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‘sights set on white house’

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**State:** Born: New York

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**Current Position:**

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  + Brown University – BA in Economics
  + Columbia Law School - JD
* **Experience:**
  + Corporate lawyer at Davis Polk & Wardwell
  + Fund raiser
  + Healthcare software start up,- MMF Systems, Inc.
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* **Position on Issues:** 
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#### Crime

#### increasing the salaries of federal regulators but limiting their private work after they leave public service

#### Lower recidivism rate

* + - * Review the current mandatory minimum laws to bring them in line with what data shows us is effective
      * Shift federal drug policy away from punishment and towards treatment
      * End the use of for-profit, private prisons
      * Fund programs targeted at reducing recidivism and increasing reintegration
      * Push for a reconsideration of the harshness of our felony laws, including an investigation into any civil rights issues raised by the disproportionate amount of minorities convicted of these crimes

#### Drug costs

### Economy

### proposes a $1,000/month "[Freedom Dividend](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Basic_income)" to all U.S. citizens over the age of 18

### making tax-day a national holiday

### Universal Basic Income

### Human Centered Capitalism

### Education

#### Election issues

#### White House Psychologist

#### Environment

#### It’s important to regulate fossil fuels, both to control climate change and to improve the health of the average American. Renewable energy must be invested in, not only as a means of moderating climate change but also to drive economic growth. However, innovation must also be relied on to reverse the damage already caused.

#### Foreign Policy

#### Guns

#### Responsible gun owners should continue to enjoy the right to bear arms, subject to licensing and education requirements that will encourage the public safety.

### Healthcare

### Medicare for All

### Housing

#### Immigration

#### we also need to find ways to address this massive community of undocumented immigrants who entered the country illegally. a pathway to citizenship must be provided (after securing our southern border, so that we don’t end up right back where we started). However, this pathway must reflect the fact that these individuals tried to circumvent our legal immigration system

#### Supports the Dream Act

* + - Increase funding to secure our landed ports of entry, where most drugs enter the United States
    - Increase funding to our Customs Enforcement teams that are tasked with preventing human trafficking both into and out of the US
    - Invest in technologies such as ground and aerial sensors, and video towers, to allow for efficient and effective means of monitoring stretches of the US/Mexico border that are rarely crossed but still provide means of entering the US
    - Provide body cameras for all agents along the US/Mexico border
    - Invest heavily in protecting and renewing the Rio Grande, which serves as a great natural boundary, and is currently ecologically struggling
    - Provide all resources necessary to allow our asylum court system to function properly, lowering the backlog of cases and thus removing one of the prime reasons we’ve seen “caravans” increasing in size and frequency
    - Work with the Mexican government on these initiatives, as well as anti-cartel initiatives, to ensure a positive relationship that allows both countries to serve the needs of their citizens

#### Monopolies and government intervention

#### Opioid epidemic response

#### The Department of Health and Human Services, must find solutions to this emergency and coordinate with the states and local governments in its implementation. The CDC must use its expertise to quantify and combat this plague. The FDA must implement new steps to ensure that a similar crisis doesn’t develop in the future. Most of all, we must fund treatment for everyday Americans.

### Social Issues and Civil Rights

### department focused on regulating the addictive nature of media

### Sexual orientation and gender identity should be protected classes under the law, receiving all the federal protections afforded under the Constitution and law.

* + - Create a federally mandated paid family leave policy

#### Working class