



Truth in Testimony Disclosure Form

In accordance with Rule XI, clause 2(g)(5)* of the *Rules of the House of Representatives*, witnesses are asked to disclose the following information. Please complete this form electronically by filling in the provided blanks.

Committee: Oversight and Government Reform 

Subcommittee: Delivering on Government Efficiency 

Hearing Date: 02/26/2025

Hearing Title :

America Last: How Foreign Aid Undermined U.S. Interests Around the World

Witness Name: Noam Unger

Position/Title: Director, Sustainable Development and Resilience Initiative and Senior Fellow, Project on Prosperity and Development

Witness Type: ☐ Governmental ☒ Non-governmental

Are you representing yourself or an organization? ☒ Self ☐ Organization

If you are representing an organization, please list what entity or entities you are representing:

I am representing my personal viewpoints but I am an employee of the Center for Strategic and International Studies.

FOR WITNESSES APPEARING IN A NON-GOVERNMENTAL CAPACITY

Please complete the following fields. If necessary, attach additional sheet(s) to provide more information.

Are you a fiduciary—including, but not limited to, a director, officer, advisor, or resident agent—of any organization or entity that has an interest in the subject matter of the hearing? If so, please list the name of the organization(s) or entities.

No.

Please list any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) related to the hearing's subject matter that you or the organization(s) you represent have received in the past thirty-six months from the date of the hearing. Include the source and amount of each grant or contract.

While I am testifying on my own behalf, CSIS programs received the following funding in the past 36 months that is relevant to the hearing's subject:

- The 2023-06-30 - U.S. Agency for International Development - \$75,000.00 - Contract proposal was Ukraine Chicago Business Conference.
- The 2024-07-31 - Department of State - \$150,000.00 - Contract proposal was Ukraine Business Facilitation Program.
- The 2024-04-30 - U.S. Agency for International Development - \$250,000.00 - USAID Moldova-Moldova at a Crossroads: Reimagining U.S.-Moldova Relations.
- The 2024-09-25 - U.S. Agency for International Development - \$75,000.00 - Doing Business in Ukraine Conference Sponsorship - proposal was Doing Business in Ukraine Conference Sponsorship.
- The 2024-09-27 - U.S. Agency for International Development - \$15,000.00 - SDRI: Resilience at Scale: A New Paradigm for Infr proposal was SDRI: Resilience at Scale: A New Paradigm for Infrastructure Investments.
- The 2021-01-21 - U.S. Agency for International Development - \$1,500,015.00 - Humanitarian Agenda - Grant on humanitarian agenda.
- The 2023-09-11 - U.S. Agency for International Development - \$1,500,000.00 - USAID BHA - Grant on USAID BHA.
- 2024-04-30 - U.S. Agency for International Development - \$500,000.00 - PTF Strengthening US Leadership in Response to the Global Food Security Crisis.
- The 2024-01-15 - Resonance Federal - \$20,000.00 - Event to announce the closing of the MujerProspere Challenge - Grant proposal was Event to announce the closing of the MujerProspere Challenge.
- The 2023-02-28 - DAI Global Federal - \$20,000.00 - Contract proposal was Digital Strategy Convenings.
- The 2023-11-10 - DAI Global Federal - \$40,000.00 - Contract proposal was Prosper Africa-Potential New Directions for AGOA.
- The 2024-03-31 - DAI Global Federal - \$25,000.00 - Contract proposal was Prosper Africa Support of Global Development Forum.

Please list any contracts, grants, or payments originating with a foreign government and related to the hearing's subject that you or the organization(s) you represent have received in the past thirty-six months from the date of the hearing. Include the amount and country of origin of each contract or payment.

While I am testifying on my own behalf, CSIS programs received the following funding in the past 36 months that is relevant to the hearing's subject:

- The 2023-09-29 - Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) - \$120,000.00 - Ukraine Economic Reconstruction Commission - proposal was Ukraine Economic Reconstruction Commission.
- The 2023-12-07 - Royal Danish Embassy - \$450,000.00 - SDRI + PPD + GFWS + Africa: Research Partnership on International Deve proposal was SDRI + PPD + GFWS + Africa: Research Partnership on International Development.
- The 2023-02-03 - Ministry of Foreign Affairs Japan - \$40,000.00 - Developing Finance Models - Grant proposal was Developing Finance Models.

Please complete the following fields. If necessary, attach additional sheet(s) to provide more information.

- ☒ I have attached a written statement of proposed testimony.
- ☒ I have attached my curriculum vitae or biography.

* Rule XI, clause 2(g)(5), of the U.S. House of Representatives provides:

(5)(A) Each committee shall, to the greatest extent practicable, require witnesses who appear before it to submit in advance written statements of proposed testimony and to limit their initial presentations to the committee to brief summaries thereof.

(B) In the case of a witness appearing in a non-governmental capacity, a written statement of proposed testimony shall include— (i) a curriculum vitae; (ii) a disclosure of any Federal grants or contracts, or contracts, grants, or payments originating with a foreign government, received during the past 36 months by the witness or by an entity represented by the witness and related to the subject matter of the hearing; and (iii) a disclosure of whether the witness is a fiduciary (including, but not limited to, a director, officer, advisor, or resident agent) of any organization or entity that has an interest in the subject matter of the hearing.

(C) The disclosure referred to in subdivision (B)(ii) shall include— (i) the amount and source of each Federal grant (or subgrant thereof) or contract (or subcontract thereof) related to the subject matter of the hearing; and (ii) the amount and country of origin of any payment or contract related to the subject matter of the hearing originating with a foreign government.

(D) Such statements, with appropriate redactions to protect the privacy or security of the witness, shall be made publicly available in electronic form 24 hours before the witness appears to the extent practicable, but not later than one day after the witness appears.



False Statements Certification

Knowingly providing material false information to this committee/subcommittee, or knowingly concealing material information from this committee/subcommittee, is a crime (18 U.S.C. § 1001). This form will be made part of the hearing record.



Witness signature

2/25/20

Date

