

MEDIA ADVISORY

Pittsburgh to Host Inaugural Eradicate Hate Global Summit Unprecedented global conference aimed at stemming the expansion of hate-fueled extremism

The inaugural *Eradicate Hate Global Summit* will kick off in Pittsburgh, PA on 18 October 2021. It grew out of the deadliest anti-Semitic attack in U.S. history. In October 2018, a heavily armed gunman massacred worshipers from three different congregations at Pittsburgh's Tree of Life Synagogue.

The Summit brings together leaders from government, academia, journalism, business, and the non-profit sector, all of whom are committed to stopping the viral spread of extremist hate across the globe. The Summit is a search for effective on-going solutions.

Featured keynote speakers include:

- ALEJANDRO MAYORKAS, U.S. Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security
- MAJOR GARRETT, Chief Washington Correspondent, CBS News
- ALICE WAIRIMU NDERITU, Special Adviser on the Prevention of Genocide, United Nations
- GARY LOCKE, Chairman at Committee of 100, Former Governor of Washington State, Former U.S. Secretary of Commerce, Former U.S. Ambassador to China, Interim President, Bellevue College
- JONATHAN GREENBLATT, CEO and National Director, Anti-Defamation League

A complete list of keynote speakers can be found here.

Some of the newsworthy sessions at the summit include:

- The Role of Tech In the Fight Against Hate and Extremism
- The Virus of Hate: COVID-19 as a Breeding Ground for Extremism
- The First Amendment and The Communications Decency Act: Important Protections of Speech and Privacy or Enablers of Extremism?
- Learning from Within: How the Lived Experience of Extremists Can Inform Solutions

A complete listing of sessions can be found in the here.



Media Registration:

In Person Media Registration information, please email us

at press@eradicatehatesummit.org

If you are unable to join in person, please view the live streaming options here.

Additional details:

- WHEN: October 18-20, 2021
- WHERE: The David L. Lawrence Convention Center, 1000 Fort Duquesne Blvd., Pittsburgh, PA 15222
- MEDIA BACKGROUNDER: Click here.
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