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# COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

## MEMBER/OFFICER POST-TRAVEL DISCLOSURE FORM Original Amendment

This form is for disclosing the receipt of travel expenses from a private source for travel taken in connection with a Member or officer's official duties. This form does not eliminate the need to report privately-funded travel on the Member or officer's annual *Financial Disclosure Statement*. In accordance with House Rule 25, clause 5, **you must complete this form and file it with the Clerk of the House, by email at [gifttravelreports@mail.house.gov](mailto:gifttravelreports@mail.house.gov), within 15 days after travel is completed.** Please **do not** file this form with the Committee on Ethics.

**NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001.**

1. Name of Traveler: \_\_\_\_\_
2. a. Name of Accompanying Relative: \_\_\_\_\_ **OR** None   
 b. Relationship to Traveler:  Spouse  Child  Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_
3. a. Dates: Departure: \_\_\_\_\_ Return: \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Dates at Personal Expense, if any: \_\_\_\_\_ **OR** None
4. Departure City: \_\_\_\_\_ Destination: \_\_\_\_\_ Return City: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Sponsor(s), Who Paid for the Trip: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Describe Meetings and Events Attended (attach additional pages if necessary):

7. Attached to this form are **each** of the following, *signify that each item is attached by checking the corresponding box*:
  - a.  a completed *Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form*;
  - b.  the *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* completed by the trip sponsor **prior** to the trip, **including all** attachments **and** the *Additional Sponsor Form(s)*;
  - c.  page 2 of the completed *Traveler Form* submitted by the Member or officer; **and**
  - d.  the letter from the Committee on Ethics approving my participation on this trip.
8. a.  I represent that I participated in each of the activities reflected in the attached sponsor's agenda.  
**Signify statement is true by checking the box.**  
 b. If not, explain:

**I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.** I have determined that all of the expenses on the attached *Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form* were necessary and that the travel was in connection with my duties as a Member or officer of the U.S. House of Representatives and would not create the appearance that I am using public office for private gain.

Member / Officer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ 

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ 1/24/22



### SPONSOR POST-TRAVEL DISCLOSURE FORM

Original  Amendment

This form must be completed by an officer of any organization that served as the primary trip sponsor in providing travel expenses or reimbursement for travel expenses to House Members, officers, or employees under House Rule 25, clause 5. **A completed copy of the form must be provided to each House Member, officer, or employee who participated on the trip within ten days of their return.** You must answer all questions, and check all boxes, on this form for your submission to comply with House rules and the Committee's travel regulations. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the denial of future requests to sponsor trips and/or subject the current traveler to disciplinary action or a requirement to repay the trip expenses.

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1. Sponsor(s) who paid for the trip: The Heritage Foundation
2. Travel Destination(s): Sea Island, GA
3. Date of Departure: 1/7/2021 Date of Return: 1/9/2021
4. Name(s) of Traveler(s): Byron Donalds and Erika Donalds (Wife)

*Note:* You may list more than one traveler on a form only if *all* information is *identical* for each person listed.

5. Actual amount of expenses paid on behalf of, or reimbursed to, each individual named in Question 4:

	Total Transportation Expenses	Total Lodging Expenses	Total Meal Expenses	Total Other Expenses (dollar amount per item and description)
Traveler	\$456.28	\$588.28	\$25.00	
Accompanying Family Member	\$358.40	n/a	\$25.00	

6.  All expenses connected to the trip were for actual costs incurred and not a *per diem* or lump sum payment. Signify statement is true by checking box.

I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: [Signature] Date: 1-20-22

Name: Tommy Binion Title: VP, Govt Relations

Organization: The Heritage Foundation

I am an officer of the above-named organization. Signify statement is true by checking box.

Address: 214 Mass Ave NE Washington DC 20002

Email: thomas.binion@heritage.org Telephone: 770-891-5450

*Committee staff may contact the above-named individual if additional information is required.*

If you have questions regarding your completion of this form, please contact the Committee on Ethics at 202-225-7103.



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## TRAVELER FORM

This form should be completed by House Members, officers, or employees seeking Committee approval of privately-sponsored travel or reimbursement for travel under House Rule 25, clause 5. The completed form should be submitted directly to the Committee by each invited House Member, officer, or employee, together with the completed and signed trip sponsor form(s) and any attachments. A copy of this form, minus this initial page, will be made available for public inspection. **This form, and any attachments, may be faxed to the Committee at 202-225-7392, sent or delivered to the Committee at 1015 Longworth, or e-mailed to [travel.requests@mail.house.gov](mailto:travel.requests@mail.house.gov).**

**Your completed request must be submitted to the Committee no less than 30 days before your proposed departure date.** Absent exceptional circumstances, permission will not be granted for requests received less than 30 days before the trip commences. **You must receive explicit approval from the Committee before you depart on this trip.**

Name of Traveler: \_\_\_\_\_

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I certify that the information contained on both pages of this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Signatory (if other than traveler): \_\_\_\_\_

For Staff (name of employing Member or Committee): \_\_\_\_\_

Office Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address of Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

- Check this box if the sponsoring entity is a media outlet, the purpose of the trip is to make a media appearance sponsored by that entity, *and* these forms are being submitted to the Committee less than 30 days before the trip departure date.

**NOTE: You must complete all of the contact information fields above, as Committee staff may need to contact you if additional information is required.**

**KEEP A COPY OF THIS FORM.** Page 2 (but not this page) must be submitted to the Clerk as part of the post-travel disclosure required by House Rule 25. Travel Regulation § 404(d) also requires you to keep a copy of all request forms and supporting paperwork for three subsequent Congresses from the date of travel.

If there are any questions regarding this form, please contact the Committee on Ethics at 202-225-7103 or via travel e-mail: [travel.requests@mail.house.gov](mailto:travel.requests@mail.house.gov).



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## TRAVELER FORM

1. Name of Traveler: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Sponsor(s) who will be paying for the trip: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Travel Destination(s): \_\_\_\_\_

4. a. Date of Departure: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Return: \_\_\_\_\_

b. Will you be extending the trip at your personal expense?  Yes  No

If yes, list dates at personal expense: \_\_\_\_\_

5. a. Will you be accompanied by a family member at the sponsor's expense?  Yes  No **If yes:**

(1) Name of Accompanying Family Member: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Relationship to Traveler:  Spouse  Child  Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

(3) Accompanying Family Member is at least 18 years of age:  Yes  No

6. a. Did the trip sponsor answer "Yes" to Question 8(c) on the *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* (i.e., travel is sponsored by an entity that employs a registered federal lobbyist or a foreign agent)?  Yes  No

b. **If yes**, and you are requesting lodging for two nights, explain why the second night is warranted:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

7. *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* is attached, including agenda, invitee list, and any other attachments and contributing sponsor forms:  Yes  No

NOTE: The agenda should show the traveler's individual schedule, including departure and arrival times and identify the specific events in which the traveler will be participating.

8. Explain why participation in the trip is connected to the traveler's individual official or representational duties. **Staff should include their job title and how the activities on the itinerary relate to their duties.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

9. **Is the traveler aware of any registered federal lobbyists or foreign agents involved planning, organizing, requesting, or arranging the trip?**  Yes  No

10. For staff travelers, to be completed by your employing Member:

### ADVANCED AUTHORIZATION OF EMPLOYEE TRAVEL

I hereby authorize the individual named above, an employee of the U.S. House of Representatives who works under my direct supervision, to accept expenses for the trip described in this request. I have determined that the above-described travel is in connection with my employee's official duties and that acceptance of these expenses will not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

Signature of Employing Member \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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## PRIMARY TRIP SPONSOR FORM

This form should be completed by private entities offering to provide travel or reimbursement for travel to House Members, officers, or employees under House Rule 25, clause 5. A completed copy of the form (and any attachments) should be provided to each invited House Member, officer, or employee, who will then forward it to the Committee together with a *Traveler Form* **at least 30 days before the start date of the trip**. The trip sponsor should *NOT* submit the form directly to the Committee. The Committee website ([ethics.house.gov](http://ethics.house.gov)) provides detailed instructions for filling out the form.

**NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001. Failure to comply with the Committee's Travel Regulations may also lead to the denial of permission to sponsor future trips.**

1. Sponsor who will be paying for the trip:
2.  I represent that the trip will not be financed, in whole or in part, by a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent. *Signify that the statement is true by checking box.*
3. **Check only one.** I represent that:
  - a.  The primary trip sponsor has not accepted from any other source, funds intended directly or indirectly to finance any aspect of the trip: **OR**
  - b.  The trip is arranged without regard to congressional participation and the primary trip sponsor has accepted funds only from entities that will receive a tangible benefit in exchange for those funds: **OR**
  - c.  The primary trip sponsor has accepted funds from other source(s) intended directly or indirectly to finance all or part of this trip and has enclosed disclosure forms from each of those entities.  
If "c" is checked, list the names of the additional sponsors:
4. Provide names and titles of **ALL** House Members *and* employees you are inviting. **For each House invitee, provide an explanation of why the individual was invited** (include additional pages if necessary):
5. Yes  No  Is travel being offered to an accompanying family member of the House invitee(s)?
6. Date of departure: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of return: \_\_\_\_\_
7. a. City of departure: \_\_\_\_\_  
b. Destination(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
c. City of return: \_\_\_\_\_
8. **Check only one.** I represent that:
  - a.  The sponsor of the trip is an institution of higher education within the meaning of section 101 of the Higher Education Act of 1965: **OR**
  - b.  The sponsor of the trip does not retain or employ a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent: **OR**
  - c.  The sponsor employs or retains a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent, but the trip is for attendance at a one-day event *and* lobbyist / foreign agent involvement in planning, organizing, requesting, or arranging the trip was *de minimis* under the Committee's travel regulations.
9. **Check only one of the following:**
  - a.  I checked 8(a) or (b) above; **OR**
  - b.  I checked 8(c) above but am not offering any lodging; **OR**
  - c.  I checked 8(c) above and am offering lodging and meals for one night; **OR**
  - d.  I checked 8(c) above and am offering lodging and meals for two nights. If you checked this box, explain why the second night of lodging is warranted:



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10.  Attached is a detailed agenda of the activities House invitees will be participating in during the travel (i.e., an hourly description of planned activities for trip invitees). *Indicate agenda is attached by checking box.*
11. **Check only one of the following:**
- a.  I represent that a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent will not accompany House Members or employees on any segment of the trip. *Signify that the statement is true by checking box; OR*
- b.  *Not Applicable.* Trip sponsor is a U.S. institution of higher education.
12. For **each** sponsor required to submit a sponsor form, describe the sponsor's interest in the subject matter of the trip **and** its role in organizing and/or conducting the trip:
13. **Answer parts a and b. Answer part c if necessary:**
- a. Mode of travel: Air  Rail  Bus  Car  Other  (specify: \_\_\_\_\_)
- b. Class of travel: Coach  Business  First  Charter  Other  (specify: \_\_\_\_\_)
- c. If travel will be first class, or by chartered or private aircraft, explain why such travel is warranted:
14.  I represent that the expenditures related to local area travel during the trip will be unrelated to personal or recreational activities of the invitee(s). *Signify that the statement is true by checking the box.*
15. **Check only one.** I represent that either:
- a.  The trip involves an event that is arranged or organized *without regard* to congressional participation and that meals provided to congressional participants are similar to those provided to or purchased by other event attendees; **OR**
- b.  The trip involves events that are arranged specifically *with regard* to congressional participation.  
If "b" is checked:
- 1) Detail the cost *per day* of meals (approximate cost may be provided):
- 2) Provide the reason for selecting the location of the event or trip:
16. Name, nightly cost, and reasons for selecting each hotel or other lodging facility:
- Hotel Name: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Cost Per Night: \_\_\_\_\_  
Reason(s) for Selecting: \_\_\_\_\_
- Hotel Name: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Cost Per Night: \_\_\_\_\_  
Reason(s) for Selecting: \_\_\_\_\_
- Hotel Name: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Cost Per Night: \_\_\_\_\_  
Reason(s) for Selecting: \_\_\_\_\_
17.  I represent that all expenses connected to the trip will be for actual costs incurred and not a per diem or lump sum payment. *Signify that the statement is true by checking the box.*



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### 18. Total Expenses for each Participant:

<input type="checkbox"/> Actual Amounts	Total Transportation Expenses per Participant	Total Lodging Expenses per Participant	Total Meal Expenses per Participant
<input type="checkbox"/> Good Faith Estimates			
For each Member, Officer, or Employee			
For each Accompanying Family Member			

	Other Expenses (dollar amount per item)	Identify Specific Nature of "Other" Expenses (e.g., taxi, parking, registration fee, etc.)
For each Member, Officer, or Employee		
For each Accompanying Family Member		

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### 19. Check only one:

- a.  I certify that I am an officer of the organization listed below; **OR**
- b.  *Not Applicable*. Trip sponsor is an individual or a U.S. institution of higher education.

### 20. I certify by my signature that

- a. I read and understand the Committee's Travel Regulations;
- b. I am not a registered federal lobbyist or registered foreign agent; and
- c. The information on this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

## INSTRUCTIONS

Complete the *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* and submit the agenda, invitation list, any attachments, and any *Additional Trip Sponsor Forms* directly to the Travelers.

Written approval from the Committee on Ethics is required before traveling on this trip. The Committee on Ethics will notify the House invitees directly and will not notify the trip sponsors.

**Willful or knowing misrepresentation on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution under 18 U.S.C. § 1001. Signatures must comply with section 104(bb) of the Travel Regulations.**

**For questions, please contact the Committee on Ethics at:**

1015 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

[ethicscommittee@mail.house.gov](mailto:ethicscommittee@mail.house.gov) | 202-225-7103  
More information and forms available at [ethics.house.gov](http://ethics.house.gov)

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January 5, 2022

The Honorable Byron Donalds  
U.S. House of Representatives  
523 Cannon House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Colleague:

Pursuant to House Rule 25, clause 5(d)(2), the Committee on Ethics hereby approves your proposed trip to Sea Island, Georgia, scheduled for January 7 to 9, 2022, sponsored by The Heritage Foundation.

This approval represents the Committee's determination that the proposed trip complies with relevant House rules, federal laws, and Travel Regulations promulgated by the Committee. You should engage in your own assessment of the risks and implications of engaging in travel during the current COVID-19 pandemic.

Committee travel regulations require that you submit your complete pre-trip approval request to the Committee at least 30 days before the commencement of the trip or it will not be granted. Despite your failure to do so in this instance, we are approving your current request. However, any future requests should adhere to the 30-day requirement.

You must complete a Member/Officer Post-Travel Disclosure Form and file it, together with a Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form completed by the trip sponsor, with the Clerk of the House within 15 days after your return from travel. As part of that filing, you are also required to attach a copy of this letter and both the Traveler and Primary Trip Sponsor Forms (including attachments) you previously submitted to the Committee in seeking pre-approval for this trip. You must also report all travel expenses totaling more than \$415 from a single source on the "Travel" schedule of your annual Financial Disclosure Statement covering this calendar year. Finally, Travel Regulation § 404(d) also requires you to keep a copy of all request forms and supporting information provided to the Committee for three subsequent Congresses from the date of travel.

If you have any further questions, please contact the Committee's Office of Advice and Education at extension 5-7103.

Sincerely,



Theodore E. Deutch  
Chairman



Jackie Walorski  
Ranking Member

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Thursday, January 6, 2022 5:00 PM - 8:30 PM **REGISTRATION OPEN 6:00 PM DINNERS ON YOUR OWN (optional)**

People who arrive early for Awakening can make reservations at a Sea Island restaurant. The Cloister restaurants reservation number is 855-572-4975.

7:30 PM - 9:00 PM **FIRESIDE CHAT: THE FUTURE OF CONSERVATISM**

Moderator: **Rob Bluey**, *Vice President, Communications, The Heritage Foundation and Executive Editor, The Daily Signal*

**Kevin Roberts, Ph.D.**, *President, The Heritage Foundation*

Friday, January 7, 2022 10:00 AM **REGISTRATION & HOSPITALITY LOUNGE OPEN**

Join us for casual conversation, coffee, and live caricature drawings for the kids.

11:00 AM - 1:30 PM **WELCOME BRUNCH**

Welcome Remarks: **Angela Sailor, J.D.**, *Vice President, Edwin J. Feulner Institute, The Heritage Foundation*

**Kevin Roberts, Ph.D.**, *President, The Heritage Foundation*

The American Dream: Seeking the Challenge to Make a Difference

Moderator: **Thomas Binion**, *Vice President, Government Relations, The Heritage Foundation*

**The Honorable Kat Cammack**, *United States House of Representatives, Florida*

Straight Talk

**Education Rightly Understood**

**Wilfred McClay, Ph.D.**, *Professor of History at Hillsdale College and America250 Commissioner*

**The American Culture Revolution**

**Xi Van Fleet**, *Survivor, Mao's Cultural Revolution and Mother, Loudon County, Virginia*

**The Power of Fair and Free Elections**

**Jessica Anderson**, *Executive Director, Heritage Action for America*

12:00 PM - 4:45 PM **CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING 12:00 PM - 4:45 PM YOUTH PROGRAMMING 1:45**

**PM - 3:00 PM SESSION 1A: UNCANCELED: BEHIND THE REAL FIGHT FOR ELECTION REFORM**

Safeguard the future of our republic from partisan federal bureaucrats who want to control state election laws, thwart election reform, and manipulate state redistricting decisions. Know your rights. The right to vote in a free and fair election is the most basic civil right to be protected and preserved.

Moderator: **Jessica Anderson**, *Executive Director, Heritage Action for America*

**The Honorable John Albers**, *Georgia Senate*

**Robert McClure, Ph.D.**, *President and CEO, The James Madison Institute*

**Hans von Spakovsky**, *Manager Election Law Reform Initiative and Senior Legal Fellow, Meese Center for Legal and Judicial Studies, The Heritage Foundation*

1:45 PM - 3:00 PM **SESSION 1B: BIG TECH: THE RUDE AWAKENING**

A growing number of Americans believe social media platforms actively censor political views that challenge and contradict the left-leaning ideologies of those companies. Join this important discussion to understand how you can protect your family and community from Big Tech's efforts to suspend and restrict digital services and enact viewpoint discrimination propagated by China, the media, and various cultural sectors. Take action by supporting new technologies and companies that stand up for free expression.

Moderator: **Rob Bluey**, *Vice President, Communications, The Heritage Foundation and Executive Editor, The Daily Signal*

**Martin Avila**, *Chief Executive Officer, RightForge*

**Kara Frederick**, *Research Fellow in Technology Policy, The Heritage Foundation*

### 1:45 PM - 3:00 PM **SESSION 1C: PROTECTING CHILDREN FROM RACIAL DISCRIMINATION AND RADICAL SEX EDUCATION**

This panel will address our rights and how schools and organizations are contravening constitutional provisions, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act, and other civil rights statutes in training programs, curriculum, or other school activities. Gain a deeper knowledge of how we can protect children from racial discrimination, prohibit compelled speech, and promote transparency over public school curriculum.

Moderator: **Jonathan Butcher**, *Will Skillman Fellow in Education, The Heritage Foundation*

**Mike Gonzalez**, *Senior Fellow, Douglas and Sarah Allison Center for Foreign Policy and Angeles T. Arredondo E Pluribus Unum Fellow, The Heritage Foundation*

**Emilie Kao**, *Senior Counsel & Vice President of Advocacy Strategy, Alliance Defending Freedom*

**Melissa Moschella, Ph.D.**, *Associate Professor of Philosophy & Heritage Visiting Scholar*

### 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM **BREAK** 3:30 PM - 4:45 PM **SESSION 2A: HOW TO RAISE A LITTLE PATRIOT**

At a moment of existential crisis, we must pause and take the time to pass down the principles of patriotism to our posterity. Engage in an honest conversation about the greatest challenges parents face in teaching freedom, equality, and government by consent of the governed. Learn about easy-to-use resources that deepen a child's appreciation for the founding ideas that give rise to the knowledge that men are created equal and endowed with God-given rights that no person can remove.

Moderator: **Joseph Loconte, Ph.D.**, *Director, B. Kenneth Simon Center for American Studies and AWC Family Foundation Fellow, The Heritage Foundation*

**Connor Boyack**, *Author, The Tuttle Twins, and Founder and President, Libertas Institute*

**Jill Simonian**, *Director of Outreach, PragerU Kids*

**Caroline Vanvick**, *Consultant, American Cornerstone Institute*

### 3:30 PM - 4:45 PM **SESSION 2B: AMERICA250: AMERICA'S CELEBRATION**

What role must every American play in the multi-year commemoration of the 250th anniversary of the United States that culminates on July 4, 2026. Conservatives have an opportunity to shape the narrative by inspiring Americans through the power of imagination, elevating stories rooted in the founding principles, inspiring service in our communities, and demonstrating the lasting durability of the American experiment. Come discuss the opportunities to celebrate our story of freedom and opportunity.

Moderator: **Angela Sailor, J.D.**, *Vice President, Edwin J. Feulner Institute, The Heritage Foundation and America250 Civics Advisory Board*

**Cathy Gillespie**, *Co-Chair, Constituting America and America250 Commissioner*

**Wilfred McClay, Ph.D.**, *Professor of History at Hillsdale College and America250 Commissioner*

**Matthew Spalding, Ph.D.**, *VP of Washington Operations and Dean, The Van Andel Graduate School of Government, Hillsdale College*

### 3:30 PM - 4:45 PM **SESSION 2C: CHINA: AMERICA'S CLEAR AND PRESENT DANGER**

The rise of China is the most persistent and consequential challenge that will confront the United States for the next several decades. Even before the outbreak of COVID-19, China served as an irresponsible global actor that threatened American cultural, economic, political, and military interests worldwide. Learn how the U.S. is protecting our vital interests in the short and long-term to sustain our leadership strength through multiple generations of Chinese regimes.

Moderator: **Richard Reinsch**, *Editor, Law & Liberty and Host, LibertyLawTalk*

**Dean Cheng**, *Senior Research Fellow, Asian Studies Center, Davis Institute for National Security and Foreign Policy, The Heritage Foundation*

**Xi Van Fleet**, *Survivor, Mao's Cultural Revolution and Mother, Loudon County, Virginia*

**Kara Frederick**, *Research Fellow in Technology Policy, The Heritage Foundation*

### 5:45 PM - 8:00 PM **FAMILY DINNER**

The World Beyond Brexit: US/UK Relations

**The Right Honourable Dr. Liam Fox**, *Member of Parliament of the United Kingdom*

### 7:00 PM - 8:45 PM **CHILDREN'S MOVIE TIME**

Please drop off children by 7:00 p.m

8:00 PM - 8:45 PM **DESSERTS & COFFEE** Saturday, January 8, 2022  
 7:30 AM - 8:30 AM **BREAKFAST** 7:30 AM  
**REGISTRATION & HOSPITALITY LOUNGE OPEN** 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM  
**CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING** 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM  
**PLENARY SESSION**

The Strength of American Leadership: Leaving a Legacy of Liberty

Moderator: **Genevieve Wood**, *Senior Advisor and Spokesperson, The Heritage Foundation*

**The Honorable Mike Pence**, *Former Vice President of the United States*

Presentation of the Great American Award

Straight Talk

**The Case for Free Markets**

**Andrew Puzder**, *Former CEO of CKE Restaurants*

**The Family**

**Ian Rowe**, *Senior Fellow, American Enterprise Institute*

### 10:15 AM - 11:30 AM **SESSION 3A: REBUILDING MARRIAGE FOR A NEW GENERATION**

A strong America requires strong families. Interest in marriage is higher among the rich, religious, and Republicans, while projections suggest a record share of today's young Americans will never marry and have children. The decline in marriage threatens the health and well-being of individuals and the broader society. Americans are asking what is the promise of life lived in loving commitments to others, and what are the pressing tasks we must take on to advance that vision? Hear the experts examine what's driving these dynamics—and join the discussion for solutions that navigate our way back to the basics.

Moderator: **Marie Fishpaw**, *Director, Domestic Policy Studies, The Heritage Foundation*

**Randy Hicks**, *President & CEO, Georgia Center for Opportunity*

**Ian Rowe**, *Senior Fellow, American Enterprise Institute*

**Brad Wilcox, Ph.D.**, *Institute for Family Studies, University of Virginia*

### 10:15 AM - 11:30 AM **SESSION 3B: DEFEATING THE MORAL ATTACK ON FREE MARKETS CAPITALISM**

The left uses cancel culture and corporate woke mandates to eviscerate free-market principles with equity, environmental, social, and governance (ESG) policies that stifle economic freedom. We must stop the growing popularity of socialist practices in both the public and private sectors. Come dialogue with thought leaders and practitioners about opportunities to refocus the moral case for capitalism.

Moderator: **Paul Winfree**, *Director of the Thomas A. Roe Institute for Economic Policy Studies and Richard F. Aster Fellow, The Heritage Foundation*

**Samuel Gregg, Ph.D.**, *Research Director, Acton Institute*

**Andrew Olivastro**, *Director, Coalition Relations, The Heritage Foundation*

**Andrew Puzder**, *Former CEO of CKE Restaurants*

### 10:15 AM - 11:30 AM **SESSION 3C: AMERICA'S HEALTH AND LIBERTY: THE POST-PANDEMIC FRONTIER**

Americans faced unprecedented challenges during the COVID-19 pandemic with disruptions throughout our lives and livelihoods, often compounded by politicized decisions that continue to impact us today. As we look forward, many are asking questions about the after-effects of this experience. So what are America's prospects for life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness? Did the pandemic create opportunities and advancements? What failures should we address?

Moderator: **Thomas Binion**, *Vice President, Government Relations, The Heritage Foundation*

**Doug Badger**, *Senior Fellow, Domestic Policy Studies, The Heritage Foundation*

**Peter St. Onge, Ph.D.**, *Research Fellow, Economic Policy, The Heritage Foundation*

### 10:15 AM - 11:30 AM **YOUTH PROGRAMMING**

Reach for the Sky: Building Dreams and Leading Teams That Can Accomplish Anything

**John Venable**, *Senior Research Fellow for Defense Policy, Center for National Defense, Davis Institute for National Security and Foreign Policy, The Heritage Foundation*

### 11:30 AM - 1:15 PM **LUNCHEON & CHILDREN'S BAKE SALE**

Drive Thru America: The Right Turn

**Dave Stotts**, *Host, Drive Thru History*

1:15 PM - 5:30 PM **FAMILY FREE TIME** 6:00 PM - 9:30 PM **CHILDREN'S PIZZA PARTY** 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM **RECEPTION** 7:00 PM - 9:30 PM **DINNER**

Semi-formal attire. Children 10 years and older are invited to attend.

**Entertainment by Mat & Savanna Shaw & Interview with Rob Bluey**

Faith, Freedom, and the Fight of Our Lives

**Sarah Huckabee Sanders**, *Former White House Press Secretary*

Sunday, January 9, 2022 7:30 AM - 8:15 AM **CHURCH SERVICE (optional)**

Cloister Chapel

This non-denominational church service is led by **Lucas Ramirez**, a member of the Awakening Advisory Board. Lucas is a keynote speaker, author and serves as President of The Gathering Place, a next generation mentorship and Christian leadership development ministry. Join us for an inspiring service to start the new year with a focus on our faith.

8:30 AM - 10:00 AM **CLOSING BREAKFAST**

Moderator: **Katharine Gorka**, *Director, Civil Society and the American Dialogue, The Heritage Foundation*

**The Honorable Byron Donalds**, *United States House of Representatives, Florida*

**Erika Donalds**, *President & CEO, The Optima Foundation*

10:00 AM **MEETING ADJOURNED**