



**Peter Lucier**  
**Partnership Lead – Team America Relief**

Peter serves as the partnership lead for [Team America Relief](#), a volunteer organization which seeks to provide timely and relevant information, and coordinate resources, in order to assist in the responsible evacuation, relocation, or transition of at-risk persons. Team America Relief was founded in the early days of the non-combatant evacuation operation conducted by US military troops in Kabul, Afghanistan. Team America volunteers include veterans, front line civilians, and Americans from all across the country, and all walks of life.

In his role as partnership lead, Peter, along with an incredible team of Team America volunteer partners, served as a liaison and point of coordination between Team America efforts, and the broader eco-system of volunteer groups, advocacy organizations, US government entities, and other stakeholders in the relief efforts directed towards at-risk Afghans in the wake of the overthrow of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan by the Taliban in 2021. In this role, Peter, among others, helps to represent Team America Relief within both the AfghanEvac and Evacuate Our Allies coalitions.

Peter is a graduate of Montana State University, with a BA in political science, and holds a JD from the St. Louis University School of Law.

A product of St. Louis, Missouri, Peter enlisted in the Marine Corps in 2008, after graduating from St. Louis University High School. He served as an 0311 infantry rifleman for five years, deploying to Cuba, Spain, Bahrain, and Afghanistan, before being honorably discharged as a corporal in 2013.

An activist, volunteer, and writer, Peter has worked to coordinate pro bono legal services for veterans in St. Louis, and his writing on national security, defense, foreign policy, and veteran issues has appeared in the New York Times, Washington Post, Foreign Policy, America magazine, and other publications.