



I came to Coady so I can help the Afghan society reduce gender discrimination against women, and help empower Afghan women to play even greater roles in their communities.

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I advocate for the human rights of women and oppose harmful cultural practices that still exist in my country. I provide legal assistance and advice for women and girls who face daily violence in their homes, in public spaces and in educational institutions. I also focus on providing awareness programs to women and girls about their fundamental rights and legal ways of demanding their rights.

The Afghan Independent Bar Association works to promote and protect the rule of law, social justice and implementation of Islamic instructions in Afghanistan. AIBA believes in the right of Afghan citizens to have disputes heard and determined with the support of defense attorneys who are well qualified, committed to the ethical practice of law and able to practice independently regardless of any discrimination and without interference.

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