

YEO NETWORK
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From the Alt-Cabinet Project Chairs



Dear YEOs, partners, and guests:

Welcome to New York and what we hope will be a critical and exciting weekend for the future of our country. We find ourselves in an alarming political climate and we know each one of us is searching for the right ways to plug in, to contribute, and to start winning again. We don't believe it's enough to just resist the hostility coming out of Washington and played out in news cycle after news cycle – we want to contribute to a proactive vision that will resonate broadly and deeply, and inspire a new chapter in our nation's journey to “perfect the union.”

We believe it's time for the next generation to take the lead. It's time to be courageous, creative, and tenacious as we make this road by walking it. We believe it's up to our young leaders to break out of the partisan power grabs, the stalemate, and the ugliness we now face in our national politics. To that end, we hope this weekend launches something transformative: a group of new leaders who can truly articulate a new vision and meaningfully impact the direction of our country in a dramatic way.

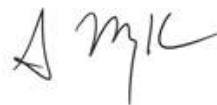
Whether you are a partner or an elected yourself, we hope you will really dig in this weekend and think big. We hope you will stay engaged throughout the course of the retreat and beyond. Rebuilding our democracy is a project that requires all of our thinking and all of our talents. We are counting on you to help us break new ground in our thinking and strategy and to forge relationships that we will all call on in the months and years to come.

Thanks to all of you for being here and for all you do for our communities and our movement.

Onwards,



Simon Greer
Founder, Cambridge Heath Ventures



Svante Myrick
Director of Youth Leadership Programs
People For the American Way Foundation

Our Vision

The Young Elected Officials (YEO) Network, a program of People For the American Way Foundation, is the first and only national initiative to provide support to the newest generation of visionary leaders at every level of elected office. It was founded in 2005 by young elected officials themselves and has since grown from a community of dozens to a national network of over 1,000 members across the country in offices ranging from local school boards to the United States Congress.

In our current political climate, we see a substantial disruption to the commonly held policies and positions across the political spectrum. This creates threats but also an opportunity. The YEO Network is uniquely positioned to seize this moment, with our diverse cohort of emerging leaders driving change and serving in leadership for their parties or their legislative bodies. We see a critical role for the members of our network to stand up for our core values and to create a proactive message and vision for the future that will resonate broadly and deeply.

Specifically, we are working with partners to create an “Alt Cabinet” of rising elected leaders who we will support and position to strategically counter the policies and rhetoric that dominate the news cycle today. While it may not replicate the official shadow cabinet used in parliamentary democracies – as we do not claim to speak for an entire movement or take up the mantle of a particular political party – we envision a next generation cabinet of innovative leaders who will begin to envision, articulate, and inspire a different future for our nation.

We will work with our members and a faculty of partners to: develop a platform of key issues, policies, positions, and messages; identify YEO members who can act as experts on these issues; and provide them with cutting edge policy briefings, messaging, and media opportunities to amplify their voices, draw attention to their local successes, and elevate their leadership.

Our goals for this initial planning meeting include:

1. Work with the participants to define the scope of the project
 - a. Define the role of the Cabinet
 - b. Define expectations for individual Cabinet members
2. Further engage Informal Advisory Group partners
3. Begin initial outline of the platform
4. Identify partners and the kinds of support they and staff will provide
5. Identify additional needs and resources
6. Envision the rollout and sketch the timeline

About the Young Elected Officials (YEO) Network

The YEO Network provides cutting-edge programming, investing in the full pipeline of leadership and building sustained relationships with our members. We provide the resources young elected officials need to effectively impact policy, foster their own development and professional growth, and elevate their leadership in the broader social change movement. The network has created the genuine relationships and meaningful connections that will produce real collaboration and we have the partnerships and resources to provide the needed policy and professional supports to forge state, local, and national change.



ALT-Cabinet Convening Agenda

FRIDAY, APRIL 21 – SUNDAY, APRIL 23

Convening will take place at the New York Marriott Brooklyn Bridge (333 Adams Street, Brooklyn) unless otherwise noted.

FRIDAY, APRIL 21

4:00 - 6:30 pm	Registration at hotel
7:00 - 9:00 pm	Private Reception at the Home of Alex Soros <i>Yohannes Abraham, Former Obama White House Advisor</i> <i>Location: provided upon RSVP</i>

SATURDAY, APRIL 22

7:30 - 8:45 am	Breakfast
9:00 - 10:00 am	Welcome and Introductions <i>Svante Myrick and Simon Greer, Cabinet Co-Chairs</i>
10:00 - 11:00 am	What Are We Building?
11:00 - 11:15am	Break
11:15- 11:45am	The Vetting Process <i>Greg Nelson, Former Chief of Staff – National Economic Council</i>
11:45am	Cabinet Position Meeting Explanation
12:00-1:00pm	Lunch
1:00-4:30pm	Cabinet Position Exploratory Meetings with Project Advisors
4:30-4:45pm	Break
4:45-5:30pm	Debrief
5:30 – 6:00 pm	Wrap Up
7:00-10:00 pm	Celebratory Dinner <i>Sponsored by the Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco</i> <i>Location: Atrium Dumbo (15 Main Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201)</i>

SUNDAY, APRIL 23

8:00 - 9:00 am	Breakfast
9:00 - 9:30 am	Opening Reflection
9:30 - 10:15 am	Insights into the UK Shadow Cabinet
10:15 - 10:30 am	Break
10:30 - 11:30 am	Working Groups to Move Project Forward
11:30 am - 12:00 pm	Next Steps & Evaluation
12:00pm	Close

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LIZ BENNETT State Representative, IA

Liz Bennett is a state representative from Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Now serving her second term, Bennett stands for a progressive vision of Iowa which includes actively combatting climate change, assuring that Iowa's youth gets a world-class education, raising the minimum wage, using smart policy to bring needed jobs to Iowa, and working to attract and retain young professionals. During her time in the State House, Representative Bennett has established herself as an advocate for inclusion in the state of Iowa. During her first term, she has been vocal in her opposition to Islamophobia and anti-immigrant rhetoric. She is the first openly-LGBTQ woman to serve in the Iowa legislature.

Bennett is a member of the Administration & Rules, Economic Growth, Judiciary, and Ways & Means committees, and was elected as an Assistant Minority Leader of her caucus. She is a member of the Governor's STEM Advisory Council, as well as the Kirkwood Community College Liberal Arts Advisory Board. Outside the House, she works for internet company GoDaddy.



MICHAEL ALEXANDER BLAKE Assemblymember, NY

Michael A. Blake is the Assemblymember of the 79th District in the Bronx, New York, representing parts of Concourse Village, Morrisania, Melrose, Belmont, Claremont, and East Tremont. He is passionate about urban entrepreneurship, Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprises (MWBEs), education, community learning, building sustainable communities, equality for all, and empowering young men of color. Assemblymember Blake serves on the Correction, Housing, Election Law, Governmental Operations, Banks, and Veterans Affairs committees and is the Chairman of the Mitchell-Lama (Affordable Housing) subcommittee. Assemblymember Blake, in his first year in office, was elected the 2nd Vice-Chair of the NY Black, Puerto Rican, Hispanic and Asian Legislative Caucus. Blake's work continues in the

community. Blake serves on the My Brother's Keeper Alliance as a national advisory board member (the only state legislator in the nation) and is a board member of iVOTE, which focuses on protecting voting rights across the country. He previously served as the senior advisor for Operation Hope and is the founding principal of Atlas Strategy Group, which focuses on political and economic empowerment for communities of color. In February 2017, Blake was elected Vice Chair of his national party committee.



CRISANTA DURAN Speaker of the House, CO

In November 2016, Crisanta Duran was unanimously voted as the 58th Speaker of the Colorado House of Representatives, one of the top three positions in state government. She is the first Latina Speaker of the House. At the age of 36, she is beginning her fourth and final two-year term representing House District 5 in central Denver, and earlier in 2016 she was a featured speaker at the National Convention for her party. Speaker Duran has been a leader in legislative economic development efforts. As the House Majority Leader in the 2015 and 2016 sessions, she coordinated and marshaled strong bipartisan support for the legislative package known as Colorado Ready to Work — more than a dozen new laws to boost Colorado businesses and train Coloradans for the good-paying, highly skilled jobs our growing,

modernizing economy is producing.

Before being elected to the caucus leadership, Duran was chairwoman of the legislature's powerful Joint Budget Committee. The 2014 state budget drafted by the Joint Budget Committee was notable for its significant increases for K-12 and higher education and funded a variety of measures to boost the state's economy and increase the economic security of Colorado families. Duran serves on the board of the National Association of Latino Elected & Appointed Officials and the national Board of Hispanic Caucus Chairs. In 2016 she won the national EMILY's List Rising Star Award, given annually to "an extraordinary woman serving in state or local office." She is a sixth-generation Coloradan with a law degree from the University of Colorado. Her bachelor's degree is from the University of Denver, where she was a double major in public policy and Spanish.

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MARY E. GONZÁLEZ State Representative, TX

In November 2012, Mary E. González was elected State Representative for House District 75. González was raised in Clint, Texas. She serves on the Appropriations Committee and is Vice Chair of the Agriculture and Livestock Committee in the Texas House. Throughout her time as a state representative, she has authored numerous bills to improve public schools, increase economic development, advocate for social justice, and support agriculture across Texas. She is currently serving her second term as Treasurer for the Mexican American Legislative Caucus and was elected Secretary of the House Border Caucus. As a result of her accomplishments, she was named “Freshman of the Year” by the Mexican American Legislative Caucus, a “Champion of Equality” by Equality Texas two sessions in a row, and the 2015 “Advocate of the Year” by the same organization. In 2015, she was the youngest inductee into the El Paso Women’s Hall of Fame.



MATT HANEY Board of Education, San Francisco, CA

Matt Haney is a Commissioner on the San Francisco Board of Education and the immediate past president. Throughout his career, Haney has fought to close the racial opportunity gap and is a national leader in working to end the school-to-prison pipeline and expand education in computer science. In 2016, Haney was the only school board member in the country endorsed by President Barack Obama and received the most votes of any candidate for school board in San Francisco history. Haney is National Policy Director at Dream Corps, where he leads the organization’s broader political and policy strategy to close prison doors and opens doors of opportunity. Haney has a BA from UC Berkeley, an MA from Stanford University School of Education, a JD Stanford Law School, and an LLM in Human Rights from National University of Ireland. He previously served as Adjunct Faculty at the Stanford Design School.



DANIEL HERNANDEZ JR State Representative, AZ

Daniel Hernandez is an Arizona native. He is the 2015 Tucson Hispanic Chamber of Commerce “40 under 40 Man of the Year.” As a first generation college student, he was a congressional intern for the office of former Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords of Arizona. While assisting Congresswoman Giffords with a constituent event in Tucson on January 8, 2011, Hernandez took actions for which he is widely credited with saving the life of the Congresswoman after a gunman shot her and 18 other people.

He was elected to the Sunnyside Unified School District Governing board in November 2011 and most recently served as president of the board. In that role, he was successful in creating a five-year strategic plan, opened a new K-8 fine arts magnet school, hired a new superintendent, accomplished comprehensive sex education and secured grant funding to implement it.



JON HOADLEY State Representative, MI

Jon Hoadley is in his second term as the representative for the 60th House District, which includes Kalamazoo and portions of the city of Portage and Kalamazoo Township. Representative Hoadley is a small business owner and serves as president and owner of Badlands Strategies, a progressive public affairs firm. Previously Hoadley served as Executive Director of National Stonewall Democrats, worked for the Gill Action Fund, and managed South Dakotans Against Discrimination. In the community, Hoadley serves on the board of Mothers of Hope, the advisory committee to the National LGBTQ Task Force, the National Caucus of Environmental Legislators, the steering committee of the American State Legislators for Gun Violence Prevention, the National Conference of State Legislators Elections

Task Force, and volunteers at his church, First Congregational Church-United Church of Chris. In his first term, Hoadley served on the House Appropriations Committee as a vice chair of the Judiciary and Agriculture subcommittees, as well as on the Higher Education subcommittee. He also served on the House Elections Committee.

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PAULETTE JORDAN State Representative, ID

Paulette Jordan is an Idaho House Representative and member of the Idaho Legislative Council. Representative Jordan holds a seat on the State Affairs Committee, Resources and Conservation Committee and Energy, Environment and Technology Committee. Jordan has been involved in Tribal and State political matters for over 15 years. Prior to her election in to the Idaho House, she just completed her third year as an elected member of the Coeur d'Alene Tribal Council. Jordan was appointed to represent Idaho on the Energy and Environment Committee of the Council of State Governments-West, a legislative organization that is comprised of 13 states in the western region. Additionally, she is appointed to serve as the Idaho Representative to the Idaho Advisory Committee to the U.S. Civil Rights Commission,

the Criminal Justice Oversight Committee, the Idaho Indian Affairs Council, and the Joint-Economic Outlook Committee.

In the private-sector, Jordan was elected to serve as the Executive Secretary of the National Indian Gaming Association, where she retains her position as Finance Chair and the Energy Initiative Chair of the Executive Board.



JANE KIM Board Supervisor, San Francisco, CA

Jane Kim is a member of the San Francisco Board of Supervisors. She serves as Chair of the Government Audit and Oversight Committee and is a member of the Transbay Joint Powers Authority, San Francisco County Transportation Authority, Budget and Finance Committee, Metropolitan Transportation Commission, and the Treasure Island Mobility Management Agency. Prior to being a San Francisco Supervisor Jane Kim was a community organizer at Chinatown Community Development Center, a civil rights attorney at Lawyers Committee for Civil Rights, and served as President of the San Francisco Board of Education. She received a dual B.A. in Political Science and Asian American studies from Stanford University and her J.D. from the U.C. Berkeley School of Law. Kim has built a strong base of

support throughout her community activism and time in office. Her approach to policy making is values-based and prioritizes community-building and progressive leadership development. Kim has developed a reputation as someone who will fight for everyone in the district - in particular, those who too often do not have a voice in our government.



CHRIS LARSON State Senator, WI

After defeating an incumbent from his own party during the 2010 fall primary, Chris Larson was elected to the Wisconsin State Senate at the age of 29.

Larson was one of the 14 Senators who bravely left the state in February 2011 to stand up for the rights of workers, giving them a voice in the legislative process when the governor was trying to shut them out. Just two years later, he was elected to serve as Senate Leader for his party during the 2013-2014 legislative session. He was one of the youngest senate leaders in Wisconsin history. Larson is a leading voice on education issues and has a strong background in finance, progressive messaging, transportation, energy policy, and environmental issues. Previously, Larson was a Milwaukee County Board

Supervisor. He is married with two children. In his downtime, he trains for marathons and is on his way to running one in each of the 50 states.



MATTHEW LESSER State Representative, CT

Matthew Lesser is serving his fifth term in the Connecticut House of Representatives, where he is House Chair of the Banking Committee. Lesser authored Connecticut's first-in-the-nation Student Loan Bill of Rights and has received national recognition for his work on retirement security, consumer financial protections, election and campaign finance reform, and the environment. In 2015, Lesser was the recipient of a Marshall Memorial Fellowship from the German Marshall Fund of the United States.

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NATALIA D. MACKER County Commissioner, Teton County, WY

Natalia D. Macker is the Vice Chair of Teton County Board of Commissioners, where she works diligently to maintain the equality, vibrancy, and diversity of her community. She is a co-chair of the health and safety committee at the Wyoming County Commissioners Association and serves on the Health Committee and Rural Caucus at NACo. Her record demonstrates support for women and working families and a commitment to public lands, sustainability, and conservation values. She was appointed in 2015 by Governor Matt Mead to serve on the Land Quality Advisory Board for the Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality. Previously, she was appointed twice to the Teton County/Jackson Parks & Recreation Advisory Board. Born and raised in Knoxville, TN, she is a graduate of the Front Line Leaders Academy and a

member of the Young Elected Officials Network. Macker holds a BA cum laude from Yale University.

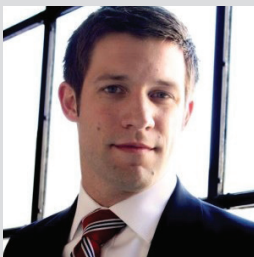


DOMINICK MORENO State Senator, CO

Born and raised in Commerce City, Dominick Moreno grew up going to public schools where he made valedictorian while working afternoons at the local Dairy Queen. Through scholarships and part-time jobs, Moreno attended Georgetown University and graduated with a degree in American Government. Moreno's commitment to using his education to benefit his community led to his election to the city council in Commerce City at the age of 24.

Moreno is committed to making sure hunger is not a learning disability in Colorado. He has successfully passed bills to require universal breakfast in all low-income schools and to help families pay for the cost of providing school meals for their children. Moreno was elected to the Colorado Senate in 2016. He previously served in the Colorado House of

Representatives for two terms. He is a member of the Joint Budget Committee, a six member committee charged with crafting the state budget each year.



ADAM MORFELD State Senator, NE

Senator Adam Morfeld was elected to the Nebraska legislature in 2014 and is a member of the Judiciary and Education Committees. He is the third youngest member of the legislature and represents downtown and Northeast Lincoln.

Morfeld graduated from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln with a BA in Political Science and earned his Juris Doctorate from the University of Nebraska-College of Law in 2012 and was a member of the Nebraska Law Review. He specializes in voting rights and non-profit administration and compliance. While an undergrad in 2008 he founded and continues to serve as the Executive Director of Nebraskans for Civic Reform (NCR), a non-partisan, non-profit organization that engages youth through substantive community service and leadership programs in schools, and ensures

elections are accessible for youth, low-income people, people with disabilities, and seniors through voting rights investigations, litigation, research, and policy advocacy. With a full and part-time staff of 30, NCR works to create a more modern and robust democracy for all Nebraskans.



ILHAN OMAR State Representative, MN

Ilhan Omar is the newly elected Minnesota House Representative for District 60B. She is the first Somali-American, Muslim woman in the nation to hold an office at this level. Omar is an experienced policy analyst, progressive activist, coalition builder, and humanitarian. Most recently, she served as the Director of Policy Initiatives at Women Organizing Women, where she empowered East African woman to take civic leadership roles in their community. Omar lives in the West Bank neighborhood of Minneapolis with her husband and their three children. Committed to unity and justice, Omar is focused on advancing important issues, including raising the minimum wage to \$15/hour, closing the opportunity gap, and fighting for environmental justice and racial equity. Omar holds degrees in Business

Administration, Political Science, and International Studies. She completed a Policy Fellowship at University of Minnesota's Humphrey School of Public Affairs. She has also served on numerous nonprofit boards including the Legal Rights Center, YMCA, and Confederation of Somali Community of MN. She is currently the Vice president of the DFL Feminist Caucus. Omar has received multiple accolades and awards, including the Rising Star Award from a Women's Hall of Fame and a Community Leadership Award from the Mshale Newspaper for outstanding leadership.

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DAN RAMOS State Representative, OH

Dan Ramos has served in the Ohio House of Representatives since 2011, after having served as a legislative staffer beginning in 2000. Ramos has fought for equal rights, labor rights, working people, students, seniors, and the poor. He has been Ranking Member on the Higher Education Finance Committee where he has fought for true college affordability. He has been instrumental in passing legislation to save state pensions and legalize medical marijuana. Ramos is currently the longest serving Latino state official in Ohio history. Ramos resides in his hometown of Lorain, Ohio.



AARON REGUNBERG State Representative, RI

Aaron Regunberg is a progressive member of the Rhode Island House of Representatives, representing the 4th District in Providence. Regunberg comes out of community organizing. In 2010 he co-founded the Providence Student Union, a youth-led public school student advocacy organization that has won campaigns around issues including ethnic studies curricula, infrastructure repairs, free student bus passes, and an end to school closings and high-stakes testing. In 2014, Regunberg was elected to serve Rhode Island House District 4 on the East Side of Providence. During his first term as state representative, he introduced and passed legislation raising Rhode Island's tipped minimum wage, establishing online voter registration, and creating new renewable energy programs. He has led fights in Rhode Island to guarantee

earned paid sick days, create a state-level carbon pricing system, reform solitary confinement, and establish a more progressive tax system, among other proposals. Regunberg graduated magna cum laude from Brown University with a B.A. in Political Science. He lives on the East Side of Providence with his fiancée and their two cats, Langston and Myles.



DANIEL RIEMER State Representative, WI

Currently in his third term, Daniel Riemer was first elected to the Wisconsin State Assembly at the age of 25. He is committed to reforming Wisconsin's economy, health care system, and schools to provide better opportunity for all Wisconsinites. For two consecutive sessions, Riemer has authored bills to expand Wisconsin's supplement to the federal government's Earned Income Tax Credit, one of the nation's largest and most effective anti-poverty programs. Riemer has also authored bills that would increase access to the state's Medicaid program for tens of thousands of Wisconsinites. Riemer has served on the Assembly committees on health, ways and means, workforce development, and veteran's affairs. Riemer is a Wisconsin native and graduate of the University of Chicago and University of Wisconsin-Madison

law school. Before entering politics he wrote for The Guardian. He remains a frequent editorial contributor to papers across the state.



NATALIA RUDIAK City Councilmember, Pittsburgh, PA

Natalia Rudiak, a two-term city council member, was born and raised in South Pittsburgh, where she is a proud graduate of Pittsburgh Public Schools' Carrick High School. She went on to earn her Bachelor's Degree from George Washington University and the London School of Economics through scholarships awarded from the AFL-CIO before completing her graduate degree at Carnegie Mellon University.



BRANDON M. SCOTT City Councilmember, Baltimore, MD

Brandon Scott was sworn in as City Councilman for the 2nd District on December 8, 2011. Elected at the age of 27, Brandon is one of the youngest members ever elected to the Baltimore City Council. Scott has been very busy during his first term on the council keeping promises he made on the campaign trail. He has led legislative initiatives that created extensive crime data sharing and online reporting of crimes by the Baltimore Police Department. Moreover, Scott has reinstated Council Oversight of the police department by holding quarterly hearings to make sure the police department is working for Baltimore's citizens. In addition, Scott passed legislation that updated and made sense of Baltimore's decades old youth curfew law in 2014. Scott has work diligently alongside residents and business owners to

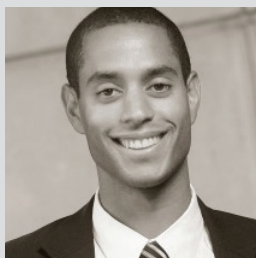
foster the redevelopment of the Belair Road corridor. He was able to secure funding for a critically important market study and over a million dollars for infrastructure improvements. In 2016, Scott led the way as the City Council passed monumental legislation to create restaurant inspection transparency in Baltimore. Brandon serves as the Chair of the City Council's Public Safety Committee and is a member of the Budget and Appropriations and Judiciary and Legislative Investigations Committees. He is the co-founder of the 300MenMarch anti-violence movement. Scott lives in Baltimore's Frankford Neighborhood.



MARY SHEFFIELD City Councilmember, Detroit, MI

In her community, Mary Sheffield is a native Detroiter with a demonstrated track record of service and leadership in our community. Following in her father's footsteps, Rev. Horace L. Sheffield, Sheffield was ordained as a minister and is very active in her ministry. In November of 2013, Sheffield became the youngest person ever elected to the Detroit City Council at the age of 26. Elected to serve in District 5, Sheffield was appointed as Chair of the Neighborhood and Community Services Standing Committee and also serves as a member of the Planning and Economic Development Standing Committee. At the Council table, Sheffield has made a commitment to fight for the continued growth of our city and has remained steadfast in keeping our neighborhoods at the center of the conversation.

In Sheffield's short time on the Detroit City Council, she has launched a number of initiatives designed to engage residents and offer a truly representative form of government to the residents of District 5. Some of her most groundbreaking initiatives include, but are not limited to, her monthly "Conversations with the Councilwoman" series, Occupy the Corner - Detroit, Neighborhood Angels Program, Homelessness Taskforce, and a monthly e-newsletter.



SPENCER THIBODEAU City Councilmember, Portland, ME

Spencer Thibodeau currently serves on the Portland City Council. His work ethic and desire to serve others led him to major in Political Science at Fairfield University, where he fell in love with politics. Inspired by Barack Obama's historic primary campaign, Thibodeau spent the summer of 2007 organizing volunteers in New Hampshire. This experience yielded an opportunity to spend the summer in Washington, D.C. as an intern for Congresswoman Pingree. Thibodeau attended law school at Northeastern University School of Law, where he clerked at the Massachusetts Land Court, served as a legal intern at the United States Attorney's Office for the District of Maine, and worked on environmental issues at the Conservation Law Foundation. After graduating from Northeastern, Thibodeau returned to Portland to

practice law. Thibodeau has taken full advantage of the newest "Foodie City" and when he is not working, you can find him reading at a local coffee shop, running, or grabbing dinner with friends.



FAITH WINTER State Representative, CO

Representative Winter was active on a variety of issues in the 2016 legislative session, introducing bills to encourage equal pay for equal work, as well as bills to boost renewable energy in Colorado and promote affordable housing across the entire state. In the 2015 session, she sponsored a key component of the Colorado Ready to Work jobs package — a bill that allows high schools to provide coursework that will count toward graduation and toward apprenticeship programs in high-demand professions. Winter was elected to the legislature after seven years on the Westminster City Council, where she helped to make Westminster the first platinum solar city in the state. She also championed small business support and services for survivors of domestic violence. Representative Winter is former executive director of

Emerge Colorado, which is dedicated to identifying, training, and encouraging women to run for office.

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YOHANNES ABRAHAM*

Yohannes Abraham most recently served in the Obama White House as Deputy Assistant to the President, Senior Advisor to the National Economic Council, and Chief of Staff of the Office of Public Engagement and Intergovernmental Affairs. In his role as Senior Advisor, Valerie Jarrett's top aide, he oversaw the team tasked with engaging state and local governments, the private sector, organized labor, civil rights organizations, and advocacy groups across the spectrum to inform and promote President Obama's policy priorities. His team played key roles in President Obama's second term priorities, including promoting ACA enrollment, building domestic support for the Paris climate agreement, organizing around key nominations, and advancing the President's economic agenda at the state and local level.

Prior to rejoining the White House in 2013, Abraham was one of the first staffers hired onto President Obama's 2012 re-election campaign, serving on the Executive Management Team as Deputy National Political Director. He had previously served as National Political Director at Organizing for America. Abraham first began working for then-Senator Obama during his Iowa Caucus campaign in 2007 and went on to serve as Virginia Field Director in the 2008 general election, helping turn that state blue for the first time in 44 years. During President Obama's first term, Abraham served in the White House Office of Legislative Affairs during the passage of the Affordable Care Act, the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act, and other key pieces of the President's first term agenda.

Abraham is a native of Springfield, Virginia and a graduate of Yale University.



NOOPUR AGARWAL*

Noopur Agarwal is Vice President of Public Affairs for MTV where she oversees the strategy and execution of major "pro-social" campaigns to engage and activate America's youth on the biggest issues impacting their generation. Her most recent initiative, the Emmy Award-winning "Look Different" campaign, has inspired young people nationwide to take over two million actions to challenge racial, gender and anti-LGBT bias.



HEATHER CABRAL*

Cabral is a senior strategist at West End Strategy Team where her outstanding contributions include developing strategic opportunities for clients and securing media placements that help them to achieve meaningful outcomes.

Cabral works with clients that focus on human and civil rights advocacy through interfaith outreach, utilizing such tools as traditional and social media and other creative communication strategies.

Her career began in production at ABC News. She then worked as a publicist for the National Geographic Society where she helped to facilitate their Empowering Women in Africa Symposium, in partnership with the British Embassy.

Next, she served as a communications specialist for the Brookings Institution's Africa Growth Initiative, focusing on publicizing U.S.-Africa trade, growth and development.

In addition, Cabral is a graduate of Howard University, belongs to the Diaspora African Women's network and also volunteers with the Embassy of Cape Verde. In December 2012, U.S. Rep. Howard Berman of California awarded her a Congressional Certificate of Recognition for her work in preserving Cape Verdean Culture in the United States.

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RONNIE CHO*

Ronnie Cho is a New York based Emmy Award-winning producer and Vice President and Head of Public Affairs for MTV. In this role, Cho oversees the strategic direction and implementation of all pro-social campaigns across MTV, MTV2, VH1, LOGO and mtvU's television, digital and social properties.

Previously, Cho was the Associate Director of the White House Office of Public Engagement where he served as President Obama's chief liaison to Young Americans and advanced the President's youth agenda on issues like increasing Pell Grants, cutting student loan interest rates, improving education outcomes and supporting youth entrepreneurship.

Prior to joining the White House, he was an editor at the Newsweek Daily Beast Company where he wrote and edited

content related to social justice, innovation and social entrepreneurship.

In 2014, Cho led a successful effort to connect every American classroom with world-leading broadband speeds and increased access to 21st century education technology for schoolchildren.



MATT DORF*

Matt Dorf, a veteran Washington insider whose award-winning communications create meaningful client outcomes, is the Founder and President of West End Strategy Team. As he spearheads strategic communications campaigns, Dorf influences progressive politics, skillfully shifting the conversation to achieve the goals of West End Strategy clients. His broad and deep experience informs his unique ability to understand the most complex and pressing issues of our time, including anti-torture efforts, the fight against anti-Muslim bigotry, the push for comprehensive immigration reform, and gun-violence prevention.

For more than a decade, Dorf helped diverse clients across all strategic areas when he served as managing partner of Rabinowitz/Dorf Communications. He also holds experience as a journalist, lobbyist and media strategist, and was named as one of the 50 most-influential Jews in America by The Forward newspaper. Dorf worked for a decade in hard news, reporting for dailies and community newspapers in New York, New Jersey and Virginia. Eventually, he led the Washington bureau of JTA, a global news wire service.

As director of government and public affairs for the American Jewish Congress, he headed the organization's Washington office. And he served as director of Jewish affairs and outreach for then-Gov. Howard Dean's presidential campaign and as senior adviser to his national committee on faith outreach.

A graduate of The George Washington University, Dorf is a contributing editor to *An Historical Encyclopedia of the Arab-Israeli Conflict* and authored a highly regarded guide to nonprofit media advocacy.



NATALIE FOSTER

Natalie Foster is an expert in the future of work, and the future of the social contract. She's currently the co-chair of the Economic Security Project, a two-year fund to support exploration and experimentation with unconditional cash stipends, and an advisor to The Aspen Institute Future of Work Initiative.

In 2013, Foster co-founded and launched Peers.org to support people who work in the sharing and on-demand economy. Prior to Peers, she was the CEO and co-founder of Rebuild the Dream, a platform for people-driven economic change, with Van Jones.

Previously, Foster served as digital director for President Obama's Organizing for America (OFA) and her national committee. Foster built the first digital department at the Sierra Club and served as the deputy organizing director for MoveOn.org.

She's been awarded fellowships at Institute for the Future, Rockwood Leadership Institute and New America California, and she advises the Open Society Foundation.

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ANDREW D. GILLUM

Andrew Gillum is the Mayor of Tallahassee, Florida. As Mayor of Tallahassee, Andrew Gillum has led the way with a strong track record of forward-thinking accomplishments: creating the groundwork for an innovation economy; beating the gun lobby in court; standing up to President Trump on sanctuary cities and climate change; welcoming same-sex couples to get married in Tallahassee; and creating jobs for young people and helping businesses thrive.

He is the former executive director and founder of the YEO Network, is an alumnus of Florida A&M University (FAMU), former president of the Student Government Association, and FAMU's first student member of the Board of Trustees. He became the youngest person ever elected to the four-member Tallahassee City Commission in February 2003, and was elected Mayor of Tallahassee in 2014. He and his wife R. Jai Gillum live with their two children in Tallahassee.



COLIN GREER*

Dr. Colin Greer has been the President of the New World Foundation since 1985. Formerly, he was a professor at Brooklyn College, CUNY. Dr. Greer participated in and directed several studies of US immigration and urban schooling policy and history (at Columbia University and CUNY). He wrote briefing papers on philanthropy and government for First Lady, Mrs. Hillary Clinton, and on education policy for Senator Paul Wellstone. He chaired the President's White House Internship Financial Aid Committee (1992-4) and chaired the Funders Committee for Citizen Participation (for 12 years).

His books include (with Herbert Kohl) *A Call to Character* and *The Plain Truth of Things*. Other books include, with Frank Riessman and Alan Gartner, *What Nixon is doing to Us* and *After Reagan What?* He is best known for *The Great School Legend* and *Choosing Equality: The Case for Democratic Schooling* (which won the American Library Association's Eli M. Oboler Intellectual Freedom Award). He was a founding editor of *Change Magazine* and *Social Policy Magazine*. He was a contributing editor to *Parade Magazine* for 17 years. His best-known interviews were with Mikhail Gorbachev, Billy Graham, and Bishop Desmond Tutu.

He chairs the Boards of the LARK Play Development Center and the Stella Adler Studio of Acting. He also serves on the Boards of Alternet, New York City Interfaith Center, and *Tikkun Magazine*. He formerly served on the Boards of Teachers and Writers Collaborative and openDemocracy USA.

Colin Greer also writes non-fiction. His poems have been published in *Transformations* and *Hanging Loose*. Two of his plays, *Imagining Heschel* and *Spinoza's Solitude*, are collected in *Religious Differences Between Artichokes* (Lantern Books) with a Preface by Cornel West. His play *Bombed*, about the bombing of Hiroshima, was produced in 2015 with three other plays exploring race relations in the US and is moving toward further production and to publication next year.



SIMON GREER* Alt-Cabinet Project Chair

Simon Greer has been involved in social change work for the past 25 years. Considered to be a serial entrepreneur in the non-profit world, he has three times served in a CEO role in "turnaround" undertakings where the organizations' missions were as noble as ever but their impact and approach needed an overhaul. Today, as the founder of Cambridge Heath Ventures, he works with private sector companies, purpose-driven organizations, and governments to help them overcome their most pressing challenges. He says, "I have decided to invest my time working only with people I love, causes I'm passionate about, and where I think I can learn something." Greer has worked at the local, national, and international levels to address issues ranging from poverty to lack of energy access and other forms of injustice through

philanthropy, advocacy, and direct service. Throughout these efforts he has been known for a commitment to innovation, risk, and unconventional thinking.

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SARA JACOBS

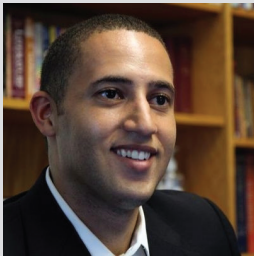
Sara Jacobs is the CEO of Project Connect, a non-profit working with the tech community and UNICEF with the aim of mapping every school in the world and measuring Internet connectivity at schools. Previously, Jacobs served as a policy advisor to Hillary for America, was a Policy Advisor in the Bureau of Conflict and Stabilization Operations at the U.S. Department of State, and worked in UNICEF's Innovation Unit, the United Nations Department of Peacekeeping Operations, and the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP). She has a BA in Political Science from Columbia and a Masters in International Affairs from Columbia University's School of International and Public Affairs.



ERIKA SOTO LAMB*

Erika Soto Lamb is the Chief Communications Officer for Everytown for Gun Safety, the largest gun violence prevention organization in the country with more than three million supporters including moms, mayors, survivors, and everyday Americans who are fighting for public safety measures that respect the Second Amendment and protect people from gun violence. At the core of Everytown are Mayors Against Illegal Guns, founded in 2006 by former New York City Mayor Michael Bloomberg, and Moms Demand Action for Gun Sense in America, a grassroots movement of American mothers founded on the day after the Sandy Hook tragedy. Prior to Everytown, Soto Lamb was a vice president at Ketchum, where she provided reputation management counsel to foreign governments and

other international clients. Earlier in her career, Soto Lamb focused on media relations and message development for political campaigns, and public and private sector clients. Soto Lamb has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science from Stanford University and a master's degree in Strategic Communications from Columbia University. She is also the mother of two young sons and resides in New York City.



SVANTE MYRICK* Alt-Cabinet Project Chair

Svante L. Myrick was sworn into office in January 2012 and became, at 24, the City of Ithaca's youngest mayor and first mayor of color. Myrick was first elected to the Common Council at the age of 20 while still a junior at Cornell. His first budget included a radical overhaul of City government that merged departments, streamlined processes, and was able to successfully close a \$ 3 million deficit – all while delivering the lowest tax increase in the City of Ithaca since the year 2000. His active advocacy in Albany and in Washington, D.C. has resulted in over \$30 million of grants and awards from the state and federal government. Myrick has changed the way people in Ithaca view public space by turning his dedicated mayoral parking space into a public park and he's moved Ithaca into the 21st century by embracing social

media and overhauling the City's web presence. His accomplishments include successful implementation of the total rehabilitation of the Commons, Ithaca's downtown pedestrian mall, and making changes within the Ithaca Police Department in an effort to improve police and community relations. In 2015 he ran and won another four year term as Mayor, leading with a commanding 89% of the vote. In 2016 Myrick released "The Ithaca Plan - A Public Health and Safety Approach to Drug Policy" which gained international attention for its forward-thinking policies and vision. Myrick has also gained accolades for welcoming refugees from war torn regions of the world to Ithaca.



GREG NELSON*

Greg Nelson runs business operations and strategy for Parker Media and the Sean Parker Foundation, and is a Fellow with the Aspen Institute's Future of Work Initiative. Nelson spent six years at the Obama White House as a senior leader in the economic policy, clean energy, technology, and strategic partnerships teams. Nelson's policy portfolio included international trade, economic policy, and US participation in the G7 and G20, infrastructure, technology policy, clean energy, entrepreneurship, and startups. Nelson was also the chief of staff at the National Economic Council for director Gene Sperling, and the deputy director of the White House Office of Public Engagement focused on public-private partnerships, including as deputy director of the President's Council on Jobs and Competitiveness. Prior

to the White House, Nelson helped build and sell a technology company, developed startups in energy and biomaterials, and consulted for businesses, nonprofits, and foundations. He holds a BA in political science and history from Yale University.

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LARRY PARKS*

Lawrence H. Parks is Senior Vice President for External and Legislative Affairs at the Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco. In this position, Parks works with Congress, the Administration, the Federal Housing Finance Agency, member financial institutions, and national housing and community development advocates to shape the future legislative, regulatory, and policy environment in which the Bank operates. Prior to joining the Bank in 1997, Parks was Senior Policy Advisor to U.S. Secretary of Commerce Ron Brown, where he oversaw the Economic Development Administration and the Minority Business Development Agency and represented the Secretary on the National Economic Council and the Domestic Policy Council. Previously, Parks served as the Associate Legislative Counsel/

Director at the Mortgage Bankers Association, as Legislative Counsel to Senator Lloyd Bentsen, and as Counsel to the U.S. Senate Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs, Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs. Parks earned a B.A. from Temple University and a J.D. from Yale Law School.



ANDY POTTER*

Andy Potter is the Chief of Staff/Executive Vice-President of the Michigan Corrections Organization SEIU Local 526M. He also is a member of the SEIU International Executive Board, is the Vice-President of the SEIU Michigan State Council, and the chair of the SEIU GOP National Advisory Committee.



REBECCA RICHARDS

Rebecca Richards is the co-founder of dalla nonna llc, a jewelry company specializing in vintage-inspired pieces. dalla nonna has been featured on the Ellen DeGeneres show and E! News as well as in InStyle, People Style Watch, Real Simple, and US Magazine, among others. Formerly, Richards served as Vice President of NGE Philanthropic Advisors and as the Executive Director of New York University School of Law's Graduate Tax Program.

Richards received her J.D. from Yale Law School and her B.A. from the University of Pennsylvania. She is a certified consultant with 21/64 and is one of the founders of the Slingshot Fund. Richards currently serves on the board of the Maxine & Jack Zarrow Family Foundation, the University of Chicago Women's Board, and the National Advisory

Board of the Netter Center for Community Partnership at the University of Pennsylvania.



JOHN ROGERS

John Rogers' passion for investing began at age 12, when his father began buying him stocks as Christmas and birthday gifts. His interest in equities grew at Princeton University, where he majored in economics, and over the two-plus years he worked as a stockbroker for William Blair & Company, LLC.

In 1983, Rogers founded Ariel Investments to employ a patient, value strategy in small and medium-size companies. He strongly believes in giving back to Chicago, sitting on the corporate boards of Exelon and McDonald's, and serving as trustee to the University of Chicago. Additionally, he is a trustee of Rush University Medical Center and a life trustee of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra. Nationally, Rogers is a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and

a director of the Robert F. Kennedy Center for Justice and Human Rights. In 2008, he was awarded Princeton University's highest honor, the Woodrow Wilson Award, presented each year to the alumnus whose career embodies a commitment to national service. Following the election of President Barack Obama, Rogers served as co-chair for the Presidential Inaugural Committee 2009, and more recently, he joined the Barack Obama Foundation's Board of Directors. In 2013, Rogers was featured alongside legendary investors Warren Buffett, Sir John Templeton, and Benjamin Graham in the distinguished book, *The World's 99 Greatest Investors* by Magnus Angenfelt. Rogers received an AB in economics from Princeton University, where he was also captain of the varsity basketball team.

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MONICA RUSSO

Monica Russo is the President of the SEIU Florida State Council, Executive Vice President at 1199 SEIU United Healthcare Workers East, International Vice President at SEIU, and a past Commissioner at Florida Commission on the Status of Women. Russo is a consummate advocate of workers' rights and a champion for thousands of predominantly low wage workers in the healthcare and services industries, the majority of whom are workers of color – including immigrants - in Florida and across the nation. Her efforts have had an extraordinary impact on their quality of life and amplification of their voices in corporate boardrooms, legislative halls, and the communities where they live.



TIM SIMONS*

Tim Simons is the Vice President and Senior Compliance Officer of the Legislative and Regulatory Affairs Unit of the Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco. Simons works with Congress, state and local housing constituents throughout the United States, and the financial service industry to ensure the continued viability of mortgage lending for all communities. In addition to his legislative and regulatory network, Simons has an extensive background in financial and operational compliance developed while working in the U.S., Caribbean, and Latin America for KPMG and Cable & Wireless. Simons has an MBA from University of Maryland College Park and an undergraduate degree in Accounting from Hampton University. He is a native of Brooklyn, New York and serves as Chair of the board of

trustees for the Weeksville Heritage Center in Brooklyn. He also serves on the boards of the Brooklyn Historical Society and the Bedford Stuyvesant Restoration Corporation.



ANDY STERN*

Andy Stern is the President Emeritus of the 2.2-million-member Service Employees International Union (SEIU), which grew by more than 1.2 million workers during his tenure.

Called a “courageous, visionary leader who charted a bold new course for American unionism,” Stern has been featured on 60 Minutes, CNN, Charlie Rose, The Colbert Show, and on the covers of the New York Times Magazine, Fortune, and Business Week.

He is on the boards of the Open Society Foundations, International Partners, the Hillman Foundation, and the Broad Center.

Stern was a leading proponent for universal healthcare, a Presidential Appointee on the Simpson-Bowles Commission, and is now a Senior Fellow at The Economic Security Project. His first book *A Country That Works* was published in 2005, and his new book—*Raising the Floor: How a Universal Basic Income Can Renew Our Economy and Restore the American Dream* calls for America to debate and take bold action in the face of the massive potential of job disruption.



MICHAEL VACHON*

Michael Vachon is Advisor to the Chairman at Soros Fund Management (SFM). Vachon serves as spokesperson for the Fund and for Mr. Soros personally. He advises Mr. Soros and other executives on media relations and external affairs and acts as Mr. Soros's chief-of-staff for special projects, including overseeing Mr. Soros's political contributions. Prior to joining SFM, Vachon was director of communications and a member of the executive committee of The Commonwealth Fund, one of the nation's oldest private foundations. He previously served as director of communications at the Open Society Institute and the Soros foundation network, and worked for several years as a financial journalist.

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JENNY WOOD

Jenny Punsalan Wood is the Executive Vice President at Liberty Hill Foundation. Prior to joining Liberty Hill, she served as Chief Deputy for the Administration on Children, Youth and Families within the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. In this capacity, she led federal policy initiatives, grant-making, and research related to child welfare, runaway and homeless youth, adolescent pregnancy, and domestic violence prevention. Prior to her appointment within the Department of Health and Human Services, she co-founded the National Foster Youth Institute, an organization committed to reforming the nation's child welfare system. Before this, Wood served as Acting Chief of Staff and Legislative Director to Congresswoman Karen Bass of California. In this role, she managed daily legislative operations and advanced a policy agenda focused on poverty alleviation. Previously, she served as District Director to then Speaker of the California Assembly Karen Bass, overseeing outreach and constituent services in Los Angeles. A graduate of the University of California at Los Angeles (UCLA), Wood also earned a Master in Public Administration from the Harvard Kennedy School of Government.

Guest Speaker



BARRY KNIGHT Director, Webb Memorial Trust

Barry Knight is a social scientist and statistician. In addition to overseeing the work of the Webb Memorial Trust, he works with the Global Fund for Community Foundations, the Arab Reform Initiative, and the European Foundation Centre. He is co-chair of the Working Group on Philanthropy for Social Justice and Peace and is the author or editor of 14 books on poverty, civil society, community development, and democracy. Knight has previously advised the Ford Foundation and the CS Mott Foundation.

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NOAH S. BERNSTEIN

Noah S. Bernstein is a Program Officer for the Civic Opportunities Initiative Network (COIN), a national leadership and community development program in underserved communities. Through Bernstein's work, COIN has successfully built models that advance skill development, job readiness and civic training for young adults in disadvantaged communities nationwide.

As the Coordinator of Special Projects, Bernstein is the program investment officer of the Quality Jobs Fund, a \$100 million initiative to address the problems of inequality through quality job expansion and skill development in the southwest, in collaboration with the Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco. He also supports fiscally-sponsored projects, donor-advised funds and staff services to family foundations housed at NWF.

Bernstein received his undergraduate degree from Wheaton College in Massachusetts in Religion where he graduated Phi Beta Kappa. He received his M.P.A. in Public and Non-Profit Management and Policy at New York University's Robert F. Wagner School for Public Service. He is currently a board member of "Word up," a multi-language, general-interest, volunteer-run community bookshop and arts space in Washington Heights.

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DAWN HUCKELBRIDGE Senior Advisor on Policy and YEO State Strategies

Dawn Huckelbridge, the YEO Network Senior Advisor, has professional and academic expertise in progressive policy, as well as broad experience recruiting, training, and supporting candidates and elected officials. Most recently during the 2016 election cycle, she served as Coordinated Program Director for the Community Outreach Group at Planned Parenthood, where she recruited and managed a campaign team to implement the largest coordinated campaign programs in key battleground states to date. Prior to that she served as the YEO Network Managing Director, Policy and Programs Director, and Policy Director. Huckelbridge also consulted for the Center for Women Policy Studies, providing policy support and technical assistance to a global network of elected officials. She previously served as Deputy

Director of the Barbara Lee Family Foundation and Political Office, supporting women's political leadership and the contemporary arts. She also has worked in political and issue communications with GMMB and has consulted on a number of international political and public interest projects, from human trafficking in the UK to women's political representation in Armenia. She has served on the board of Emerge Massachusetts, an organization that trains progressive women candidates. She graduated from the London School of Economics and Political Science with a master's degree in gender and social policy. She earned her bachelor's degree from Northwestern University, where she studied communications and political science.



TAIF JANY Policy Coordinator

Most recently, Taif Jany worked as the Program Manager for the Education for Peace in Iraq Center (EPIC), a nonprofit organization that works one-on-one with young people and civil society leaders in Iraq to inform public policy and advocate for long-lasting positive change. At EPIC, Jany designed, managed, and evaluated on-the-ground projects in Iraq and coordinated with international partners to deliver humanitarian aid to vulnerable families in the region. Jany also published weekly reports tracking and analyzing the latest security, humanitarian, and political developments in Iraq. Before EPIC, Jany served as a foreign relations intern with the Mennonite Central Committee at the United Nations, a research intern with Congressional Quarterly, a government relations intern at the Arab American Institute,

and a legislative intern in the office of Congressman Keith Ellison. At age 16, Jany fled the conflict in Iraq and sought refuge in Damascus, Syria where he joined the Iraqi Student Project (ISP) – a grassroots effort to help Iraqi refugee students finish their education in the United States. Jany later immigrated to US to attend Union College in Schenectady, NY where he graduated with a degree in Sociology and French. Jany's experience growing up in Baghdad as a firsthand witness to the consequences of the 2003 war on Iraq, and living as an immigrant in the United States, inspires his ambition to promote social and economic justice, diversity, and equality for all.



KAREN SCHILLINGER Coordinator of Advanced Leadership

Karen Schillinger was bit by the campaign bug early in life and began volunteering and interning on several campaigns across her home state of Arizona. She graduated from Cornell University in 2012 with a degree in policy analysis and management. While at Cornell, she ran four years of varsity track and field and wrote for the top-ranked Cornell Daily Sun newspaper. During her senior year, Schillinger served as field director on the campaign of current Ithaca Mayor, Svante Myrick. After successfully knocking on every door in the City of Ithaca 10 or more times, Mayor Myrick became the youngest mayor in the State of New York and Ithaca's first African-American mayor by winning all 18 election districts with 55 percent of the vote. Schillinger continued her work on grassroots campaigns for another young elected

official, Nate Shinagawa. She worked as his field director on his nationally-recognized Congressional race in the Southern Tier of New York. Most recently, Schillinger has worked in U.S. Senator Charles Schumer's Syracuse office as his deputy regional director.



JENNA WEINBERG

Jenna Weinberg is a Senior Strategist at Cambridge Heath Ventures (CHV), a consulting firm focused on business and political strategy and organizational design for social change ventures from all sectors. She specializes in project management, fundraising, strategic partnership building, board development, and operations.

Previously, Weinberg spent eight years in the nonprofit world both domestically and abroad, where she juggled numerous roles (often simultaneously) as an entrepreneur, staffer, board member, and executive. She currently serves on the boards of MAZON: A Jewish Response to Hunger, Slingshot, and the New Israel Fund. Weinberg is a graduate of the University of Michigan where she majored in International Studies and Judaic Studies and was a leader in Muslim/Jewish relations on campus.

Cabinet Positions

Secretary of State	Secretary of Labor	Secretary of Homeland Security
Secretary of the Treasury	Secretary of Transportation	US Trade Representative
Attorney General	Secretary of Veterans Affairs	Representative of the United States to the United Nations
Secretary of Defense	Secretary of Education	Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency
Secretary of the Interior	Secretary of Energy	Administrator of the Small Business Administrations
Secretary of Agriculture	Secretary of Health and Human Services	
Secretary of Commerce	Secretary of Housing and Urban Development	

FY 2016 Discretionary Spending

AGENCY	ENACTED
Agriculture	\$21.75B
Architect of the Capitol	\$612.9M
Census Bureau	\$1.4B
Commerce	\$9.2B
Defense	\$514.1B
Education	\$68B
Energy	\$37.185B
Environmental Protection Agency	\$8.139B
Government Accountability Office	\$556M
General Services Administration	\$10.2B
Health and Human Services	\$75.2B
Homeland Security	\$41B
Housing and Urban Development	\$38.6B
Interior	\$12.016B
Internal Revenue Service	\$11.235B
Justice	\$28.7B
Labor	\$12.18B
National Aeronautics and Space Administration	\$19.3B
National Institute of Standards and Technology	\$964M
National Science Foundation	\$7.5B
Nuclear Regulatory Commission	\$990M
Office of Personnel Management	\$272M
Social Security Administration	\$12.16B
State	\$52.68B
Transportation	\$18.7B
Treasury	\$11.939B
Veterans Affairs	\$71.4B

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