

Free State Foundation  
Seventeenth Annual Policy Conference

March 25, 2025

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**WHERE:** National Press Club, Washington, DC / **WHEN:** Tuesday, March 25, 2025, 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

The Free State Foundation will hold its Seventeenth Annual Policy Conference on March 25, 2025, at the National Press Club in Washington, DC. This annual conference is acknowledged to be one of the nation's premier law and policy events. As always, a truly outstanding lineup of senior officials and prominent experts from the FCC and Congress, and from other government agencies, industry, academia, and think tanks will discuss and debate the most important communications and Internet policy issues of the day, as well as other topical law and policy issues involving free market competition, free speech, and the rule of law. With a new Trump administration, a new Congress, and new leadership at the FCC, FTC, and other agencies, this promises to be one of the most impactful of FSF's annual conferences.

*Speakers at this year's conference include:*

**Keynoters**

**Senator Ted Cruz**, Chairman, Senate Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation; **Andrew Ferguson**, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; **Melissa Holyoak**, Commissioner, Federal Trade Commission; **Congressman Richard Hudson**, Chairman, House Subcommittee on Communications and Technology; **Michael O'Rielly**, former Commissioner, Federal Communications Commission, and Adjunct Senior Fellow, FSF; **Ajit Pai**, former Commissioner, Federal Communications Commission, and Partner, Searchlight Capital; **Nathan Simington**, FCC Commissioner; and **Jonathan Turley**, Shapiro Chair for Public Interest Law, George Washington University Law School, and Fox News Media Contributor

**Other Confirmed Speakers**

**Rick Cimerman** – Vice President, External and State Affairs Lead for NCTA  
**Michelle Connolly** – Professor of the Practice, Economics Department, Duke University, and Member of the FSF Board of Academic Advisors  
**Seth Cooper** – Director of Policy Studies and Senior Fellow, FSF  
**Robert Fisher** – Senior Vice President, Federal Government Relations & Public Affairs, Verizon  
**Daniel Lyons** – Professor and Associate Dean of Academic Affairs, Boston College Law School, and Member of the FSF's Board of Academic Advisors  
**Randolph May** – President, FSF  
**Rosa Mendoza** – Founder, President, and CEO, ALLvanza

**Registration, continental breakfast, and lunch are complimentary, but you must register to attend the conference!**

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