



SAIGE Youth Liaisons

Jared Ivins-Massey

Society of American Indian Government Employees would like to announce of appointment of Jared Ivins-Massey, enrolled member of the White Mountain Apache Tribe of Northeastern for a two-year term to represent our youth in SAIGE. Jared will serve as youth liaison bringing information from the youth program to the Board of Directors.

Jared is currently a student at the University of Alaska- Fairbanks studying Tribal Management with an emphasis in Public Policy. Nationally, Jared has served in various capacities in his efforts to bring awareness to Indigenous issues across the United States. Jared has served as Co-President of the United National Indian Tribal Youth, Inc. (UNITY) organization, the nation's largest network of Native American youth, and two terms as the Male Co-President on the National Congress of American Indians (NCAI) Youth Commission. Jared has also served on various committees including former President Barack Obama's White House Tribal Youth Gathering Steering Committee, where he met with the First Family on several occasions, as well as the Big Brothers Big Sisters of America Native American Advisory Council. Locally, Jared is a founding member of the White Mountain Apache Tribal Youth Council on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation.

SAIGE would like to thank Brian Barlow, Cherokee Nation, who has held the position of Youth Liaison for the past two years. We are very grateful that he has served as the voice of the youth at the monthly Board Meetings. Thank you, Brian, for sharing your knowledge, professionalism and networks with SAIGE. We look forward to Brian continuing to serve as a Student Leader for our upcoming year and National Training Program in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Brian Barlow

