

Name: Kirsten Gillibrand

<https://www.rollingstone.com/politics/politics-news/kirsten-gillibrand-presidential-announcement-809215/>

State: Born: New York

Current resident: NY

Current Position: US Senator



- **Committees**

- Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry
 - Subcommittee on Domestic and Foreign Marketing, Inspection, and Plant and Animal Health (Ranking Member)
 - Subcommittee on Energy, Science and Technology
 - Subcommittee on Hunger, Nutrition and Family Farms
- Committee on Armed Services
 - Subcommittee on Personnel (Ranking Member)
 - Subcommittee on Airland
 - Subcommittee on Emerging Threats and Capabilities
 - Subcommittee on Strategic Forces
- Committee on Environment and Public Works
 - Subcommittee on Green Jobs and the New Economy
 - Subcommittee on Oversight
 - Subcommittee on Superfund, Toxics and Environmental Health
 - Special Committee on Aging

- **Education:**

- Dartmouth College in Asian Studies
- UCLA School of Law

- **Experience:**

- Attorney in government and private practice: Davis, Polk, Wardell, Boies, Schiller & Flexner
- Law Clerk for Judge Roger Miner of US court of Appeals
- US Representative
 - Committee on Agriculture
 - Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit, Energy, and Research
 - Subcommittee on Horticulture and Organic Agriculture
 - Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry (Chair)
 - Committee on Armed Services
 - Subcommittee on Seapower and Expeditionary Forces
 - Subcommittee on Terrorism and Unconventional Threats
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- Special Counsel to HUD

- **Position on Issues:**

- **Crime**
- **Drug costs**
- **Economy**

- member of the [Blue Dog Coalition](#), a caucus of [fiscally conservative](#) Democrats
 - voted against the [Emergency Economic Stabilization Act of 2008](#), the bailout
- **Education**
- **Election issues**
 - Ninety-seven percent of donations to her 2018 campaign totaled \$100 or less
 - *Get money out of politics*
- **Environment**
 - Pass a green new deal
- **Foreign Policy**
- **Guns**
 - voted for a bill that limited information-sharing between federal agencies about firearm purchasers
 - received an "F" rating from NRA as of 2018
 - end gun violence
- **Healthcare**
 - Universal health care for all
 - Paid family leave for all
- **Housing**
- **Immigration**
 - spoke against the issuance of driver's licenses to undocumented [immigrants](#)
 - In a 2019 reversal of a past position, Gillibrand stated her support for driver's licenses for undocumented immigrants
 - voted for a bill that would withhold federal funds from immigrant [sanctuary cities](#)
 - 2018: I think you should reimagine ICE under a new agency with a very different mission
- **Monopolies and government intervention**
- **Opioid epidemic response**
- **Social Issues and Civil Rights**
 - advocated for civil unions for same-sex couples
 - expressed support for same-sex marriage
 - supporting [abortion rights](#)
 - helping lead the successful repeal effort of "Don't Ask, Don't Tell"
 - "zero tolerance" doctrine regarding accusations of sexual misconduct by members of Congress
 - Work to end sexual assault in the military
- **Working class**
 - moved sharply leftward on economic issues, embracing a number of proposals to expand the social safety net and bolster lower-income families
 - supports a federal jobs guarantee