomberg)	Vroomberg
905	Amanda Hurley (Bloomberg)	We'll BEAT the Bots

910	Jennifer Jacobos (Bloomberg)	Kaboomberg
915	Jen Dlouhy (Bloomberg)	AI Can't Catch Me
920	Kelsey Brugger (E&E News)	The Shockers

## **ELECTRONIC MEDIA**

1100	Jenny Rough (WORLD News Group)	Godspeed
1105	Julia Ainsley (NBC News)	Peacocks
1110	Adam Longo (WUSA9)	News Shoes Never Lose
1115	Larry Miller (WUSA9)	Quickest Shoes in Local News
1120	Kaitlyn McGrath (WUSA9)	Quickest Shoes in Local News
1130	Simone de Alba (WUSA9)	Our Rundown is Run Down
1135	Melissa Kim (WUSA9)	Our Rundown is Run Down
1140	Lorenzo Hall (WUSA9)	Our Rundown is Run Down
1145	Scott Detrow (NPR)	All Paces Considered
1150	Anamaria Sayre (NPR)	Tote Bag Heroes
1155	Alina Selyukh (NPR)	Wait Wait Don't Pass Me
1160	Pien Huang (NPR)	We're Just KEN-P-R
1165	Tamara Keith (NPR)	Up First Place Finishers
1170	Elena Moore (NPR)	Tiny Desk Treadmills
1175	Eric McDaniel (NPR)	Tiny Desk Treadmills

1180	Rich Edson (Fox News)	Fox-The Fastest Name in News
1185	Sandra Smith (Fox News)	Fox-The Fastest Name in News
1190	Chad Pergram (Fox News)	Fox Trotters
1195	Rebekah Castor (Fox News)	Fox News Alert
1205	Chris Flanagan (DC News Now)	Channel Chasers
1210	Janessa Webb (DC News Now)	Channel Chasers
1215	Mariel Carbone (DC News Now)	Mic Check Milers
1220	Ellen Meny (DC News Now)	Mic Check Milers
1225	Oleksii Kovalenko (Voice of America)	Deadline Dashers
1228	Ksenia Kiriya (Voice of America)	Deadline Dashers
1230	Carolyn Presutti (Voice of America)	Voice of a Shin Splint
1233	Katherine Gypson (Voice of America)	Voice of a Shin Splint

## **JUDICIAL**

1400	Judge Cornelia Pillard (US Court of Appeals/DC Circuit)	Pillards of Justice
1405	Justice Ketanji Jackson (US Supreme Court)	Junior Justice League
1410	Judge Raymond Chen (Court of Appeals/Federal Circuit)	Learned Feet
1415	Judge Trevor McFadden (US District Court for DC)	The Speedy Mile Act
1420	Judge Tanya Chutkan (US District Court for DC)	Cool Runnings
1425	Judge Neal E. Kravitz (DC Superior Court)	The unEstoppelables
1430	Judge James Crowell (Superior Court of DC)	Multiple Abondences
1435	Judge Courtney Jones (US Tax Court)	Running is Taxing III
1440	Judge Kathleen Kerrigan (US Tax Court)	Running is Taxing I

1445	Judge Catharine Easterly (DC Court of Appeals)	The Docket Express
1450	Judge Corinne Beckwith (DC Court of Appeals)	(Em) Dashers
1455	Judge Roy McLeese (DC Court of Appeals)	The Walking Dead
1460	Judge Robert Okun (DC Superior Court)	Daubert Gait Keepers
1465	Judge Michael O'Keefe (DC Superior Court)	Daubert Gait Keepers
1470	Judge Patrick Urda (US Tax Court)	Running is Taxing II
1475	Judge J.P. Howard (DC Court of Appeals)	This is Howard Do It
1480	Justice Amy Barrett (US Supreme Court)	Sua Sprinte
1485	Judge Brad Garcia (US Court of Appeals/DC Circuit)	The Bradhattan Project
1490	Judge Randolph Moss (US District Court for DC)	Exhaustion of (Ext)remedies
1495	Judge Florence Pan (US Court of Appeals/DC Circuit)	Yes We Pan!
1500	Judge Patricia Millett (US Court of Appeals/DC Circuit)	A Well Regulated Mil(let)tia
1505	Judge Loren AliKhan (US Court of Appeals/DC Circuit)	AliKat and the Indictments
1510	Justice Brett Kavanaugh (US Supreme Court)	Running Circuit
1515	Judge Robert Wilkins (US Court of Appeals/DC Circuit)	The Walkin' Wilkins Crew
4000	Camille Herron	Celebrity Runner