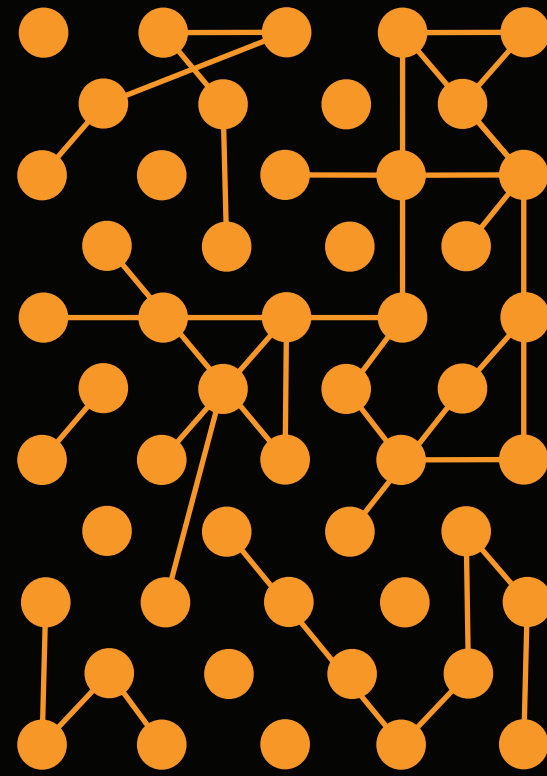


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A NOTE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



Nihad Awad

Founder and National
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We live in a moment in history that is both full of fear and of courage. On one hand, anti-Muslim bigotry, Islamophobia, and violence against Muslims have never been more normalized in American politics and media. On the other, we have seen the historic rise of American Muslim political success, such as in the election of Representatives Ilhan Omar and Rashida Tlaib, the country's first two American Muslim congresswomen. Although we should be alarmed at the rise of anti-Muslim racism, we should also be emboldened by the way the mainstream is fighting to put an end to Islamophobia.

For 25 years, CAIR has monitored, documented, and fought against discrimination, acts of bias, and hate crimes against American Muslims. In recent years, through a series of reports, we have researched and analyzed the financial and political power of the Islamophobia Network,

an influential group of institutions, donors, and individuals who are primarily responsible for polluting the American public with its hate-filled agenda. In this report, *Hijacked by Hate: American Philanthropy and the Islamophobia Network*, we take an even deeper look at the funding sources and societal impact of anti-Muslim special interest groups. Unfortunately, our research has found that

traditional American charities, foundations, and philanthropic institutions are being used to anonymize and funnel money from powerful donors to the Islamophobia Network.

With this report, researchers and advocates can add a powerful set of tools to their ongoing struggles against racism and bigotry. On behalf of the CAIR family, I would like to thank the researchers, writers, editors, and designers that made this report possible. The most important expression of gratitude, however, must be reserved for the everyday social justice fighters and community workers who secure our future through their tireless efforts to stand for truth, equality, and dignity. To them, we offer this report as an act of solidarity and promise.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nihad Awad".

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Anti-Muslim bigotry is a common and widespread feature of our country's mainstream cultural and political landscape. However, it is important to remember that Islamophobic attitudes and policies are propagated by special interest groups with deep sources of funding. This decentralized group of actors is known as the Islamophobia Network, a close-knit family of organizations and individuals that share an ideology of extreme anti-Muslim animus, and work with one

another to negatively influence public opinion and government policy about Muslims and Islam.

To provide a better understanding of how the Islamophobia Network operates, *this report maps the flow of funding from charitable organizations to anti-Muslim special interest groups, and their negative impact on public life.*

The report finds that the Islamophobia Network has been drawing upon mainstream American philanthropic institutions for financial and political support for years.

CAIR researchers have found **1,096 organizations responsible for funding 39 groups in the Islamophobia Network between 2014 and 2016**. The report also reveals the **total revenue capacity of the Islamophobia Network during this period to have reached at least \$1.5 billion**.

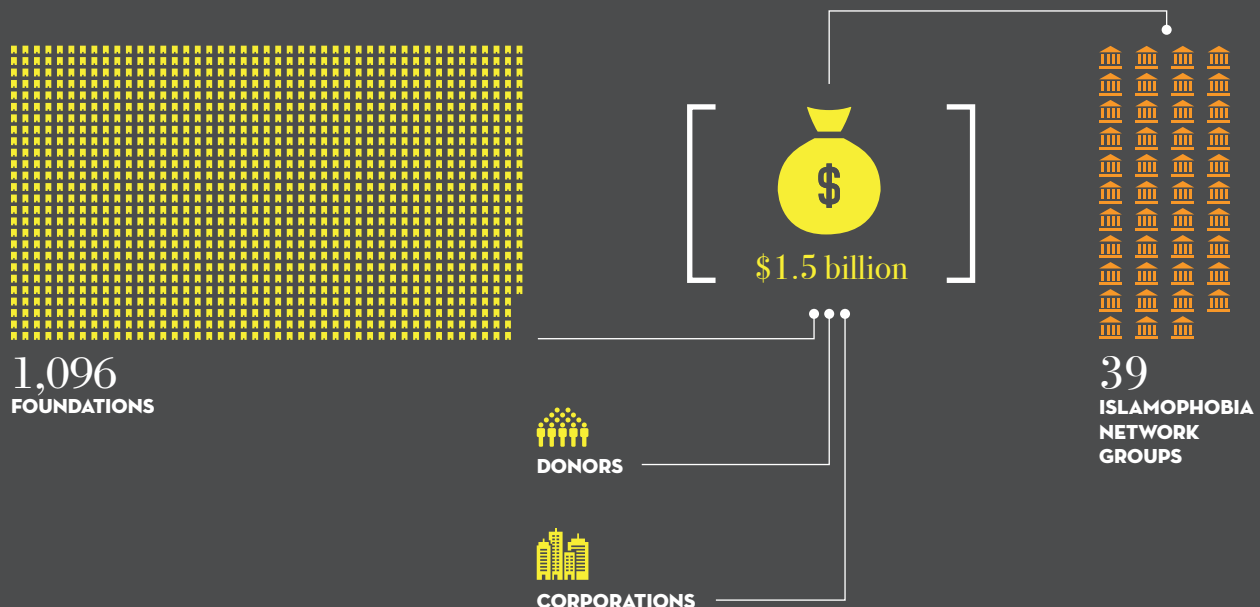
As this report demonstrates, many of these anti-Muslim groups, usually considered marginal or fringe, are in fact **funded by mainstream American charitable organizations such as Fidelity Charitable Fund, the National Christian Charitable Foundation, and the Jewish Communal Fund**.

While some funds and foundations are ideologically aligned with the interests of the Islamophobia Network, most mainstream foundations are more than likely being exploited or used by donors who seek to anonymize their contributions to anti-Muslim special interest groups. This report allows stakeholders to determine whether they are directly or indirectly connected to the Islamophobia Network. By mapping the flow of funding from charitable organizations to anti-Muslim advocacy groups, and their negative impact on public life, this report asks, **“Should the American philanthropic community divest from the Islamophobia industry?”**

BELOW:

CAIR researchers have found 1,096 organizations responsible for funding 39 groups in the Islamophobia Network between 2014 and 2016.

The Money Flows of Prejudice



KEY RECOMMENDATIONS

Civil Society Organizations



Undertake educational initiatives to learn what constitutes Islamophobia and anti-Muslim bigotry.



Familiarize staff and stakeholders with major actors and influencers in the Islamophobia Network and the major philanthropic organizations responsible for supporting it.



Conduct an audit of funding sources, institutional partners, and programming relationships to ensure that your organization is not directly or indirectly connected to the Islamophobia Network.



Review funding sources to determine whether those funding your organization are also supporting the Islamophobia Network.

Philanthropic Institutions



Undertake educational initiatives to learn what constitutes Islamophobia and anti-Muslim bigotry.



Familiarize staff and stakeholders with the major actors and influencers in the Islamophobia Network.



Conduct an audit of your grantmaking procedures to determine whether your institution intentionally or unintentionally supported the Islamophobia Network.



Implement policies and procedures to ensure that funds are not diverted to hate groups.



Implement policies and procedures to ensure that the programs and activities of your grantees align with your donor interests, stakeholder values, and the public good.

Interfaith Communities and Religious Institutions



Undertake educational initiatives to learn what constitutes Islamophobia and anti-Muslim bigotry.



Familiarize staff and stakeholders with the major actors and influencers in the Islamophobia Network.



Conduct an audit of stakeholder institutions, funding sources, and programming partners in order to ensure that your network is not directly or indirectly supporting Islamophobic activities.



Design and implement faith-based programs dedicated to marginalizing hate speech and anti-Muslim bigotry in local communities.

ENDORSEMENTS



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Director of the Intelligence Project at the Southern Poverty Law Center

Islamophobia is unfortunately a spreading contagion. CAIR's report on this network and its substantial funding sources is a must read for those committed to human rights for all and an end to the demonization of the Muslim community.

It should serve as a wake up call to those foundations and donor advised funds that have helped funnel resources to individuals and organizations that are behind the rising tide of hatred against the Muslim community worldwide and here at home in the United States.

Image from the Intelligence Project at the Southern Poverty Law Center website



Khaled Beydoun

Law Professor, University of Arkansas & author of American Islamophobia: Understanding the Roots and Rise of Fear

Action and practice-driven research tackling Islamophobia is the most effective avenue toward solutions. CAIR's legal and community leadership confronting Islamophobia rising from the state and unleashed by hate mongers, enforced within prisons and extended into mosques, drives the trenchant analysis within this study.

This report, very simply, is critical examination for any individual or organization committed to the enterprise of combatting Islamophobia.



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Islamophobia is reaching epidemic proportions in America, and the Islamophobia Network is one of the main culprits behind this alarming trend. Our efforts to resist and counter this network cannot succeed apart from a better understanding of its tactics, its funding, and its impact. CAIR's report *Hijacked by Hate* sheds light on how the philanthropic funding of this network enables its operatives to fuel hostility and hatred toward American Muslims.

It is essential reading for stakeholders committed to the dismantling of anti-Muslim racism in America.

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METHODOLOGY

The empirical data on the Islamophobia Network's financial information was acquired through a thorough review of thousands of pages of publicly available tax filings, in addition to searchable databases, namely GuideStar and Foundation Directory Online.

First, the **tax filings** for each anti-Muslim organization identified in CAIR's 2016 Islamophobia Report, *Confronting Fear*, were acquired through Guidestar. The tax Form 990 is publicly available online approximately two years after filing. Therefore, in 2018, the most recently available forms would be those dated for 2016. Additionally, the Form 990 only contains information about who the organization gives money to. It does not show who the organization receives money from. Thus, each organization was subsequently searched on the Foundation Directory Online database to determine the funding channels to the organization. ***This revealed an entirely new set of organizations who appeared to be funding anti-Muslim hate groups. Each of these newly discovered funding organizations was then searched on both GuideStar's directory – to acquire the tax filings – and in the Foundation Directory Online to continue to track links among funding channels and hate groups.*** To ensure the accuracy of the compiled database generated through this process, five months after the initial collection process each data point was reassessed and modified if necessary. This was done by searching each of the 39 anti-Muslim hate groups in the

FDO, and cross-checking each group's funders, and the unique amount each funder gave in 2014, 2015, and 2016. If the amount of money listed in the FDO was lower than what existed in CAIR's database, the value was cross-checked with the funder's tax returns, and the discrepancy was resolved. Any newfound funder was added to CAIR's database, and in turn searched on FDO to find any other groups they may have funded. This cyclical system ensured tighter verification. If a discrepancy arose between entries in the FDO and data in the Form 990, the latter was used because it was the primary source material. Through this exhaustive manner, the research revealed an enormous web of anti-Muslim organizations connected to a wealth of funding sources, both fringe and mainstream.

INTRODUCTION

It was a simple declaration, as ignorant and dangerous as it was ominous:

“I think Islam hates us... it’s radical but it’s very hard to define. It’s very hard to separate because you don’t know who is who.”¹

With these few short words to CNN’s Anderson Cooper on prime-time cable news, then-presidential candidate Donald Trump exemplified just how normal Islamophobia has become in mainstream American political and cultural discourse

By suggesting that Islam and Muslims constitute an existential threat to American society, Trump provided a ‘permission slip’ for scores of individuals and institutions to target American Muslim families, houses of worship, and institutions with unfettered rage. Since 2016, FBI statistics support studies by CAIR, the ACLU, and a range of other research and advocacy institutions that anti-Muslim violence and Islamophobic attitudes are dramatically rising across the country.²

One need not dig too deep into recent memory to recall horrific stories of attacks against average American Muslims. In 2017, two Portland men were fatally stabbed defending two teenage girls from a self-described white-nationalist. In 2019, a woman

was violently assaulted in an emergency room; a child in Minnesota took his own life after months of being physically attacked at school simply for his faith. In addition to the hundreds of stories we know about, there are hundreds more that are undoubtedly unheard and unreported every year. Many of these incidents are a direct consequence of the hostile climate created by the discriminatory Muslim Ban, the unconstitutional anti-Shariah legislation movement, and the other forms of institutionalized racism aimed at Muslims and the faith of Islam.

Anti-Muslim animus and Islamophobic messages are now pervasive features of our country's mainstream political, legal, educational, and media landscapes because these ideas are perpetuated by organizations and institutions with deep and extensive sources of funding and deliberate political agendas.

Collectively, CAIR has produced a series of reports since 2011 that has exposed the nature of the Islamophobia Network. It has detailed and analyzed the institutions, personalities, and funding channels that are responsible

for spreading fear and lies about Muslims, Islam, and their place in American society.³

This 2019 Islamophobia report, *Hijacked by Hate*, is the successor of those documents and provides the greatest insight thus far into the way in which anti-Muslim institutions have pervaded American mainstream institutions. It should come as no surprise to readers to find prominent sensationalist and conspiratorial actors, such as Brigitte Gabriel of ACT for America or Daniel Pipes of the Middle East Forum, among the loudest voices of the Islamophobia Network now operating in the American public sphere with impunity. This study reports the unsettling finding that the Islamophobia Network has been drawing upon reputable American philanthropic institutions for financial and political support for years, often unbeknownst to donors, civil society organizations, and the general public. This report will demonstrate that many of these anti-Muslim groups, which would typically be considered marginal or fringe, are in fact funded by mainstream American charitable organizations such as Fidelity Charitable Fund, the National Christian Charitable Fund, and the Jewish Communal Fund.

These findings then beg the question: **“Should mainstream American philanthropists fund organizations that promote fear, hate, and conspiracy theories about Muslims and Islam?”** Furthermore, if donors and recipients knew they were contributing to, and drawing from, the same pool of resources that fuel anti-social

Islamophobic institutions, would they remain silent?

To provide a clear understanding of the way the Islamophobia Network operates, and to illustrate its danger to the fabric of our democratic principles, this report organizes its findings into three interrelated sections:

1. Funding Sources (funders)
2. Anti-Muslim Organizations (funded)
3. Impact on Society

This structure allows readers to identify actors in the Network according to their particular role and their influence on public discourse. Simply, groups that fund anti-Muslim racism and groups that are funded to then perpetuate and promote anti-Muslim racism. Admittedly, there is a slight overlap between these categories. For example, some foundations exist solely for the purpose of funding Islamophobic activities, so they may be considered both funders and perpetrators. It is most often the case, however, that funding sources of anti-Muslim bigotry are also deeply invested in providing assistance to a range of mainstream American community service organizations. The distinction between funder and funded illustrates the path from the revenue source to the societal impact.

Despite the overwhelming flow of funding that supports the Islamophobia Network and its deep embeddedness in American philanthropic, cultural, and political institutions, there are promising signs that the tide of

anti-Muslim bigotry may actually be receding. Foremost is the public outrage expressed by a wide swathe of the American public against the Muslim Ban after it was signed as an executive order on January 27, 2017. For weeks, tens of thousands of average Americans, along with seasoned activists, civil society leaders, and public dignitaries,

gathered at airports across the country to help protect travelers that might be affected by the discriminatory act. This act of collective resistance signaled that anti-Muslim networks could no longer act with impunity.

Many American were no longer willing to overlook overt discrimination against American Muslims. Even as portions of the Muslim Ban were ultimately considered legal by the Supreme Court in the summer of 2018, awareness about the depth and breadth of Islamophobia's impact on society has become an important component of interfaith solidarity, democratic organizing, and community activism against the Trump administration's countless attacks against civil and human rights.⁴

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Representative Rashida Tlaib, Democrat of Michigan, swears into the 116th Congress, becomes the first Palestinian-American woman to join the legislature. (Doug Mills/New York Times).

Dr. John Esposito is the Professor of Religion & International Affairs and Islamic Studies at Georgetown University in Washington, D.C. He is also the Founding Director of the Prince Alwaleed Center for Muslim-Christian Understanding at Georgetown.

Those defending civil rights in the courts were accompanied by others operating in cultural and political spaces. During the height of the Trump campaign’s radically anti-Muslim rhetoric, the American public lauded **Ibtihaj Muhammad, the Olympic fencer who won a bronze medal** in the 2016 summer games, proudly wearing her headscarf. Time Magazine named her among their 100 most influential people list, Barbie created a doll in her likeness, and, as a testament to changing times, Hillary Clinton, who had returned campaign money donated on behalf of the Muslim community during her 2000 senatorial bid, publicly praised the first American-Muslim female Olympic medalist.⁵ After the 2016 election, many American cultural institutions affirmed American Muslim identity as an expression of solidarity and resistance against the Trump administration. High profile events such as New York Fashion Week began

to center Muslim women’s fashion and even Roseanne Barr, a racist and anti-Muslim bigot in her own right, attempted to address the plague of Islamophobia on her short-lived revival on prime-time television.⁶

Perhaps most tellingly, the traditional political landscape has shifted significantly to embrace American Muslims. The Democratic Party featured **Khizr Khan**, a Gold Star father, as a keynote speaker during its 2016 convention.⁷ Since that time, two American-Muslim women, **Rashida Tlaib of Michigan** and **Ilhan Omar of Minnesota**, have been elected to Congress, **Representative Andre Carson of Indiana** enjoyed an easy reelection to his House seat, and **former Representative Keith Ellison** became the country’s **first Muslim Attorney General**.

In fact, **as a joint CAIR, MPower Change, and Jetpac report discovered,**



131 out of the 276 Muslims that ran for public office between 2016 and 2018 were elected or appointed. Collectively, American Muslim candidates were able to raise over \$16 million for their campaigns.⁸ This rapid and enthusiastic rise in American Muslim political activism is a poetic response to Trump’s Muslim Ban: he did not want Muslims coming to the United States – they entered the halls of Congress and state legislatures across the country. New political research has also shown that anti-Muslim bigotry can be a liability for candidates – the majority of those that run on such platforms may suffer at the polls.⁹

In addition to the noticeable positive changes in the cultural and political landscape — even in the midst of the mainstreaming of anti-Muslim bigotry in the White House — another promising sign that the Islamophobia Network industry is facing popular backlash is the flourishing range of research and advocacy being done to combat its insidious impact on society. For example, the **Carter Center** brought the discussion of anti-Muslim discrimination to the forefront of policy-maker concerns through a year-long study. From 2017 to 2018, **Dr. Houda Abadi** surveyed experts and practitioners on best practices and strategies to tackle the global

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Dr. Abadi is the Associate Director, Middle East and North Africa at the Carter Center visits Dar Hadith Hassania, a religious institution in Rabat, Morocco. (Dr. Houda Abadi).

Dr. Hatem Bazian, a UC Berkeley professor, speaks at CAIR’s conference in 2018. (Omar AlSaray/CAIR).

Ilhan Omar swears into the 116th Congress, joining the legislature as one of the first two Muslim congresswomen. (Jim Mone/Associated Press).

Then-Rep. Keith Ellison speaks in support of DACA at Hennepin County Government Center Minneapolis, MN. (Lorie Shaull/Flickr/cropped from original).



A close-up, profile view of a woman wearing a light-colored hijab and a matching textured jacket. The jacket has the words "MUHAMMAD" and "USA" printed in large, blue, block letters on the back. The woman is looking to the right. A thin, dark line, possibly a cable or wire, runs diagonally across the frame from the top left to the bottom right.

MUHAMMAD
USA

phenomenon of Islamophobia.¹⁰ **The University of California, Berkeley** and **Georgetown University** now have fully established Islamophobia studies centers, headed by **Dr. Hatem Bazian** and **Dr. John Esposito** respectively, dedicated to bringing together thought leaders, scholars, and practitioners to develop applied and comparative research agendas on the pervasive and fluid nature of the problem.¹¹ **University of Arkansas** professor **Khaled Beydoun**'s book, *American Islamophobia*, made significant headlines as greater audiences needed access to the historical context and racial dynamics of the once fringe but now mainstream anti-Muslim discourse dominating the public sphere.¹²

A striking series of studies have now peeled back the layers of institutional funding and political patronage that support Islamophobic rhetoric in the public sphere.

The most troubling, perhaps, of these reports were the revelations that the **San Francisco Jewish Federation**, the **Los Angeles Jewish Community Foundation**, and **New York's Jewish Communal Fund** all support far-right, xenophobic networks that, in part or wholly, vilify Muslims and perpetuate Islamophobia in the public arena.^{13,14} Likewise, in 2018, the local chapter of CAIR in Minnesota (CAIR-MN) and ISIAIH-MN, an interfaith advocacy group, released a troubling report demonstrating a direct linkage between anti-Muslim rhetoric in local political and media contexts and the executive boards of powerful corporations such as **Comcast** and **General Mills**.¹⁵

The Action Center on Race and the Economy (ACRE) also documented the various corporate interests that systematically fund politicians who espouse anti-Muslim views as part of their profit-driven logic.¹⁶

These studies are all part of a growing movement among journalists, scholars, and non-profit practitioners that aims to map out funding channels and political relationships of the ever-expanding Islamophobia Network.¹⁷

Hijacked by Hate adds to this growing momentum to dismantle the Islamophobia Network's impact on society by providing a comprehensive outline of the relationship between mainstream philanthropic and charitable institutions and the main actors responsible for fueling anti-Muslim bigotry in the political and cultural landscape.

OPPOSITE PAGE: Ibtihaj Mohammed in her picture titled "The New Face of Team USA" by Time Magazine. She was also named one of Time's 100 most influential people of 2018. (Daniel Shea/ Time Magazine).

This report outlines the funding channels and political connections of the Islamophobia Network in order to:

1 Expose the network's embeddedness within mainstream American philanthropic institutions whose missions are antithetical to xenophobia and social polarization.

2 Provide readers with background on the political ambitions and profit-oriented interests of the Islamophobia Network as well as their impact on society.

3 Provide advocates information that can be used to strategize, organize, and advocate more effectively to counter anti-Muslim and Islamophobic misinformation campaigns.

What is Islamophobia?

In a climate of rising anti-Muslim hate, there is a pressing need for a robust definition of the term Islamophobia. As a civil rights organization, CAIR seeks to define Islamophobia in a way that also facilitates advocacy to counter the hate and prejudice.

In short, Islamophobia is anti-Muslim racism.

At length, Islamophobia is a fear, hatred, or prejudice toward Islam and Muslims that results in a pattern of discrimination and oppression. Islamophobia creates a distorted understanding of Islam and Muslims by transforming the global and historical faith tradition of Islam, along with the rich history of cultural and ethnic diversity of its adherents, into a set of stereotyped characteristics most often reducible to themes of violence, civilizational subversion, and fundamental otherness. Islamophobia must also be understood as a system of both religious and racial animosity that is perpetuated by private citizens as well as cultural and political structures.¹⁸

Contemporary Islamophobia is shaped and reinforced through popular culture and news media and is often legitimized by state policies. As such, anti-Muslim racism occurs at both individual and institutional levels, and can take many forms. At private and local levels, Islamophobia may manifest

as physical attacks or harassment against those perceived to be Muslim, or through damage to mosques and Islamic centers. **Anti-Muslim racism on the part of government structures often emerges in the creation and enforcement of anti-Muslim laws and policies that directly or indirectly lead to the curtailment of Muslim civil rights and civil liberties.** This includes, for example, the unconstitutional Muslim Ban, anti-Shariah legislation, surveillance practices, and a host of other national and foreign policy measures. While there is an ongoing debate between academics and practitioners over a final definition of Islamophobia as a term, it should be noted that in 2018, the All Party Parliamentary Group (AAPG) in the UK officially adopted a definition of the term grounded in the concept of structural racism discussed here, signaling the importance of tackling the subject at the highest levels of government.¹⁹ They defined it as, “a type of racism that targets expressions of Muslimness or perceived Muslimness.”²⁰

WHAT is Islamophobia?



ANTI-MUSLIM RACISM

WHO is affected?

Muslim women, children, and men, and those who share characteristics that have been racialized as “Muslim” - whether it be *language, clothing or skin color*



HOW is it manifested?



Physical attacks



Discrimination



The curtailment of civil rights



The advancement of anti-Muslim policies

Identifying Islamophobia

An organization or individual is considered a part of the Islamophobia Network if it does any of the following or if it funds, partners with, or presents individuals or groups that:

1

Allege that *Islam and Muslims are inherently or uniquely violent, misogynistic, inferior, intolerant, primitive, static, authoritarian, homophobic, manipulative, self-righteous, devious, or that Islam is the antithesis of civilization.*



EXAMPLES

Speaking about “brutal Islamic terrorism” in his presidential nomination acceptance speech, Trump said “I will do everything in my power to protect our LGBTQ citizens from the *violence and oppression of a hateful foreign ideology.*”²¹

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The 45th at the Conservative Political Action Conference in 2015. (Michael Vadon/Flickr).

2

Allege that *Islam is an existential threat to the U.S. and/or the “West”* and that Muslims, or their representative institutions, are part of a plot to overthrow the “West” or America.

Trump stated, *“Islam hates us.”*²²

3

Support **unequal treatment under the law for Islam** or Muslims.

4

Allege that **violent groups** which falsely and perversely claim a religious cover **possess the correct understanding of Islam**.



EXAMPLES

Ayaan Hirsi Ali suggested that the U.S. Constitution **be amended to allow for discrimination against Muslims**.²³

Guy Rodgers of act for America said, "**Muslims should be treated differently** because their legal system is inherently flawed."²⁴

The National Security Strategy released in December 2017 states, "Jihadist terrorists such as ISIS and al-Qa'ida continue to spread a barbaric ideology...**These jihadist terrorists attempt to force those under their influence to submit to Sharia law**."²⁵

ANTI-MUSLIM BIAS INCIDENTS

Snapshot: Anti-Muslim Bias Incidents in Today's America



Bullying

In Minnesota, 15 year-old high school freshman **Jacob Letourneau-Elsharkawy** took his life after suffering repeated incidents of extreme bullying. His mother, Faith Elsharkawy, said, "When [Jacob] was in a room, he brightened it up with his contagious smile, his laughter, and wonderful energetic personality." She later added, "He was a classic comedian. He could make you have belly-roaring laughs that brightened your day. He had a big heart and would stand beside you through thick and thin." ²⁶

Jacob began being targeted in 8th grade when his mother started to wear a headscarf. He didn't hide his religion, defending the Muslim

faith against offensive statements and answering questions from his friends about his beliefs.²⁷ He then reported being called "**terrorist**" and other derogatory terms, in addition to repeated aggravated acts of physical assault. In one incident, he was physically forced into a locker, which resulted in him getting a concussion. In another, he suffered a broken collarbone and a concussion when he was shoved violently into a metal door frame. On Nov. 9, 2017, Letourneau-Elsharkawy was taken to the hospital after he was assaulted again on a school bus, suffering yet another concussion and more than 100 contusions. ²⁸

After school administrators failed to effectively address months of verbal and physical abuse, Jacob took his own life on April 29, 2018.



Attacking Mosques

Flames engulfed *the Victoria Islamic Center in Texas* in the early morning hours of January 28, 2017. The arson completely gutted the mosque, leaving behind an empty shell of a building.

*Marq Perez, 26, was convicted of hate crime and felony arson and sentenced to 24 years in prison for his attack. A person who was with Perez on the night of the fire said he was excited and “jumping up and down like a little kid” while watching the mosque burn. He also snapped “trophy photos” on his cellphone of the flames.*²⁹

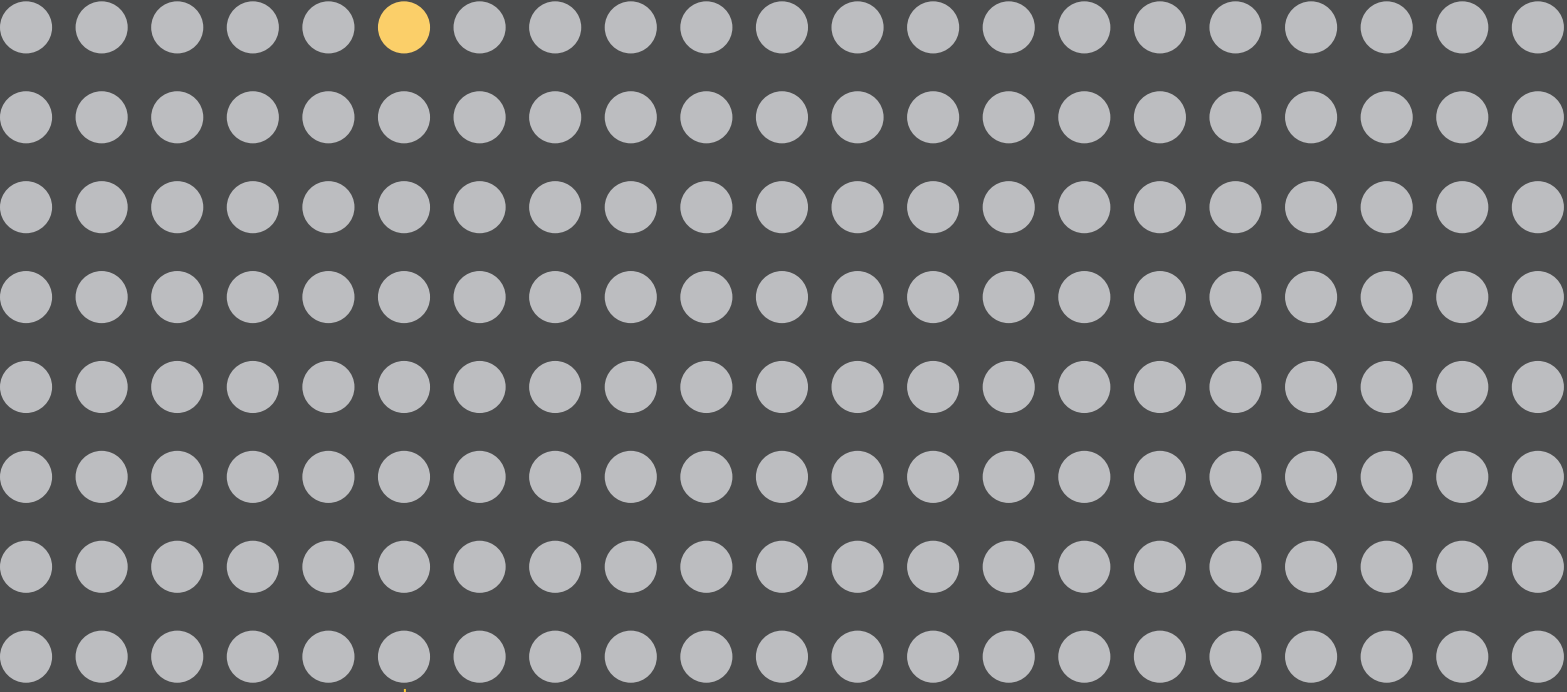
The community was left scared and devastated. Despite an overwhelming

show of support to rebuild the mosque, a sense of wariness and fear has lingered. Where once worshipers used to pray with the door open, *they must now use a code to enter the mosque.*³⁰



Travel/Immigration

Dr. Eblal Zakzok, an American citizen living in Columbus, Ohio, was a full-time professor in Syria until 2014, when Syrian regime security forces detained, beat, and tortured him for two weeks. Dr. Zakzok and his family



fled to Turkey to escape the horrific civil war and continued persecution and torture. In December 2014, while his wife and children remained in Turkey, **Dr. Zakzok came to the U.S. and requested asylum. He was granted asylum and obtained a fellowship at Ohio State University where he now teaches Surveying, Remote Sensing and Geographical Information Systems.**

Following his successful asylum application, Dr. Zakzok's wife and three of his children were granted asylee benefits in 2016. Shortly thereafter, they traveled to the U.S. to reunite with him. His daughter Turkië was forced to remain in Turkey because she was over 21 at the time he was granted asylum, and therefore did not qualify for his asylum benefits. On August 25, 2017,

Dr. Zakzok filed a petition seeking approval for Turkië, to immigrate to the U.S.

On September 24, 2017, Trump issued **Muslim Ban 3.0** which bars all Syrians from entering the U.S. The Ban bars Turkië from obtaining the immigrant visa she has applied for and prevents her from being reunited with her father, mother, and other siblings. Turkië cannot obtain permanent legal residence in Turkey, and is therefore at risk of being returned to Syria, where she could face torture and/or death.

As a result of the June 2018 Supreme Court ruling to uphold the Muslim Ban, Turkië has been banned indefinitely from joining her family.

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***American
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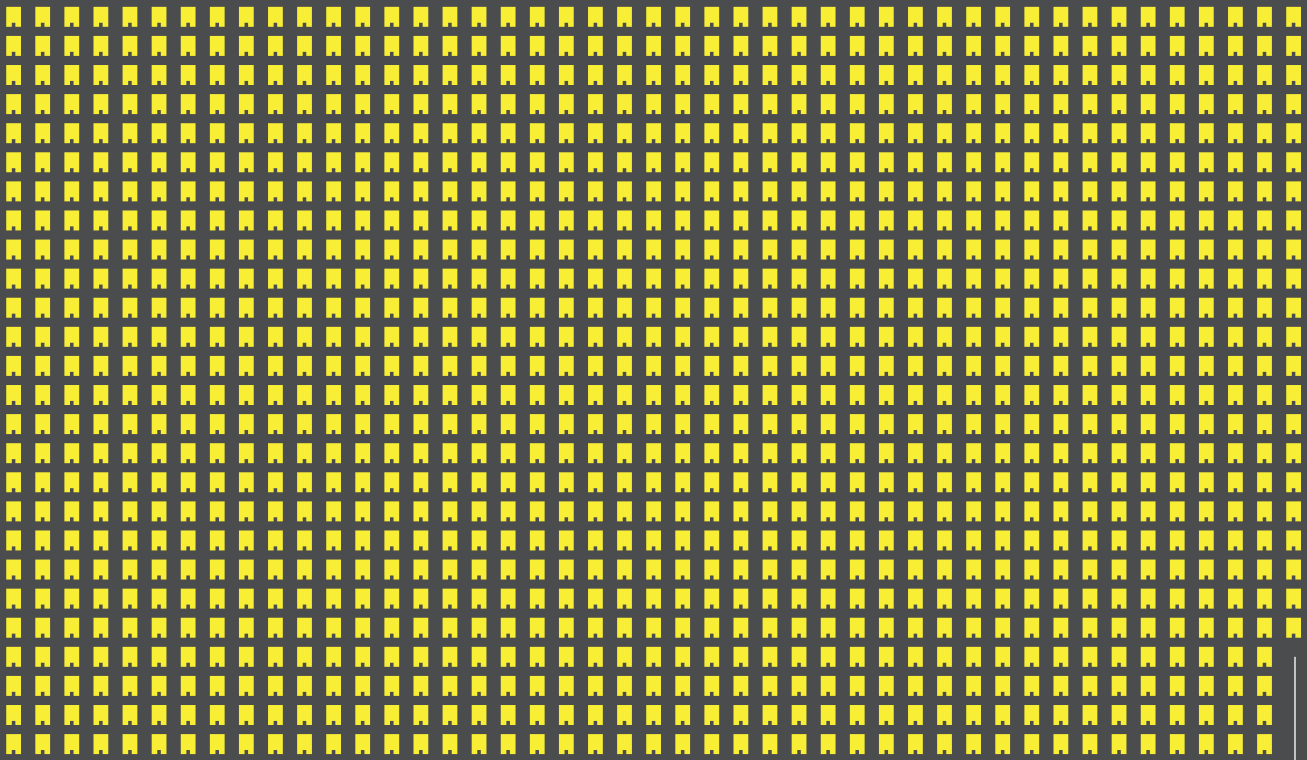
It may come as no surprise to readers that well-known anti-Muslim groups, such as ACT for America or the Middle East Forum, despite once being considered fringe voices in the public sphere, have enjoyed rapid growth in funding and influence in the current political moment. ***What is less known and more shocking is that the Islamophobia Network is strongly supported by mainstream American philanthropic institutions.***

As readers will learn in the following pages, data compiled and analyzed by CAIR researchers demonstrates that despite the well-known racist and xenophobic attitudes of Islamophobic organizations, reputable philanthropic institutions have funneled hundreds of millions of dollars into the activities of the Islamophobia Network. ***These include household names such as Fidelity and Schwab, as well as community-centered, faith-based charities such as the Jewish Communal Fund and the National Christian Charitable Foundation.*** They also include lesser known and more opaque private family foundations such as the Mirowski Family Foundation Inc., which has virtually no public imprint but nonetheless contributes millions of dollars to support anti-Muslim activity. Together, the expansive funding network revealed in this report demonstrates that

the Islamophobia Network cannot be considered a marginal or passing phenomenon in American society. Rather, it is a prominent and shameful institutional feature of American philanthropy.

The word ‘philanthropy’ means the practice of donating large and sustainable amounts of funding to promote the welfare of society. It comes from the Greek roots of philo- (love of) and anthropo- (human). As a nearly universal tradition of charitable giving, philanthropy can be understood as fundamentally rooted in a love for humanity. In the American tradition, the practice of philanthropy was established by groups such as the Puritans and Quakers and built upon by towering figures of American history such as Benjamin Franklin. Wealthy businessmen and industrialists such as George Peabody, Andrew Carnegie, and Julius Rosenwald (Sears) donated today’s equivalent of hundreds of millions of dollars of their wealth to support institutions that continue to benefit society today.

Unfortunately, in the current political moment, this rich tradition of American voluntary charity and social service is threatened by the way the Islamophobia Network has embedded itself in mainstream philanthropic institutions.



1,096
FOUNDATIONS



DONORS



CORPORATIONS



39
ISLAMOPHOBIA
NETWORK
GROUPS

CAIR researchers have found 1,096 organizations responsible for funding 39 groups in the Islamophobia Network between 2014 and 2016.

1,096

organizations
fund the
Islamophobia
Network in the
United States

According to CAIR's research, a staggering 1,096 charitable institutions financed at least 39 Islamophobia Network groups between 2014 and 2016. **These foundations donated various amounts and did so across a wide range: from the minuscule amount of \$20 to the staggering sum of \$32.4 million.** The complete list of the 1,096 organizations that contribute to the funding of the Islamophobia Network are provided in Appendix I.

In the following pages, we provide **profiles of 18 organizations that donated over \$1 million to the network** between 2014 and 2016, showing the ways in which their funding patterns consistently support mainstream charitable causes, as well as xenophobic agendas furthered by the Islamophobia Network.

The organizations are divided into three categories:

1. Donor Advised Funds
2. Faith-Based Donor Advised Funds
3. Family Foundations

We also provide a list of the names of **80 organizations that donated between \$100,000 to \$999,999** over the same period of time.

PROFILE



The California Community Foundation is by most accounts, an exemplary philanthropic institution, responsible for supporting high impact social and human service programs throughout the state of California.

THIS PAGE:

Dutch politician
Geert Wilders on
Prinsjesdag 2014.
(Rijksoverheid/Phil
Nijhuis/Wikimedia
Commons).

The great work done by the Foundation, however, is **undermined by its continued support for xenophobic, anti-Muslim organizations:**



CCP has given awards to:

American Freedom Alliance (AFA)

It publicly **hands out awards known Islamophobes** such as David Horowitz, director of the David Horowitz Freedom Center.

CCP has given money to:



A **law firm that supports anti-Muslim policies** and legislation and publishes anti-Muslim propaganda.

Some of **its recipients include** the award-winning faith-based program Homeboy Industries, which provides economic and **leadership opportunities for at-risk youth** and formerly incarcerated individuals on their path to reintegrating into society. CCP also provides critical support to **advocacy networks** responsible for tackling issues like **homelessness**, civic engagement, and immigrant rights, most notably those vulnerable to changes to **DACA legislation**.

CCP has given awards to:



**Belgian politician
Geert Wilders**

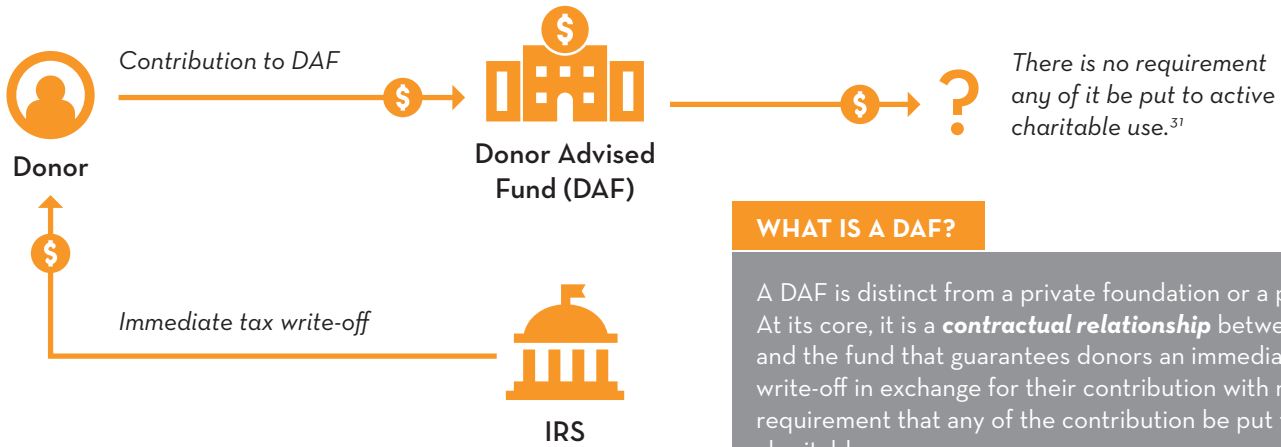
His views have been identified as a threat to public safety and he has been blocked by multiple European governments from entry.

CCP has given money to:



Promotes the view that **Islam is a not a religion, but a militant political movement**, and the idea that **mosques should be viewed as centers for militant political activity**, rather than houses of worship.

What is a Donor-Advised Fund?

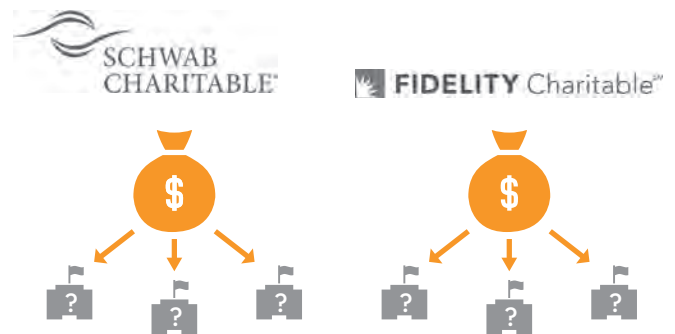


WHAT IS A DAF?

A DAF is distinct from a private foundation or a public charity. At its core, it is a **contractual relationship** between the donor and the fund that guarantees donors an immediate tax write-off in exchange for their contribution with no requirement that any of the contribution be put to active charitable use.

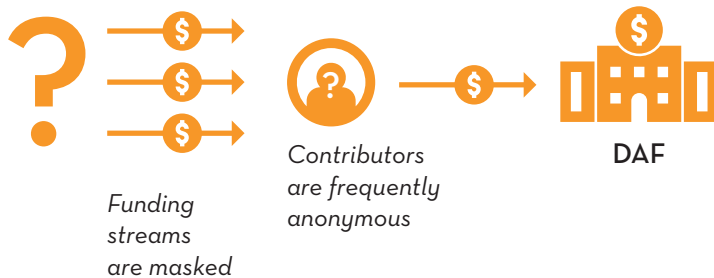
WHO HAS THE ULTIMATE AUTHORITY?

The largest DAFs in the country are administered through the charitable arms of major investment firms such as Fidelity and Schwab. Although a donor can suggest where they would like the money to be directed, **the fund has ultimate authority on how to dole out the assets** as each DAF has distinct criteria regarding which organizations it chooses to fund.



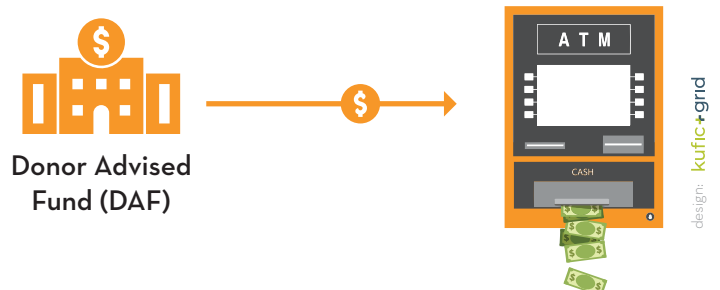
WHERE DOES THE MONEY COME FROM?

With a DAF, the contributor is frequently anonymous and thus impervious to scrutiny of their support of unsavory causes. In this way, a donor is able to **mask their funding streams**, making it nearly impossible to track charitable funding to its ultimate source. This lack of transparency poses a paradox: while DAFs ensure the secrecy of donor sources, they impact public life by supporting charities that serve broad human and social services.



THE DARK MONEY ATM

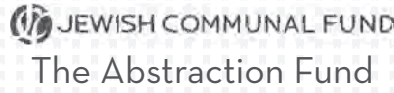
Every year, millions of dollars are channeled through this “dark money ATM” brushed clean of fingerprints, and **straight into the coffers of anti-Muslim groups**. Perhaps most alarming is that many donors, because they do not have control of how their contributions are distributed, are often clueless about how their charitable efforts are diverted to support racist and xenophobic activities.



The Funding Channels of Hate: Where the Money Flows



1 Americans traditionally donate to these **1,096** foundations & charities to promote the **public good**.



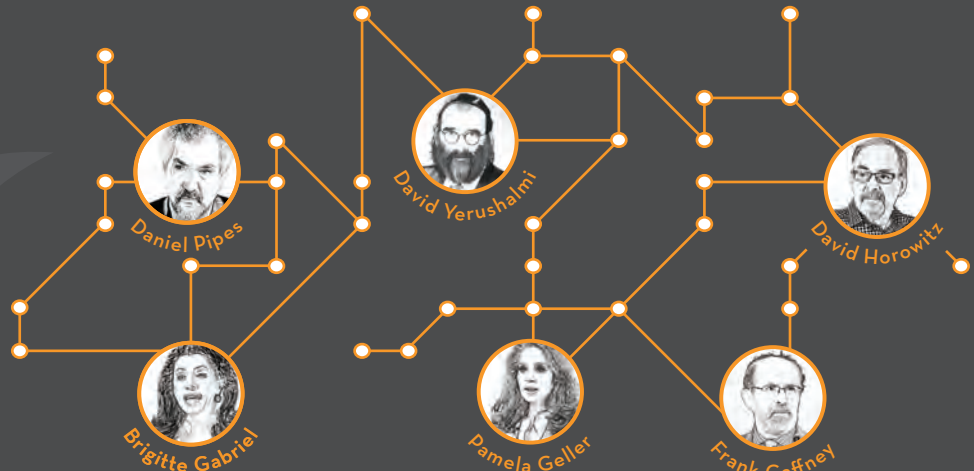
ADELSON FAMILY FOUNDATION

\$125 million*

2  Family foundations, religious charities, and commercial brokers **anonymize** the donor and distribute money without public oversight.

*Rounded to the nearest million

3  **39** anti-Muslim special interest groups pollute the public sphere by **exploiting** American charities.



4 The Islamophobia Network uses **tax-free donations** to advance its anti-Muslim agenda across society.

Targeting local communities



Abusing the legal system



Spreading false information



Special interest lobbying



Confusing & clouding the mainstream & social media



Societal Impact

of the Anti-Muslim Network



**Targeting
communities**

ACT for America stages nationwide marches against 'sharia law.'

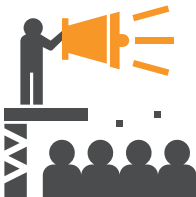
- CNBC headline³²



**Abusing the
legal system**

On anti-Islam legislation: "If this thing passed in every state without any friction, it would not have served its purpose... to get people asking this question, 'What is Shariah?'"

- David Yerushalmi, the author of model anti-Islam legislation and co-founder of the American Freedom Law Center³³



**Spreading false
information**

"Our God is a loving God, Allah is a cruel God and they submit – Islam means submit, not love... The school system witlessly turned their classrooms into Islamic indoctrination centers."

- Richard Thompson, president of Thomas More Law Center, is suing a New Jersey school district for teaching about Islam³⁶



**Confusing &
clouding the
mainstream and
social media**

"Think about it: Omar wears a hijab, which according to the Quran 33:59, tells women to cover so they won't get molested. Is her adherence to this Islamic doctrine indicative of her adherence to Sharia law, which, in itself, is antithetical to the United States Constitution?"

- Jeanine Pirro's on her Fox News show, "Justice with Judge Jeanine"³⁵



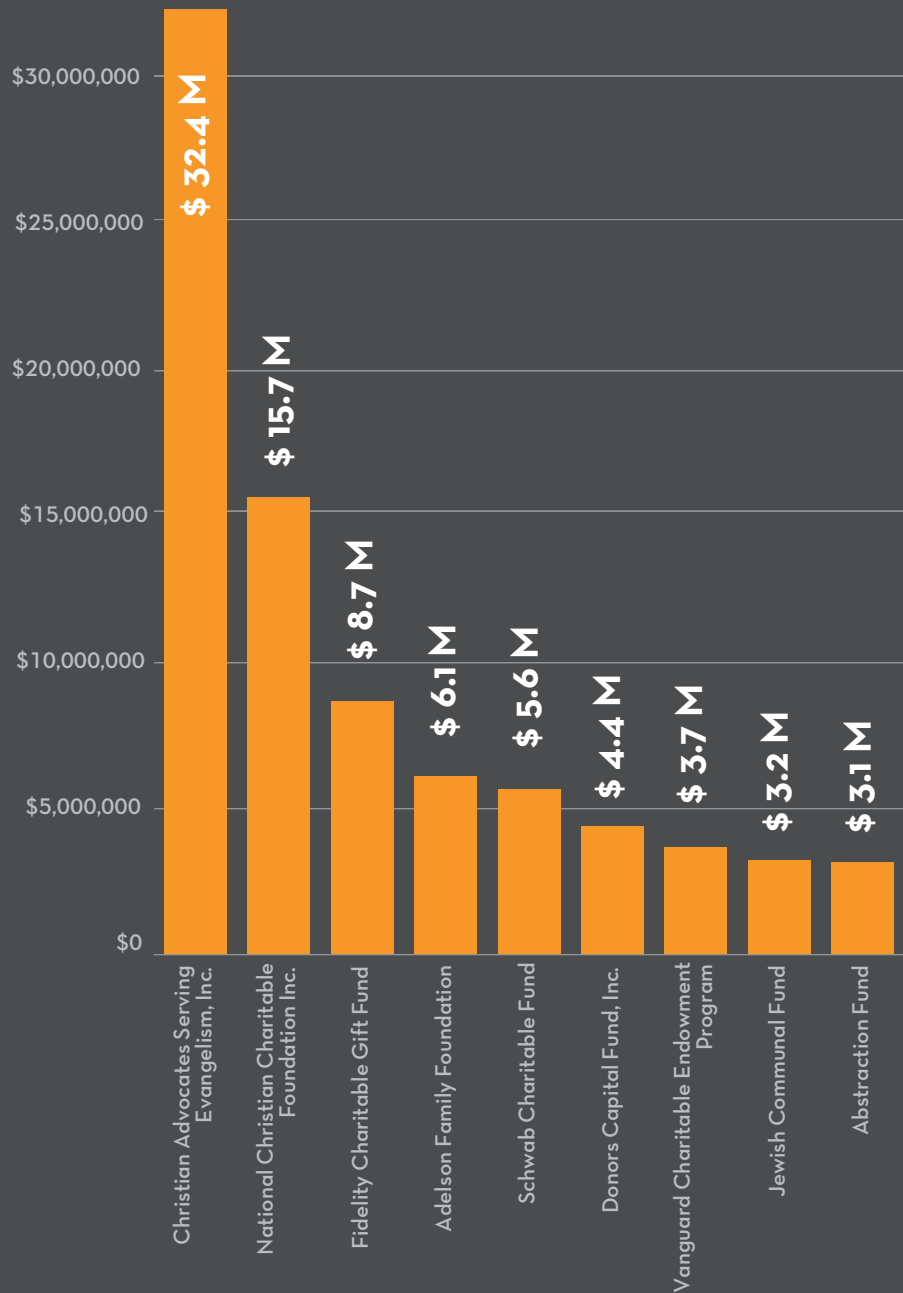
**Special interest
lobbying**

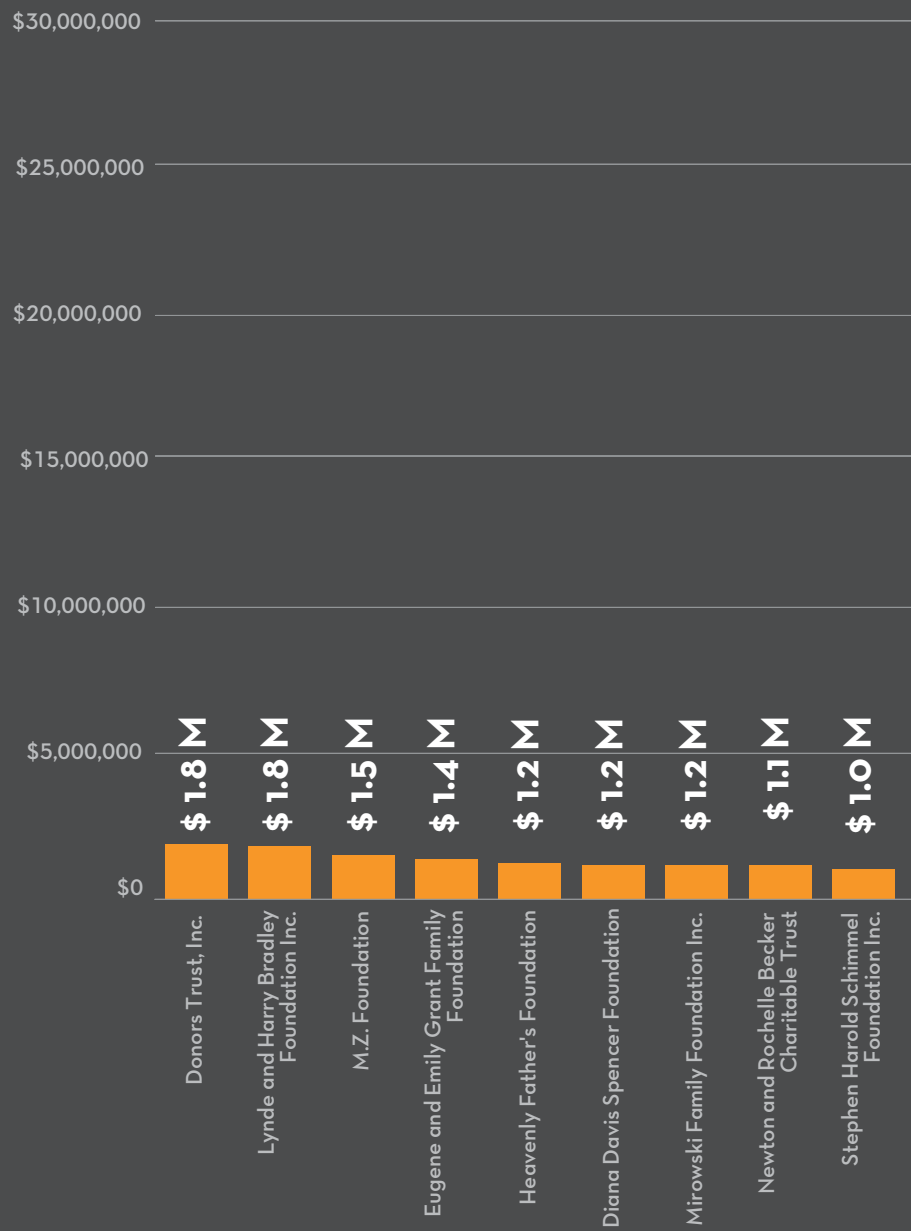
Plain and simple, if anti-Semites like Ilhan Omar and her Farrakhan fan girl colleague Rashida Tlaib are allowed to remain in Congress, the Democrat party has objectively become the party of anti-Semitism.

🐦 Brigitte Gabriel of ACT for America³⁴

The Mega-Funders of Islamophobia 2014 - 2016

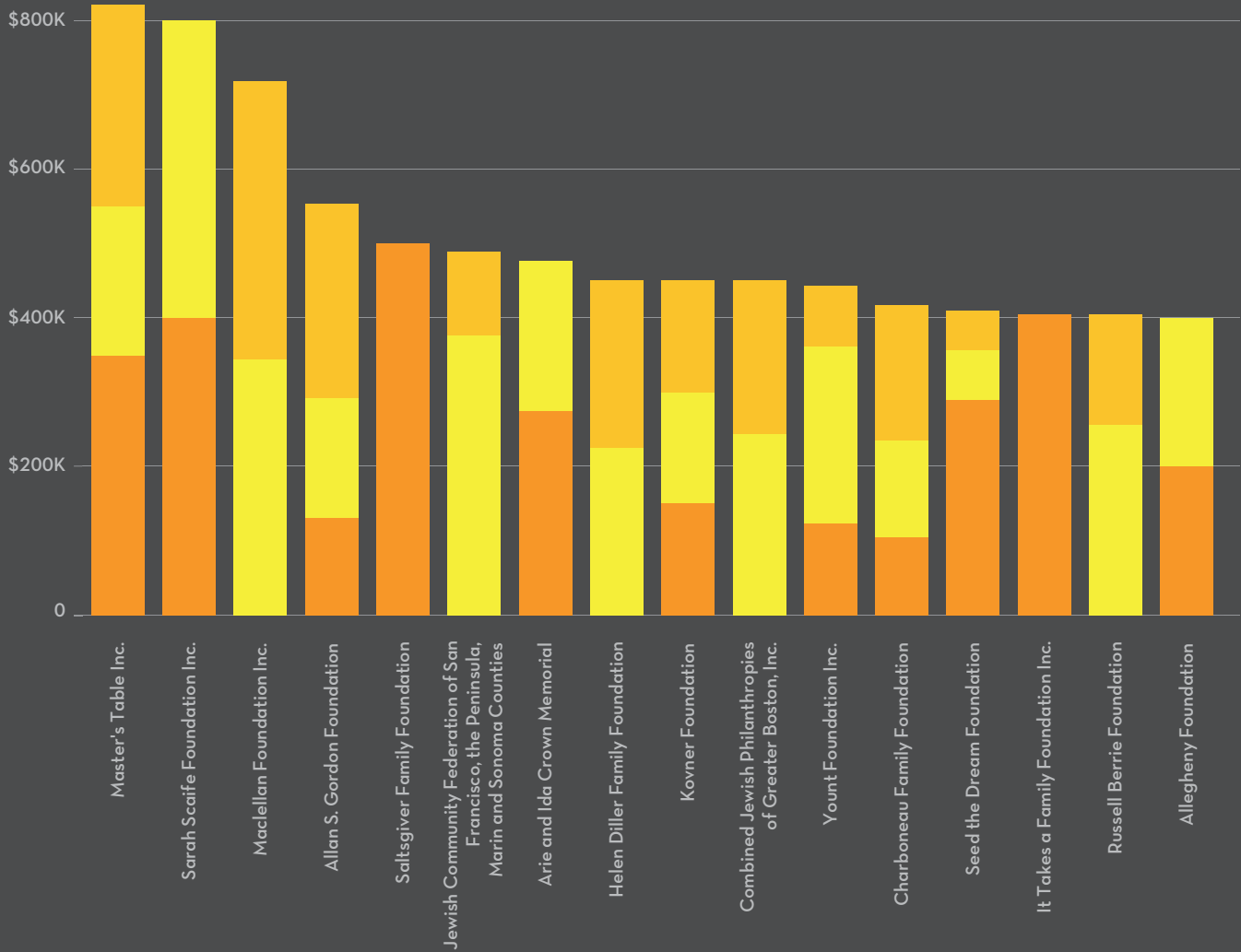
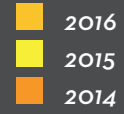
The eighteen largest funders of anti-Muslim hate have poured money into more than a dozen organizations.

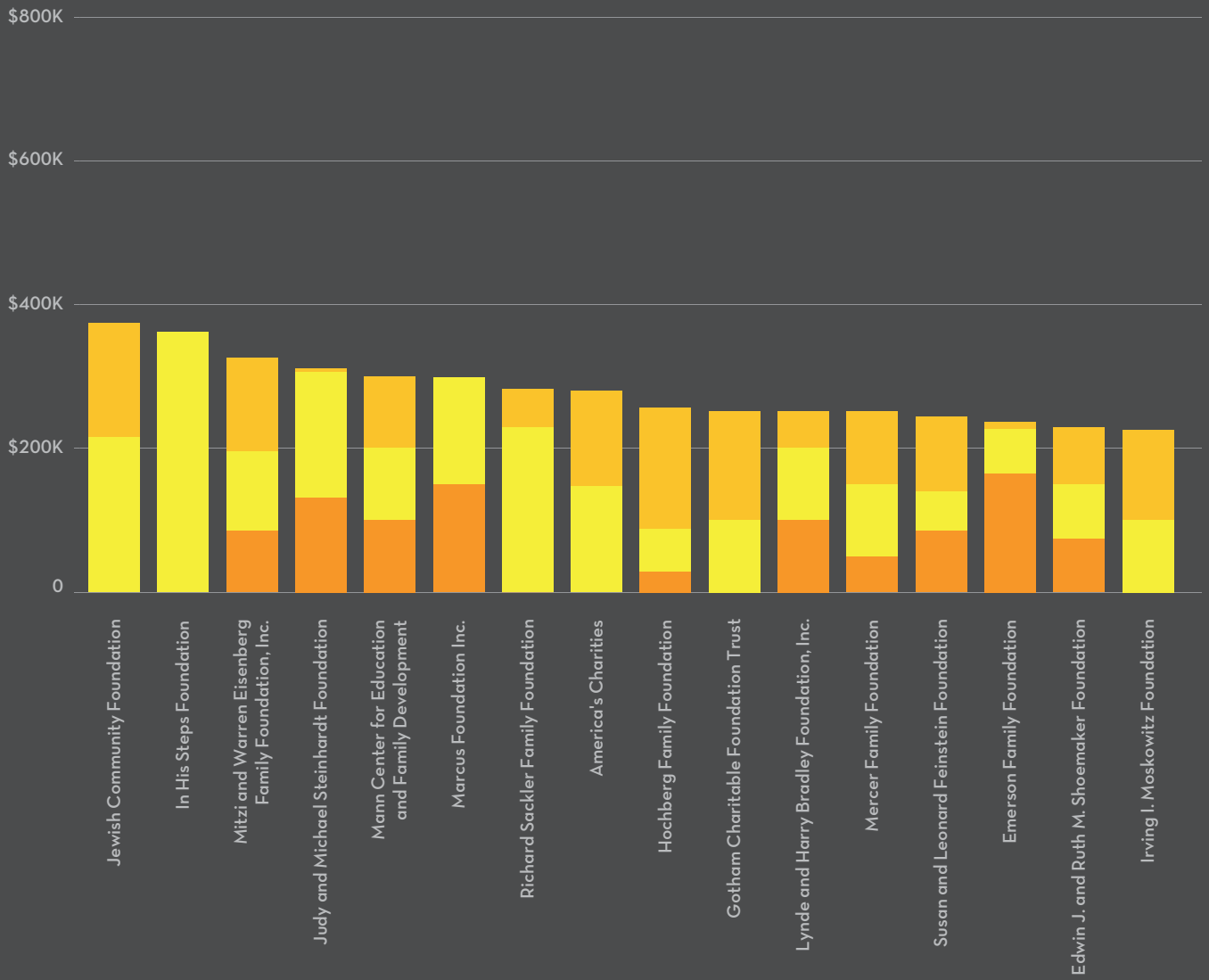




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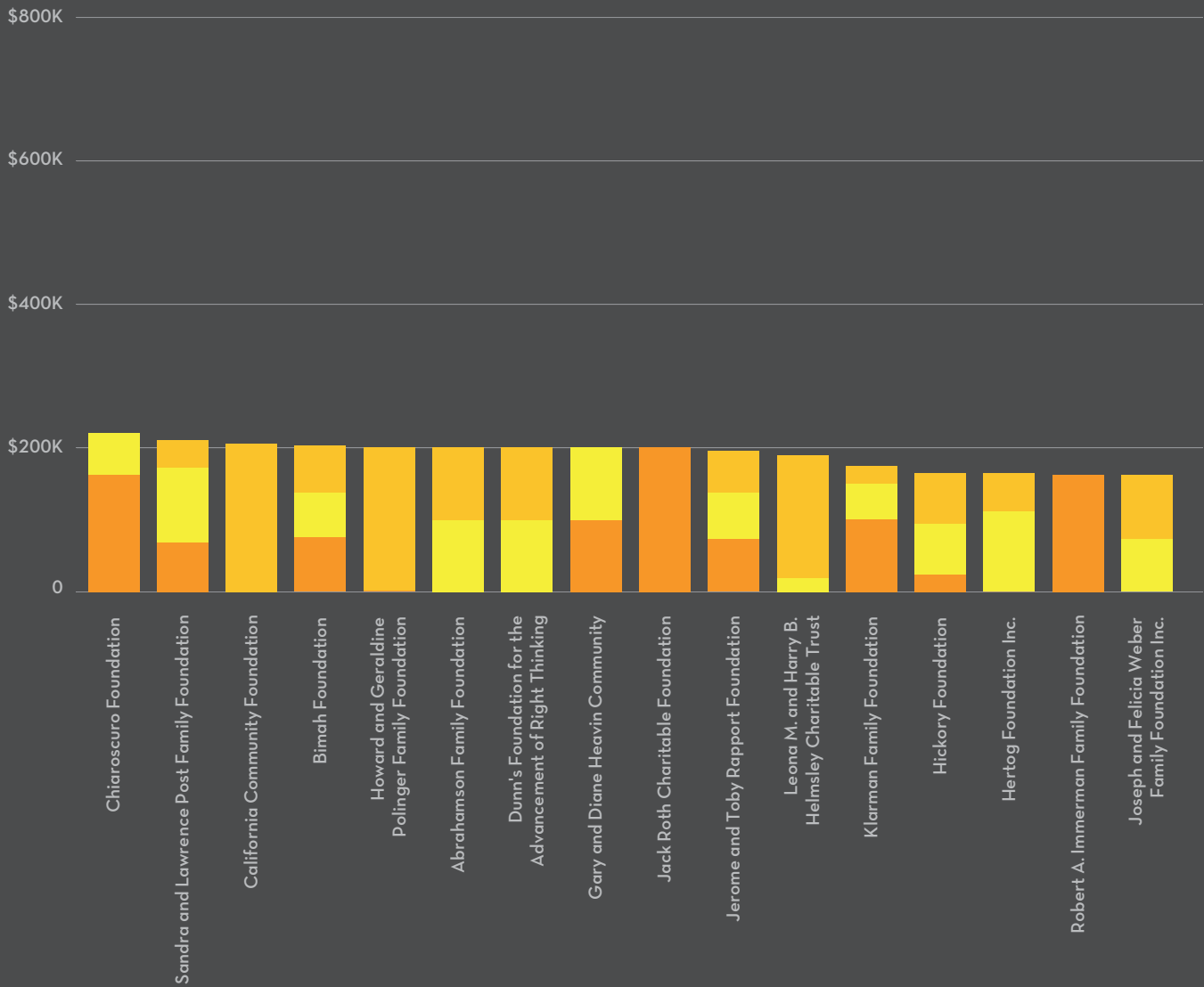
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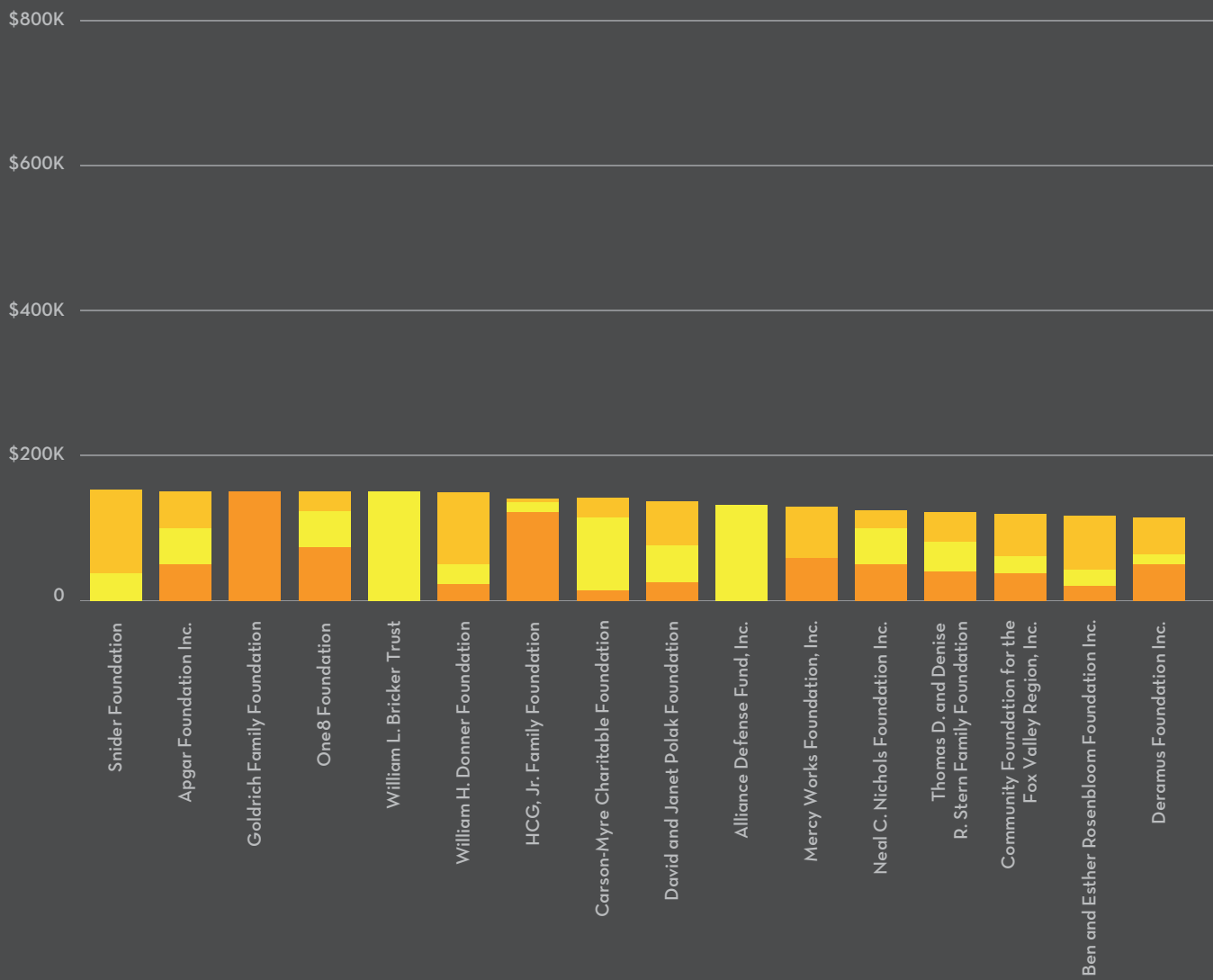




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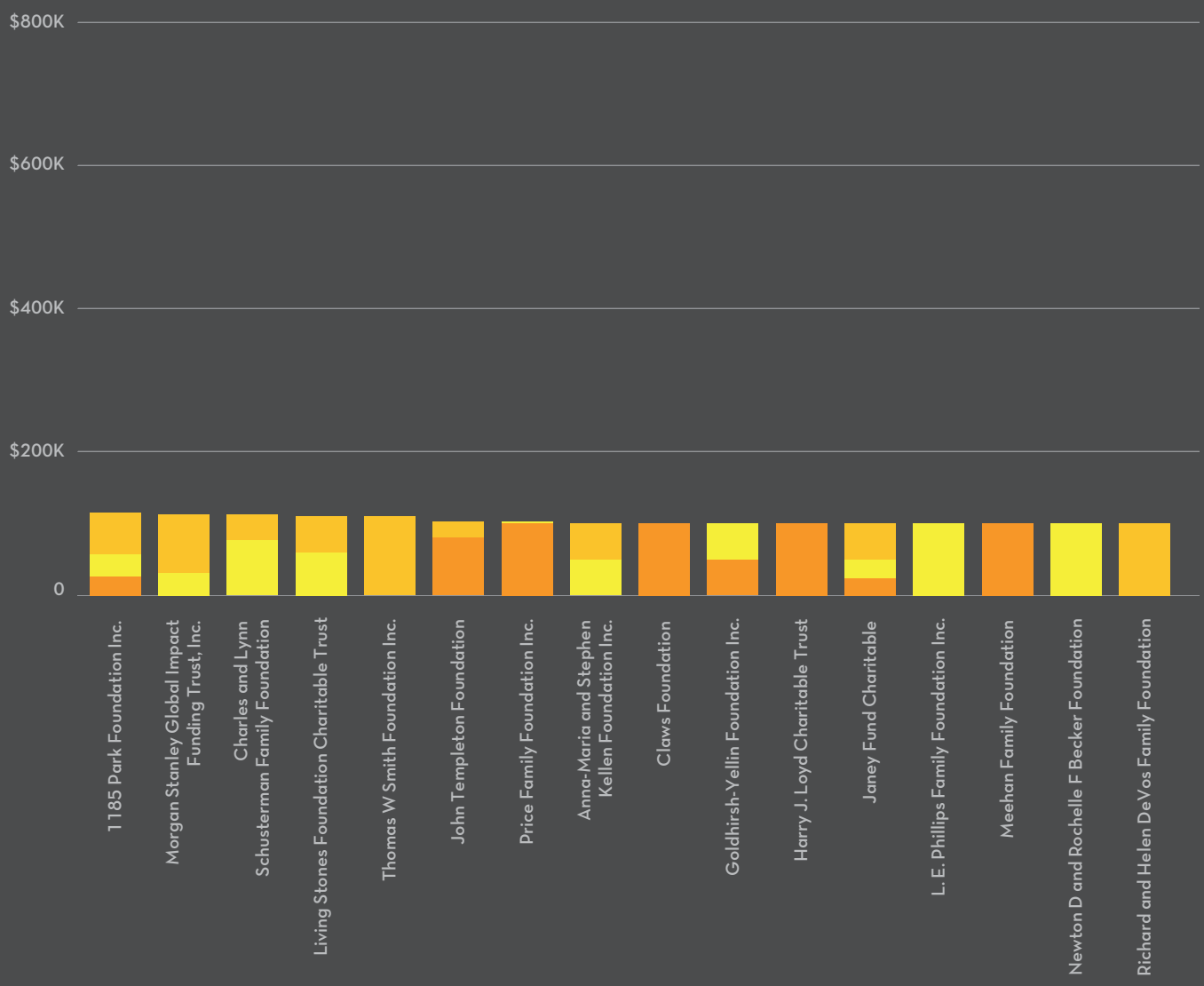




• **Funders of Anti-Muslim Bigotry**

2016
2015
2014

(\$100,000- \$999,999) part 3



The Top Funders of Islamophobic Activity


These are the top eighteen organizations that fund Islamophobia. The data represented in the following presentation are from 2014, 2015, and 2016 since it takes two years for tax forms to become available online for public consumption.

Donor Advised Funds (DAFs)




(\$ 3.7 M)

DonorsTrust, Inc.
 & Donors Capital
 Fund, Inc.
(\$ 1.8 M & \$4.4 M)


(\$ 8.7 M)


(\$ 5.7 M)

Faith-Based Donor Advised Funds




(\$ 15.7 M)


(\$ 3.2 M)

Private Family Foundation



ADELSON FAMILY FOUNDATION
(\$ 6.1 M)

The Abstraction Fund
(\$ 3.1 M)

Stephen Harold Schimmel Foundation Inc.
(\$ 1 M)

MZ Foundation
(\$ 1.5 M)

Mirowski Family Foundation Inc.
(\$ 1.2 M)

THE LYNDE AND HARRY BRADLEY FOUNDATION
(\$ 1.8 M)

Eugene and Emily Grant Family Foundation
(\$ 1.4 M)

DIANA DAVIS SPENCER FOUNDATION
(\$ 1.2 M)

Newton and Rochelle Becker Charitable Trust
(\$ 1.1 M)

Christian Advocates Serving Evangelism, Inc.
(\$ 32.4 M)

Heavenly Father's Foundation Heavenly Father's Foundation
(\$ 1.2 M)



Gives financial backing to mainstream nonprofit organizations that provide critical support to civil society, the very fiber of American democracy. It is **one of the country's largest grantmaking organizations, distributing \$3.8 billion in a single fiscal year from 2016 to 2017 alone.**³⁷

some mainstream recipients

Humanitarian organizations:



Advocacy groups:



The Fund's grants range across the spectrum of charitable giving, from disaster relief efforts, including the ongoing Syrian refugee crisis, to providing funding to Feeding America, the largest hunger-relief organization in the country.



\$1,845,000

Gives grants to **34 anti-Muslim groups, the largest number among any identified donor.**

top anti-Muslim recipients

more than **\$800,000**



more than **\$615,000**



\$430,000



The Executive Director of the Lawfare Project, **Brooke Goldstein** and author of the book *Lawfare: The War Against Free Speech: A First Amendment Guide for Reporting in an Age of Islamist Lawfare*:

“**Islamophobia ... is a contrived term that was invented by the Muslim Brotherhood with the sole purpose of stigmatizing those who are engaged in dialogue about militant Islam.**”

“**Issues of public concern and national security include the imminent threat of militant Islam.**”³⁸



Founded in 1999, it has **administered \$10 billion in grants since its inception** across a number of sectors.

some mainstream recipients

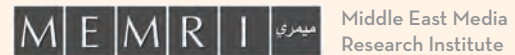


\$2,800,000

It granted **millions of dollars to eighteen anti-Muslim groups.**

top anti-Muslim recipients

nearly **\$1,200,000**



An **Israeli propaganda outfit** co-founded by a former Israeli military intelligence officer that **provides** selective, absurd, and intentionally **biased translations of Arabic language news.**³⁹

almost **\$840,000**



more than **\$670,000**





Founded in 1997. It is consistently ranked as **among the largest DAFs** in the United States. It currently controls \$8.5 billion in assets **and has administered \$7.7 billion in donations since its inception.**⁴⁰



\$2,709,500

Gives grants to **anti-Muslim groups.**

top anti-Muslim recipients

some mainstream recipients

Educational institutions:



Health and human services:



close to **\$1,500,000**



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Center for Security Policy

Responsible for commissioning the now discredited, anti-Muslim poll that Trump used to justify the **Muslim Ban.**⁴¹

\$820,000

CLARION project | CHALLENGING RADICAL ISLAM
PROMOTING HUMAN RIGHTS



Their pseudo-**documentary Obsession** that was distributed freely to key swing states during the **2008 presidential election.**

\$389,500



DAVID HOROWITZ
FREEDOM CENTER

DonorsTrust, Inc.
& Donors Capital Fund, Inc.



Based in Virginia, DonorsTrust and its supporting organization Donors Capital Fund* were **founded** in 1999 **out of the fear among right-leaning donors that their charitable family foundations might end up in the hands of those who would not fund right-wing causes.**

Since its founding, Donors Trust and Donors Capital Fund have **funneled hundreds of millions of dollars into influential right-wing think tanks and lobby groups** like American Enterprise Institute, State Policy Network, and Americans for Prosperity Foundation.



\$6,000,000

DonorsTrust is also an associate member of the State Policy Network, **a web of right-wing groups across the country that act as incubators of conservative strategy at a state level.** Their strategies include proposals to **reduce the wages of government workers, eliminate school voucher schemes, oppose Medicaid, and rally against efforts mitigate climate change.** DonorsTrust **also bankrolled the lawsuit that led the Supreme Court to strike down part of the Voting Rights Act.** It also granted more than \$6 million **to over a dozen anti-Muslim groups.**

top anti-Muslim recipients

\$4,000,000



over **\$400,000**



over **\$300,000**



Donors Capital Fund is a 509(a)(3) organization, supporting Donors Trust, a 501(c)(3). According to the IRS, a supporting organizations is organized, operated, and controlled in the public interest. "It is one means by which a charity can avoid classification as a private foundation, a status that is subject to a more restrictive regulatory regime."

 **JEWISH COMMUNAL FUND**



The **largest Jewish donor advised fund in the country**. It describes itself as “dedicated to the welfare and security of the Jewish community at home and abroad”.

some mainstream recipients

Donated extensively to food pantries & Jewish Community Centers, particularly in New York.



\$3,200,000

Gives grants to **31 anti-Muslim groups**.

top anti-Muslim recipients

close to **\$500,000**



Middle East Media Research Institute

\$110,000



American Freedom Defense Initiative

Led by the bigot **Pamela Geller** and is **responsible for virulent anti-Muslim ads in public spaces**.



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The Jewish community's funding of anti-Muslim hate groups has caused controversy following a series of troubling reports that the San Francisco Jewish Federation, the Los Angeles Jewish Community Foundation, and New York's Jewish Communal Fund all support far-right, xenophobic networks that, in part or wholly, vilify Muslims and perpetuate Islamophobia in the public arena.^{44, 45}



Funds a wide swath of Christian churches regardless of denomination, including Protestant, Baptist, Catholic, Episcopal, and Lutheran. Averaging a \$1 billion annual revenue between 2014 and 2016, the Foundation **is the eighth largest charity in the country.**



\$15,000,000

It is the **second largest funder of anti-Muslim hate in America**, pouring more than **\$15 million** into the anti-Muslim industry **over a three-year period.**

top anti-Muslim recipients

biggest sum of **\$13,000,000**



A **Religious Right lobbying group** that **aligns itself with nativist and Islamophobic ideologies.** It also uses its radio arm, American Family Radio, to perpetuate misinformation across 33 states.⁴⁶

nearly **\$1,000,000**



A **law firm** led by **Jay Sekulow, Trump's private attorney**, that supports anti-Muslim policies and legislation and publishes anti-Muslim propaganda. In 2017 the ACLJ filed a **supporting court brief in defense of the Muslim Ban.**⁴⁷

some mainstream recipients

Health organizations:



Advocacy Groups



Christian Advocates Serving Evangelism, Inc. (CASE)



A family-controlled charity founded in 1988 by Jay Sekulow. CASE has no public website and its board comprises four members of the Sekulow family, namely his sons, Logan and Jordan, and his wife, Pam.⁴⁸



\$32,000,000

Jay Sekulow **co-established the anti-Muslim constitutional law firm the American Center for Law and Justice** with televangelist Pat Robertson.

top anti-Muslim recipients

more than **\$32,000,000**



American Center for
Law and Justice

A **law firm** that supports anti-Muslim policies, like the **Muslim Ban**, and publishes **anti-Muslim propaganda**.

\$500,000 each year

Law and Justice Institute (LJI)

LJI **has no employees** and Sekulow is listed as president. In turn, LJI has **paid \$500,000 each year to Pat Robertson's Advocacy Services**.

Between 2011 and 2015, CASE paid millions of dollars to Sekulow's family and to businesses they own or co-own. This supports his family's extravagant lifestyle of multiple homes and trips in corporate jets.⁴⁹



ADELSON FAMILY FOUNDATION



Billionaire Sheldon G. Adelson established the private, tax-exempt, Adelson Family Foundation with his wife Miriam in 2007.⁵⁰ Adelson is the chairman and owner of the Las Vegas Sands Corp, which owns and operates properties in Las Vegas, including the Venetian Resort Hotel and Casino. **The Adelsons are Republican party mega donors.** They contributed **\$20.4 million to support Trump's 2016 presidential campaign** and were subsequently appointed as finance vice-chairmen of Trump's inaugural committee.⁵¹



\$6,100,000

The Foundation was created to **strengthen and benefit "the State of Israel and the Jewish people."**⁵² It is also, by far, **the largest private donor to anti-Muslim groups** whose work is geared towards negatively influencing media portrayals of Muslims and Islam.

some anti-Muslim recipients

\$4,500,000

MEMRI Middle East Media Research Institute

An Israeli propaganda outfit that provides selective, absurd, and **intentionally biased translations of Arabic language news.**⁵⁴

\$1,000,000

CAMERA Committee for Accuracy in Middle East Reporting in America

\$300,000

EMET Endowment for Middle East Truth

An Israel lobby group in D.C. that was **founded by Sarah Stern** in 2005, who previously **worked at the Zionist Organization of America** and the **American Jewish Congress.**⁵³

some mainstream recipients



The Abstraction Fund



The Abstraction Fund is a national, tax-exempt private family foundation **run by** an heir of the Sears-Roebuck fortune, **Nina Rosenwald**. Rosenwald builds upon her grandfather **Julius Rosenwald's** remarkable legacy of philanthropy – he **served as a key bulwark of Booker T. Washington's Tuskegee Institute**, and **provided critical assistance to Jewish refugees fleeing Europe for the United States.**^{55, 56}



\$3,200,000

Nina Rosenwald has **used the Abstraction Fund to fuel some of the country's most vitriolic, paranoid, and toxic anti-Muslim institutions.** The Abstraction Fund's primary beneficiary is the **Gatestone Institute**, which she **founded and where she serves as president.**

some anti-Muslim recipients

\$1,870,000



An anti-Muslim hate group of which **Trump's National Security Advisor John Bolton** served as chairman.

\$742,000



The Fund has fueled an “alliance between the pro-Israel mainstream and the Islamophobic fringe” that ranks among the most disturbing examples of the way in which American philanthropy is institutionally connected to the Islamophobia Network.⁵⁷



The Bradley Foundation is a private, Wisconsin-based tax-exempt family foundation with a stated mission to “protect the principles and institutions of American exceptionalism.”⁵⁸ It is one of the chief funders of the right-wing, supporting groups such as the Atlas Economic Research Foundation, the Hudson Institute, and the American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC), which is a network of right-wing corporate lobbyists.

some mainstream recipients



\$1,800,000

The Foundation consistently provides **financial support to groups that create and spread conspiracy theories, false information, and stereotypes** that disparage Islam and Muslims.

top anti-Muslim recipients

\$765,000



\$110,000



American Islamic Congress

ALEC writes model state legislation that includes policies that restrict voting rights, dismantle environmental regulations, buttress corporate power and profits, privatize the public school system, and reduce workers' rights.⁵⁹ According to the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel, from 2001 to 2009 Bradley “doled out nearly as much money as the seven Koch and Scaife foundations combined.”⁶⁰

MZ Foundation



The MZ Foundation provides financial support to groups including the Zionist Organization of America and the Central Fund of Israel. It is a California-based foundation **founded by** real estate magnate **Myron Zimmerman** in the 1990s **with the purpose to fight anti-Semitism and advance pro-Israel advocacy.**⁶¹



\$2,092,500

Since 2012, Zimmerman has **contributed more than \$1.5 million to fund Israeli settlements in the West Bank region.**⁶²

some anti-Muslim recipients

\$187,500



\$225,000



\$180,000

Investigative Project on Terrorism

The MZ Foundation boasts its aggressive support for organizations dedicated to misinforming the public about Islam and Muslims such as the Gatestone Institute, the Lawfare Project, and ACT for America.

Eugene and Emily Grant Family Foundation



A private tax-exempt foundation established by the late Eugene Grant, a twentieth century pillar of New York's real estate investment community. Grant was **most known for his long-time holding of St. John's Terminal**, an old freight terminal near Greenwich Village in Manhattan that will likely serve as Google's newest office space in NYC in the near future.⁶³ Eugene Grant, along with his wife Emily, also served as a **pillars of New York's philanthropic community.**

some mainstream recipients



Brooklyn Academy
of Music



\$1,400,000

The bulk of the Foundation's **grants** are directed **primarily to Zionist Jewish groups and American and Israeli universities.** Fitting into a pattern of other Zionist philanthropic networks, this pro-Israeli advocacy is coupled with a column of anti-Muslim and Islamophobic patronage. **Eugene Grant was a founding member of the Board of Regents of the Center for Security Policy, a well-known far-right hate group,** whose founder Frank Gaffney was banned from traditional conservative platforms.⁶⁴

top anti-Muslim recipients

\$1,100,000



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Center for
Security Policy

\$250,000

Investigative Project
on Terrorism

It is astonishing to think that a philanthropic and civil-society stalwart such as Eugene Grant would taint his legacy by supporting organizations responsible for some of the most toxic, anti-social elements of contemporary American political discourse.

Heavenly Father's Foundation



Founded in 2011 by Dan Wilks and his wife, Staci. Wilks is a **Texan billionaire who made his fortune with his brother Farris from the fracking boom in the early 2000s**. Both brothers, with their wives, operate independent foundations that avidly and **primarily fund right-wing politicians and Republican Party committees**.⁶⁵



\$1,200,000

anti-Muslim recipients



One of today's **most powerful Religious Right organizations**, with its radio arm, American Family Radio, broadcasting from stations in at least 40 states, and affiliated activists groups promoting its message through various fronts.⁶⁸ AFA leadership and officials have **used these platforms to spread misinformation and propaganda** such as:

“**Islam has no fundamental First Amendment claims, for the simple reason that it was not written to protect the religion of Islam.**”

“**Islam is clearly the religion that Satan is promoting to be the counterfeit alternative to Christianity.**”

“**The threat to our freedoms comes not from radical Islam but from Islam itself.**”^{69, 70, 71}

The Wilkses gave \$15 million to a Super PAC backing then-Republican presidential contender Ted Cruz in 2016.⁶⁶ In 2012, a report found that 70 percent of Republican legislators in Montana received contributions from the brothers.⁶⁷



Evolved from the Shelby Cullom Davis Foundation, established in 1962, and the Kathryn W. Davis Foundation, established in 2004. The Foundation has funded many mainstream American institutions.

some mainstream recipients



\$4,200,000

The Foundation's **CEO, Abby Spencer Moffat**, is also **a Trustee at the right-wing organization The Heritage Foundation**. It is therefore not surprising that the Diana Davis Spencer Foundation spends considerable resources on bolstering national security networks going so far as to launch the Daniel Morgan Graduate School of National Security, **a private graduate program designed to prepare future leaders of the intelligence and defense policy making establishment**. Given the Foundation's priorities, **it has given almost \$1.2 million to half a dozen anti-Muslim groups** in the U.S.

top anti-Muslim recipients

\$430,000



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Center for
Security Policy

\$250,000

Investigative Project
on Terrorism

Mirowski Family Foundation Inc.



A private tax-exempt family foundation established in 1997. **The Foundation has no public presence and does not provide any mission statement on its financial documents.**

Over the years **it has funded an array of causes**, including health services and various Jewish and pro-Israel groups.

some mainstream recipients



\$1,100,000

some anti-Muslim recipients



Committee for Accuracy in Middle East Reporting in America

A group mired in criticism for **systematically attempting to misinform the American public about Islam, Muslims, and the Israeli-Palestinian conflict**, which it is most concerned with. Among camera's more embarrassing indulgences was **its coordinated attempt to infiltrate Wikipedia's editorial process to achieve its advocacy goals** for which it was publicly censured.



Americans for Peace and Tolerance



Newton and Rochelle Becker Charitable Trust



Established by the late entrepreneur Newton Becker in 2006, the California-based Newton and Rochelle Becker Charitable Trust is a private, tax-exempt charitable foundation possessing millions in revenue.⁷²



\$1,100,000

top anti-Muslim recipients

nearly **\$800,000**



Middle East Media
Research Institute

A **neoconservative lobbying group** founded with the goal of pushing an aggressive and Islamophobic “war on terror” policy in Washington D.C.

over **\$300,000**



Stephen Harold Schimmel Foundation



A California-based, private, tax-exempt entity founded in 1995. According to its tax filings, the president, secretary, and treasurer of the Foundation is **Rosalba Schimmel**, the **wife of millionaire Stephen Harold Schimmel**. There is little other publicly available information about the Schimmels or the Foundation. It **funds a large network of Christian organizations, networks, and churches** across the country.

some mainstream recipients

MARIE
SELBY
BOTANICAL
GARDENS®



\$5,850,000

Created to **strengthen and benefit “the State of Israel and the Jewish people.”** It is also, by far, **the largest private donor to anti-Muslim groups** whose work is geared towards negatively influencing media portrayals of Muslims and Islam.

some anti-Muslim recipients

\$1,000,000



Christian Broadcasting Network

CBN is a powerful **amplifier of anti-Muslim conspiracies and lies**, with founder Pat Robertson repeatedly calling **Islam a “violent religion” and a “political ideology.”**⁷³



The

**ISLAMOPHOBIA
NETWORK:**



***A \$1.5 Billion
Marketplace***



The detrimental impact of Islamophobia on American political discourse and culture has become a subject of increasing interest in mainstream media and intellectual and research circles. Established anti-Muslim groups, such as the David Horowitz Freedom Center and the Center for Security Policy, ***promote anti-Muslim bigotry in the public sphere under the guise of protecting national security, defending Israel, or preserving “American culture.”***

Along with other multi-million-dollar organizations, these groups are flanked by a host of online magazines, radio shows, digital media, “independent” experts, and small think tanks. While some groups are dedicated primarily to anti-Muslim activity, others couple their Islamophobic agenda with far-right political agendas.

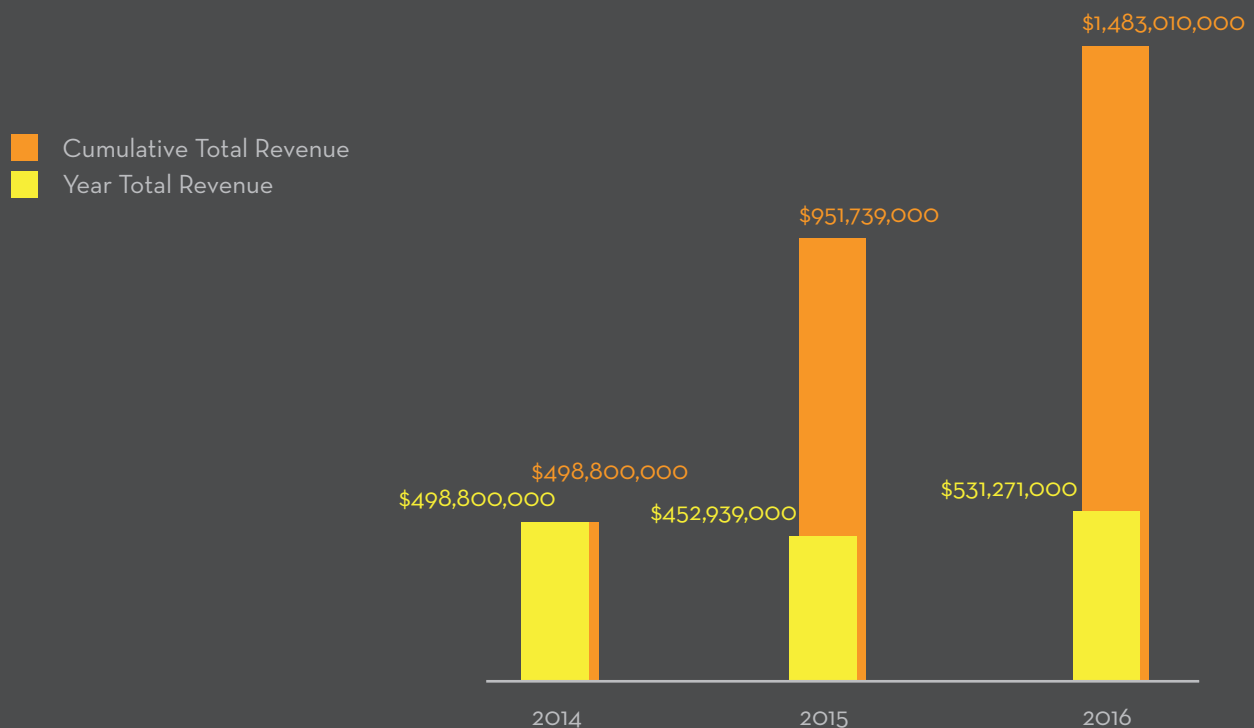
Together, this array of organizations has come to be known as **the Islamophobia Network**, a powerful, decentralized, and informal coalition of actors that successfully influences local elections, state legislation, and federal policy.

SECTION COVER:

Illustration by Tim Robinson.

Between 2014 and 2016, these **39 anti-Muslim organizations** enjoyed access to at least **\$1.5 billion through their collective organizational financial capacity**. This funding is derived from multiple sources such as private donations, membership fees, and investment vehicles. This section provides data about the overall financial capacity of the Islamophobia Network by analyzing its total revenue capacity through a list of each organization's revenue between 2014 and 2016. We also provide examples of the way in which these groups use this funding for public and policy impact, as well as personal profit.

Total Revenue of Anti-Muslim Organizations

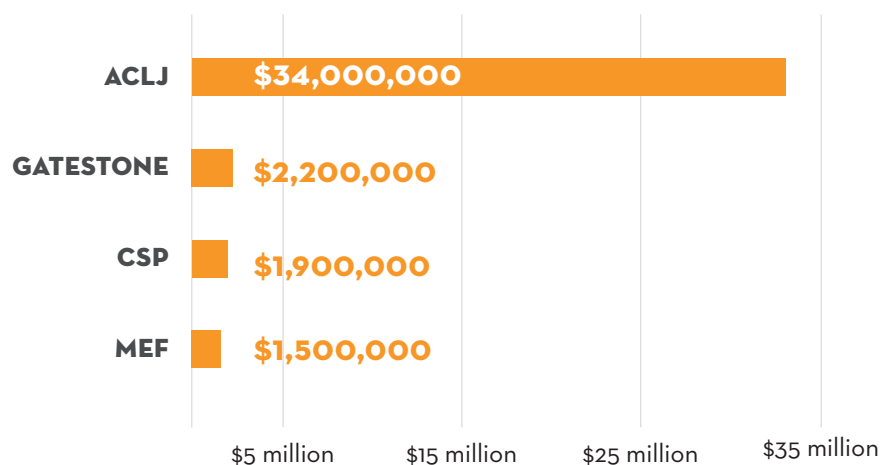


Money in Action

This **\$1.5 billion** has flown into politics, media, law enforcement, educational institutions, lobbying groups, and other industries to advance anti-Muslim and anti-Islam animus in America.

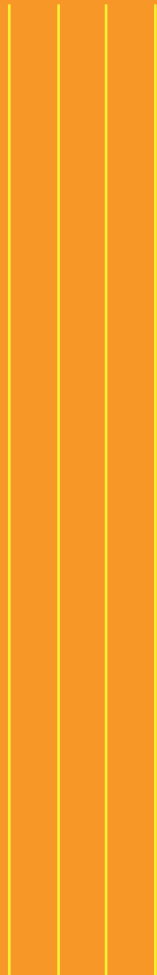
The following four anti-Muslim hate group profiles demonstrate the promulgation of Islamophobia through the various avenues mentioned above. Each profile illustrates the flow of money from the eighteen largest funders of hate to the anti-Muslim group, and from the group to its specific Islamophobic programs, policies, or actions.

The 18 largest financial supporters of anti-Muslim hate have given:





\$1,500,000,000



\$34,000,000

American Center for Law and Justice (ACLJ)

The ACLJ is an anti-Muslim constitutional law firm **established by** televangelist **Pat Robertson and lawyer Jay Sekulow**.

the ACLJ used
this money to

1 Fight **against Islam being taught in public schools in Tennessee and Georgia, in 2015**. It deemed it “outrageous” for schools to teach that the three Abrahamic faiths worship the same god. Teaching about the five pillars of Islamic faith — belief in one god, daily prayer, giving to charity, fasting, and pilgrimage to Makkah — was said to be “indoctrination.”⁸⁰

2 In 2017 ACLJ came out in full support of the discriminatory **Muslim Ban**. It filed multiple briefs at various levels of the judiciary to support the Ban and urge the courts to implement it as is.⁸¹

\$2,200,000

Gatestone Institute

Gatestone used this money to

Gatestone Institute is a misinformation creation and dissemination group that functions as a clearinghouse for far-right rhetoric on Islam, Muslims, and national security. ***It funnels its money to promote lies and misinformation and publish original commentary that positions Islam and Muslims as threats to Western society.***

1 In 2018, it featured stories that ***claimed that the “mostly Muslim male migrants” from Africa, Asia and the Middle East*** in Germany ***were fueling a “migrant rape crisis” and that “Muslim mass-rape gangs” were transforming the United Kingdom into “an Islamist Colony.”***^{74, 75}

2 In 2017, it warned of a looming “jihadist takeover” of Europe leading to a “Great White Death.”^{76, 77}

3 In 2016, Gatestone collaborated with The Rebel, a Toronto-based online media outlet, to produce 12 fearmongering videos that featured prominent anti-Muslim activists, such as Daniel Pipes who is the founder of the anti-Muslim hate group, Middle East Forum. Topics for the videos included “the dangers of the Islamization of the West” and ***“Will Europeans succumb to Islamization, or will they rise to fight radical Islam and hold onto Western values?”***⁷⁸ Such inflammatory and false stories are distributed widely by Gatestone through the group’s social media platforms and its media allies, including Breitbart News. Many of these fake pieces have also filtered into mainstream U.S. politics.

4 One of Gatestone’s most ***widely promoted lies has been*** about “***no-go zones***” in Europe. Gatestone claimed these were ***spaces where Muslim immigrants had constructed a parallel society in which local police could no longer enforce the state’s law.*** This lie percolated into the 2016 Republican primary — Texas Sen. ***Ted Cruz cited it in an op-ed, then-Gov. Bobby Jindal cited it in a London speech, and Donald Trump repeated it in his statements.***⁷⁹ The lie served to drum up fear, distrust, and hate of Islam and Muslims during the entirety of the 2016 presidential election cycle.

\$1,900,000

Center for Security Policy (CSP)

The Center for Security Policy is a key anti-Muslim lobbying and propaganda group.

CPS used
this money to

1 *In 2015, it organized four National Security Action Summits in Nevada, South Carolina, New Hampshire and Iowa* — all critical primary states — to prepare and execute xenophobic and Islamophobic talking points for the upcoming presidential election.³² *A number of anti-Muslim GOP candidates attended, including Donald Trump, Ted Cruz, Rick Santorum, and Ben Carson*, who is now Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

2 Further strengthening its ties to presidential candidates, in September of 2015, CSP *co-sponsored an anti-Iran rally in Washington, D.C.* where it invited *Cruz* and *Trump* to speak.³³ CSP also invited ACT for America president, *Brigitte Gabriel*, who took the stage to amplify the demonization of Muslims. Shortly thereafter, *candidate Trump cited a junk CSP poll as justification to call for a Muslim Ban*, a “*total and complete shutdown*” of Muslims entering the United States on December 7.³⁴ CPS had commissioned The Polling Company, led by Kellyanne Conway who now serves as Counselor to Trump, to conduct the poll in June of that year.

3 In addition to advancing anti-Muslim positions and policies in conjunction with Republican candidates and officials, CSP also engaged in anti-Muslim law enforcement training. CSP worked with disgraced former FBI agent John Guandolo to hold a 7-hour briefing for Arizona law enforcement at the Maricopa County Sheriff’s Office Training Facility in Phoenix in July of 2015.³⁵ John Guandolo is founder of Understanding the Threat, a training group known for providing anti-Islam instruction for U.S. law enforcement officials, and has made statements such as America “is at war with Islam.”

\$1,500,000

Middle East Forum (MEF)

MEF used this money to

Middle East Forum is an extremist policy organization founded by Daniel Pipes that advances numerous anti-Muslim and anti-Islam initiatives. One of the most pernicious is the Forum's active lobbying for legislation that would eviscerate American Muslim civil society and leadership.

1 MEF sought to advance three bills:

- The Muslim Brotherhood Terrorist Designation Act (S.68 and H.R.377).

- The Naming the Enemy Within Homeland Security Act (H.R.5823).

- The Religious FIRE Act (H.R.5824).⁸⁶

This is a witch hunt that carries the potential to criminalize any Muslim engaged in, or even marginally associated with, the exercise of Muslim civil and political rights. This could extend to community centers, relief providers, mosques, and any number of Muslim civil activities. It plays perfectly into the hands of far-right Neo-Nazi populists who seek to ***“make all Muslims terrorists - not through insinuation but actually label them as such.”***⁸⁷

2 MEF has used its millions of dollars to attack American Muslim institutions

like Islamic Relief, the Islamic Circle of North America, the Islamic Society of North America, Muslim Alliance of North America, Muslim American Society, Muslim Public Affairs Council, the Muslim Students Association, Muslim Youth of North America, and Young Muslims. It has spread malicious lies about American Muslim civic engagement to lawmakers, media, and community and corporate foundations.⁸⁸

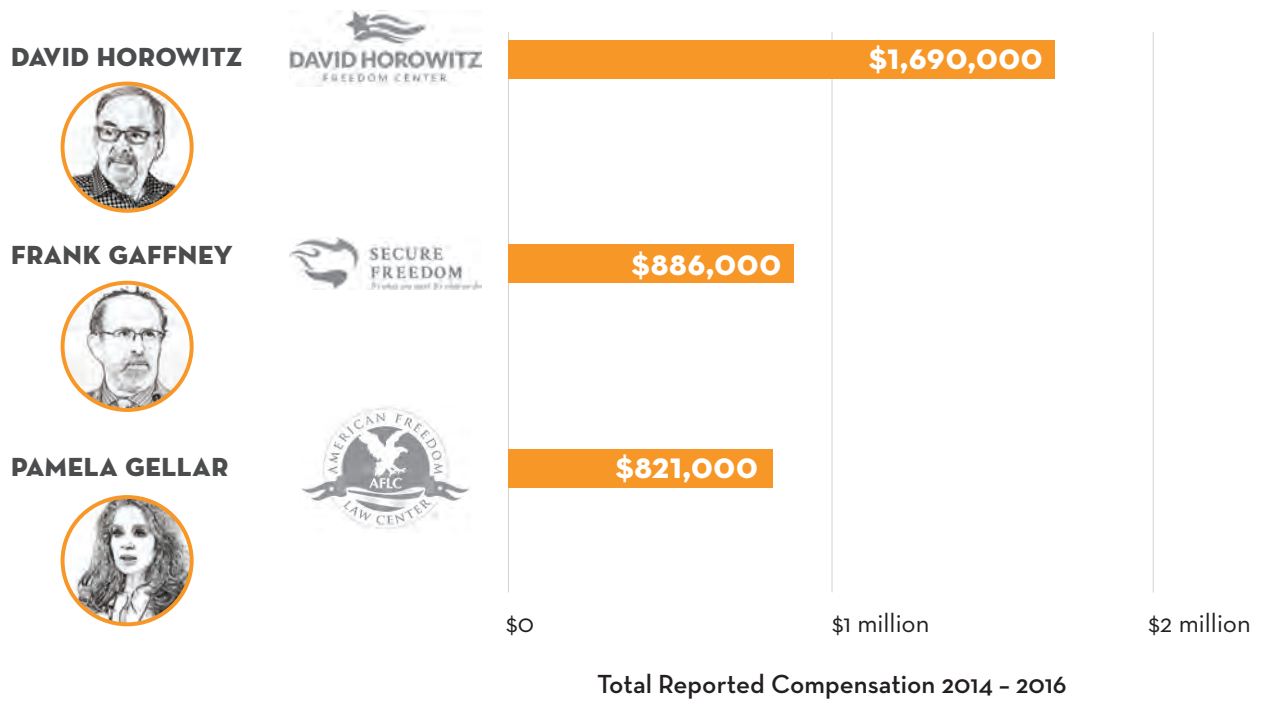
3 Other policies on which the MEF has lobbied Congress include applying extreme vetting measures to “everyday Muslims.” It has ***pushed for mandatory anti-Muslim law enforcement training that paints American Muslim civil institutions as existential threats.*** Additionally, it has crafted a detailed proposal for the White House to launch a “Commission on Radical Islam.”⁸⁹

Profiting from Hate

Several anti-Muslim bigots are building personal fortunes advancing prejudice. They have raked in hundreds of thousands of dollars through their positions of leadership in anti-Muslim groups.

The visualization on reported compensation highlights the highest grossing hatemongers. One notable anti-Muslim bigot missing in this list is Brigitte Gabriel, president of ACT for America. In 2010, Gabriel raised her own compensation 79 percent from \$87,300 to \$156,473. After CAIR drew public attention to this information, ACT listed Gabriel's reportable income as \$0 from 2013 through 2015. In 2016 Gabriel's reported income on ACT's tax returns is stated to be \$15,081.

REPORTED COMPENSATION OF HIGHEST GROSSING ANTI-MUSLIM HATEMONGERS



Anti-Muslim Organizations



ACT for America

The largest anti-Muslim hate group in the country. ACT supports anti-Muslim policies and politicians, **hosts anti-Muslim demonstrations, and advances dangerous conspiracy theories.**



American Center for Law and Justice

A prejudiced constitutional law firm established by televangelist Pat Robertson and Jay Sekulow that supports anti-Muslim policies and legislation and publishes anti-Muslim propaganda.



American Civil Rights Union

A legal organization that **positions itself as the conservative alternative to the ACLU and advances anti-Muslim statements, briefs, and lawsuits.**



American Family Association

A lobbying hate group that aligns itself with nativist and Islamophobic ideologies and supports anti-Muslim policies.



American Freedom Alliance

A lobbying hate group that develops and promotes anti-Muslim and anti-climate change misinformation.



American Freedom Defense Initiative

A hate group **led by anti-Muslim activist Pamela Geller** and best known for its racist and hateful public ad campaigns. **The primary group behind the manufactured controversy about New York's Park 51 mosque.**



American Freedom Law Center

An anti-Muslim law firm co-founded by **David Yerushalmi** that develops and supports anti-Muslim legislation and acts as the Islamophobia Network's legal counsel.



American Future Fund

A right wing nonprofit group that **runs political ads**, often expressly anti-Muslim, to advocate for the election or defeat of federal candidates.



American Islamic Forum for Democracy

An anti-Muslim lobby group founded by **Zuhdi Jasser** that **claims to battle "Islamofascism."**



Americans for America

A Colorado-based lobbying and misinformation group that facilitates anti-Muslim law enforcement trainings across the country.



Americans for Peace and Tolerance

A Boston-based lobby group that spreads misinformation and conspiracy theories about American Muslims and Islam.



America's Survival

An anti-Muslim misinformation group whose website primarily promotes conspiracy theories.



Ayaan Hirsi Ali Foundation

A self-proclaimed human rights organization **founded by Ayaan Hirsi Ali** on Islamophobic tropes and stereotypes.



Center for Security Policy

A key anti-Muslim propaganda and lobby group **founded by Frank Gaffney** that develops, supports, and advances anti-Muslim animus in society and policy.



Christian Action Network

A group that **develops and spreads misinformation about Islam and Muslims** through direct-mail campaigns, film, interviews, and other public and print platforms.



Christian Broadcasting Network

The principle media platform of founder and televangelist **Pat Robertson**, who uses it to spread anti-Muslim prejudice, such as claiming about Islam that “it’s almost like its demonic” and “**it’s a religion of chaos.**”



Christians and Jews United for Israel

A group that shares and spreads anti-Muslim content through its media platforms.



Citizens for National Security

A Florida-based lobby and research group that advances stringent anti-Muslim conspiracy theories and lies.



Clarion Project

A nonprofit group that creates and distributes anti-Muslim propaganda films such as **Obsession: Radical Islam's War Against the West** and **The Third Jihad: Radical Islam's Vision for America**, to influence politics.



Committee for Accuracy in Middle East Reporting

A lobbying and media-monitoring group that spreads misinformation, seeks to discredit mainstream American Muslims and American Muslim organizations, and advances an anti-Islam agenda.



Concerned Women for America

A public policy women's group that has been actively involved in anti-Islam legislative efforts in Florida and North Carolina. CWA **regularly hosts anti-Islam speakers at events.**



Conservative Forum of Silicon Valley

A grassroots anti-Muslim group based in California that makes and shares bigoted social media posts and **hosts anti-Muslim speakers at events.**

David Horowitz Freedom Center

A hub of anti-Muslim lobbying, media, and misinformation that **houses numerous anti-Muslim and xenophobic projects including, Jihad Watch, FrontPage Magazine, TruthRevolt.com, Israel Security Project, Discoverthenetworks.com, Students for Academic Freedom, and Individual Rights Foundation.**

Eagle Forum & Eagle Forum Education and Legal Defense Fund

A neoconservative lobby group whose representatives have been involved in anti-Muslim legislative efforts in several states.



Endowment for Middle East Truth

A policy center and lobbying group that advances anti-Muslim misinformation.



Facts and Logic About the Middle East

A **research outfit** based in San Francisco that creates and **pushes anti-Muslim propaganda**. It started as a chapter of CAMERA (see above) before becoming an independent group.

Florida Family Association

A right-wing hate group that **employs email pressure campaigns in an effort to compel businesses to adhere to anti-Islam viewpoints**, and promotes anti-Muslim conspiracy theories.

Forum for Middle East Understanding

A misinformation group and spreads anti-Muslim conspiracy theories under the guise of education.

Foundation for Advocating Christian Truth

The organization **behind the Christian apologetic website answeringmuslims.com**, an anti-Muslim and anti-Islam site that spreads misinformation.



Foundation for Defense of Democracies

A neoconservative lobbying group that advances the Islamophobic “war on terror” narrative and associated policies and practices.



Freedom of Conscience Defense Fund

A legal group that litigates against American Muslim causes, **including a school-wide anti-Islamophobia initiative.**



Gatestone Institute

A New York City-based anti-Muslim hate group that produces and disseminates anti-Muslim lies and hysteria.



Global Faith Institute

Christian evangelical organization that creates and shares anti-Muslim media content, conspiracy theories, and misinformation.



Lawfare Project

An anti-Muslim hate group **founded by the former director of the Legal Project at the Middle East Forum** that advances Islamophobic conspiracy theories and propaganda.

Investigative Project on Terrorism

A hate group that develops and spreads anti-Muslim propaganda and prejudiced content.

Jihad Watch

A digital media platform housed within the David Horowitz Freedom Center. It is **run by Robert Spencer** who uses it to advance anti-Muslim propaganda.



Middle East Forum

An anti-Muslim policy center that produces prejudiced content, perpetuates hate speech, propaganda, and misinformation, and provides financial support to fellow anti-Muslim hate groups.



Middle East Media Research Institute

A pseudo-research organization that selectively and inaccurately translates news and other text from Muslim-majority countries to provide justification for anti-Muslim propaganda.



National Review Institute

A **neoconservative magazine which features and publishes anti-Islam and anti-Muslim propaganda** and conspiracies.



Oak Initiative

A national organization that creates and advances bigoted anti-Muslim views.



Proclaiming Justice to the Nations

An **educational organization that peddles lies about Islamic beliefs** and practices, and advances conspiracy theories.

Religious Freedom Coalition

An advocacy organization that **espouses a “clash of civilizations” narrative** and spreads conspiracy theories about Muslims and Islam.



Society of Americans for National Existence (SANE)

An anti-Muslim *think tank* founded by David Yerushalmi that seeks to criminalize Islam. It rebranded itself to Save a Neshama Endowment in 2015.

Straight Way of Grace Ministry

An anti-Muslim organization that demonizes and vilifies Islamic practices and beliefs, and spreads lies about Muslims in America.

Unconstrained Analytics

A pseudo-think tank that creates anti-Muslim materials related to national security.

United West, aka Security Research Associates

A Florida-based organization that paints *Islam and Muslims* as "the enemy."


03

IMPACT ON POLITICS & LAW





Anti-Muslim bigotry and Islamophobia have been a consistent feature of electoral politics for nearly a decade. In fact, continued research demonstrates that rates of anti-Muslim sentiment rise during election cycles, and not around international or domestic incidents of terrorism as many may presume.⁹⁰



Although Islamophobia has typically waxed and waned with the political cycle, the election of Donald Trump has opened a space for the Islamophobia Network to enter the formal halls of power.

Trump Inc. The Anti-Muslim Hydra

The Islamophobia Network is deeply integrated into the current administration and exerts enormous impact over Trump, his rhetoric, and the policies he pursues. There have been more than a dozen individuals in the Trump administration who have possessed direct links to anti-Muslim hate groups. This section seeks to flesh out and illustrate these deep-rooted connections between organized anti-Muslim bigotry and the Trump administration.

It is undeniable that anti-Muslim bigotry, prejudice, and discrimination has intensified and gained greater institutional legitimacy under Trump. Although numerous anti-Muslim policies, such as Countering Violent Extremism and the Terrorist Screening Database, were firmly in place well before his presidency, the undisguised Islamophobia pumped out by this government has cracked the superficial mask of neutrality previously in place.

DONALD TRUMP - THE 45TH PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

Trump's rhetoric and policies directly support the anti-Muslim agenda and are integrated with the aims of the Islamophobia Network. In his very first speech to a joint session of Congress, Trump used the phrase "**radical Islamic terrorism**" straight from the Islamophobia Network's playbook.⁹¹ He has since used the same phrase, or a variation, innumerable times, exploiting a false and dangerous narrative about Islam and Muslims.⁹²

In August of 2017 **he tweeted,**



Donald J. Trump ✓
@realDonaldTrump

Radical Islamic Terrorism must be stopped by whatever means necessary! The courts must give us back our protective rights. Have to be tough!

4:06 PM – 18 Aug 2017

The same month he referred to a story about General Pershing shooting Muslims with pig's blood. "**Study what General Pershing of the United States did to terrorists when caught. There was no more Radical Islamic Terror for 35 years!**"⁹³ In October he falsely claimed that the "**spread of Radical Islamic terror**" was responsible for an increase in UK's crime rate.⁹⁴ In November he retweeted a British anti-Muslim hate group three times.⁹⁵

In addition to statement and tweets, Trump has also advanced anti-Muslim policies that advance the aims of the Islamophobia Network. The most well-

known of these is the unconstitutional **Muslim Ban**. In his original demand for a Muslim Ban, in which he called for a "**complete shutdown of Muslims entering the United States,**" he cited a defective and inaccurate poll published by the anti-Muslim hate group Center for Security Policy, founded by notorious Islamophobe Frank Gaffney. Gaffney is a conspiracy theorist who, among other ludicrous claims, has **accused former President Barack Obama of being a secret Muslim**. The poll itself was conducted by the polling company of Kellyanne Conway who now serves as counselor to the president.

THIS PAGE:

The 45th speaking with supporters at a campaign rally at Fountain Park in Fountain Hills, Arizona on March, 2016. (Gage Skidmore/Flickr).



“I think Islam
Hates us”

● - Donald Trump



Donald J. Trump ✓
@realDonaldTrump

NYC's top cop acted wisely and legally to monitor activities of some in the Muslim community. Vigilance keeps us safe. I support Commissioner Kelly and @MayorBloomberg in their efforts to protect us.

3:26 PM – 13 Mar 2012



Donald J. Trump ✓
@realDonaldTrump

“@mimi_saulino: @seanhannity @FoxNews Syrian Muslims escorted into U.S through Mexico. Now arriving to Oklahoma and Kansas! Congress?”

12:30 AM – 13 Oct 2015



Donald J. Trump ✓
@realDonaldTrump

I didn't suggest a database-a reporter did. We must defeat Islamic terrorism & have surveillance, including a watch list, to protect America

2:51 PM – 20 Nov 2015



Donald J. Trump ✓
@realDonaldTrump

13 Syrian refugees were caught trying to get into the U.S. through the Southern Borber. How many made it? WE NEED THE WALL!

11:53 AM – 22 Nov 2015



Donald J. Trump ✓
@realDonaldTrump

The United Kingdom is trying hard to disguise their massive Muslim problem. Everybody is wise to what is happening, very sad! Be honest.

8:49 AM – 10 Dec 2015



Donald J. Trump ✓
@realDonaldTrump

Incompetent Hillary, despite the horrible attack in Brussels today, wants borders to be weak and open-and let the Muslims flow in. No way!

9:59 PM – 22 Mar 2016



Donald J. Trump ✓
@realDonaldTrump

That's right, we need a TRAVEL BAN for certain DANGEROUS contries, not some politically correct term that won't help us protect our people!

10:20 PM – 5 Jun 2017



Donald J. Trump ✓
@realDonaldTrump

Because the ban was lifted by a judge, many very and dangerous people may be pouring into our country. A terrible decision

5:44 PM – 4 Feb 2017

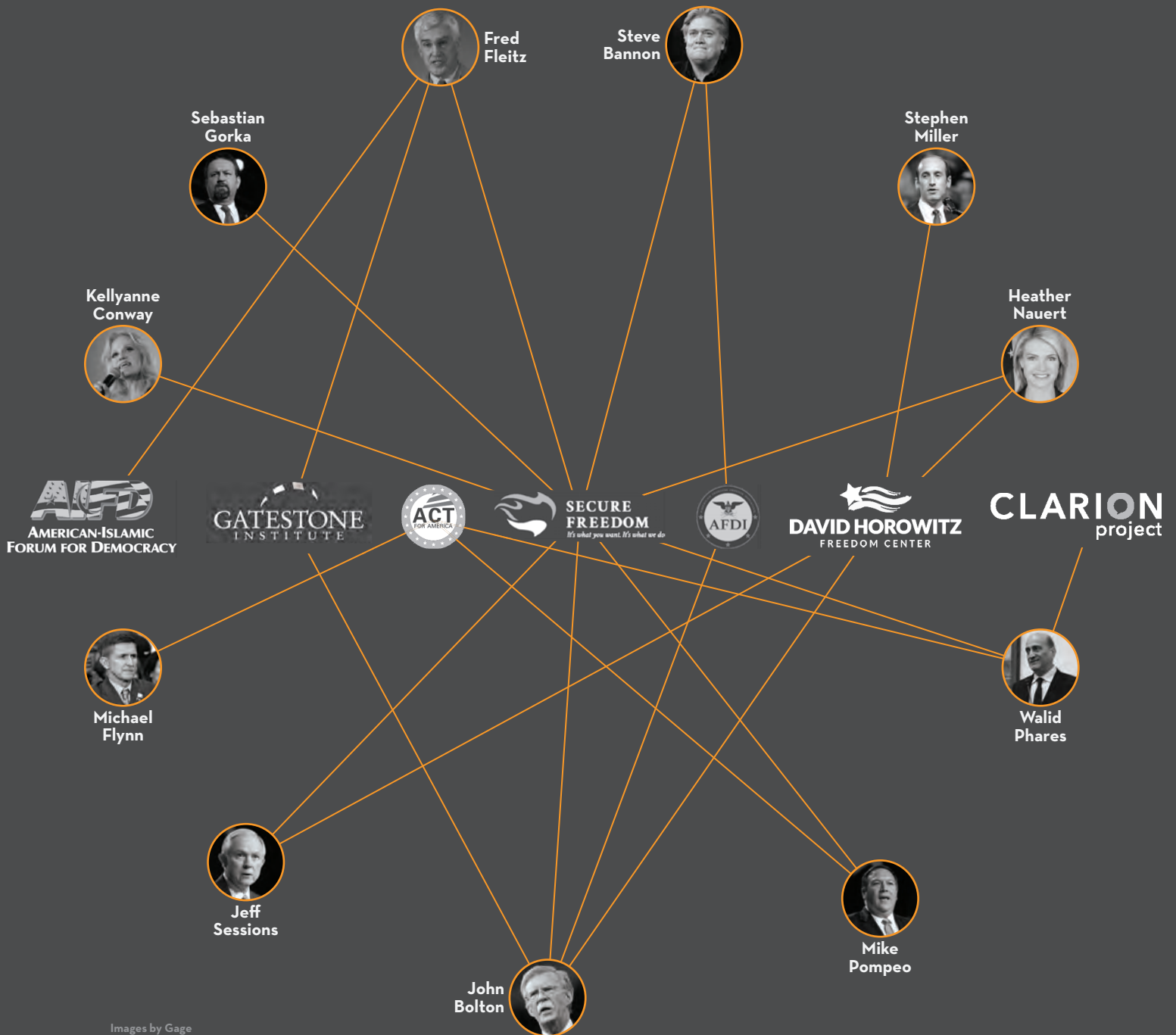


Donald J. Trump ✓
@realDonaldTrump

The Justice Dept. should have stayed with the original Travel Ban, not the watered down, politically correct version they submitted to S.C.

7:29 PM – 5 Jun 2017

The Anti-Muslim Hydra Administration



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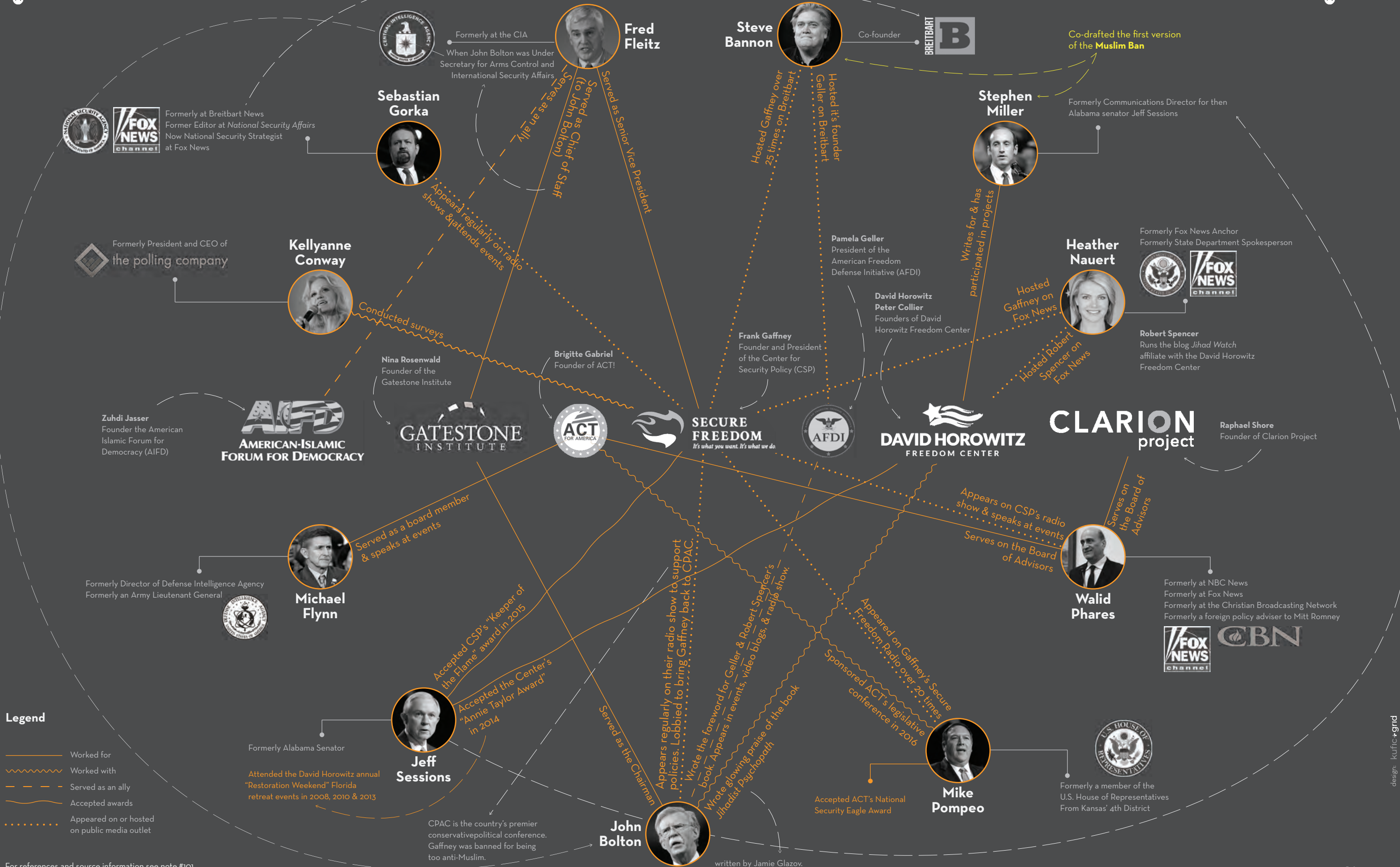
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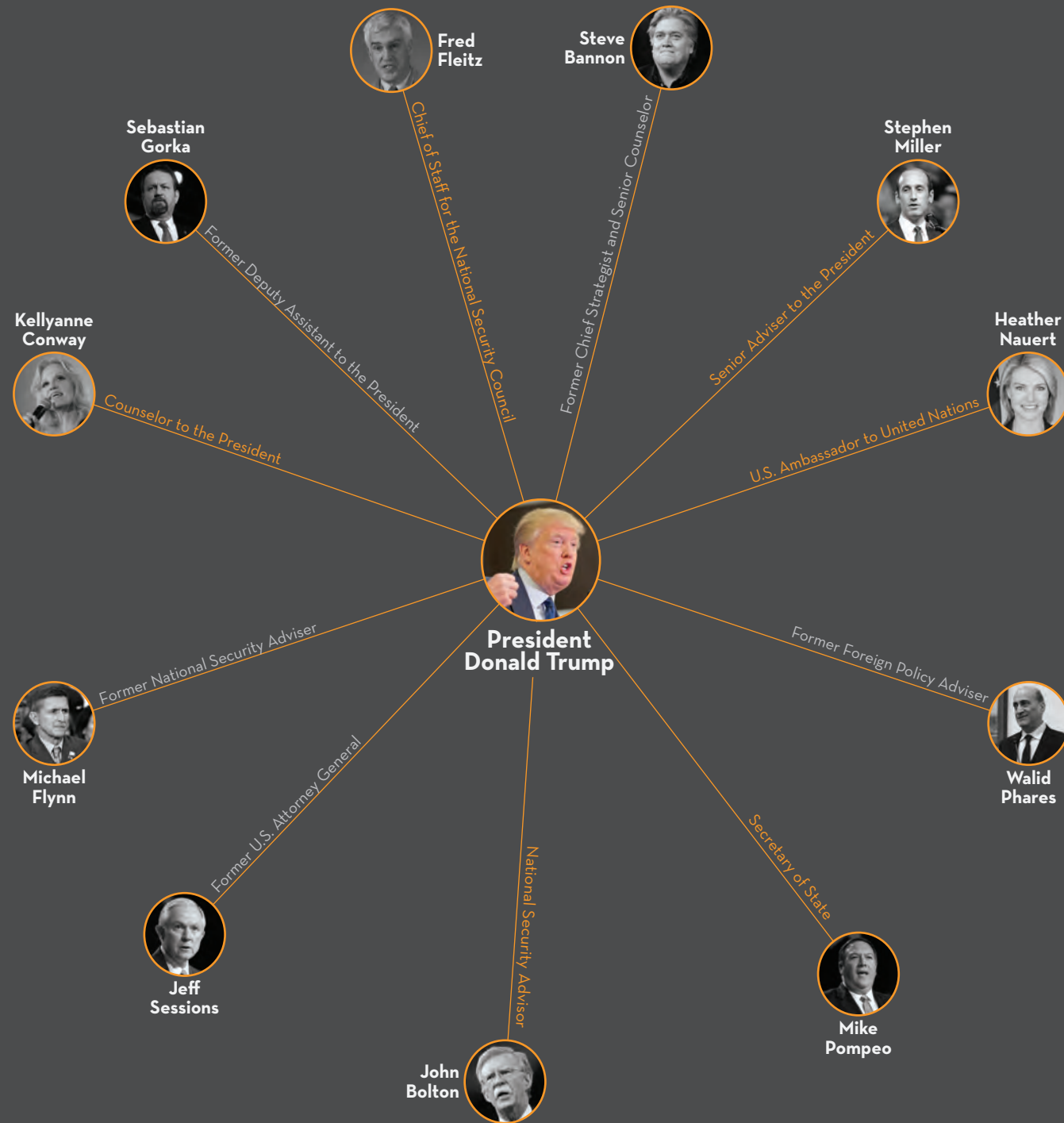
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- Legend**
- Currently holds position in administration
 - Formerly held position in administration

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It is distressing that when the Supreme Court ruled on the Muslim Ban on June 26, 2018, **five of the nine justices ruled that the glaring anti-Muslim prejudice underlying and threading through the Ban did not matter.** This is despite the fact that less than a month earlier, the Court ruled in favor of a Christian baker who refused to make a cake for a gay couple’s wedding, arguing that the state commission’s ruling against the baker was rooted in apparent anti-religious hostility.⁹⁶

Trump’s anti-Muslim policies are not limited to the Muslim Ban. The administration has sought to rename the Countering Violent Extremism program to Countering Islamic Extremism, while simultaneously neglecting to address the rise in white nationalist terrorism, as acknowledged by the FBI and the Department of Homeland Security. This underscores several points.

1. While previously couched in neutral terms, the program has in practice focused almost exclusively on American Muslim communities.⁹⁷

2. The program is merely removing this faux neutrality to explicitly focus on and target American Muslims. This is despite empirical data that proves violence from anti-government extremists is the greatest threat to the country.⁹⁸

The National Security Strategy released in December 2017 further evidences the reach and codification of the Islamophobia Network’s policies and language within the administration.⁹⁹ For example, it states, “**Jihadist terrorists such as ISIS and al-Qa’ida continue to spread a barbaric ideology that calls for the violent destruction of governments and innocents they consider to be apostates. These jihadist terrorists attempt to force those under their influence to submit to Sharia law.**” The Strategy adopts the usage of “Sharia” in the manner that it is used by anti-Muslim hate groups - as antithetical to democracy and indicative of oppression and violence.¹⁰⁰ However, Sharia is best understood as an ethical framework.

Not only is he advancing anti-Muslim rhetoric and policies pushed by the Islamophobia Network, Trump has also appointed anti-Muslim bigots with direct ties to the Islamophobia Network into positions of power and influence in the government. Additionally, he has personally dined with Brigitte Gabriel, founder and president of hate group ACT for America.¹⁰² Gabriel also claims that “we have a standing meeting at the White House once a week.”¹⁰³

ANTI-MUSLIM ACTIONS & STATEMENTS BY THE HYDRA ADMINISTRATION:



KELLYANNE CONWAY



Conway has worked closely with CSP. The polling firm of which she was formerly president and CEO, The Polling Company, conducted surveys for them on numerous occasions.¹⁰⁴ Conway conducted a junk poll, commissioned by CSP, **to falsely impugn American Muslims in 2015. Trump cited this flawed poll as justification** when he first announced his plan **to implement a Muslim Ban.**



Center for Security
Policy (CSP)



FRED FLEITZ



Co-authored a CSP **report that argued that** the government should **“use shariah-adherent advocacy and practices as legal premises for deportation and stripping of American citizenship.”**



Stated that “the majority of **Muslims and Islamic authorities...** promote or at least **support jihad and shariah supremacism.**”¹⁰⁵



Promoted the anti-Muslim myth of European **“no-go zones”** — places the CSP falsely maligns as being governed by Islamic law.¹⁰⁶



Claimed that major American Muslim organizations and mosques are secretly working to advance a jihadist agenda, and that they should be “neutralized as political forces.”¹⁰⁷



Said there was a “problem” with **“Muslim communities.”** He continued, they are “susceptible to this radical worldview that **wants to destroy modern society**, create a global caliphate **and impose sharia law on everyone on Earth.**”¹⁰⁸



STEPHEN MILLER



Co-drafted the first version of the *Muslim Ban* with Steve Bannon.



Wrote, “*Wherever Muslims are found*, which is in almost every country on the planet, *there are adherents of the ideology of jihad.*”¹⁰⁹



Launched and led the “*Terrorism Awareness Project*” at Duke University, a project of the David Horowitz Freedom Center. The Project claimed it sought to end “*the efforts of the radical left and its Islamist allies to destroy American values and disarm this country as it attempts to defend itself in a time of terror.*”¹¹⁰ The project ran ads in several campus newspapers across the country, titled “What Americans Need to Know About Jihad.” The ads stated, “Jihad is a war against Christians.”



Wrote a column titled, “*A Time to Kill,*” in which he wrote,

“We have all heard about how peaceful and benign the Islamic religion is, but no matter how many times you say that, it cannot change the fact that millions of radical Muslims would celebrate your death for the simple reason that you are Christian, Jewish or American.”¹¹¹



Stated, “[Islamic terrorists] have declared a death sentence on every man, woman and child living in this country [U.S.]”¹¹²



MIKE POMPEO



Issued a statement implying the *Islamic Society of Wichita supported terrorism* in 2016.



Appeared on Secure Freedom Radio, where he spoke of a “radical Islamic terrorist regime” and the spread of “Islamic materials” which were motivating individuals to engage in terrorist activities.¹¹³ *He spoke about a “terrorist infrastructure” linking American mosques and other Islamic organizations.*¹¹⁴



Center for Security Policy (csp)



Told a church crowd in 2014 that the “*threat to America*” was caused by “*people who deeply believe that Islam is the way.*”¹¹⁵ He depicted the “War on Terror” as an “Islamic battle against Christianity.”¹¹⁶



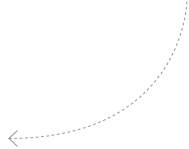
Took to the House floor, after the Boston Bombing, to *accuse American Muslims of being complicit in violence*. He falsely claimed that Muslim leaders had not condemned the attacks.¹¹⁷ He criticized the alleged “*silence in the face of extremism coming from the best-funded Islamic advocacy organizations and many mosques across America.*” This purported silence, according to Pompeo, “casts doubt upon the commitment to peace among adherents of the Muslim faith” and “has made these Islamic leaders across America potentially complicit in these acts.”¹¹⁸



JOHN BOLTON



Served as chairman of the Gatestone Institute, a New York-based advocacy group that warns of a looming “jihadist takeover” of Europe leading to a “Great White Death.”^{119, 120}





HEATHER NAUERT



Mocked Muslims in a 2016 tweet that linked to a New York Times story about Muslims’ concerns over then-presidential candidate Trump. **“They should meet ISIS,”** she wrote.¹²¹



Claimed, in 2013, that “sharia law is now changing everything” after a Minnesota YMCA announced it would host a private swim class for Muslim girls to accommodate their religious clothing requirement.¹²² The chyron on the segment used an image of two young Somali-American girls with headscarves, with the headline “SHARIA LAW.”



WALID PHARES

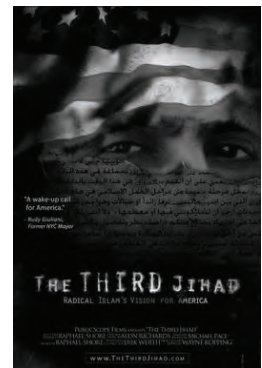


Claims that **“jihadists within the West pose as civil rights advocates.”**¹²³



Served as a **pseudo-expert** in **“The Third Jihad,”** a film produced by the Clarion Project in 2008.¹²⁴

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project



JEFF SESSIONS



Said **“once again we face a totalitarian threat to the free world. This time it’s from ideological and apocalyptic Islam.”**¹²⁵



“Theologically-based sharia law ... fundamentally conflicts with our magnificent constitutional order that separates church and state, and that considers free debate and dissent the way to a better world.”¹²⁶



SEBASTIAN GORKA

” Claims that terror is rooted in Islam and the “martial” parts of the Quran. **“Anybody who downplays the role of religious ideology...they are deleting reality to fit their own world.”** ¹²⁷

☰ Wrote, in his book, *Defeating Jihad: The Winnable War*, argues the need to recognize that the U.S.’ enemy “is not “terror” or “violent extremism,” but **“is the global jihadi movement, a modern totalitarian ideology rooted in the doctrines and martial history of Islam.”** ¹²⁸

” Believes religious and racial profiling “is a synonym for common sense.” ¹²⁹

📢 Speaking to a crowd in Florida after Trump’s election, **Gorka displayed a photograph of a dead brown-skinned man on the ground next to an assault rifle.** When the audience began to cheer, he yelled:

“We can win now, we can win!” ¹³⁰

🎙 In an interview on Fox News, Gorka said America was a “Judeo-Christian nation” and **accepting Muslim refugees would be “national suicide.”** ¹³¹





Executive chairman

STEVE BANNON



Co-drafted the first version of the *Muslim Ban* with Stephen Miller.¹³²



Said, “*Islam is not a religion of peace – Islam is a religion of submission.*”¹³³



Referred to Islam as “*the most radical*” religion.¹³⁴



Stated that “Islam is something much darker than Hitler & the Nazis.”¹³⁵



Described Islam as “a political ideology” and sharia “like Nazism, fascism, and communism.”¹³⁶



Stated, “*We are in an outright war against jihadist Islamic fascism.*” Citing a nonexistent perennial battle between Christianity and Islam, he added “I believe you should take a very, very, very aggressive stance against radical Islam.”¹³⁷



Accused mainstream media of “*basically going along the lines of being Sharia-compliant on blasphemy laws,*” and falsely said “*Sharia courts [are] taking over Texas.*”¹³⁸



Drafted an outline of a *documentary-style three-part movie* tracing “*the culture of intolerance*” and the threat posed by “radical Muslims” and their “enablers among us” in America. He titled it “Destroying the Great Satan: The Rise of Islamic Fascism in America.”¹³⁹



Posted headlines in Breitbart include “*Political Correctness Protests Muslim Rape Culture,*” “Birth Control Makes Women Unattractive and Crazy,” and “Data: Young Muslims in the West Are a Ticking Time Bomb, Increasingly Sympathizing with Radicals, Terror.”¹⁴⁰





MICHAEL FLYNN

” *“I don’t see Islam as a religion. I see it as a political ideology that... will mask itself as a religion globally, and especially in the West, especially in the United States, because it can hide behind and protect itself by what we call freedom of religion.”* ¹⁴¹

” Said, at an ACT event in Dallas, *“Islam is a political ideology. It definitely hides behind this notion of it being a religion. And I have a very, very tough time because I don’t see a lot of people screaming ‘Jesus Christ’ with hatchets or machetes or rifles shooting up clubs or hatcheting, literally axing families on a train, or like they just killed a couple of police officers with a machete. It’s unbelievable. So we have a problem.”* ¹⁴²



” Said that Islam is *“like cancer. You know, I’ve gone through cancer in my own life. So it’s like cancer. And it’s a like a malignant cancer, though, in this case. It has metastasized.”* ¹⁴³

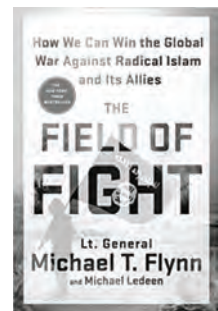
” Said, in a speech to the Ahavath Torah Congregation in Stoughton, MA, “We are facing another ‘ism,’ just like we faced Nazism, and fascism, and imperialism and communism. *This is Islamism, it is a vicious cancer inside the body of 1.7 billion people on this planet and it has to be excised.*” ¹⁴⁴

” Said, “Radical Islam is metastasizing throughout the world. What keeps me up at night is the sobering realization that evil exists. *The radicalization of Islam and its barbaric cause that uses modernity to influence potentially millions around the world to join their cause should keep us all up at night.*” ¹⁴⁵

” Said in an Al-Jazeera interview in 2016, he’s *“been at war with Islam, or a component of Islam, for the last decade.”* ¹⁴⁶

✍ Wrote, in a New York Post op-ed, *“the Islamic world is an epic failure.”*

✍ Wrote, in his book The Field of Fight, *“Sharia is a violent law that is buried in barbaric convictions.”* ¹⁴⁷



🐦 *“Fear of Muslims is rational.”* ¹⁴⁸

Legalizing Anti-Muslim Bigotry

“If it walks like a duck, swims like a duck, and quacks like a duck, it’s a duck.’ ... The intent of these [anti-foreign law] bills is to target a particular religion and group of people for disfavored treatment.”

- Montana Governor Steve Bullock

This section provides an overview of the Islamophobia Network's legislation movement, which has been mostly centered around promoting anti-Shariah laws in state houses of legislation. It also includes a more recent attempt to promote a statue known as Andy's Law, which, like the anti-Shariah movement, is intended to publicly and politically malign American Muslim institutions.

The History of Anti-Muslim Bills Around the Country

Between 2010 and 2018:

218 anti-Muslim bills and laws were filed across the U.S.

83 bills have connections to seven anti-Muslim Organizations.



AMERICAN PUBLIC POLICY ALLIANCE

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Florida Family
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Stop Islamization
of America



These groups are funded by organizations like

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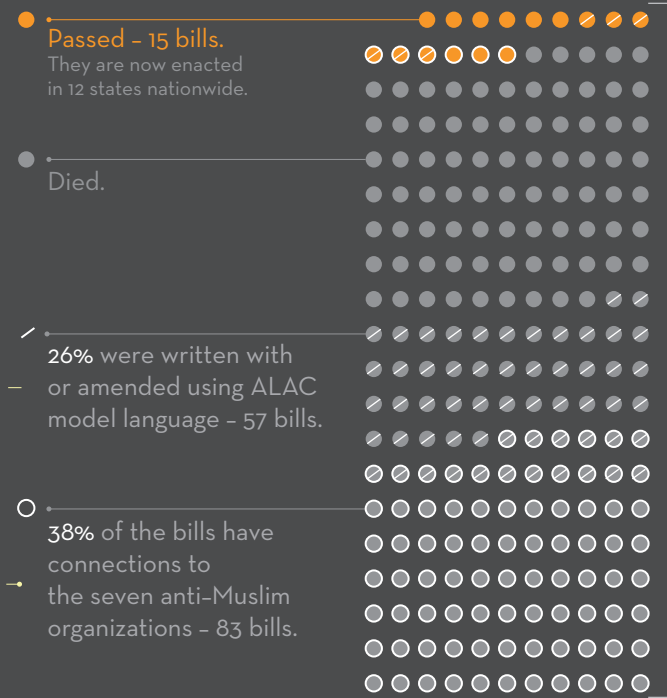


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72 out of the 83 bills were connected only to American Public Policy Alliance (APPA), while an addition of 16 bills had support from APPA along with other organizations.

APPA is an advocacy organization. But, **There is no public information available online about APPA's funding.**



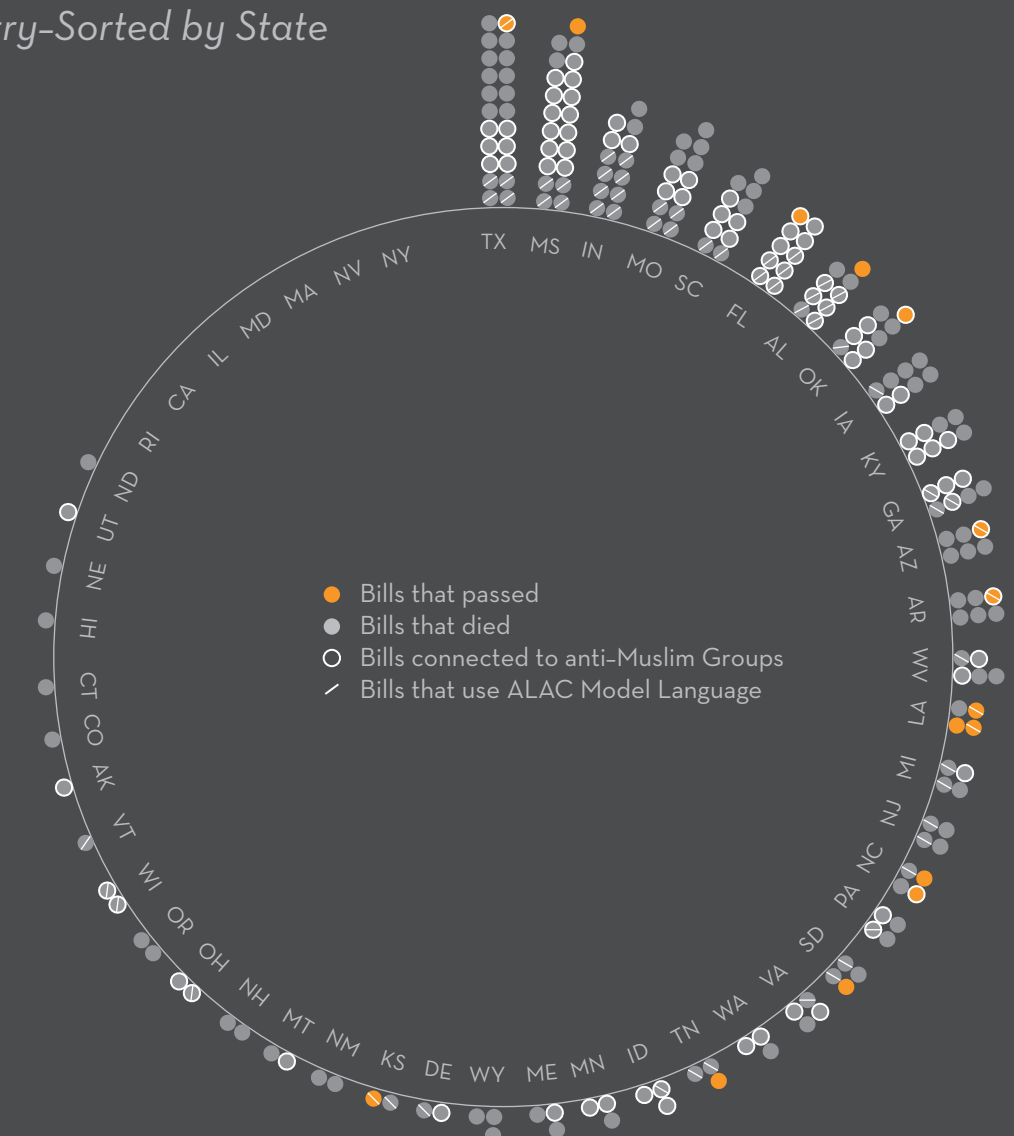
Total of 218 anti-Muslim bills

American Laws for American Courts (ALAC) is a model legislation developed by David Yerushalmi for APPA to advance legislation that demonizes Muslims.

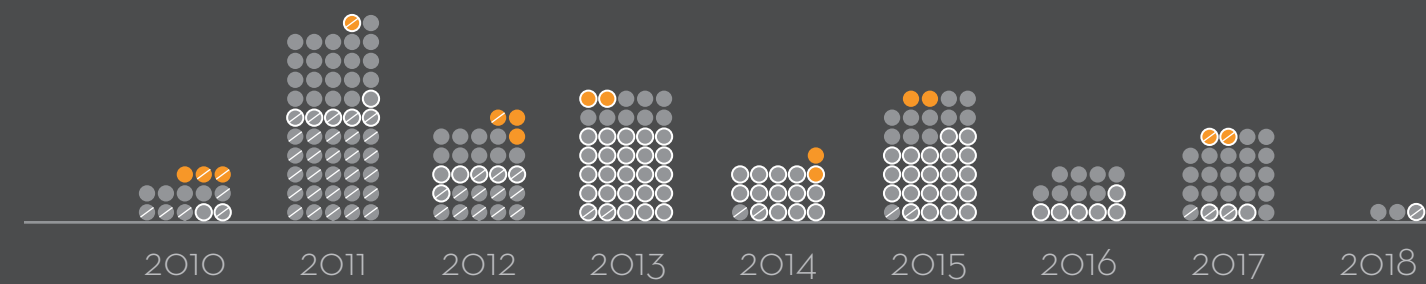
David Yerushalmi is an American Lawyer and one of the leading forces behind the anti-Sharia movement in the U.S. He is the co-founder and senior counsel of the American Freedom Law Center. He is also general counsel to the Center for Security Policy.



Anti-Muslim Bills Around the Country-Sorted by State



Anti-Muslim Bills Around the Country-Sorted by year



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ANTI-MUSLIM “FOREIGN LAW” LEGISLATION

In an interview with the New York Times, **David Yerushalmi**, anti-Muslim bigot and **architect of the model anti-Muslim legislation, American Laws for American Courts**, openly admitted the perverse intent behind the anti-Muslim legislation movement. **“If this thing passed in every state without any friction, it would have not served its purpose,”** he said. **“The purpose was heuristic – to get people asking this question, ‘What is Shariah?’”**¹⁴⁹

In other words, the purpose of “foreign law” legislation is to function as a tool to foster fear of the unknown and vilify and create animosity toward an entire religious community. In addition to this, **anti-Muslim legislation steals American Muslims’ constitutional rights and stigmatizes community members who chose to use private faith-based arbitrators for family disputes.** This practice is comparable to that of American Jews and Catholics who opt to settle certain legal disputes with arbitrators who rely on Jewish law, also referred to as Halakha, or Catholic Canon.

Three hate groups lead the anti-Muslim legislation movement.

1. One, is the **American Public Policy Alliance (APPA)**, an advocacy organization that first sponsored Yerushalmi’s discriminatory “American Laws for American Courts” model legislation. APPA’s fundamental mission is to advance legislation that demonizes Muslims.¹⁵⁰

2. **ACT for America**
3. **Center for Security Policy (CSP)**

In the last two years alone, ACT chapter leader Caroline Solomon from Montana testified during the 2017 Senate hearing in support of anti-Muslim “foreign law” Senate Bill 97. In Iowa, Rep. Eric Redman worked with CSP’s Chris W. Holton to introduce a series of anti-Muslim “foreign law” bills every year from 2016 to 2018.¹⁵¹

Both anti-Muslim “foreign law” bills adopted into law in 2017 — one in Alabama and one in Texas — were also actively assisted in the process by individuals from CSP and ACT. CSP’s Col. Paul Deckert (Ret.) helped Alabama state Rep. Brandt Smith (R-District 5) present and introduce HB 1041, which included in its title “To Declare American Laws For American Courts.”¹⁵²

Texas state Rep. Dan Flynn’s (R-District 2) introduced anti-Muslim legislation in 2016 a second time, his first attempt having failed the year before. The language of the two acts matched 100 percent.¹⁵³ After it became law, Flynn lauded ACT for their support, stating in a 2018 interview, **“[the bill] was my number one priority because it had been offered before and gone down in flames...then the national association of ACT came back and they got 750,000 members and they selected our bill as their number one bill for promoting...and they were kind to me.”**

REPUBLICAN ENDORSEMENT OF ANTI-SHARIA FEARMONGERING

In November 2017, **the Republican National Committee posted an online survey**, “Listening to America,” that **contained the following problematic questions:**

1. Are you concerned by the potential spread of Sharia Law?
2. Do you want to see more done to stop radical Islamic terrorists from coming to our shores?

The exact survey questions also appeared in a Donald J. Trump campaign email.¹⁵⁴

In the same way that it is unacceptable, wrong, and indecent for the RNC to ask Americans if they are concerned about the potential spread of Catholic canon law or Jewish Halacha, it is unacceptable to malign the religious practices of any American, including American Muslims.

In 2012, the Republican National Convention adopted an amendment to their party platform, introduced by Kansas Secretary of State Kris Kobach (R), that supports anti-Muslim “foreign law” legislation. A similar provision remains in the 2016 party platform.¹⁵⁵

THE ANTI-MUSLIM NETWORK'S SUPPORT OF OTHER LEGISLATION

Independent organizations have identified other bills as part of the anti-Muslim legislation movement. These have also been promoted by groups in the Islamophobia Network. One such legislation is **Andy's Law**, which **creates a civil cause for action in incidents of terrorism and allows private individuals to sue those who may be directly or indirectly involved in the act**, whether they intended to or not.¹⁵⁶ The mechanism that allows for this type of civil liability come by way of the material support statute, which is already a problematic threshold given its increasing definitional and prosecutorial ambiguity in the criminal code itself.¹⁵⁷ In effect, **this can drag American Muslim individuals, institutions, and businesses into potential lawsuits, and exert a chilling effect on American Muslim civic, political, and commercial life.**

Andy's Law, deemed by experts as redundant and unnecessary, has already become law in seven states. The law's redundancy is in fact rooted in its anti-Muslim agenda: already under the federal Antiterrorism Act of 1992, individuals can bring civil suits "against third-parties for injuries purportedly resulting from violence committed by terrorist groups."¹⁵⁸

These laws serve no purpose except to reinforce the notion that Islam and Muslims in general are connected to acts of international terror.

Like "foreign law" legislation, the original template of Andy's Law itself has been drafted by the anti-Muslim hate group American Public Policy Alliance.¹⁵⁹ The legislation is also promoted by ACT, which actively displays Andy's Law on its state legislative webpage as a bill it is advocating. Additionally, CSP Threat Information Office Director Kyle Shideler authored an article promoting Andy's Law in December 2014.¹⁶⁰

The End of Islamophobia?

Islamophobia is deeply rooted in a long legacy of structural racism in the United States and Europe and, as this report has shown, is firmly entrenched in American cultural and political institutions. Therefore, it shouldn't be expected that anti-Muslim bigotry will end anytime soon. However, it is also the case that the **increasing boldness and hubris of the Islamophobic actors in mainstream spaces has led to greater visibility and condemnation of their actions**. Xenophobic political thinkers attempted to implement a Muslim registration system and enforce a complete immigration ban on Muslims; the public responded in protests and the courts ruled in the favor of justice. **Candidates that ran on Islamophobic campaigns did poorer than their counterparts who didn't**. A record number of Muslims ran for and were elected to public office between 2016 and 2018 and **two Muslim women entered the halls of Congress** in 2019. Despite signals that point to a more positive long-term future for social and cultural attitudes about Islam and Muslims in the public sphere, **a tremendous amount of work needs to be done in order to curb the damage done by the Islamophobia network**.

NEXT SPREAD:

No Muslim Ban protest in Washington D.C. on February 4, 2017. (Ted Eytan/Flickr).

patronage of the Islamophobia Network. While various studies have pointed to aspects of Islamophobia funding, this report makes the connection between mainstream American philanthropy and the once-fringe Islamophobia Network. It does so in a way to make it easy to identify connections and empower decision makers to make informed choices about who they partner with in programming and from which financial pools they draw upon for support. While it shouldn't be expected that the multi-million-dollar Islamophobia industry will disappear overnight, readers can anticipate that major foundations, the wider public, and the philanthropic community will not sit quietly while anti-Muslim institutions abuse American values and traditions to promote their agendas. It is our hope that with sustained action, institutional collaboration, and dedicated will, a community of progressive and mainstream allies will emerge to push the Islamophobia Network back to the fringe of our society, where odious and incendiary speech belong.

This report has provided a clear picture for stakeholders interested in helping inform their colleagues and the wider public about the complex web that makes up funding, support, and



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APPENDIX A:

THE 1,096 FUNDERS OF 39 ISLAMOPHOBIA NETWORK GROUPS BETWEEN 2014-2016

Funder	Amount Granted
1185 Park Foundation Inc.	\$114,500
A. M. Josephs Family Foundation	\$1,000
Abettor Foundation	\$12,500
Abner Levy Foundation	\$104
Abraham Kamber Foundation	\$36,500
Abraham Kaplan Charitable Foundation	\$200
Abrahamson Family Foundation	\$401
Abstraction Fund	\$3,138,100
Achelis and Bodman Foundation	\$90,000
Ackerman Family Foundation for Classical Reform Judaism	\$10,000
Acorn Foundation	\$10,000
Adelaar Foundation	\$1,380
Adelson Family Foundation	\$5,850,000
Agape Foundation	\$60,000
Alan and Elisabeth H. Doft Foundation Inc.	\$6,360
Alan and Jill Miller Foundation	\$6,500
Alan Stone Family Charitable Foundation	\$250
Albert and Ethel Herzstein Charitable Foundation	\$12,500
Alexander Family Foundation Inc.	\$16,000
Allan S. Gordon Foundation	\$37,500
Allegheny Foundation	\$400,000
Allen A. Stein Family Foundation Inc.	\$2,250
Alon and Shari Friendship Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
AmazonSmile Foundation	\$11,486
American Express Foundation	\$1,320
American Foundation Corporation	\$1,500
America's Charities	\$5,456
Anabelle Foundation	\$400
Anna-Maria and Stephen Kellen Foundation Inc.	\$100,000
Anne and Gerald Freedman Charitable Foundation Inc.	\$9,250
Anne and Jacob Starr Foundation	\$1,500
Anne and Natalio Fridman Foundation	\$500
Annette Heyman Foundation Inc.	\$20,000
Annette M. and Theodore N. Lerner Family Foundation Inc.	\$2,370
Anschel Ellian Family Charitable Foundation	\$500
Aon Foundation	\$36
Apgar Foundation Inc.	\$150,000

Funder	Amount Granted
Archie D. and Bertha H. Walker Foundation	\$400
Argyle Foundation	\$35,500
Arie and Ida Crown Memorial	\$375,000
Arlan J. Van Wyk Family Foundation	\$1,000
Arlene and Daniel Fisher Foundation	\$1,000
Armstrong Family Foundation	\$1,000
Arnold Garrison Foundation	\$15,000
Arthur and Joan Weisberg Family Foundation Inc.	\$1,850
Arthur and Linda Gelb Charitable Foundation	\$18,000
Arthur G. and Dawn L. Jaros Sr. Charitable Trust	\$2,100
Arthur L and Lily D Walters Foundation	\$3,845
Arthur N. Hershaft Foundation	\$20,000
Arthur S. and Marilyn Penn Charitable Trust	\$4,500
Arzak Foundation	\$3,004
AT&T Foundation	\$240
Aufzien Foundation Inc.	\$15,000
August 11 2003 Trust	\$50,000
Avy L. and Robert L. Miller Foundation	\$1,800
Azeez Foundation	\$10,000
B. Stephen Schloss Foundation	\$500
Bailey Family Foundation Inc.	\$20,880
Bank of America Charitable Foundation Inc.	\$11,635
Barbara and Alvin Doppelt Family	\$50
Barbara and Edward Schlusser Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
Bar-Levav Family Foundation	\$4,600
Barnabas Foundation Inc.	\$100
Barnes Family Foundation	\$1,000
Barry and Judy Silverman Foundation Inc.	\$2,000
Bay Branch Foundation	\$7,750
Belz Foundation	\$50
Ben and Esther Rosenbloom Foundation Inc.	\$107,600
Bengualid Foundation Inc.	\$3,400
Benjamin and Elizabeth Gordon Charitable Foundation Inc.	\$2,000
Benjamin and Lorelei Hammerman Foundation Ltd.	\$3,650
Beren Sea Foundation	\$50,000
Berglund Family Foundation	\$3,500
Berman Charitable Trust	\$8,100
Bernard L. Maas Foundation	\$3,000
Bernard M. and Caryl H Susman Foundation	\$400
Bernard S. and Ellen C. Appel Charitable Foundation	\$75
Bernardine Tosetti Hines Foundation Inc.	\$1,000

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Berrien Community Foundation Inc.	\$30,000
Beryl H. Doft Foundation Inc.	\$650
Bethel Hesed	\$250
Bethesda Foundation	\$10,000
Bialkin Family Foundation	\$8,900
Big Hill Foundation	\$200
Bill and Pam Gibson Family Foundation	\$4,000
Bill and Susan Oberndorf Foundation	\$25,000
Billy and Dorothy Tucker Foundation Inc.	\$5,500
Bimah Foundation	\$138,000
Blaine Family Foundation Inc.	\$200
Blueflash Foundation	\$1,000
Bochnowski Family Foundation	\$45,000
Bogatin Family Foundation	\$44,000
Bomher Family Foundation	\$1,000
Bonhomme Foundation Inc.	\$1,500
Booth Foundation	\$7,500
Boston Foundation Inc.	\$250
Bowman Foundation	\$2,100
Boyd and Joan Kelley Charitable Foundation	\$2,000
Bradd J. Gold Family Foundation	\$2,500
Bradford Family Foundation	\$1,000
Bradley Family Foundation	\$1,850
Bragg Health Foundation	\$480
Branches of Life Corp.	\$875
Braverman Family Charitable Foundation	\$400
Breslauer-Soref Foundation	\$15,000
Brian and Joelle Kelly Family Foundation	\$10,534
Brodsky Foundation	\$500
Brook Fund Inc.	\$750
Bryant Family Foundation Inc.	\$5,000
Buhl Foundation Inc.	\$10,000
Burton Foundation Inc.	\$15,000
C. George Van Kampen Foundation	\$2,000
Cadre Foundation Inc.	\$496
Cahn Family Foundation	\$6,000
Cail Family Foundation	\$700
California Community Foundation	\$180,000
Capital Group Companies Charitable Foundation	\$8,000
Caplan Family Charitable Trust	\$14,000
Cardinal Foundation	\$240

Funder	Amount Granted
Carol Shwartz Greenwald Family Foundation	\$3,000
Carrol A. Weinberg M.D. and Charlotte Cohen Weinberg Charitable Foundation Inc.	\$6,500
Carson-Myre Charitable Foundation	\$65,000
CAS Foundation Inc.	\$5,800
Casillas Foundation	\$25,000
Catherine L. and Edward A. Lozick Foundation	\$250
Catherine V. and Martin Hofmann Foundation	\$50
Central Pennsylvania Community Foundation	\$5,200
Century 21 Associates Foundation Inc.	\$4,500
Chaffiot Family Foundation	\$75
Charboneau Family Foundation	\$265,000
Charles and Lynn Kramer Family Foundation Inc.	\$1,500
Charles and Lynn Schusterman Family Foundation	\$112,000
Charles and Mary Heider Family Foundation	\$1,000
Charles Koch Foundation	\$28,252
Charles M. Bauervic Foundation Inc.	\$8,500
Charles Schwab Foundation	\$65
Chatlos Foundation Inc.	\$10,000
Cherna Moskowitz Foundation	\$75,000
Chiaroscuro Foundation	\$220,000
Chicago Community Trust	\$48,400
Chisholm Foundation	\$27,500
Christian Broadcasting Network Trust	\$68,263
Christopher W. Robinson Family Charitable Trust	\$7,200
Chupp Family Foundation	\$10,000
Ciel Foundation	\$1,125
Clarence, Jr. and Alma B. Wolf Foundation Inc.	\$10,000
Clarissa and Edgar Bronfman Jr. Foundation	\$25,000
Claws Foundation	\$100,000
Clinton Family Fund	\$11,000
Coastal Community Foundation of South Carolina	\$3,000
Colorado Hope Foundation	\$1,000
Columbus Foundation and Affiliated Organizations	\$1,600
Communities Foundation of Texas Inc.	\$100
Community Federation of Greater Memphis	\$3,000
Community Foundation for Northern Virginia	\$15,000
Community Foundation for Southeast Michigan	\$33,000
Community Foundation of Collier County	\$8,103
Community Foundation of Greater Birmingham	\$25,000
Community Foundation of Greater Memphis	\$5,000

Funder	Amount Granted
Community Foundation of the United Jewish Federation of San Diego	\$41,340
Community Foundation of West Chester/Liberty	\$5,000
Community Foundation of Western North Carolina Inc.	\$250
Connie and Bob Lurie Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
Considine Family Foundation	\$5,000
Covenant Foundation Inc.	\$10,000
Cora and Murray Simpson Family Fund Inc	\$600
Cortopassi Family Foundation	\$10,000
Covenant Foundation	\$5,000
Cubit Foundation	\$1,100
Dana Foundation	\$15,000
Daniel J. Goldman Foundation Inc.	\$4,100
Daniel P. and Grace I. Tully Charitable Trust	\$300
Danto Family Foundation	\$100
David and Cathy Husman Family Foundation	\$750
David and Elanore Rukin Philanthropic Foundation	\$500
David and Janet Polak Foundation	\$126,000
David D. DeMartini Foundation	\$4,000
David Dinnocenti Memorial Foundation	\$200
David F. Weeks Foundation	\$450
David Family Foundation Inc.	\$2,500
David H. Ainley Trust II	\$6,000
David I. Oreck Foundation	\$6,000
David Nathan Meyerson Private Foundation	\$1,260
Deborah J. and Peter A. Maghowan Family Foundation	\$16,000
Deering Foundation	\$4,000
Dengrove Family Foundation Inc.	\$100
Dennis Berman Family Foundation Inc.	\$20,000
Deramus Foundation Inc.	\$110,000
Diamond Foundation	\$15,500
Diana and Michael David Epstein Family Foundation Inc.	\$16,500
Diana Davis Spencer Foundation	\$1,155,000
Diane and Howard Wohl Family Foundation Inc.	\$21,000
Dick and Betsy DeVos Family Foundation	\$75,000
Dodge Jones Foundation	\$2,500
Donald and Sylvia Robinson Family Foundation	\$1,500
Donald H. and Barbara K. Bernstein Family Foundation	\$500
Donald J. Rosato Charitable Foundation	\$1,250
Donald M. Ephraim Family Foundation	\$1,000
Donnell Foundation	\$1,000
Dorothy D. Smith Charitable Foundation	\$14,000

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Dorothy K. Commanday Foundation	\$1,000
Dorothy Phillips Michaud Charitable Trust	\$10,000
Dorset Charitable Trust	\$3,500
Doug and Jayne Orr Family Foundation	\$3,000
Douglas and Margo Yellin Woll Family Foundation	\$5,000
Drescher Foundation	\$250
Dunn's Foundation for the Advancement of Right Thinking	\$200,000
Dutson Family Foundation Inc.	\$100
E. M. Lynn Foundation	\$500
E. Magnus Oppenheim Foundation	\$60
Earlane and Sam Croom Foundation	\$50,000
EBS Foundation	\$2,500
Ed Uihlein Family Foundation	\$10,500
Edgar and Elsa Prince Foundation	\$10,000
Edgerly Foundation	\$42,500
Edith and David Altman Foundation	\$15,000
Edith and Michael Gelfand Foundation Inc.	\$2,800
Edward and Mildred Cafritz Family Foundation	\$2,900
Edwin S. Soforenko Foundation	\$25,800
Ehlers Family Foundation Inc.	\$1,200
Einhorn Family Foundation	\$10,000
Einhorn Family Foundation Inc.	\$5,000
Elliot and Harriet Goldstein Private Foundation	\$2,000
Elliot and Marlys Badzin Family Foundation	\$8,500
Elliot D. Baker Charitable Foundation	\$3,750
Elliot I. and Ruth Snider Charitable Trust	\$800
Ellman Family Foundation	\$250
Elsie and Marvin Dekelboum Family Foundation	\$2,500
Emerson Family Foundation	\$156,700
Englander Foundation Inc.	\$10,000
Epstein Foundation Inc.	\$2,000
Eric Javits Family Foundation	\$13,000
Erlbaum Family Foundation	\$19,800
Eucharist Foundation	\$8,538
Eugene and Emily Grant Family Foundation	\$1,360,000
Eva and Marvin Schlinger Family Foundation	\$9,500
Evelyn and Louis Grossman Fund Inc.	\$460
Evergreen Foundation Inc.	\$1,500
Exelon Foundation	\$250
F. M. Kirby Foundation Inc.	\$30,000
Family Help Fund	\$500

Funder	Amount Granted
Farrel Family Foundation	\$6,000
Feiner Family Foundation	\$500
Ficalora Family Foundation	\$500
Fidelity Charitable Gift Fund	\$3,886,201
Field Foundation	\$20,000
Fine Foundation	\$200
Fisch Family Foundation	\$250
Fisher-Raviv Family Foundation	\$500
Flora and Morris Mizel Foundation	\$1,800
Florence and Gordon Holland Family Foundation	\$1,000
Florence and Richard Koplow Charitable Foundation	\$1,700
For His Glory Foundation Inc.	\$7,000
Ford Family Foundation	\$60,000
Fox Family Foundation	\$800
Francis and Laurence Weinstein Foundation Inc.	\$600
Frank B. and Virginia Fehsenfeld Charitable Foundation	\$2,000
Frankel Family Charitable Trust/Foundation	\$46,000
Fred and Sarah Lipsky Charitable Foundation	\$7,000
Fred and Suzan Ehrman Foundation	\$200
Frederick D. Bornman Trust for Conservative Causes	\$16,000
Fredman Family Charitable Trust	\$100
Freidkin Family Foundation	\$200
Frieds and George Zinberg Foundation	\$17,500
Frieman Foundation	\$260
Friesen Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
Fritz and Adelaide Kaufmann Foundation Inc.	\$25,000
Frizzell Foundation	\$200
Gad and Marlene Janay Foundation Inc.	\$5,000
Gaetano Filingieri Philosophical Society of America Inc.	\$10,000
Gale Foundation	\$200
Garvey Kansas Foundation	\$3,900
Garvy Family Foundation Inc.	\$22,000
Gary and Diane Heavin Community	\$200,000
Gary and Pennie Abramson Charitable Foundation	\$5,000
GE Foundation	\$27,363
Genesis Philanthropic Fund	\$500
George J. London Memorial Foundation	\$2,000
George L. Shields Foundation Inc.	\$5,000
Gerald L. and Jaqueline W. Nichols Foundation Inc.	\$25
Gerry-Corbett Foundation Inc.	\$3,755
Gerson Family Foundation Inc.	\$5,000

Funder	Amount Granted
Gertrude and Robert Bennett Family Foundation	\$75
Gertrude B. and Mortimer May Foundation	\$9,500
Gettler Family Foundation	\$750
GFC Foundation	\$20,000
Gidwitz Family Foundation	\$1,000
Gil and Dody Weaver Foundation	\$7,500
Gilder Foundation Inc.	\$2,500
Gilford-Atkins Families Foundation	\$125
Gilroy and Lillian P. Roberts Charitable Foundation	\$500
Glacs Endowment Fund	\$15,000
God's Gift	\$5,000
Goldberg/Nash Family Foundation	\$1,000
Goldhirsh-Yellin Foundation Inc.	\$100,000
Goldie Anna Charitable Trust	\$12,500
Goldie Rutenberg and Parents S. Riva and J. Rutenberg and Rutenberg Family Foundation Inc.	\$4,000
Goldstein Family Foundation	\$2,400
Good News Charitable Trust	\$800
Good Shepherd Foundation	\$1,000
Goodtree/Gordon Charitable Foundation	\$1,000
Gordon Family Foundation	\$25,000
Gorlitz Foundation Ltd.	\$1,250
Gotham Charitable Foundation Trust	\$100,000
Gottstein Family Foundation	\$10,000
Grace Pepper Smith Foundation	\$1,750
Greater Houston Community Foundation	\$50,750
Greater Milwaukee Foundation	\$6,322
Greater Saint Louis Community Foundation	\$2,000
Greater Washington Community Foundation	\$500
Green Cohan Foundation	\$3,650
Gretchen Beinecke Charitable Trust	\$10,000
Grossman Family Philanthropic Foundation	\$6,000
Grunberg Family Foundation	\$18,000
GT Foundation	\$31,000
Gulf Coast Community Foundation Inc.	\$13,600
H. S. Foundation	\$600
Haberman Foundation	\$540
Hall Family Foundation Irrevocable Trust	\$400
Halverson Foundation	\$280
Hamlin Family Foundation	\$4,500
Hanna Family Perpetual Foundation	\$250

Funder	Amount Granted
Harold and Elaine Turley Foundation	\$40
Harold E Simon Charitable Foundation	\$600
Harry J. Loyd Charitable Trust	\$100,000
Hart N. and Simona Hasten Family Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
Harvey and Barbara Kroiz Family Foundation	\$2,500
Harvey and Lucille Weisberg Family Foundation	\$2,700
Harvey and Phyllis Sandler Foundation Inc.	\$500
Hattie A. and Marie V. Fatz Foundation	\$5,000
Hayden Foundation	\$3,500
Heimbinder Family Foundation	\$52,000
Heitler Fund	\$680
Helen and Harry Saul Foundation Inc.	\$5,000
Helen and Sidney Witty Foundation Inc.	\$100
Helena Segy Foundation	\$2,200
Henderson Foundation	\$14,000
Henkes Foundation	\$250
Henley Foundation	\$75
Henry and Marilyn Taub Foundation	\$1,000
Herb Chambers Charitable Foundation	\$2,000
Herbert and Dorothy Kunstadt Foundation Inc.	\$1,208
Herbert Bearman Foundation	\$17,500
Herbert Gilman Family Charitable Foundation	\$802
Herbert H. and Barabara C. Dow Foundation	\$10,000
Herbert O. Wolfe Foundation	\$12,000
Herbold Foundation	\$4,000
Hermann Family Charitable Foundation	\$4,000
Hertog Foundation Inc.	\$106,000
Hickory Foundation	\$165,000
Hochberg Family Foundation	\$151,500
Hofshi Foundation	\$1,695
Holden Family Charitable Foundation	\$30,000
Homer Vinson Foundation	\$2,000
Horwitz Charitable Fund	\$5,000
House of Gross Foundation Inc.	\$322
Howard and Geraldine Polinger Family Foundation	\$202,000
Hubbard Broadcasting Foundation	\$1,000
Huizenga Foundation	\$500
Hyman Family Charitable Foundation	\$801
Hymowitz Family Foundation	\$500
I. and B. Neuman Foundation Inc.	\$14,675
I. L. Cohen Foundation Inc.	\$6,700
ICE Charitable Foundation	\$5,000

Funder	Amount Granted
Innisfree Foundation of Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania	\$5,000
Intel Foundation	\$20
Iroquois Avenue Foundation	\$40,000
Irving Rothlein Foundation	\$200
Irwin Chafetz Family Charitable Trust	\$40,000
It Takes a Family Foundation Inc.	\$400,000
J. M. Smith Foundation	\$600
J. W. Heller Foundation	\$400,500
Jack and Annette Moshman Charitable Foundation	\$300
Jack and Susan Pierson Charitable Trust	\$700
Jack Gantz Foundation Inc.	\$5,480
Jack H. Runnion Foundation	\$3,000
Jack Roth Charitable Foundation	\$200,000
Jacobs Family Foundation Inc.	\$6,250
Jade Family Foundation	\$50
James and Ada Horwich Family Foundation	\$930
James and Alvina Bartos Balog Foundation Inc.	\$14,050
James and Marie McCurdy Family Charitable Trust	\$4,000
James Deering Danielson Foundation	\$6,000
James E. and Edith Margaret Brandon Foundation	\$8,300
James F. Causley Jr. Family Foundation	\$1,500
James L. and Loren C. Rosenzweig Family Foundation	\$2,100
James L. Pollack Foundation	\$4,000
James M. and Williams Jr. Family Foundation Inc.	\$5,500
Janey Fund Charitable	\$100,000
Jason and Helen Seltzer Family Foundation	\$700
Jason and Martha Stone Family Foundation	\$1,574
Jay R. Monroe Memorial Foundation	\$2,800
Jeanne and Herbert Hansell Fund	\$100
Jeannette and H. Peter Kriendler Charitable Trust	\$6,000
Jeffrey Solomon Foundation	\$6,000
Jeremiah Foundation Inc.	\$8,000
Jerome and Toby Rapport Foundation	\$193,000
Jerome P. Subar Foundation	\$250
Jewish Communal Fund	\$3,215,239
Jewish Community Foundation of Los Angeles	\$108,230
Jewish Federation of Metropolitan Chicago	\$6,420
Jill and Jay Bernstein Family Foundation	\$50,000
JNF Foundation	\$100
John and Bonnie Strauss Foundation	\$20,000
John and Cree Marshall Foundation	\$4,000
John and Linda Anderson Charitable Foundation	\$1,000

Funder	Amount Granted
John E. and Sue M. Jackson Charitable Trust	\$23,000
John H. and Amy Bowles Lawrence Foundation	\$3,500
John H. and Kathleen H. Schneider Family Foundation Inc.	\$3,000
John N. and Kathleen S. MacDonough Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
John W. and Mary M. Koessler Foundation	\$6,600
John W. Uhlmann Foundation	\$35,000
John William Pope Foundation	\$25,000
Johnson Charitable Gift Fund	\$15,000
Johnson-Weaver Foundation	\$5,000
Jonathan and Faye Kellerman Foundation	\$15,000
Jonathan Foundation	\$2,250
Joseph and Anna Gartner Foundation	\$1,000
Joseph and Felicia Weber Family Foundation Inc.	\$162,000
Joseph and Rae Gann Charitable Foundation	\$71,060
Joseph Feldschuh Foundation Inc.	\$560
Joseph M. Seigman Family Foundation	\$750
Joseph Meyerhoff Fund Inc.	\$50,000
Joyce and Irv Ing Goldman Family Foundation Inc.	\$10,000
JP Morgan Chase Foundation	\$5,980
Judith and David Wachs Family Foundation	\$7,500
Judy and Michael Steinhardt Foundation	\$311,000
Justin and Genevieve Wyner Trust	\$200
Kandell Fund	\$500
Kaplan Family Foundation	\$4,000
Karnell Foundation	\$6,000
Kates Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
Katharine Andrews Foundation	\$10,500
Keats Family Foundation Inc.	\$3,500
Keidan Family Foundation Inc.	\$5,000
Ken W. Davis Foundation	\$80,250
Kenneth Zankel Foundation	\$10,000
Kestenbaum Foundation	\$75
KJN Foundation	\$650
Klarman Family Foundation	\$175,000
Klemme Family Foundation	\$540
Kohrman Family Foundation	\$200
Koret Foundation	\$60,000
Kosciusko County Community Foundation Inc.	\$25
Kotler Family Foundation Inc.	\$30,000
Kovner Foundation	\$450,000
Krasberg-Mason Foundation	\$25,500
Kroo-Grunfeld Family Foundation Inc.	\$250

Funder	Amount Granted
Kyra Gebhardt Charitable Foundation	\$5,500
L and J. Goldrich Foundation	\$3,525
L. E. Phillips Family Foundation Inc.	\$100,000
L.A.W. Foundation Inc.	\$30,000
Lana C. Krebs Foundation Inc.	\$200
Larson Foundation	\$2,500
Laskin Charitable Foundation	\$1,000
Lee and Juliet Folger Fund	\$2,000
Leen Foundation Inc.	\$20,000
Legacy Fund Inc.	\$1,000
Legacy of a Christian Vision	\$3,000
Leidesdorf Foundation	\$10,000
Leo H. Bendit Charitable Foundation	\$30,000
Leon and Zipporah Goldstein Foundation	\$25,000
Leon I. and Sharon Kaufman Foundation	\$100
Leonetter M. and Fred T. Lanners Foundation	\$35,000
Lerner Foundation	\$200
Leroy E. Kean Family Foundation	\$100
LeRoy, Lean Thom and T-L Foundation	\$21,000
Levitt Foundation	\$3,500
Lewis H. Johnson Family Foundation	\$11,000
LFF Foundation	\$100
Liebowitz Foundation	\$1,800
Lilyan Wilder Katz Charitable Trust	\$1,200
Linda and Peter Schesinger Foundation	\$50
Linda B. and Howard S Stern Family Foundation	\$10,000
Linda Pinsky Memorial Foundation Inc.	\$100
Lisben Charitable Foundation Inc.	\$5,500
Living Stones Foundation Charitable Trust	\$50,400
Lloyd A. Marks and Janice Siegal Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
Lloyd and Mabel Johnson Foundation	\$60,000
Lorber Charitable Fund	\$30,000
Lorell Family Foundation Inc.	\$1,250
Louis and Bessie Stein Foundation	\$750
Louis and Miriam Rosenbaum Foundation	\$65
Louis S. and Barbara L. Kahn Family Foundation	\$50
Louise H. Meyer Memorial Trust	\$34,839
Love and Belove Foundation	\$95,906
Lowell Milkin Family Foundation	\$7,500
Lucas Family Foundation Inc.	\$25,000
Luhrsen Family Foundation Inc.	\$100
Lynde and Harry Bradley Foundation Inc.	\$1,815,000

Funder	Amount Granted
M. A. Chisholm Charitable Trust	\$27,500
M. L. Sturm Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
M. N. Osborne Charitable Foundation Trust	\$2,400
MACC Foundation	\$100
Maclellan Foundation Inc.	\$668,500
Magen Ezra Foundation	\$50
Magic Pebble Foundation Inc.	\$5,000
Maier Family Foundation	\$1,000
Main Street Foundation	\$63
Maine Community Foundation Inc.	\$14,250
Mann Center for Education and Family Development	\$200,000
Mann Family Foundation	\$100
Marc E. Leland Foundation	\$1,000
Marcell and Maria Roth Fund Inc.	\$1,000
Marcus Foundation Inc.	\$200,000
Marcy and Leona Chanin Foundation Inc.	\$2,000
Margot and Howard Steinberg Charitable Foundation	\$1,000
Margules Foundation Inc.	\$250
Marian and Arthur Edelstein Foundation	\$75,000
Marsha and David Veit Charitable Foundation	\$750
Martha and Max Rubenstein Family Foundation	\$3,500
Martin and Barbara Zweig Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
Martin D. and Barbara H. Rich Family Charitable Foundation	\$1,000
Martin D. and Mary J. Walker Charitable Foundation	\$200
Mary Jane Crow Foundation	\$5,000
Mary Lou and Douglas B. Lamb Foundation	\$1,500
Mary's Foundation	\$10,000
Masclellan Foundation Inc.	\$50,000
Master's Table Inc.	\$120,000
Mathew 28:18-20 Charitable Foundation	\$9,000
Maurice Marciano Family Foundation	\$25,000
Maury and Nancy Fertig Family Foundation	\$1,380
Max and Tillie Rosenn Foundation Inc.	\$6,000
Max Kagan Family Foundation	\$2,000
Maxwell Strawbridge Foundation	\$5,500
Maxwell V. Blum Family Foundation	\$500
Maynard Foundation	\$4,000
Medtronic Communities Foundation	\$2,400
Meehan Family Foundation	\$100,000
Melbyn P. and Eleanor N. Galin Family Foundation	\$50
Melvin and Beatrice Fraiman Charitable Foundation	\$430
Melvin and Edith T. Goodman Charitable Foundation	\$75

Funder	Amount Granted
Melvyn and Barbara Ciment Family Foundation Inc.	\$11,100
Mendelow Family Foundation Inc.	\$6,000
Mentor Graphics Foundation	\$1,000
Mercer Family Foundation	\$250,000
Meyers Charitable Family Fund	\$500
Michael and Ina Korek Foundation Trust	\$2,500
Michael and Susan Dell Foundation	\$1,500
Michael Singer Foundation	\$75
Milk Money Foundation Inc.	\$12,900
Milken Family Foundation	\$1,000
Millennium Ministries Inc.	\$960
Mills Family Foundation Inc.	\$141,000
Milstein Family Foundation	\$55,000
Milton A. and Charlotte R. Kramer Charitable Foundation	\$250
Miner Family Charitable Trust	\$50,057
Mira W. Miskin Foundation	\$100
Mirowski Family Foundation Inc.	\$1,153,000
Mitchell and Karen Kuflik Charitable Foundation	\$1,000
Mitzi and Warren Eisenberg Family Foundation	\$25,000
Mollylou Foundation	\$40,600
Mondelez International Foundation	\$250
Monsanto Fund	\$400
Moran Foundation	\$10,000
Mordecal and Elinor Gabriel Foundation Inc.	\$200
Morris and Sylvia Trachten Family Foundation Inc.	\$100
Morris J. and Betty Kaplun Foundation Inc.	\$1,839
Morris Morgenstern Foundation	\$49,500
Morse Family Foundation	\$200
Morton A. and Phyllis B. Simon Foundation	\$200
Morton and Dinah Danseyar Family Foundation Inc.	\$39,000
Moses Ginsberg Family Foundation Inc.	\$30,000
Moskowitz Family Foundation	\$3,000
Motorola Solutions Foundation	\$150
Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Baker Family Foundation	\$500
Mr. and Mrs. Sanford N. McDonnell Foundation Inc.	\$400
Muchnick Family Foundation	\$100
Murray H. and Joan M. Goodman Charitable Foundation	\$100
Murray Hazan Family Foundation	\$100
Mustar Seed Foundation	\$750
Mutual of American Foundation	\$11,250
Myron and Elaine Adler Private Foundation Inc.	\$5,000
MZ Foundation	\$1,905,600

Funder	Amount Granted
Natan Foundation	\$2,000
Nathan and Lena Seiler Family Foundation Inc.	\$10,000
Nathan Casselman Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
National Christian Charitable Foundation Inc.	\$15,465,698
National Philanthropic Trust	\$51,000
Neal and Jane Freeman Foundation Inc.	\$10,000
Neal and Marlene Goldman Foundation	\$25,000
Neal C. Nichols Foundation Inc.	\$125,000
Neisseria Meningitis Foundation	\$200
Nelson Family Charitable Foundation	\$10,000
Nemet Foundation Inc.	\$100
Network for Good Inc.	\$79,500
Neubauer Family Foundation	\$2,500
New Hope Foundation	\$400
New Tamarind Foundation Inc.	\$10,000
Newton and Rochelle Becker Charitable Trust	\$397,000
Nicholas and Kathleen Mayall Memorial	\$15,000
Niederhoffer Foundation Inc.	\$5,000
Nissi Foundation	\$1,300
Norman and Julia Bobrow Family Foundation	\$50,000
Norman I. and Sandra Rich Family Charitable Foundation	\$325
Norman M. Shack Charitable Foundation	\$311
Novack Family Foundation	\$12,500
OBX Inc.	\$60,000
Octavia Foundation	\$15,000
Oklahoma City Community Foundation Inc.	\$1,600
Old Stones Foundation Inc.	\$2,000
Omaha Community Foundation	\$34,140
One8 Foundation	\$150,000
O'Neil Foundation	\$50
Ostrov Family Foundation Inc.	\$50
Ostrowicz Lilienthal Foundation for Jewish Education Inc.	\$4,000
Overton Family Foundation	\$2,000
Paris Family Foundation Inc.	\$8,000
Parsons Family Foundation	\$90
Parviz Kamangar Charitable Foundation	\$1,000
Pat Boone Foundation Inc.	\$3,900
Patricia A. and William E. LaMothe Foundation	\$34,000
Paul and Dan Sjolnud Foundation	\$250
Paul and Elaine Chervinsky Charitable Foundation	\$300
Paul and Pearl Caslow Foundation	\$26,000
Paul and Rose Grossinger Foundation	\$250

Funder	Amount Granted
Paul Klingenstein Family Foundation Inc	\$6,000
Paulus Family Foundation	\$32,000
Paypal Charitable Giving Fund	\$34,353
Peery/Cauthen Foundation	\$4,200
Perfect Light Foundation	\$100
Perkins Charitable Foundation	\$250
Pete M. Hanna Charitable Foundation	\$4,000
Pfizer Foundation Inc.	\$1,952
Philip and Bernice Krupp Foundation for Jewish Life	\$1,000
Philip J. Solondz Family Foundation	\$4,000
Phillip C. and Beverly Goldstick Family Foundation	\$250
Phillip M. Friedmann Family Charitable Trust	\$70,175
Pisani Family Foundation	\$56,000
Placentile Family Foundation	\$1,000
Ponagansett Foundation Inc.	\$3,000
Posel Foundation	\$7,800
Poterucha Family Foundation	\$100
Prayer Unlimited International	\$5,500
Price Family Foundation Inc.	\$100,000
Progressive Insurance Foundation	\$450
Prudential Foundation	\$425
Psalmos Inc.	\$1,000
PY Foundation	\$9,850
Quentin and Mara Kopp Foundation	\$253
Quest Family Foundation	\$20,000
Quinn Family Charitable Foundation Inc.	\$2,000
R. B. Nordick Foundation	\$40,000
R. T. Murphy Family Foundation	\$15,000
Rajchenbach Family Foundation	\$180
Ralph O. Franzen Charitable Foundation	\$6,000
Ramler Charitable Trust	\$4,450
Randolph Foundation	\$20,000
Raymond and Mildred Hegwer Foundation	\$1,200
Raymond James Charitable Endowment Fund	\$27,500
Redbud Foundation	\$3,000
Reuben and Lizzie Grossman Foundation Inc	\$791
Rhoda and David Chase Family Foundation Inc.	\$500
Rhs Foundation	\$10,000
Richard and Barbara Gaby Foundation	\$10,500
Richard and Beth Sackler Foundation Inc.	\$303,935
Richard and Clare Lesser Family Foundation	\$2,000
Richard and Eslyn Bassuk Foundation	\$1,000

Funder	Amount Granted
Richard and Helen DeVos Family Foundation	\$100,000
Richard and Jocelyn Vortmann Foundation	\$3,000
Richard and Laurie Cohen Family Foundation	\$50
Richard Horvitz and Erica Hartman-Horvitz Foundation	\$21,650
Richard L. and Lois S. Werner Family Foundation	\$6,250
Richardson Foundation	\$800
Riklin Charitable Trust	\$1,000
Rind Family Foundation	\$700
Rita and Irewin Hochberg Family Foundation \$87	
Rita and Leo Greenland Family Foundation	\$2,500
Rivers Foundation	\$60,000
Rivers of New Life Foundation Inc.	\$400
Robert A. Immerman Family Foundation	\$93,000
Robert and Alice Bridges Foundation	\$15,000
Robert and Myra Kraft Family Foundation Inc.	\$85,000
Robert and Nina Rosenthal Foundation Inc.	\$1,075
Robert and Phyllis Topchik Family Foundation	\$300
Robert and Susan Taub Foundation Inc.	\$50
Robert D. and Phyllis A. Jaffee Family Foundation	\$4,000
Robert E and Judith M Lamberth Charitable Trust	\$250
Robert E. Dods Family Foundation	\$200
Robert F. and Patricia M. Crisp Charitable Family Foundation Inc.	\$85
Robert I. Lappin Charitable Foundation	\$5,100
Robert L. and Helen W. Bernstein Foundation	\$12,000
Robert P. and Arlene R. Kogod Family Foundation	\$10,000
Robert S. and Star Pepper Foundation Inc.	\$30,000
Rochester Area Community Foundation	\$1,800
Rockler Jackson Family Foundation	\$2,000
Roe Foundation	\$1,000
Ronald and Geri Yonover Foundation	\$3,000
Ronald and Marilyn Leach Charitable Foundation	\$3,000
Rosalie Katz Family Foundation Inc.	\$1,800
Rosalyn and Richard Slifka Charitable Trust	\$2,500
Rosenberg Family Charitable Foundation	\$135
Rosenfeld Foundation	\$4,800
Rosengard Foundation Inc.	\$7,600
Rosenson Family Foundation	\$3,000
Rosewood Foundation	\$35,000
Rossenfield Foundation	\$5,500
Rotary Foundation of Rotary International	\$10,000
Rowland and Sylvia Schaefer Family Foundation	\$20,000
Rowling Foundation	\$50,000

Funder	Amount Granted
RSA Charitable Foundation	\$500
Rubinstein Family Foundation	\$2,105
Ruby Family Foundation	\$17,000
Russell Berrie Foundation	\$405,000
Ruth and Jack Glantz Family Foundation Inc.	\$5,000
Ruth/Allen Ziegler Foundation	\$6,500
Ryan Family Charitable Foundation	\$6,000
S.T.A.R. Foundation Inc.	\$750
Sacred Family Causes Foundation	\$250
Saffran Family Foundation	\$500
Salesforce Foundation	\$515
Sally and Bernard Fuchs Charitable Foundation	\$254
Sally Goldman Foundation Inc.	\$500
Saltsgiver Family Foundation	\$500,000
Sam D. Young Family Foundation	\$10,000
Sami and Annie Totah Family Foundation	\$2,500
Samuel and Rosalind B. Spielvogel Family Foundation Trust	\$1,845
Samuel P. Mandell Foundation	\$2,500
Samuel Urcis and Marion Zola Foundation	\$100
San Diego Foundation	\$2,000
Sandra and Lawrence Post Family Foundation	\$185,399
Sarah Scaife Foundation Inc.	\$800,000
Sarasota-Manatee Jewish Federation Inc.	\$37,500
Sarna Family Charitable Foundation	\$200
Scheffel-Barkdoll Foundation	\$25
Schwab Charitable Fund	\$3,804,853
Schwab Foundation	\$625
Seattle Foundation	\$611
Seed the Dream Foundation	\$410,000
Segel Foundation	\$200
Seidel Family Foundation	\$3,000
Selig Foundation	\$2,000
Senser Foundation	\$3,500
Shalom Family Charitable Foundation	\$14,600
Shamrock Foundation	\$3,000
Shea Foundation	\$2,000
Shell Oil Company Foundation	\$3,210
Shepherds Hand	\$4,500
Shillman Foundation	\$30,000
Shipps Foundation	\$15,000
Short Family Foundation	\$22,500
Shusterman Foundation	\$6,450

Funder	Amount Granted
Siegmund and Marilyn Goldman Charitable Trust	\$100
Silberman Aqua Family Foundation	\$720
Silver Family Foundation Inc.	\$400
Sims Family Charitable Trust	\$1,000
Sitchin Foundation	\$1,200
Smart Family Foundation Inc.	\$25,000
Snider Foundation	\$152,500
Sokol Family Foundation	\$600
Solo Deo	\$2,000
Solomon and Rose Turetsky Foundation Inc.	\$400
Somekh Family Foundation	\$180
Sonia Alden Foundation Inc.	\$50
Sonkin Family Foundation	\$3,000
Soref-Breslauer Texas Foundation	\$30,000
Spencer Raphael Jaffe Charitable Foundation	\$3,500
Spruce Grove Charitable Foundation	\$200
St. Augustine Foundation Ltd.	\$2,000
Stafast Foundation	\$45,000
Stahl Family Foundation Inc.	\$1,250
Stahl Family Foundation Inc.	\$1,100
Stanford and Joan Alexander Foundation Inc.	\$15,000
Stanley and Eve Geller Family Foundation	\$2,500
Stanley and Hana Goldberg Family Foundation Inc.	\$350
Stanley and Iris Rabinowitz Foundation	\$3,500
State Auto Foundation	\$300
Steel Valley Charities	\$3,500
Steinberg Family Fund Inc.	\$10,000
Stephen Harold Schimmel Foundation Inc.	\$1,025,000
Steve and Janice Hefter Family Foundation	\$61,000
Stewart Family Charitable Foundation Ron Action, Trustee	\$1,100
Storck Family Foundation	\$1,675
Strake Foundation	\$11,500
Strauss Foundation Inc.	\$1,600
Sufficient Ministries of Utah Inc.	\$150
Sukonik Foundation	\$400
Sunrise Charitable Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
Susan and Leonard Feinstein Foundation	\$75,000
Suzanne and Alan Peyser Foundation	\$19,500
Swanson Family Foundation	\$1,200
Swartz Foundation	\$33,500
Sweet Bay Foundation	\$1,250
Sweica Family Foundation	\$5,000

Funder	Amount Granted
Swenson Family Foundation	\$2,000
Swerdlow Family Foundation	\$700
Sylk Charitable Trust	\$1,500
Sylvan Family Foundation	\$500
Targum Shilshi Inc.	\$5,000
Tart-Wald Foundation	\$2,100
Taube Family Foundation	\$20,000
Telios Inc.	\$2,250
Terry Foundation	\$2,400
T-F Foundation	\$500
Them 9:7 Fund	\$2,500
Third Avenue Management Private Foundation	\$50,000
Thomas D. and Denise R. Stern Family Foundation	\$122,040
Thomas Jefferson Rosenberg Foundation Inc.	\$10,000
Thomas S. Carter Foundation	\$60
Thomas W Smith Foundation Inc.	\$110,000
Thora Foundation	\$100
Thrivent Financial Lutheran	\$2,356
Tides Foundation	\$5,000
Topper Foundation	\$200
Tree of Life Foundation	\$5,000
Triad Foundation Inc.	\$86,000
Troller Family Foundation	\$575
Tufenkian Family Foundation	\$150
Turco Foundation	\$100
Tzedakah Foundation	\$26,500
Universal Leaf Foundation	\$175
University Foundation	\$300
Ure Family Foundation	\$400
Usher Family Foundation	\$28,425
Van Curler Foundation	\$60,000
Vanguard Charitable Endowment Program	\$3,629,200
Verhoek Family Foundation	\$3,000
Verizon Foundation	\$1,955
Vianda Playter Williams Foundation Inc.	\$100
Victory Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
VJS Charitable Private Foundation	\$10,000
W. Paul Starkey Foundation	\$50
Waldorf Family Foundation	\$1,200
Walter and Edith Loebenberg Family Foundation Inc.	\$3,568
Walter and Marie Williams Foundation	\$275
Walter P. and Elizabeth M. Stern Foundation Inc.	\$500

Funder	Amount Granted
Walters and Marie Williams Foundation	\$244
Washakie Foundation	\$5,000
Wechsler Family Foundation	\$1,816
Weisman Family Foundation	\$130
Wendi and Daniel H. Abramovitz Family Foundation	\$1,045
Westgate Foundation	\$500
Westville Foundation	\$1,630
White Hat Foundation	\$29,750
Wiegand Morning Star Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
Wilf Family Foundation	\$10,000
Wilkstrom Foundation Trust	\$50,000
Will Foundation	\$2,400
William A. Runnels III Charitable Trust	\$9,000
William and Cynthia Marcus Family Charitable Trust	\$2,075
William and Diane Hein Foundation	\$3,000
William and Janice Godfrey Family Foundation Trust	\$12,500
William and Karen Tell Foundation	\$2,000
William and Leona Lorberbaum Charitable Foundation	\$3,250
William and Martha Ford Fund	\$1,000
William B. and Jane E. Bram Foundation	\$1,000
William C. and Cindy L. Scott Foundation	\$12,500
William Davidson Foundation	\$75,000
William E. Simon Foundation Inc.	\$21,800
William H. Donner Foundation	\$172,500
William L. Bricker Trust	\$150,000
William M. McGlaughlin Foundation	\$10,000
William P. Goldman and Brothers Foundation Inc.	\$66,000
Wilson Family Foundation	\$5,500
Windows of Heaven Foundation	\$1,000
Winifred and William O'Reilly Foundation	\$4,870
Winston-Salem Foundation	\$11,100
Wintman Family Charitable Trust B	\$250
Wolzinger Family Foundation	\$550
Wood-Claeyssens Foundation	\$45,000
Wool Family Foundation	\$300
WTAB	\$1,340
Y. A. Istel Foundation Inc.	\$1,000
Yablon Foundation	\$3,500
Yount Foundation Inc.	\$360,000
Z. S. and M. Wilf Foundation Inc.	\$30,000
Zelczer Family Foundation	\$4,000

Funder	Amount Granted
Zell and Myrna Hurwiz Foundation	\$250
Zell Family Foundation	\$5,000
Zucaro Family Foundation Inc.	\$1,263
ZYTL Foundation	\$1,950



APPENDIX B:
SAMPLE TAX FILINGS

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Return of Private Foundation

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Form 990-PF

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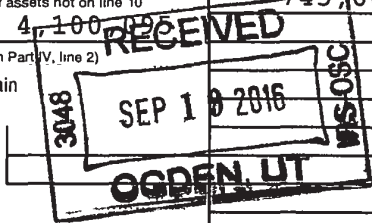
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Name of foundation MIROWSKI FAMILY FOUNDATION, INC.		A Employer identification number 52-2069951
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 80 LYMAN RD	Room/suite	B Telephone number 410-453-5500
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code CHESTNUT HILL, MA 02467		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>
G Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>
H Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) \$ 22,068,751.	J Accounting method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received					
2 Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B					
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments		822.	822.		STATEMENT 1
4 Dividends and interest from securities		820,010.	820,010.		STATEMENT 2
5a Gross rents					
b Net rental income or (loss)					
6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10		745,605.			
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a		4,100,000.			
7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)			745,605.		
8 Net short-term capital gain					
9 Income modifications					
10a Gross sales less returns and allowances					
b Less Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit or (loss)					
11 Other income					
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11		1,566,437.	1,566,437.		
13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc		0.	0.		0.
14 Other employee salaries and wages					
15 Pension plans, employee benefits					
16a Legal fees STMT 3		6,643.	6,643.		0.
b Accounting fees					
c Other professional fees STMT 4		24,500.	24,500.		0.
17 Interest					
18 Taxes STMT 5		60,284.	60,284.		0.
19 Depreciation and depletion					
20 Occupancy					
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings		17,977.	17,977.		0.
22 Printing and publications					
23 Other expenses STMT 6		211,419.	211,419.		0.
24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23		320,823.	320,823.		0.
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid		1,189,630.			1,189,630.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25		1,510,453.	320,823.		1,189,630.
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements		55,984.			
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)			1,245,614.		
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)				N/A	



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**MIROWSKI FAMILY FOUNDATION
ATTACHMENT TO 2015 FORM 990-PF
PART XV - GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS PAID DURING THE YEAR**

AAD CAMP DISCOVERY	1,000
AIEF CAMPUS ALLIES MISSIONS TO ISRAEL	100,000
ALBERT EINSTEIN MEDICAL CENTER	
AMERICAN ACADEMY OF DERMATOLOGY/CAMP DISCOVERY	
AMERICAN FRIENDS OF THE ISRAELI DEFENSE FORCES	70,000
AMERICAN FRIENDS OF THE MAGEN DAVID ADOM	75,000
AMERICANS FOR PEACE & TOLERANCE	
AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS (ASPCA)	250
BIRTHRIGHT ISRAEL FOUNDATION	35,000
BROWN UNIV	5,000
BROWN UNIV HILLEL	2,000
BRYN MAWR COLLEGE	5,000
BRYN MAWR FILM INSTITUTE	3,000
BRYN MAWR FILM INSTITUTE	10,000
BSA TROOP 56	500
BSA TROOP 56 DARRYL CLIFTON MEMORIAL FUND	
CLEAN AIR COUNCIL	500
CLEAN WATER FUND	500
COMMITTEE FOR ACCURACY IN MIDDLE EAST REPORTING (CAMERA)	275,000
EASTERN HORIZONS CAMPS FOREST AND INDIAN ACRES	28,000
ELDERNET OF LOWER MERION-NARBETH	1,000
EPATT	1,000
EVMS FOUNDATION	1,500
FRESH AIR FUND	1,000
FRIENDS CENTRAL SCHOOL ANNUAL FUND	
GOLDMAN SACHS PHILANTHROPY FUND	
HARVARD SCHOOL OF DENTAL MEDICINE ANNUAL FUND	1,000
HARVARD SCHOOL OF MEDICINE ANNUAL FUND	2,000
INDIANA UNIV SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY ORAL MEDICINE DEPT	
INDIANA ORGANIZATIONS DDISCRETIONARY FUNDS	14,000
INDIANAPOLIS ART CENTER	1,000
INDIANAPOLIS HEBREW CONGREGATION	1,030
INDIANAPOLIS HEBREW CONGREGATION CANTOR'S FUND	1,000
INDIANAPOLIS HEBREW CONGREGATION RABBI'S FUND	4,000
INDY READS	500
INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMISSION	500
ISRAEL HEART INSTITUTE	15,000
JEWISH FAMILY AND CHILDRENS SERVICES	1,000
JEWISH FEDERATION OF GREATER INDIANAPOLIS	1,100
JEWISH FEDERATION OF GREATER PHILADELPHIA	1,000
JEWISH NATIONAL FUND -MIDWEST DIVISION	1,000
JOHNS HOPKINS UNIV ANNUAL FUND	1,000
JOHNS HOPKINS UNIV SCHOOL OF MEDICINE	20,000
JOHNS HOPKINS UNIV MIROWSKI LECTURESHIP	100,000
JULIAN CENTER	2,000
LOWER MERION CONSERVANCY	1,000
LUDINGTON LIBRARY	500
MAIN LINE ANIMAL RESCUE	1,000
MAIN LINE ART CENTER	1,000
MIDDLE EAST RESEARCH INSTITUTE (MEMRI)	125,000

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Pages from the 2015 Mirowski Family Foundation Tax Return documents.

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Pages from the 2016 Jewish Communal Fund's Tax Return documents.

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Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-0047

2016

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Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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A For the 2016 calendar year, or tax year beginning 07-01-2016, and ending 06-30-2017

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	<table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td colspan="2">C Name of organization JEWISH COMMUNAL FUND</td> <td rowspan="2">D Employer identification number 23-7174183</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">% SAUL WADOWSKI VP/CONTROLLER Doing business as</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address)</td> <td>Room/suite</td> <td rowspan="2">E Telephone number (212) 752-8277</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">575 MADISON AVENUE Suite 703</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3">City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code NEW YORK, NY 10022</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">F Name and address of principal officer SUSAN F DICKMAN 575 MADISON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022</td> <td>G Gross receipts \$ 3,028,974,346</td> </tr> </table>	C Name of organization JEWISH COMMUNAL FUND		D Employer identification number 23-7174183	% SAUL WADOWSKI VP/CONTROLLER Doing business as		Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address)	Room/suite	E Telephone number (212) 752-8277	575 MADISON AVENUE Suite 703		City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code NEW YORK, NY 10022			F Name and address of principal officer SUSAN F DICKMAN 575 MADISON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022		G Gross receipts \$ 3,028,974,346
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L Year of formation 1972		M State of legal domicile NY															

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities TO FACILITATE AND PROMOTE PHILANTHROPY THROUGH DONOR ADVISED FUNDS				
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets				
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)		3 23		
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)		4 23		
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2016 (Part V, line 2a)		5 19		
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)		6		
	7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12		7a 8,704		
	b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34		7b 6,609		
	Revenue			Prior Year	Current Year
		8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)		434,991,130	411,849,319
9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		0	0		
10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)		31,494,170	50,072,759		
11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)		1,537,228	8,704		
12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)		468,022,528	461,930,782		
Expenses	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		380,827,246	396,828,262	
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		0	0	
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)		2,864,945	3,126,446	
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		0	0	
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 1,280,352				
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)		5,997,283	6,519,291	
	18 Total expenses Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		389,689,474	406,473,999	
19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12		78,333,054	55,456,783		
Net Assets or Fund Balances			Beginning of Current Year	End of Year	
	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)		1,433,442,677	1,558,568,958	
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)		12,945,268	8,015,185	
22 Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20		1,420,497,409	1,550,553,773		

Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here

Signature of officer: _____
 SUSAN F DICKMAN Executive VP & CEO
 Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name CANDICE METH	Preparer's signature CANDICE METH
Firm's name ▶ EisnerAmper LLP	
Firm's address ▶ 750 Third Avenue New York, NY 100172703	

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Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments.

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
American Freedom Defense Initiative 373 South Willow Street 109 Manchester, NH 03103	27-2518993	501(c) 3	50,000				Unrestricted General Support
American Friends of Agudat Shetile Zetim Inc 1739 Ocean Parkway Brooklyn, NY 11223	11-2449995	501(c) 3	16,350				Unrestricted General Support

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Americans for Oxford Inc Oxford North American Office 500 F New York, NY 10110	52-1495060	501(c) 3	31,000				Unrestricted General Support
Americans for Peace and Tolerance Inc 15 Main Street Suite 118 Watertown, MA 02472	26-3251530	501(c) 3	10,000				Unrestricted General Support

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Foundation for Criminal Justice 1660 L Street NW 12th Floor Washington, DC 20036	52-2289169	501(c) 3	50,000				Unrestricted General Support
Foundation for Defense of Democracies Inc 1800 M Street NW Suite 800 - Sout Washington, DC 20036	13-4174402	501(c) 3	385,000				Unrestricted General Support

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