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 144 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):
ModSquad

Travel Dates:
02/14/2026 to 02/20/2026

Name of accompanying family member (if any):

Relationship to Traveler:

Expenses

Transportation Expenses	Lodging Expenses	Meals Expenses	Other Expenses (Amount & Description)
$10,490.00	$1,288.00	$283.00	$0.00

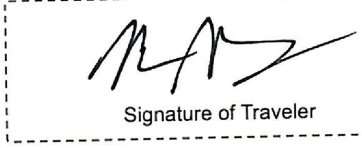
I also certify that attached to this form are all required documents for post travel disclosure, including:

- **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.

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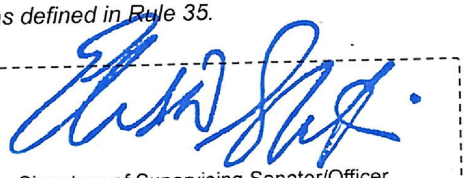
Matthew Hennessey
Printed Name of Traveler


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.

3/23/26
Date


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
Transportation	$10,490.00	Costs were lower than expected for airfare and on the ground van transportation.
Lodging	$1,288.00	Costs were lower than expected.
Meals	$283.00	Breakfast was included in the hotel rate and more meals occurred on personal time than anticipated.

Were there any changes to the pre-approved itinerary?

☑ Yes ○ No

Explanation: Due to multiple VIP delegations and their changing schedules, our specific schedule was modified accordingly to help accommodate others. Our overall meeting time allotment exceed original expectations.

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

○ Yes ☑ No

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

VIA EMAIL
RE: Milan Staffdel invite February 14-19, 2026

Invitation to ModSquad Action Senate Staff Delegation Trip to Milan

ModSquad Chiefs of Staff,

I am delighted to invite you to participate in our staff trip to Milan from February 14 to 19. This trip will offer another opportunity to engage with colleagues, exchange ideas, and work together to solve important policy issues.

At ModSquad Action, we are committed to encouraging elected officials to work across the aisle to develop common sense solutions to tough problems. This trip is designed to give you hands-on experience with pressing policy issues along with insight into how innovative ideas are developed, tested and put into practice, all to help inform and strengthen your work in the Senate.

Trip Highlights:

- Gain insights into key diplomatic issues and the importance of our allegiances in Europe and across the world;
- Explore innovations in how U.S.-based companies engage in the international context in the fields of technology and textiles; and
- Learn about key challenges and solutions as the United States prepares to host a series of high-profile international sporting events in the coming years, including security, transportation, and funding needs.

Travel and Logistics:
The program complies with the U.S. Senate Select Committee on Ethics' requirements for privately sponsored travel. ModSquad Action will cover lodging, roundtrip plane tickets (departing late February 14 and returning on February 19), ground transportation to all meetings, and all meals during official programming.

This invitation is limited and non-transferable, and we kindly request that you confirm your interest by responding to this email with RSVP by January 14. We will provide you with necessary paperwork for submission before the 30-day Senate Ethics deadline for your convenience. Please submit your paperwork to Ethics by January 14. If you have any questions, please contact Kate Leone (kate@modsquad-us.com), Jen Mueller (jen@benchmarkstrategies.com), or Sue Hothem (sue@modsquad-us.com).

We hope you can join us for this trip, and we look forward to hearing from you!

Sincerely,

Jen Mueller

RE-1 Employee Pre-Travel Authorization

Date/Time Stamp
02/03/2026

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:
Matthew Hennessey

Employing Office/Committee:
SLOTKIN, ELISSA

Private Sponsor(s):
ModSquad

Destination(s):
Milan, Italy

Travel Dates:
02/14/2026 to 02/20/2026
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.

official travel to Italy as Chief of Staff to a Member on the Senate Armed Services Committee

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.

2/3/26
Date

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 SEN. ELISSA SLOTKIN
(Print Senator's/Officer's Name)

hereby authorize MATT HENNESSEY
(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)

02/03/2026
Date

Signature of Supervising Senator/Officer

ModSquad: ModSquad Milan Feb 2026

Matthew Hennessey

Title:
Chief of Staff

Employing Office/Committee:
SLOTKIN, ELISSA

Duty Station:
WASHINGTON,DC

Destination(s):

Milan, Italy

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

As a Chief of Staff to a U.S. Senator who sits on relevant committees, this trip is connected to my official duties because of the agenda we are pursuing in country. We will gain insights into key diplomatic issues and the importance of U.S. allegiances in Europe and across the world; explore innovations in how U.S.-based companies engage in the international context in the fields of technology and textiles; and learn about key challenges and solutions as the U.S. prepares to host a series of high-profile international sporting events in the coming years --including security, transportation, and funding needs.

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

Name and Relationship to Traveler:
None

Organization Information

Organization Name
ModSquad

§501(c)(3) Organization Type
N/A

Address 2 (Optional)
None

Phone Number
202-546-0909

Is your organization classified as a §501(c)(3)?

○ Yes ● No

Address
P.O. Box 70179

City, State Zip
Washington, District Of Columbia 20024 United States

Organization URL
www.modsquad-us.com

History of Congressional Travel

ModSquad held its initial STAFFDEL in August 2025 to the Bay Area. ModSquad has a STAFFDEL rescheduled from October 2025 for January 2026 to New York City.

Educational Activities

ModSquad Action convenes elected officials, senate staff and subject matter experts for education conversations pertaining to policy work and communication best practices. The organization also conducts original research regarding voter sentiment related to policy subject matters.

Lobbyist and Foreign Agent Registration Information

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

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 trip will provide Senate staff the opportunity to visit/tour sites and meet with subject matter experts on timely issues including: • Comcast: Tour of broadcast center/conversation on aspects of broadcasting international events • LA '28 Organizing Committee: 2026/2028 event discussion; preparations on security, cyber, infrastructure, and transportation • Amazon Robotics Center Tour and Meeting: State-of-the-art shipping fulfillment center • International Olympic Committee: Update on security, transportation, infrastructure and sustainability issues • Dragomir Cioroslan: Discussion with former Olympic medalist, coach and Olympic and Paralympic Committee on various aspects of the games, competition over the years and future opportunities • U.S. Olympic and Paralympic Committee: Security, transportation and infrastructure issues on 2026 & 2028 Olympics • McKinsey & Company: Business climate in Europe and EU competitiveness • Amy Tachco: Visa process around international events

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

The mission of ModSquad Action is to encourage elected officials to work across the aisle to develop common sense solutions to tough problems. This trip will engage staff with top industry and subject matter experts so the staff can be better educated on emerging issues and communication methods, and, therefore, better equipped to work in their offices and with their constituents on common-sense and effective solutions to tough problems.

Is your organization the only sponsor for this trip?

- [x] 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

- [x] 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

- [x] The trip will not be financed in any part by a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal.
- [x] 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.

- [x] 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 not** receive invitations.

The list of invitees is below.

Travel Details

Trip Start Date/Time:
02/14/2026 @ 12:30 PM

Trip End Date/Time:
02/19/2026 @ 08:30 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: $17,550.00 | Accompanying Family Member: $0.00)

Transportation Type	Class	Amount
Airfare	Business	$10,000.00
Note Roundtrip refundable airfare in business as available.		
Ground Transportation	N/A	$50.00
Note Local train transport		
Ground Transportation	Coach	$7,500.00
Note Van transportation		

Lodging (Per Member/Officer/Employee: $1,800.00)

Check-In	Check-Out	Facility	City	State	Country	Nights	Cost/Night	Cost Exceed Per Diem
02/15/2026	02/19/2026	Hilton DoubleTree	Milan	None	Italy	4	$450.00	No

Meals (Per Member/Officer/Employee: $1146.00)

Date	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner	Incidentals	Total	City	State	Country	Cost Exceeds Per Diem
02/14/2026	$33.00	$50.00	$83.00	$25.00	**$191.00**	Milan	None	Italy	No
02/15/2026	$33.00	$50.00	$83.00	$25.00	**$191.00**	Milan	None	Italy	No
02/16/2026	$33.00	$50.00	$83.00	$25.00	**$191.00**	Milan	None	Italy	No
02/17/2026	$33.00	$50.00	$83.00	$25.00	**$191.00**	Milan	None	Italy	No
02/18/2026	$33.00	$50.00	$83.00	$25.00	**$191.00**	Milan	None	Italy	No
02/19/2026	$33.00	$50.00	$83.00	$25.00	**$191.00**	Milan	None	Italy	No

Reasonable Miscellaneous Expenses (Per Member/Officer/Employee: $0.00)

Expense Type	Amount	Notes

There are no miscellaneous expenses.

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: Milan Feb 2026

Travel Date(s): 2/14/26 - 2/19/26

Travel Destination(s): Milan, Italy

Sponsor: ModSquad Action

Jennifer Mueller — Executive Director
(printed name of sponsor representative) — *(title)*

(signature of sponsor representative) — 1/12/26 *(date)*

NAME	POSITION	OFFICE
Caitlyn Stephenson	COS	Senator Gary Peters
Elizabeth Falcone	COS	Senator Mark Warner
Mark Libell	COS	Senator Raphael Warnock
Matt Hennessey	COS	Senator Elissa Slotkin
Raphael Chavez-Fernandez	COS	Senator Ruben Gallego
Jim Notter	COS	Senator Angela Alsobrooks
Rebecca Avitia	COS	Senator Martin Heinrich
Dave Christie	COS	Senator Maggie Hassan
Alison MacDonald	COS	Senator Jeanne Shaheen
Dara Cohen	COS	Senator Jackie Rosen
Jennifer Cox	COS	Senator Mark Kelly
Mike Henry	COS	Senator Tim Kaine

Milan STAFFDEL Schedule
(All Times Are Local & All Meetings are Subject to Change):

Saturday, February 14- Sunday, February 15

UNITED OPTIONS
1. 12:35pm IAD >2:07pm EWR;
   5:30pm EWR > 7:30am MXP (arrival Sunday 2/15)

2. 5:15pm IAD > 7:10am Frankfurt (Sun 2/15);
   8:50am FRA > 10:05am LIN

3. 5:15pm IAD > 7:10am Frankfurt (Sun 2/15);
   9:30am FRA > 10:45am MXP

4. 10:00pm IAD > 11:50am Frankfurt (Sun 2/15)
   3:50pm FRA > 5:05pm LIN

DELTA
1. 6:50pm IAD > 8:15am CDG (Paris) (Sun 2/15)
   9:50am CDG > 11:15am LIN

2. 6:05pm IAD > 7:35am AMS (Amsterdam) (Sun 2/15)
   10:20am AMS > 12:00pm LIN

AMERICAN (may also be operated by British Air)
1. 8:35pm BWI > 1:25pm LHR (London)(Sun 2/15)
   10:20am LRH > 1:25pm LIN

2. 6:20pm IAD > 6:30am LHR (London) (Sun 2/15)
   8:15am LHR > 11:20 MXP

3. 1:20pm DCA > 2:51pm JFK
   6:20pm JFK > 8:05am MXP (Sun 2/15)

HOTEL:
Hilton Doubletree

Via Ludovico Di Breme 77 , Milan, 20156 Null, IT

ALL STAFFDEL ATTENDEES

Sunday, February 15

Travel from airport to hotel; check in; get settled

7:30-9:30pm **Welcome Dinner**

Monday, February 16 (6 Hours Programming)

8-9 am **Breakfast and Discussion with Dragomir Cioroslan**
CONFIRMED
Attendees: Dragomir Cioroslan
Hilton Doubletree
Discussion with former Olympic medalist, U.S. Coach and Olympic and Paralympic Committee on various aspects of the games, how the games have evolved over the years along with opportunities for the future.

9 am Depart for Chamber meeting
Train from hotel to location

9:30-11 am **American Chamber of Commerce**

CONFIRMED

Contact: Aaron Pugliesi
Via Cesare Cantu 1, 20223 Milan
Head of Advocacy, Strategy Implementation & Regional Network
This meeting will be a discussion on the past, current and future business and investment climate related to U.S. investment in Italy.

11:00-11:30 pm Travel to US Consulate

11:30-1pm **U.S. Consulate Briefing**
CONFIRMED
Via Principe Amadeo
2/10, 20121 Milano MI, Italy
Contact: Janet Fisher
Attendees: Douglas Benning, Daniel Cederberg, Sunil Ravi
Discussion with Consulate representatives around issues related to business, trade and current status of affairs.

1-3 Break for lunch TBD

3:15-5:15 **Comcast Olympics Broadcast Center Meeting and Tour**

CONFIRMED

Comcast Broadcast Center
Contact: Jenn Medley
Meeting and tour of Olympics broadcast center and conversation on various aspects of broadcasting and communicating around international events.

Tuesday, February 17 (6 Hours Programming)

7:00-8am Breakfast at hotel

8-9:00am Travel by Van to meeting

9:00 -11am **Amazon Tour and Meeting**

CONFIRMED

Vercelli Location
Contact: Amir Nasr
This tour and conversation will provide a closer look at the environment for US businesses Italy and a closer look at supply chain and fulfillment technology viewing a state-of-the-art robotics lab.

11:00am-12pm Travel to Hotel by Van

12:00-2:00pm **Lunch and Discussion with Italian Hotel Association**

CONFIRMED

DoubleTree Hotel
Contact: Alessandro Massimo Nucara
Meeting with leaders of the Italian hotel industry

- Maurizio Naro, Member of the Italian Hotel Association Board and President of the Milan Hoteliers' Association.
- Fabio Primerano, Member of the Italian Hotel Association Board and President of the Lombardy Hoteliers' Association.
- Stefano D'Ayala Valva (CEO of the Milan Hoteliers' Association and CEO of the Lombardy Hoteliers' Association.
- Mr. Luca Leoni, President Federalberghi Como and Vice President Federalberghi Lombardia

2-2:30 pm	Travel by train to meeting
2:30-4:30pm	**McKinsey & Company Briefing and Discussion** **CONFIRMED** Contact: Emily Mellencamp Smith Piazza del Duomo 31 20122 Milan, Italy Discussion around business climate in Europe and EU competitiveness with senior partners Dinner and Evening on own

Wednesday, February 18 (6 Hours Programming)

8-9am	Breakfast at Hotel
9-10 am	**Conversation with Bureau of Consular Affairs** **CONFIRMED** Attendees: Amy Tachco Hilton Doubletree Conversation and briefing regarding visa processing, stats, and challenges
10-12 pm	**Los Angeles '28 Organizing Committee Meeting and Lunch** **CONFIRMED** Hilton Doubletree Contact: Priscilla Conversation and real time updates on lessons from the 2026 Olympics and preparations on security, cyber, infrastructure, and transportation preparation for 2028.
12:00-12:30pm	Travel time by train to meeting
12:30-2:30pm	**JP Morgan - Global Finance Discussion with Lunch** **CONFIRMED** Via Cordusio, 3, 20123 Milan JPMorganChase (JPMC) executives in Milan will lead an educational discussion on the bank's role in the Global Financial System. Staffers will hear from: Massimo Greco, Managing Director, and Vice Chair for EMEA at JPMorgan Asset Management, who is based in Milan. Mr. Greco, who has

been with JPMorgan since 1992, will speak to the firm's position as a US-based company that has become a global banking leader. Additionally, Mr. Greco is uniquely positioned to educate staffers on the firm's approach to and presence in the European markets as Italy is one of the largest markets for our funds in EMEA.

Leonardo Rivella, Vice President of JPMC International Government Relations, will also join the discussion.

JPMorganChase has been in Italy for over 100 years, and as in the US, the bank plays an important role in local community development and investment, which the executives will also address.

2:30-3:00pm Travel time by train to meeting

3:00-4pm **Meeting with the International Olympic Committee**
CONFIRMED
Hilton Doubletree
Contact: Katie Mascagni
Update on critical aspects of this international event to include security, transportation, infrastructure and sustainability.

Thursday, February 19

Travel day