

COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES
118th Congress Disclosure Form
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“Examining Systemic Government Overreach at CEQ”
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For Nongovernment Witnesses ONLY:

1. Please attach/include current curriculum vitae or resume.

Please see attached.

2. Please list any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) related to the subject matter of the hearing that were received in the current year and previous two calendar years by you or the organization(s) you represent at this hearing, including the source and amount of each grant or contract.

None

3. Please list any contracts or payments originating with a foreign government related to the subject matter of the hearing that were received in the current year and previous two calendar years by you or the organization(s) you represent at this hearing, including the amount and country of origin of each contract or payment.

None

4. Please disclose whether you are 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.

None

5. Please list any current or pending litigation against the Federal government to which you or your organization is a party. Please disclose as applicable case name, docket number, the court, and subject matter of the litigation.

None

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POLICY EXPERIENCE

THE HERITAGE FOUNDATION WASHINGTON, D.C.

Senior Fellow. Research and writing on energy, climate, and environment issues. (June 2023 to present).

FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY. MIAMI, FL.

Associate Research Professor, Institute of Environment. Director, Environmental Finance and Risk Management Program. Director, Environment, Law and Economics Initiative. Teach environment and natural resources law at the College of Law. (Aug. 2020 to present).

COMPETITIVE ENTERPRISE INSTITUTE. WASHINGTON, D.C.

Senior Fellow. Research and writing on energy/environment, constitutional law, and hi-tech, innovation, and competition. (Aug. 2019 to June 2023).

THE WHITE HOUSE. Washington, D.C.

Associate Director for Regulatory Reform, Council on Environmental Quality. Coordinated reforms of the federal permitting and environmental review process for major infrastructure projects. Helped to draft executive orders, directives to agencies, guidance, and proposed rulemakings. Member of U.S. delegation to USMCA negotiation and to UN Biodiversity Conference. (Mar 2017 to Aug 2019).

AMERICAN ENTERPRISE INSTITUTE. Washington, D.C.

Senior Researcher and Writer, Global Internet Strategy. (Feb 2016 to Dec 2016). Principal coordinator, researcher, and drafter of AEI's reports on U.S. cyber policy, including its major report, "[An American Strategy for Cyberspace](#)" (June 2016).

OFFICE OF SENATOR BENJAMIN SASSE (R-NE), WASHINGTON, DC

Senior staff. Project on Constitution's separation of powers, including the history of the executive branch and its relation to Congress and the courts (May-Oct 2015).

TEXAS PUBLIC POLICY FOUNDATION. AUSTIN, TX

Senior Fellow. Research and writing on constitutional law, federalism, energy & environment, health policy (June 2010 to May 2015).

U.S. SENATE REPUBLICAN POLICY COMMITTEE. Washington, D.C.

Counsel, Foreign and Defense Policy. Disseminated analysis of major issues in foreign and defense affairs for Senate offices (Oct 2007 to Jan/Mar 2009).

FOUNDATION FOR THE DEFENSE OF DEMOCRACIES. Washington, D.C.

Fellow: Analyst and writer, foreign/defense policy, extensive travel throughout Middle East (Aug 2006 to Sep 2007).

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE. The Pentagon

Special Assistant - Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Policy. Drafted and coordinated policy, communications, and action items (Jan 2005 to July 2006).

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Internship, Foreign & Defense Policy (2003).

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

MICHAEL, BEST & FRIEDRICH. Madison, Wisconsin

Associate (Corporate Law): Negotiated and drafted medium- and small commercial finance transactions; workouts and bankruptcy litigation (2002).

MAYER, BROWN. New York, New York

Associate (Transactions Practice): Negotiated and drafted large commercial finance transactions, and supervised securities filings. Composed guides on international business law for use in cross-border transactions. (Dec 1999 – Dec 2001).

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Associate (Corporate Finance): Negotiated and drafted credit transactions for banking clients, chiefly in Spanish; commercial litigation. (Aug 1998 – Dec 1999).

EDUCATION

WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW: J.D. 1998

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN/MADISON: B.A. European History 1995

LANGUAGES Fluent Spanish and French; reading ability Portuguese.

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