



DEMOCRATS ABROAD

Global Caucuses

Thursday, December 16 18 2021, 11:00 ET

Global Caucus Leaders Meeting

Agenda

Present: Karen Frankenstein, Beth Landry, Sruthi Venkatraman, Bruce Murray, Leedonal Moore, Ann Hesse, Marnie Delaney, Mike Nitz

11:00 Welcome to Diego Rivas, EMEA GOTV Coordinator - diego_rivas@democratsabroad.org

- Recording link (not yet)
- amplify messaging for GOTV
- What are your asks for the Global level?
- Sponsor Phone Banking Parties
- each month a different caucus
- Ann- Registration Opp/Voter Assistance for all who are on a caucus event call
 - Who will do that now? - KENDRA is running Voter Assistance
 - This could be a great thing for the Reproductive Justice Team to start with Texas (mid Jan)
- Marnie - we are focusing on ppl with disabilities - overall DA Plan
 - Caroline Ruchonnet is leading this
 - Who can coordinate with us for GOTV? - Check in with Kendra for this voter assistance
- Jazz - reaching out to grassroots organizations to connect with their members abroad
 - First event in January -With Theresa Ritterhoff (will be doing this once a month)
 - Publicize as GOTV event too
 - How to run a phone banking party?
 - anyone with training can run it
 - For example: Jan will start - calling texas voters for primaries
 - Anyone can make these calls
 - hold zoom party so they are all making
- Bruce
 - ProDA interested in hosting phonebanking event
 - ProDA is working on pivotal primaries project as well
 - how to incorporate all the moving parts? - email to Diego with any new info, for example, the King Family for MLK day.
- Mike
 - Who is running GOTV or is it per committee?
 - 3 regional coordinators/Heidi Burch /(VFA)
 - Who can I speak with to get things moving for Military GOTV?
 - Can talk to CCs individually if needed, but it would be better to coordinate with GOTV

- Dont forget that Biden won the military vote
 - GOTV Military Launch - January - run by Diego
 - VMF Caucus
 - CC Chairs
 - Anyone else with relevant experience
 - Jazz has a good connection for DAG GOTV
- Beth
 - its important to maintain the support format for these kinds of calling events
 - This was done in Sweden and was hugely successful

UPDATES:

- Significant Dates for Your Social Media
 - January 22 Infiltrating the Red Zone - MESSAGING - GWC
 - Student Loans Event - Jan 31 ProDA
 - Steve Hale - Feb event
 - How to ensure that events dont clash?
 - Please see this page in the Wiki:
 - <https://democratsabroad.atlassian.net/wiki/spaces/GCC/pages/2402878202/Schedule+A+C+aucus+Event>
 - And notify everyone asap via the global events form or email the other caucuses when you have a firm date!
- Strategic Plans for 2022:
 - Reference Document:
 - https://docs.google.com/document/d/1daPO1yiW9uDjMkPFAiAlbnrB3jhNwtPp8_Dt39clv-E/edit?usp=sharing
 - Please email your completed plans to Beth Landry and Candice with me in CC.
- **Next Meeting: January 20: 11:00AM EST / 5:00PM CET / 10PM Vietnam**
- All Caucus Newsletter: PLEASE USE <https://forms.gle/w5iVjNe8LEGukpHx5>
- December All Caucus Newsletter
 - **Submit news and events by January 3, 2021**
- Some new info on how to format your newsletters:
 - <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1Bzo1vh8ivRHxdEIKJr7uGmvvfG6lk-xw?usp=sharing>
- Newsletter schedule for January will be sent around Friday Dec 17