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Sha Elijah lives on the frontlines of

extremist conflict in the Philippines' island of Mindanao. A passionate attorney, she applied to become an Asia Foundation Development Fellow to gain skills to address this crisis. Amid bloodshed and unrest with the Islamic State, Sha Elijah drafted a crucial law creating a new local government in the Muslim area of the country. For this, she credits the political skills, strategies and networks she gained as an Asia Foundation Development Fellow. The new law and the peace agreements she helped forge are improving life for young people, so they can live in a world free from violent extremism.



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