

STAGE INTRO

Cayden Brown is an award-winning juvenile defender and legal scholar.

At just sixteen years old, he was appointed as a Juvenile Defender to Oakland County's 52-1 District Teen Court, working alongside judges and attorneys to divert young people from traditional prosecution and disrupt cycles of recidivism.

He earned his first formal legal credential from Harvard Law School, where he studied the intersection of race and constitutional law, and is the founder and Executive Director of The Trespass Project—a global team of pro-bono attorneys making legal information accessible to children across the globe.

An internationally acclaimed voice, he has addressed several world leaders at forums including the United Nations and the U.S. Department of Justice. His work has earned awards from former United States President Joseph Biden and a nomination for the International Children's Peace Prize.

Cayden has made history protecting youth at the highest levels—all while being a youth himself.

Please help me welcome to the stage ... **CAYDEN BROWN.**