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Congressional Freethought Caucus

The only humanist and agnostic serving openly in Congress, Representative Jared Huffman founded the Congressional Freethought Caucus in April 2018. The goals of the CFC are to promote public policy formed on the basis of reason, science, and moral values; to protect the secular character of our government by adhering to the strict Constitutional principle of the separation of church and state; to oppose discrimination against atheists, agnostics, humanists, seekers, religious and nonreligious persons, and to champion the value of freedom of thought and conscience worldwide; and to provide a forum for members of Congress to discuss their moral frameworks, ethical values, and personal religious journeys.

Former House of Representatives historian Ray Smock and historian of science and religion Stephen Weldon have noted what they see as the unique and historic nature of this caucus. Smock says it hearkens back to the Enlightenment ideas from the founding of the nation, and Weldon points out the political liability of being non-religious.^[2] Raskin called the caucus formation "historic", while Huffman stated the Caucus would "help spark an open dialogue about science and reason-based policy."



Jared Huffman

The American Humanist Association (AHA) is pleased to honor Representative Jared Huffman (D-CA) as the 2020 Humanist of the Year at its 79th Annual Conference, "Distant but Together: A Virtual Celebration of Humanism," streaming live online on August 8, 2020.

Online Forums

Due to COVID 19 our forums are online with Zoom. Echoplex Media provides the platform. Go to <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/314247393> to attend online through the microphone and camera on your computer or go to <https://www.echoplexmedia.com/humanist> to watch the forum.

EVENTS HUMANIST COMMUNITY IN SILICON VALLEY

August 2020

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday



2 11:00 AM
Sunday Forum
Is Atheism Still a Dirty Word?
discussion



3
International Friendship Day



4 Ann Frank Arrested
1944



5 7:15 PM
Free Thought Discussion



6 7:05 PM
Academic Video



7 Hiroshima
75 years
Stop the Slide to War!



8 Free 2020 6am-11pm
American Humanist Annual Conference
Distant but together
A Virtual Celebration of Humanism
Details: conference.americanhumanists.org

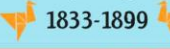


9 11:00 AM
SundayForum
Fear of Science and Its Origins
Allan Griff




10

11 Robert Ingersoll Day
'We rise by lifting others'
1833-1899



12 7:15 PM
Free Thought Discussion - Books



13 7:05 PM
Academic Video



14 10:00 AM
Topical Discussion
Ethical Culture Society
(RSVP on Meetup)



15

16 11:00 AM
Sunday Forum
Supreme Court 2020
Review of Major Cases, a Humanist Perspective
Leland Chan




17 IMAGINE
• No Child Detention
• Living Wages
• Healthcare For All
Joe Biden DEMOCRAT



18 1920
19th Amendment Ratified
Doubling the Voting Public

19 7:15 PM
Free Thought Discussion - Books




20 7:05 PM
Academic Video




21 10:00 AM
Topical Discussion
Ethical Culture Society
(RSVP on Meetup)



22 2:00 PM
Atheist Abbey



23 11:00 AM
SundayForum
Braver Angels
Michael Abramsom




24 7:PM
Board Meeting
Members Welcome



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26 7:15 PM
Free Thought Discussion - Books
Contact Carl for the Location of each Book & Video Group
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27 7:05 PM
Academic Video



28 10:00 AM
Topical Discussion
Ethical Culture Society
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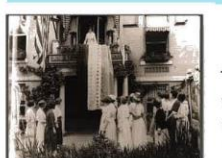


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30 11:00 AM
Sunday Forum
Modern Monetary Theory
Carl Angotti



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The banner when the final star was added after 70 years of struggle.

