RE-2 Employee Post Travel Disclosure of Travel Expenses

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Post Travel Filing Instructions: Complete this form within **30 days** of returning from travel. Submit all forms to the Office of Public Records in 232 Hart Building.**This form is a public disclosure. The form and all attachments will be made publicly available.**

Certification:*In compliance with the Regulations Governing Privately Sponsored Travel, Senate Rule 35, and the Honest Leadership and Open Government Act of 2007, I certify that I accepted the following gift of privately sponsored travel:*

Private Sponsor(s):
The Heritage Foundation

Travel Dates:
02/22/2024 to 02/23/2024

Name of accompanying family member (if any):

Relationship to Traveler:

Expenses

Transportation Expenses	Lodging Expenses	Meals Expenses	Other Expenses (Amount & Description)
$82.80	$149.00	$90.00	$27.99

I also certify that attached to this form are all required documents for post travel disclosure, including:

- **The final Employee Pre-Travel Authorization** (Form RE-1)
- The final **Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form** with all attachments
- The final invitation
- The final approved itinerary

Finally, I certify that all trip information reflected in the attachments above accurately reflects the travel that I accepted. If there were any changes to the trip after I received approval from the Committee, the changes are described in ATTACHMENT 1.

March 18, 2024
Date

Ethan Ashley
Printed Name of Traveler

Ethan W. Ashley
Signature of Traveler

TO BE COMPLETED BY SUPERVISING MEMBER/OFFICER

I have made a determination that the expenses set out above in connections with travel described in the Employee Pre-Travel Authorization form, are necessary transportation, lodging, and related expenses as defined in Rule 35.

3/18/24
Date

Mike Braun
Signature of Supervising Senator/Officer

ATTACHMENT 1 – CHANGES FROM APPROVED PRE-TRAVEL

Note: Material changes to a trip that occur after the Committee has issued an approval letter may invalidate the Committee's approval. Please contact the Committee with any questions regarding changes to an approved trip.

Were there any changes to the pre-approved travel expenses? (Transportation, Meals, Lodging, Other)?

○ Yes ● No

Expense Change	Revised Amount	Explanation
There were no changes to pre-approved travel expenses.		

Were there any changes to the pre-approved itinerary?

○ Yes ● No

Explanation: There were no changes to the pre-approved itinerary.

Were there any additional changes to the pre-approved trip?

○ Yes ● No

Explanation: There were no additional changes to the pre-approved trip.

Fri 12/15/2023 11:16 AM

Brown, Clint <Clint.Brown@heritage.org>

Heritage Emerging Leaders Nomination

To Ashley, Ethan (Braun)

Taskings

You forwarded this message on 1/5/2024 10:18 AM.

Hi Ethan,

You've been nominated as an Emerging Leader in the conservative movement for your great work in Senator Braun's office. Frankly, knowing your reputation, I was surprised when I checked our files that you hadn't been a part of this program before. If that's in error, please do let me know!

Either way, I wanted to reach out to personally invite you to join Heritage for a retreat for Emerging Leaders in February. Details are below:

The dates are February 22nd - February 23rd.

Registration starts at 8:30 a.m. and the bus leaves Heritage at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday February 22nd to drive to Richmond, VA.

We arrive back at Heritage at 4:00 p.m. on Friday the 23rd.

Please let us know at this RSVP link here if you are able to attend.

Thank you again – and we hope you are able to join us in February!

Clint Brown
Vice President, Government Relations
The Heritage Foundation
214 Massachusetts Avenue, NE
Washington, DC 20002
202-675-1753
heritage.org

The Heritage Foundation: Emerging Leaders Conference

Ethan Ashley

Title:
Legislative Assistant

Employing Office/Committee:
BRAUN, MIKE

Duty Station:
WASHINGTON,DC

Destination(s):
Richmond, Virginia

Explain how this trip is specifically connected to the traveler's official or representational duties:

The Heritage Foundation's Emerging Leaders Conference teaches participants about the American founding and how legislators may restore republican virtue in our political and social institutions. Heritage's presentations will comment directly on matters affecting my legislative work for Senator Braun.

Name of accompanying family member (if any):
Not Entered

Name and Relationship to Traveler:
None

Organization Information

Organization Name
The Heritage Foundation

Is your organization classified as a §501(c)(3)?
● Yes ○ No

§501(c)(3) Organization Type
Public Charity

Address
214 Massachusetts Ave, NE

Address 2 (Optional)
Public Charity

City, State Zip
Washington, District Of Columbia 20002 United States

Phone Number
(202) 608-6080

Organization URL
www.heritage.org

History of Congressional Travel

The Heritage Foundation's mission is to formulate and promote public policies based on the principles of free enterprise, limited government, individual freedom, traditional American values, and a strong national defense. As such for many years we have sponsored educational trips for groups of individuals including hill staff that are based around these fundamental principles, including this annual trip for junior hill staffers

Educational Activities

We write policy papers and host educational briefings both on and off site. We provide educational research on a wide variety of issues.

Lobbyist and Foreign Agent Registration Information

Lobbyist Registration Status: *I certify that the sponsor is not a federally registered lobbyist and do not retain or employ a federally registered lobbyist.*

Foreign Agent Registration Status: *I certify that the sponsor is not an agent of a foreign principal and do not retain or employ an agent of a foreign principal.*

Foreign Government Involvement

Foreign Agent Registration Status:

- ● I certify that the sponsor is not a foreign government.
- ● I certify that the sponsor is not an entity that is owned or operated by a foreign government.
- ● I certify that the sponsor does not receive funding from a foreign government.

Comments

None Entered

Signature Page

The signature page is below.

Purpose and Details

Provide a brief description of the trip.

This is an overnight trip to Richmond, Virginia that will feature discussions and presentations on key conservative topics as well as instructional discussions.

Explain how the purpose of the trip relates to your organization's mission.

The Heritage Foundation's mission is to formulate and promote public policies based on the principles of free enterprise, limited government, individual freedom, traditional American values, and a strong national defense. During the programming, staff will learn about these important policies.

Is your organization the only sponsor for this trip?

- ● Yes
- ○ No

Grantmaking Organizations (Optional)

There are no grantmaking organizations.

With or Without Regard for Congressional Participation

The trip is arranged or organized specifically with regard to congressional participation.

Lobbyist/Foreign Agent Involvement in Planning, Organizing, Requesting or Arranging

- ● The trip will not in any part be planned, organized, requested, or arranged by a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal, other than de minimis involvement.

Lobbyist/Foreign Agent Financing

- ● The trip will not be financed in any part by a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal.
- ● No funds or in-kind contributions were earmarked directly or indirectly for the purpose of financing this specific trip from a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal or from a private entity that retains or employs one or more registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal.

Lobbyist/Foreign Agent Accompaniment

Complete if all sponsors are §501(c)(3) organizations

- ● The trip is limited to three days (for trips inside the continental United States) or seven days (for trips outside the continental United States), and no lobbyist or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee at any point throughout the trip
- ○ The trip is limited to a one-day event (exclusive of travel time and **one** overnight stay) and no registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee on any segment of the trip
- ○ The trip is limited to a one-day event (exclusive of travel time and **two** overnight stays) and no registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee on any segment of the trip

Complete if any of the sponsors is not a §501(c)(3) organizations.

- ○ The trip is limited to three days (for trips inside the continental United States) or seven days (for trips outside the continental United States), and no lobbyist or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee at any point throughout the trip
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Certification of No Recreational Activity and No Alcohol

- ● Travel expenses paid for will not include expenditures for recreational activities.
- ● Travel expenses paid for will not include expenditures for alcohol, except as permitted by the Regulations Governing Privately Sponsored Travel.

Invitees

Members and staff from the House of Representatives **will** receive invitations.

The list of invitees is below.

Travel Details

Trip Start Date/Time:		Trip End Date/Time:
02/22/2024 @ 09:15 AM	⇄	02/23/2024 @ 04:30 PM

Will the traveler be accompanied by a family member for whom the sponsor will pay travel expenses?

○ Yes ● No

Itinerary

The itinerary is below.

Transportation (Per Member/Officer/Employee: $82.80 | Accompanying Family Member: $0.00)

Transportation Type	Class	Amount
Ground Transportation	Charter	$82.80

Note
good faith estimate for round trip bus

Lodging (Per Member/Officer/Employee: $149.00)

Check-In	Check-Out	Facility	City	State	Country	Nights	Cost/Night	Cost Exceed Per Diem
02/22/2024	02/23/2024	Omni Hotel	Richmond	Virginia	United States	1	$149.00	No

Meals (Per Member/Officer/Employee: $90.00)

Date	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner	Incidentals	Total	City	State	Country	Cost Exceeds Per Diem
02/22/2024	$0.00	$16.00	$29.00	$5.00	**$50.00**	Richmond	Virginia	United States	No
02/22/2024	$10.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	**$10.00**	Washington	District Of Columbia	United States	No
02/23/2024	$14.00	$16.00	$0.00	$0.00	**$30.00**	Richmond	Virginia	United States	No

Reasonable Miscellaneous Expenses (Per Member/Officer/Employee: $27.99)

Expense Type	Amount	Notes
Other (Book)	$27.99	Book is for one of the presentations

Additional Attachments

Document Name

There are no additional attachments.

PRIVATELY SPONSORED TRAVEL

SPONSOR SIGNATURE PAGE

I hereby certify that the information submitted in connection with the trip listed below is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Trip Name: Emerging Leaders Conference

Travel Date(s): February 22 - February 23, 2024

Travel Destination(s): Richmond, Virginia

Sponsor: The Heritage Foundation

Dan Mauler — *(printed name of sponsor representative)*

General Counsel — *(title)*

(signature of sponsor representative)

1/10/24 *(date)*

	First	Office
Abrams	Ana Frances	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Adame	Jon	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Adams	Charles	Sen. Jim Risch
Alban	Ryan	Sen. Ted Budd
Albaugh	Jacey	Sen. Mike Lee
Alber	Alexis	Sen. Ron Johnson
Albert	Bryson	Sen. John Cornyn
Alexander	Madison	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Anderson	Cal	Sen. Josh Hawley
Anderson	Logan	Sen. Rick Scott
Anthony	Justin	Sen. Mike Lee
Archey	Bailey	Sen. Cindy Hyde-Smith
Arias	Juan	Sen. Rick Scott
Arkoosh	Kevin	Sen. Jim Risch
Armstrong	Wes	Sen. Marco Rubio
Ashley	Ethan	Sen. Mike Braun
Atcheson	Laura	Sen. John Cornyn
Bailey	Katie	Sen. Mike Braun
Baker	Noah	Sen. J.D. Vance
Bannon	Zach	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Bardot	Ryan	Sen. Eric Schmitt
Barnhorst	Thomas	Sen. Marco Rubio
Barr	Taylor	Sen. Steve Dianes
Barreto	Ximena	Sen. Rand Paul
Battalio	Adam	Sen. Mike Braun
Bell	Allyson	Sen. Mike Lee
Bellomo	Vincent	Senate Commerce Committee
Bennett	Zach	Sen. Rand Paul
Bensur	Will	Sen. Roger Marshall
Berlan	Sarah	Sen. Rick Scott
Bickel	Tom	Sen. Ted Cruz
Birsic	Bill	Sen. Roger Marshall
Blackmon	Ben	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Bohman	Kylie	Sen. Josh Hawley
Bonicelli	Paul	Sen. Rick Scott
Bornefeld	Cole	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Bouchard	Elise	Sen. Rick Scott
Bowen	Elizabeth	Sen. Josh Hawley
Boyd	Jack	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Braid	James	Sen. J.D. Vance
Brandewie	Drew	Sen. John Cornyn
Brasher	John	Sen. John Cornyn
Brennan	Ted	Sen. J.D. Vance
Breslin	Bernadette	Sen. Josh Hawley
Brown	Samara	Sen. Ted Cruz
Bruce	Daisy	Sen. Ted Cruz
Buckley	James	Sen. Roger Marshall
Burgess	Elizabeth	Sen. John Cornyn
Camacho	Juliana	Sen. Marco Rubio
Cannon	Tyler	Sen. Mike Lee
Cantrell	Jillian	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Capodilupo	Dan	Sen. J.D. Vance
Carbone	Craig	Sen. Rick Scott
Carter-Hirt	Caroline	Sen. Eric Schmitt

Case	Callum	Sen. Rand Paul
Castella	Francesco	Sen. Ted Budd
Castronovo	Anthony	Sen. Cynthia Lummis
Ceren	Omri	Sen. Ted Cruz
Chambers	Jack	Sen. Shelley Moore Capito
Chansolme	Natalie	Sen. Ted Cruz
Chebowski	Jacob	Sen. Mike Braun
Checker	Nick	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Chelak	Christian	Sen. Mike Lee
Christensen	Kathleen	Sen. Jim Risch
Clemence	Matt	Sen. Jim Risch
Clifford	Molly	Sen. Marco Rubio
Cole	Brett	Sen. Marco Rubio
Compton	James	Sen. Josh Hawley
Connally	Cayden	Sen. Ron Johnson
Conner	Sean	Sen. John Cornyn
Cook	Audrey	Sen. John Cornyn
Cooke	MaryLou	Sen. Ted Budd
Cooper	Kelsey	Sen. Rand Paul
Copenhaver	Marianne	Sen. Rand Paul
Costanzo	Emily	Sen. John Cornyn
Cox	Sydney	Sen. Mike Braun
Cox	Emory	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Crofts	Sam	Sen. Mike Lee
Crow	Bennett	Sen. Markwayne Mullin
Cutler	Diane	Sen. Roger Marshall
Da Pieve	Lucas	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Dahmer	Austin	Sen. Josh Hawley
D'Angelo	Michael	Sen. Jim Risch
Daniels	Stacey	Sen. Cynthia Lummis
D'Apuzzo	Brianna	Sen. Roger Marshall
Datin	Jack	Sen. Thom Tillis
Daubitz	Jefferson	Sen. Josh Hawley
Davis	Janna	Sen. Josh Hawley
Delahoyde	Abby	Sen. J.D. Vance
Desch	August	Sen. Mike Lee
Diaz	Christine	Sen. Rick Scott
DiBugno	Will	Sen. Marco Rubio
DiGravio	John	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Dill	Watson	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Dill	Tim	Sen. Ted Cruz
Dilorenzo	Nick	Sen. Cynthia Lummis
Dong	Allison	Sen. Mike Braun
Donovan	Kelsie	Sen. Roger Marshall
Doufexis	Jordan	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Dudik	David	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Dudziak	Peter	Sen. Eric Schmitt
Dull	Joshua	Sen. Mike Braun
Dunklin	Jacob	Sen. Ted Budd
Dunn	Josh	Sen. John Kennedy
Dunnavan	Grant	Sen. Rick Scott
Durnil	Mitch	Sen. Mike Braun
Durrett	Jim	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Dziedzic	Drew	Sen. Eric Schmitt
Eddins	Hannah	Sen. Tommy Tuberville

Edmondson	Laurel	Sen. Ted Budd
Edwards	Holt	Sen. Cynthia Lummis
Edwards	Ethan	Sen. Marco Rubio
Edwards	Jack	Sen. Markwayne Mullin
Edwards	Sam	Sen. Mike Lee
Eenigenburg	Elyse	Sen. Eric Schmitt
Ehrett	John	Sen. Josh Hawley
Elliot	Nick	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Emmett	Tony	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Ervin	Alaura	Sen. John Cornyn
Esposito	Ben	Sen. Josh Hawley
Evans	Caleb	Sen. J.D. Vance
Fagan	Tyler	Sen. Josh Hawley
Farrell	Sean	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Fernandez	Jessica	Sen. Marco Rubio
Filip	Thomas	Sen. Todd Young
Fitzpatrick	Katie	Sen. Roger Marshall
Flowers	Lucie	Sen. John Cornyn
Foley	Sophie	Sen. John Cornyn
Foltz	Jon	Sen. Rick Scott
Fong	Isaac	Sen. Ted Budd
Fontenot	Matthew	Sen. Ted Budd
Ford	Kelli	Sen. Josh Hawley
Ford	Natalie	Sen. Josh Hawley
Francis	Jocelyn	Sen. Jim Risch
Ganjei	Nick	Sen. Ted Cruz
Garza	Sarah	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Geloneck	Casey	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Ghandour	Ryan	Sen. Josh Hawley
Gibson	Will	Sen. Mike Braun
Gilsdorf	Andrea	Sen. Roger Marshall
Glaeser	Sascha	Sen. Rand Paul
Gohlke	Josh	Sen. John Cornyn
Gonzalez	Alexander	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Gottesman	Aaron	Sen. Joni Ernst
Green	Will	Sen. Marco Rubio
Gunter	Graham	Sen. Ted Budd
Guxholli	Florida	Sen. Rand Paul
Hahn	Julia	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Haines	Steven	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Haines	Will	Sen. Mike Braun
Hale	Daniel	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Hambrick	Riley	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Hanisch	Kris	Sen. Jim Risch
Hankey	Mary Blanche	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Hansen	Stephen	Sen. Mike Lee
Harker	Gray	Sen. Ted Cruz
Harmon	Matthew	Sen. Rick Scott
Harper	Molly	Sen. Mike Braun
Harris	Luke	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Hart	James	Sen. Eric Schmitt
Hart	Michael	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Hartling	Josh	Sen. Ron Johnson
Hartman	Michael	Sen. Ron Johnson
Hasenberg	Amy	Sen. Jim Risch

Hayes	Bradley	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Haymore	Elizabeth	Sen. Ted Budd
Heaton	Alex	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Heekin	Jack	Sen. Rick Scott
Heigis	Eric	Sen. Ted Budd
Henderson	William	Sen. Rand Paul
Hendricks	Sam	Sen. Jim Risch
Henle	Drake	Sen. Rand Paul
Henry	Rusk	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Heyerdahl	Andrew	Sen. Cynthia Lummis
Hickey	Lauren	Sen. Mike Braun
Higgins	Delany	Sen. Rand Paul
Hinojos	Luis	Sen. Marco Rubio
Hinzman	Virginia	Sen. Marco Rubio
Ho	Andy	Sen. Jim Risch
Hobbs	Charlie	Sen. Ted Budd
Hodgdon	Alden	Sen. Rick Scott
Hoffman	Jason	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Hogin	Andrew	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Holler	Dan	Sen. Marco Rubio
Hollingshead	Parker	Sen. Jim Risch
Holzmann	Madeline	Sen. Rick Scott
Honts	Jared	Sen. Rick Scott
Hood	Athena	Sen. Josh Hawley
Hooper	Arden	Sen. Ron Johnson
Howd	Chris	Sen. Marco Rubio
Hughes	Evan	Sen. J.D. Vance
Hunt	Hans	Sen. Cynthia Lummis
Hunter	Jacquelyn	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Hurst	Gavin	Sen. Marco Rubio
Hurwitz	Spencer	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Hutchison	Justin	Sen. Rand Paul
Huthsing	Colton	Sen. Eric Schmitt
Hyers	Holly	Sen. Cynthia Lummis
Ide	Matt	Sen. Ted Budd
Irwin	William	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Jaarda	Chris	Sen. Ted Cruz
Jablonowski	Westin	Sen. Jim Risch
Jackson	Brandon	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Jackson	Caroline	Sen. John Cornyn
James	Ellen	Sen. Josh Hawley
James	Rick	Sen. Rand Paul
Johnson	Chad	Sen. Josh Hawley
Johnson	Jake	Sen. Markwayne Mullin
Johnson	Alyson	Sen. Mike Lee
Johnston	Emma	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
juvera	henry	Sen. John Cornyn
Kalin	Curtis	Sen. Ted Budd
Karwacki	Joe	Sen. Ted Cruz
Kearney	Kiara	Sen. Marco Rubio
Kelley	Josh	Sen. Mike Braun
Kelly	Chris	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
King	Wells	Sen. J.D. Vance
Kishi	Daniel	Sen. Josh Hawley
Klawon	Mariah	Sen. Cynthia Lummis

Knapp	Peter	Sen. Eric Schmitt
Knittle	Scott	Sen. Rand Paul
Knott	Tucker	Sen. Ted Budd
Kocher	Tim	Sen. Ted Cruz
Kofsky	Aaron	Sen. J.D. Vance
Kowalski	Leo	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Kraft	Zach	Sen. Cynthia Lummis
LaJoie	Taylor	Sen. J.D. Vance
Land	Chris	Sen. Cynthia Lummis
Lane	Katie	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Lane	Emma	Sen. Mike Braun
Lattanze	Clare	Sen. Rick Scott
LaValley	Bobby	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Lawrence	Alex	Sen. Josh Hawley
Lewis	McKinley	Sen. Rick Scott
Lissau	Zack	Sen. Rand Paul
Long	Jackson	Sen. Tim Scott
Lott	Trent	Sen. Ted Cruz
Loy	Parker	Sen. John Kennedy
Lucas	Audrey	Sen. Ted Budd
Lynch	Connor	Sen. Jim Risch
Mackenroth	Henia	Sen. Rick Scott
Magid	Parker	Sen. J.D. Vance
Mahar	Kaitlyn	Sen. Jim Risch
Mahoney	Jack	Sen. J.D. Vance
Mahoney	Kailyn	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Maniscalco	John	Sen. Rand Paul
Manucy	Michael	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Mariotti	Karina	Sen. Mike Lee
Marn	Michael	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Marone	Abigail	Sen. Josh Hawley
Martin	Will	Sen. J.D. Vance
Mascaro	Will	Sen. Mike Lee
Mathis	Abby	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Maxwell	Destiny	Sen. Ted Cruz
McAlindon	Elizabeth	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
McAllister	Patrick	Sen. J.D. Vance
McBride	Emily	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
McIntyre	Natalie	Sen. Bill Hagerty
McKenna	Emily	Sen. Marco Rubio
McMullan	Pace	Sen. Roger Marshall
McNeal	Adam	Sen. John Cornyn
Medrano	Chris	Sen. Mike Lee
Meeker	Madeline	Sen. Rand Paul
Melbye	Linnea	Sen. Cynthia Lummis
Menon	Vijay	Sen. Josh Hawley
Mertz	Stephanie	Sen. Cynthia Lummis
Messervy	Corey	Sen. Josh Hawley
Meuli	Marlo	Sen. Ron Johnson
Meyer	Luisa	Sen. Jim Risch
Mikota	Julia	Sen. Ron Johnson
Milewski	Marcel	Sen. Ted Budd
Miller	Amy	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Miller	Caitlin	Sen. Ted Budd
Miller	Darin	Sen. Ted Cruz

Milner	Clark	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Mitchell	Cal	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Mittelstaedt	Matthew	Sen. J.D. Vance
Mohler	Stephen	Sen. Rick Scott
Moore	Caitie	Sen. Marco Rubio
Moorer	Willie	Sen. John Cornyn
Moree	Alex	Sen. Marco Rubio
Morris	Emma	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Morris	Drew	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Moss	Ben	Sen. J.D. Vance
Nance	Aulden	Sen. Mike Braun
Neumeyer	Ayla	Sen. Jim Risch
Newhouse	Savannah	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Newman	Jessica	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Nichols	Layne	Sen. Josh Hawley
Nuelle	Chris	Sen. Eric Schmitt
Nycz	Amy	Sen. Ted Cruz
Oakes	Brian	Sen. J.D. Vance
O'Grady	Will	Sen. Eric Schmitt
O'Leary	Riley	Sen. Steve Daines
Olson	Kirstin	Sen. Ted Cruz
Ordway	Robert	Sen. Mike Braun
Orr	Robert	Sen. J.D. Vance
Ortiz	Laura	Sen. Marco Rubio
Outerbridge	Linda	Sen. John Cornyn
Paepke	Sam	Sen. Mike Lee
Parent	Charyssa	Sen. Roger Marshall
Parker	Clay	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Parks	Natalie	Sen. Ted Budd
Payne	Hannah	Sen. Rick Scott
Peacock	Jimmy	Sen. Eric Schmitt
Pels	Kiersten	Sen. Ron Johnson
Pereira	Danuta	Sen. Ron Johnson
Persichetti	Sarah	Sen. Marco Rubio
Pettit	Luke	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Phillips	Deborah	Sen. Marco Rubio
Phillips	Cassi	Sen. Ted Budd
Pickle	Chloe	Sen. Ron Johnson
Pigg	Ian	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Pineda	Charlotte	Sen. Roger Marshall
Pita	Ricardo	Sen. Ted Cruz
Pitts	Lacy	Sen. Roger Marshall
Power	Thomas	Sen. Rick Scott
Powers	Devon	Sen. Jim Risch
Pristach	Kelsey	Sen. Cynthia Lummis
Rains	Ryleigh	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Rasins	Ryan	Sen. Marco Rubio
Rausch	Scott	Sen. Ron Johnson
Rawles	Hannah	Sen. Marco Rubio
Reamy	Lauren	Sen. Marco Rubio
Rebel	Chandler	Sen. Ron Johnson
Reboli	Phil	Sen. Mike Lee
Reeves	Nikki	Sen. Josh Hawley
Rehder	Christian	Sen. Eric Schmitt
Reilly	Garrett	Sen. Ron Johnson

Reitz	Aaron	Sen. Ted Cruz	
Reses	Jacob	Sen. J.D. Vance	
Reynard	Mike	Sen. Ted Budd	
Reynolds	Maria	Sen. Ted Cruz	
Rich	Austin	Sen. Mike Lee	
Richards	Max	Sen. Eric Schmitt	
Riddle	Zach	Sen. Mike Braun	
Riley	Sean	Sen. Ron Johnson	
Rische	Robert	Sen. Mike Braun	
Roberts	Jordan	Sen. Mike Lee	
Robertson	Brent	Sen. Roger Marshall	
Robertson	Micah	Sen. Steve Daines	
Roca	Nicole	Sen. John Cornyn	
Rodregous	Anthony	Sen. Ted Cruz	
Rogenmoser	Michael	Sen. Roger Marshall	
Rooth	Joseph	Sen. Marco Rubio	
Rossi	Katherine	Sen. Eric Schmitt	
Roth	Peyton	Sen. Marco Rubio	
Rupp	Dominique	Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works	
Rutland	Courtney	Sen. Ron Johnson	
Sackett	Jared	Sen. Roger Marshall	
Salas	Sarah	Sen. Rick Scott	
Sanchez	J.R.	Sen. Marco Rubio	
Sanders	Isabella	Sen. Eric Schmitt	
Sandhu	Kelley	Sen. Eric Schmitt	
Sansone	John	Sen. Rand Paul	
Santaella	Haakon	Sen. Ted Cruz	
Sargent	Cody	Sen. Tommy Tuberville	
Schroeder	Luke	Sen. J.D. Vance	
Schuster	Teresa	Sen. J.D. Vance	
Scott	Warren	Sen. John Cornyn	
Sei	Michael	Sen. Josh Hawley	
Seitz	Blake	Sen. Marco Rubio	
Selby	Avery	Sen. Ron Johnson	
Seltzer	Max	Sen. Mike Braun	
Shaver	Jason	Sen. Rick Scott	
Simunovic	Srdjan	Sen. Marsha Blackburn	
Siracuse	Andrew	Sen. John Cornyn	
Skates	Mikalah	Sen. Cynthia Lummis	
Slowey	Collin	Sen. Marco Rubio	
Smith	Andrew	Sen. Ted Budd	
Smith-Herold	Keyden	Sen. Ted Cruz	
Smythe	Gus	Sen. John Cornyn	
Snyder	Abby	Sen. Eric Schmitt	
Soto	Dan	Sen. Rick Scott	
St. John	Samara	Sen. Ted Cruz	
Stafford	Doug	Sen. Rand Paul	
Stafford	Steve	Sen. Tommy Tuberville	
Stamper	Riley	Sen. Bill Hagerty	
Stebbins	Justin	Sen. Ron Johnson	
Stein	Clayton	Sen. Rick Scott	
Stevens	Bethany	Sen. Ted Cruz	
Stewart	Adam	Sen. Cynthia Lummis	
Stewart	Tucker	Sen. Roger Marshall	
Stivender	Walton	Sen. Bill Hagerty	

Stoddard	Kaitlin	Sen. Tommy Tuberville
Stonebraker	Austin	Sen. John Cornyn
Stovall	Jordan	Sen. Cindy Hyde-Smith
Stutz	Anna	Sen. Mike Lee
Summer	Max	Sen. Rick Scott
Susskind	Jamie	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Swegle	David	Sen. Marco Rubio
Sylvester	Sara	Sen. Ted Cruz
Tausend	Stephen	Sen. John Cornyn
Telle	Adam	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Thayer	Daniel	Sen. Rand Paul
Thiessen	Alex	Sen. Eric Schmitt
Thompson	Kristin	Sen. Marco Rubio
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Thompson	Hannah	Sen. Shelley Moore Capito
Toben	Mason	Sen. Rick Scott
Tolman	Janessa	Sen. Jim Risch
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Williams	Matthew	Sen. J.D. Vance
Williams	Scott	Sen. Ron Johnson
Wolfsohn	Jack	Sen. Marsha Blackburn
Wortmann	Patrick	Sen. Josh Hawley
Wozniak	Bill	Sen. Roger Marshall
Wright	Nicole	Sen. Marco Rubio
Wyatt	Chip	Sen. Mike Lee
Wyssbrod	Hunter	Sen. John Cornyn
Yelinski	Chad	Sen. Ted Budd
Yezbick	Natalie	Sen. John Cornyn
Young	Courtney	Sen. John Cornyn

Young	Theresa	Sen. Rick Scott
Zarate	Robert	Sen. Bill Hagerty
Zarzar	Abigail	Sen. Ted Budd
Ziegler	Emily	Sen. John Cornyn

RE-1 Employee Pre-Travel Authorization

Date/Time Stamp
January 17, 2024

Pre-Travel Filing Instructions: Complete and submit this form at least 30 days prior to the travel departure date to the **Select Committee on Ethics in SH-220.** Incomplete and late travel submissions will **not** be considered or approved.

Name of Traveler:
Ethan Ashley

Employing Office/Committee:
BRAUN, MIKE

Private Sponsor(s):
The Heritage Foundation

Destination(s):
Richmond, Virginia

Travel Dates:
02/22/2024 to 02/23/2024
NOTE: If you plan to extend the trip for any reason you **must** notify the Committee.

Explain how this trip is specifically connected to the traveler's official or representational duties.

The Heritage Foundation's Emerging Leaders Conference teaches participants about the American founding and how legislators may restore republican virtue in our political and social institutions. Heritage's presentations will comment directly on matters affecting my legislative work for Senator Braun.

Do you have an accompanying family member or spouse on this trip?
No

Name and Relationship to Traveler:
N/A

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

January 16, 2024
Date

Ethan W. Ashley
Signature of Employee

TO BE COMPLETED BY SUPERVISING MEMBER/OFFICER
(President of the Senate, Secretary of the Senate, Sergeant at Arms, Secretary for the Majority, Secretary for the Minority, and Chaplain)

I Mike Braun hereby authorize Ethan Ashley
(Print Senator's/Officer's Name) (Print Traveler's Name)

an employee under my direct supervision, to accept payment or reimbursement for necessary transportation, lodging, and related expenses for travel to the event described above. I have determined that this travel is in connection with his or her duties as a Senate employee or an officeholder, and will not create the appearance that he or she is using public office for private gain.

I have also determined that the attendance of the employee's spouse or child is appropriate to assist in the representation of the Senate.

☐ (signify "yes" by checking box)

1/17/2024
Date

Mike Braun
Signature of Supervising Senator/Officer

Thursday, February 22 – Friday, February 23, 2023
Omni Richmond Hotel | Richmond, VA

Thursday, February 22

8:30 – 9 a.m. **Congressional Staff Arrive at Heritage**
Staff check-in and have breakfast

9:15 a.m. **Bus Departs Heritage**

11 a.m. **Arrive at Omni Richmond Hotel**

11:30 – 11:55 a.m. **Opening Remarks and Overview of Events**

Dani Doane
Director, Congressional Relations
The Heritage Foundation

12 – 1:15 p.m. **Lunch with Session I: Building a Culture of Human Flourishing**

Delano Squires
Research Fellow, Richard and Helen DeVos Center for Life, Religion, and Family
The Heritage Foundation

The issue of humans and the family is interwoven into the fabric of every Hill staffer's job. Part of being an effective staffer is to understand the very real affect that Congressional decisions have on everyday Americans as humans and on the family unit. Delano will speak to the importance of Congressional staffers understanding these impacts and striving to ensure whenever possible that decisions promote a culture in which human beings and the family are able to flourish.

1:15 – 2 p.m. **Interactive Team Project Overview**

In this portion we will break the attendees into working groups and choose 'team leads.'

2 – 3:15 p.m. **Session II: Emerging Issue: "Abortion Post *Dobbs*"**

Tom McClusky (*Invited*)
Director of Government Affairs
CatholicVote

Connor Semelsberger
Government Relations Manager
The Heritage Foundation

This panel discussion will provide an overview of abortion post-*Dobbs*. There has been a lot of confusion after the *Dobbs* decision, and we want to help staff better understand the lay of the land when it comes to the issues surrounding life.

3:15 – 4:15 p.m. **Session III: How the House and Senate Really Work**

Clint Brown
Vice President, Government Relations
The Heritage Foundation

Aaron Calkins
Chief of Staff
Rep. Eric Burlison

This panel will provide a nuts-and-bolts overview of the House and Senate floor and committee procedure. Attendees will learn how the House and Senate operate and about their similarities and differences.

4:15 – 4:30 p.m. **Break**

Move into rooms

4:30 – 5:30 p.m. **Session IV: Emerging Issue: "The Importance of Congressional Oversight"**

Roman Jankowski
Senior Investigative Counsel, Oversight
Project, Government Relations
The Heritage Foundation

Roman Jankowski is part of the Heritage Foundation Oversight team. As such he will talk about the importance of Congressional oversight and provide an overview of how committees conduct the oversight process.

5:30 – 6:30 p.m. **Interactive Team Project Breakout Activity**

At this breakout session, the teams will debate and vote on presenters.

6:30 – 7 p.m. **Reception**

7:00 – 8:30 p.m. **Dinner and Session V: Why We Fight for Our Principles**

Arthur Milikh
Executive Director
Claremont Institute Center for the American Way of Life

During this dinner session, we will discuss Founding principles and the roots of conservative philosophy. The purpose is to provide attendees with a framework for how to think through and approach challenges facing the American public.

Friday, October 13

8:30 – 9:30 a.m. **Breakfast and Breakout Session for Interactive Team Project**

In this breakout session the teams will work on messaging.

9:30 – 10:45 a.m. **Session VI: Leadership Skills**

JV Venable
Senior Research Fellow, Defense Policy,
Center for National Defense
The Heritage Foundation

This session will focus on leadership and unification. As the former Commander of the Air Force's Thunderbirds, JV Venable will impart lessons on leadership and how to create a unified and effective team.

10:45 – 11 a.m. **Break**

Check out of rooms

11:00 a.m. – 12 p.m. **Session VII: Emerging Issue: "Deciphering the Federal Budget Process"**

Richard Stern
Director, Grover M. Hermann Center
for the Federal Budget
The Heritage Foundation

Richard Stern will provide a policy overview on budget and spending. With the fiscal issues looming throughout 2024, this speaker will focus on providing the basics of fiscal policy (Appropriations, Budgeting, Reconciliation, etc.) and an overview of the current budgetary landscape.

12:15 – 1:30 p.m. **Lunch and Session VIII: Next Steps**

The lunch will be an informal discussion between the organizers and the attendees about their career goals with feedback and lessons from Heritage staff. Dani Doane, Richard Stern, and Clint Brown all have worked on Capitol Hill so they will provide their knowledge and experience to the conversation.

1:30 – 2 p.m. **Team Project Presentations**

During this final session, teams will present.

2:30 p.m. **Depart from Omni Richmond Hotel**

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