# COMMITTEE ON A ETHICS

# EMPLOYEE POST-TRAVEL DISCLOSURE FORM

This form is for disclosing the receipt of travel expenses from private sources for travel taken in connection with official duties. This form does not eliminate the need to report privately-funded travel on the annual *Financial Disclosure Statements* of those employees required to file them. In accordance with House Rule 25, clause 5, you must complete this form and *fileit with the Clerk of the House by email at gifttravelreports@mail.house.gov*, within 15 days after travel is completed. Please *donot* 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:	Lauren	Lombardo
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2.	a. Name of Accompanying Relative: OR 🔳 None
	b. Relationship to Traveler: 🔲 Spouse 🔲 Child 🔲 Other (specify):
3.	a. Dates: Departure: 04/24/2024 Return: 04/26/2024
	b. Dates at Personal Expense, if any: OR 🔲 None
4.	Departure City: Washington, D.C. Destination: Redmond, WA Return City: Washington, D.C.
5.	Sponsor(s), Who Paid for the Trip: Microsoft Corporation
6.	Describe Meetings and Events Attended: Met with Microsoft reserachers & technologists while also visiting/participating In tours like the innovation lab
7.	Attached to this form are <i>each</i> of the following, <i>signify that each item is attached by checking the corresponding box:</i> a. <b>a</b> completed <i>Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form</i> ;
	<ul> <li>b. I the <i>Primary Trip Sponsor Form</i> completed by the trip sponsor <i>prior</i> to the trip, <i>including all</i> attachments <i>and</i> the <i>Additional Sponsor Form(s)</i>;</li> </ul>
	c. Dec. page 2 of the completed <i>Traveler Form</i> submitted by the employee; <i>and</i>
	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. <i>Signify statement is true by checking the box.</i>
	b. If not, explain:
Ic	ertify that the information contained on this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.
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Si	gnature of Traveler: Lauren Lombardo Digitally signed by Lauren Lombardo Date: 2024.05.13 15:33:22 -04'00' Date: 05/13/2024
Di	authorized this travel in advance. I have determined that all of the expenses listed on the attached <i>Sponsor Post-Travel</i> <i>isclosure Form</i> were necessary and that the travel was in connection with the employee's official duties and would not eate the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.
Na	ame of Supervising Member: Mr. James Comer Date: 05/13/2024
Si	gnature of Supervising Member:
las	t updated 7/2023

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#### SPONSOR POST-TRAVEL DISCLOSURE FORM

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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 in the trip within 10 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 or provided in-kind support for the trip: Microsoft Corporation
- 2. Travel Destination(s): Redmond, WA
- 3. Date of Departure: <u>4/24/2024</u> Date of Return: <u>4/26/2024</u>
- 4. Name(s) of Traveler(s): Stephanie Palencia, Johanna Thomas, Lauren Lombardo, Cara Camacho, Kevin Gannon, John Lee, Raj Bharwani, Kaitlyn Mullen, Trevor Hustus 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 <b>Lodging</b> Expenses	Total <b>Meal</b> Expenses	Total Other Expenses (dollar amount per item and description)
Traveler	\$1500 Airfare \$1350 Shuttle Bus \$150	\$358 \$179 per night per particpant, 2 nights of lodging per participant	\$79	\$0
Accompanying Family Member				

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.

Signatu	re: Michaela	Derendt	Date:	5/03/2024
Name:	Michaela Berendt	<u> </u>	_ Title:	Business Associate

Organization: Microsoft Corporation

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

Address: 1 Microsoft Way, Redmond, WA 98052

Telephone: +1 (425) 538-7023	Email: <u>Michaela.Berendt@Microsoft.com</u>

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 privatelysponsored 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 submitted at 1015 Longworth House Office Building or 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: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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Signature: Lauren Lombardo

For Staff (name of employing Member or Committee):

Name of Signatory (if other than traveler):

House Oversight Committee

Office Address: 2157 Rayburn House Office Building

Telephone Number:

202-226-8717

lauren.lombardo@mail.house.gov

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 email: travel.requests@mail.house.gov.

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#### **TRAVELER FORM**

1	Name of Traveler	Lauren	Lombard	0

- 2. Sponsor(s) who will be paying or providing in-kind support for the trip: Microsoft
- 3. City and State OR Foreign Country of Travel: Redmond, WA (flying into Seattle)
- 4. a. Date of Departure: April 24,2024 Date of Return: April 26, 2024
  - b. Yes 🔲 No 🔳 Will you be extending the trip at your personal expense?

If yes, list dates at personal expense:

- 5. a. Yes 🔲 No 🖬 Will you be accompanied by a family member at the sponsor's expense? If yes:
  - (1) Name of Accompanying FamilyMember: \_
  - (2) Relationship to Traveler: 🗖 Spouse 🗖 Child 🗖 Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_
  - (3) Yes 🔲 No 🔲 Accompanying Family Member is at least 18 years of age?
- 6. a. Yes 🔲 No 🔲 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)?
  - b. If yes, and you are requesting lodging for two nights, explain why the second night is warranted:
     Attendees are flying from the east coast and in order to participate in a full day of sessions, they must arrive the day before and depart the day after.
- 7. Yes 🔲 No 🔲 *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* is attached, including agenda, invitation, invitee list, and any other attachments and Additional Sponsor Forms.

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.

- 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. As the Deputy Policy Director for the Oversight Committee my job includes drafting legislation regarding federal use of technology. This trip directly informs that work.
- 9. Yes No Is the traveler aware of any registered federal lobbyists or foreign agents involved in planning, organizing, requesting, or arranging the trip?
- 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: \_\_\_\_\_

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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's website (ethics. house.gov) provides detailed instructions for filling out the form. The Committee will notify the House invitees directly of its decision and will not notify the trip sponsors.

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. Signatures must comply with section 104(bb) of the Travel Regulations.

1. Sponsor who will be paying for the trip:

#### Microsoft

- 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, services, or in-kind assistance 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:

- 5. Yes 🔲 No 🔳 Is travel being offered to an accompanying family member of the House invitee(s)?
- 6. Date of Departure: April 24, 2024 Date of Return: April 26, 2024
- 7. a. City of departure: Washington DC
  - b. Destination(s): <u>Redmond, WA (flying into Seattle)</u>
  - c. City of return: Washington DC
- 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. Attendees are flying from the east coast and in order to participate in a full day of sessions, they must arrive the day before and depart the day after.
- 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 the statement is true by clicking the 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. A	nswer part c if 1	tecessary:			
-				Other	(specify:	)
b. Class of tra	vel: Coac	ch 🔲 Busines	s 🔲 🛛 First 🔲	Charter	Other 🗌 (specify:	)
c. If travel wi	ll be first c	lass, or by charte	ered or private a	ircraft, explain	n why such travel is warran	ted:
					the trip will be unrelated t	o personal
or recreation	onal activiti	es of the invitee(	s). Signify that t	he statement is	true by checking box.	
5. Check only o						
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b. 🔳 The trip	involves e	events that are ar	ranged specific	ally with regar	d to congressional	
participatio	n. If"b" is	checked:	- •			
<u>at \$75</u>	/da <u>y (</u> \$15	5 breakfast, \$	10 lunch, \$54	1 dinner)	led): One day of meals	
2) Provide	the reason	for selecting the	e location of the	event or trip:	Redmond, WA is the Globa	al Headquarters for
Microsoft	and allows st	taff to meet with Mic	rosoft reserachers	& technologists wi	hile also visiting/participating in to	ours like the innovation lab
l6. Name, nightly	cost, and	reasons for selec	ting each hotel	or other lodgi	ng facility:	
					Cost Per Night:	\$179
Reason(s) for	Selecting:	Hotel fits within	the locales per	diem allowan	ce & close to Microsoft car	npus.
	-				Cost Per Night:	
Reason(s) for S	•	24	City:		Cost Per Night:	

- 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.
- 18. Total Expenses for each Participant:

Actual Amounts Good Faith Estimates	Total <b>Transportation</b> Expenses per Participant	Total Lodging Expenses per Participant	Total <b>Meal</b> Expenses per Participant
For each Member, Officer, or Employee	\$1,500 Airfare \$1,350 Shuttle Bus \$150	\$358 \$179 per night per participant, 2 nights of lodging per participant	\$79
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	NA	Local transportation to/from Microsoft and dinner
For each Accompanying Family Member		

#### 19. Check only one:

- a. 🔲 I certify that I am an officer of the organization listed below; OR
- b. D 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: Michaela Berendt Name: Michaela Berendt	Date: <u>March</u> 7, 2024 Title: Business Operations Associate
Organization: Microsoft	
Address: One Microsoft Way, Redmond, Wa 98052	
Email: michaela.berendt@microsoft.com	Telephone: +1 425.538.7023

If there are questions regarding this form, please contact the Committee on Ethics at 202-225-7103 or travel.requests@mail.house.gov.

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### U.S. House of Representatives

#### COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

April 23, 2024

Ms. Lauren Lombardo Committee on Oversight and Accountability 2157 Rayburn House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Ms. Lombardo:

Pursuant to House Rule 25, clause 5(d)(2), the Committee on Ethics hereby approves your proposed trip to Redmond, Washington, scheduled for April 24 to 26, 2024, sponsored by Microsoft. We remind you that, because the trip sponsor employs a federal lobbyist, you may participate in officially-connected activity on one calendar day only.

You must complete an Employee Post-Travel Disclosure Form (which your employing Member must also sign) 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. If you are required to file an annual Financial Disclosure Statement, you must also report all travel expenses totaling more than \$480 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.

Michael Guest Chairman

Sincerely, usali)

Susan Wild Ranking Member

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# Microsoft Staff Delegation House Invitee List

April 2024 Congressional Staff Delegation

First Name	Last Name	Office	
Amy	Albro	Representative Stephanie Bice	
Elizabeth	Barczak	United States House Committee on Appropriations	
Allison	Behuniak	United States House Committee on Financial Services	
Brooke	Bennett	Representative French Hill	
Raj	Bharwani	United States House Committee on Oversight and Accountability	
Chris	Bien	Representative Mike Johnson	
Jeff	Bishop	Congressman Marc Molinaro	
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Robert	Bonner	United States House Committee on Appropriations	
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Lorissa	Bounds	Representative Jay Obernolte	
Grace	Brightbill	Representative Don Beyer	
Cara	Camacho	Representative Jim Himes	
Marc	Cevasco	Representative Ted Lieu	
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Jennifer	Chan	Representative Pramila Jayapal	
Robin	Chand	Representative Rick Larsen	
Alex	Cisneros	Representative Young Kim	
Jonathan	Clifford	United States House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence	
Becky	Cornell	Representative Pete Aguilar	
Chris	Сох	Representative Yvette Clarke	
Laura	Cylke	United States House Committee on Appropriations	
Giulia	DiGuglielmo	Representative Darrell Issa	
Kate	Durkin	Representative Jan Schakowsky	
Stephen	Dwyer	Office of the Chief Administrative Officer	
Robert	Edmonson	Representative Robert Garcia	
Jennifer	Epperson	United States House Committee on Energy and Commerce	
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Chris	Esparza	United States House Committee on Appropriations	
Brian	Fahey	Representative Brett Guthrie	
Anna	Ferrara	United States House Committee on Science, Space, and Technology	
Laura	Fullerton	United States House Committee on Foreign Affairs	
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Justin	German	Representative Haley Stevens	
Sarah	Gilbert	Representative Neal Dunn	
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Scott	Hinkle	Representative Raul Ruiz		
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Amelia	Litynski	Representative Tom Emmer		
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Andrew	Noh	Representative Marilyn Strickland		
Kate	O'Connor	United States House Committee on Energy and Commerce		
Zoe	Oreck	Representative Hakeem Jeffries		
Louise	O'Rourke	Representative Kim Schrier		
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Jared	Powell	Representative Cathy McMorris Rodgers		
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Sarah	Servin	Representative Adam Smith		
Dahlia	Sokolov	United States House Committee on Science, Space, and Technology		
Alex	Stepahin	Representative Richard Hudson		
John	Strom	United States House Committee on Energy and Commerce		

Stuart	Styron	Representative Anna Eshoo
lohanna	Thomas	United States House Committee on Energy and Commerce
Connor	Torossian	Congressman Marc Molinaro
Dirk	Vande Beek	Representative Neal Dunn
Angel	Vasquez	Representative NormaTorres
Nate	Zimpher	Representative Troy Balderson



### Schedule

# Wednesday, April 24, 2024

Start Time	End Time	Subject/Speaker	Location
5:10 pm	8:07 pm	Alaska Airlines Flight AS0003	DCA to SEA
8:07 pm	8:07 pm	Arrival at SeaTac Airport Meet the shuttle driver at baggage claim for flight AS0003 carrying a "Microsoft" sign. Christiana Meyers from Microsoft will be onsite to meet the group.	
8:07 pm	9:00 pm	Shuttle bus to hotel	
9:15 pm		HOTEL: Hyatt Regency Bellevue	<u>Hyatt Regency</u> 900 Bellevue Way NE Bellevue, WA 98004

# Thursday, April 25, 2024

Start Time	End Time	Subject/Speaker	Location
8:00 am	8:30 am	Shuttle Departs for Microsoft Meet Christiana Meyers from Microsoft in the hotel lobby carrying a "Microsoft" sign.	
8:30 am	9:00 am	Welcome Breakfast and Opening Remarks Frank Cavaliere, General Manager of Congressional Affairs Stephanie Peters, Senior Director of Congressional Affairs Overview of Microsoft including our culture, journey,	Executive Briefing Center 16070 NE 36th Way Redmond, WA 98052
		values, footprint in the Puget Sound, and overview of the presentations and content during the day.	
9:00 am	10:00 am	<b>Responsible Artificial Briefing</b> Natasha Crampton, Chief Responsible AI Officer	EBC
		Natasha Crampton will present on Microsoft's vision for a responsible generative AI ecosystem. The Office of Responsible AI (ORA) was established in mid-2019 to bring policy and	



Start Time	End Time	Subject/Speaker	Location
		governance expertise to the responsible AI	
		ecosystem at Microsoft.	
10:00 am	10:15 am	Break	
10:15 am	11:15 am	Gaming at Microsoft	EBC
		Linda Norman, CVP, Deputy General Counsel	
		Our speaker will provide a high-level briefing to	
		on the gaming market in light of the Activision	
		Blizzard acquisition.	
11:15 am	11:45 am	DEMO Digital Transformation #InRealLife	EBC   Digital
		Brett Reifers, Business Program Manager,	Transformation Pods
		Demos	
		Digital Transformation #InRealLife (DTIRL) brings to	
		life real world customer stories across key solution areas and industries at the Redmond EBC.	
		Participants will watch staff showcase the latest and	
		greatest MS customer stories highlighting our	
		technologies including O365, Azure IoT, HoloLens,	
		Machine learning, and more. Participants will also	
		experience a hands-on demonstration of HoloLens	
11.45 and	12,00 ,0 ,0 ,0	technology.	
11:45 am	12:00 pm	Break & Plate Lunch	EBC
12:00 pm	12:45 pm	Lunch & LinkedIn Economic Graph Briefing Josh Connolly, Senior Manager, US Public	EDC
		Policy	
		Joel Miller, Senior Manager, US Public Policy	
		The LinkedIn Economic Graph provides unique	
		insights into the world of work. LinkedIn's Economic	
		Graph team partners with world leaders to analyze	
		labor markets and recommend policy solutions to	
		prepare the global workforce for the jobs of the	
		future. Through these insights, we can help connect more people to opportunities – one member at a	
		time.	
12:45 pm	1:00 pm	Travel to B86	
1:00 pm	1:45 pm	Inclusive Tech Lab & Microsoft Accessibility	Building 86   Inclusive
	·	Solomon Romney, Accessibility Program	Technology Lab
		Manager	
		The Inclusive Tech Lab is a Microsoft space dedicated	
		to inclusive gaming. When people come to the lab,	
		we introduce them to the social model of disability	



Start Time	End Time	Subject/Speaker	Location
		through the lens of gaming. Participants will hear	
		from the presenter Microsoft's story of diversity,	
		inclusion, accessibility, privacy, and online safety.	
		They will see and participate in a hands-on	
1.15 pm	2:00 pm	demonstration of the adaptive controller. Shuttle B86 to B37	
1:45 pm 2:00 pm	2:00 pm	Campus Refresh and Sustainability at Microsoft	Microsoft Treehouses
2.00 pm	3:30 pm	Katie Ross, Sustainability Program Manager	and Building 37
		Meet with Microsoft's Public Policy and Real Estate	
		and Facilities team members to discuss Microsoft's	
		Race to Net Zero Strategy. You will visit the newly built Geothermal Energy Center and receive a	
		sustainability briefing in the Microsoft Treehouses.	
3:30 pm	3:45 pm	Microsoft Shuttle to Redwest C	
3:45 pm	4:30 pm	Digital Crimes Unit Tour	Redwest C   DCU
·	·	Amy Hogan-Burney, General Manager, Digital	5600 148th Ave NE
		Crimes Unit	Redmond, WA 98052
		Microsoft's Digital Crimes Unit (DCU) is an	
		international team of technical, legal and	
		business experts that has been fighting	
		cybercrime to protect victims since 2008. We use	
		our expertise and unique view into online	
		criminal networks to uncover evidence so that	
		we can make criminal referrals to appropriate	
		law enforcement throughout the world. DCU	
		technicians will lead a tour through the space.	
4:30 pm	4:45 pm	Private Shuttle to B92	
4:45 pm	5:00 pm	Self-Guided Visit Microsoft's Visitor Center	
		At the Visitor Center, you can dive into all things	
		Microsoft. Explore the future of AI. Build a new	
		world with Minecraft. Put your gaming skills to	
		the test. Learn more about our company	
		including our journey from garage startup to	
		global technology leader.	
5:00 pm		Depart Microsoft for Hotel	
6:15 pm		Meet in Hotel Lobby   Depart for Dinner	<u>Hyatt Regency</u>
		Meet Christiana Meyers from Microsoft in the hotel	900 Bellevue Way NE
		lobby carrying a "Microsoft" sign.	Bellevue, WA 98004
6:30 pm		Group Dinner at Black Bottle	<u>Black Bottle Bellevue</u>



Start Time	End Time	Subject/Speaker

Location 919 Bellevue Way NE Bellevue, WA 98004

### Friday, April 26, 2024

Start Time	End Time	Subject/Speaker	Location
11:00 am	11:45 am	Shuttle from Hyatt Regency to SeaTac Airport	
8:05 am	4:08 pm	Depart SeaTac Airport	SEA to DCA
		Akaka Airlines Flight AS0004	

March 11, 2024 2157 Rayburn House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

Attention: Lauren Lombardo

Subject: Travel for Lauren Lombardo

Dear Lauren Lombardo:

We are pleased to invite the person(s) mentioned in the subject of this letter to visit the Microsoft Campus in Redmond in April. The purpose of the visit is to host and educate congressional staff. The trip will include one dinner, speakers, policy discussion, and tours of the Microsoft campus. The proposed timing for this trip, pending your confirmation, is from April 24 to April 26, 2024.

Microsoft values the participation of its government customers at events such as this and would like to pay for travel and lodging expenses for Lauren Lombardo. If permitted, we would be pleased to pay the following expenses:

- Round trip airfare with a maximum value of US \$1500.00.
  - This travel will be in Economy Class.
- Lodging for 2 nights.
- Meals and refreshments.
- Transportation between the hotel and Redmond campus, airport transfers and dinner.

Please note that Microsoft <u>will not be providing reimbursement for any other expenses</u> related to the event not identified above. The official or the agency will be responsible for those expenses. Microsoft will purchase airfare, lodging, meals, and transportation on behalf of the official; we will not provide any personal reimbursement to the official.

It is the intent of Microsoft that payment of these expenses is compliant with all applicable laws, regulations and ethics rules regarding gifts and donations. Microsoft pays these expenses without seeking promises or favoritism for Microsoft in any bidding arrangements. Further, no exclusivity will be expected by either party. Microsoft pays these expenses with the understanding that it will not be prohibited from any procurement opportunities. Finally, your acceptance imposes no obligation on your organization to acquire or use any Microsoft product or service.

An official senior to the officials receiving travel, or a representative of your agency's legal or compliance department should review this letter, and if approved, have him or her sign in the space provided below and return to Whitney Sleigh at Microsoft (you may scan and send by email to <u>v-wsleigh@microsoft.com</u> on or March 15, 2024.

Regards,

Michaela Berendt

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Business Operations Associate

CELA, USGA

**APPROVED:** 

House Committee on Oversight and Accountability

Name of Government Agency

**Signature of Approver** (The trip must be approved by either (i) an individual at the agency senior to the official receiving the travel or (ii) the agency's legal or compliance department).

#### Chairman

**Title of Approver** 

March 11, 2024

Date