



FOLEY
FOUNDATION

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MISSION STATEMENT



OUR MISSION ▾

To advocate for American hostages and wrongful detainees held abroad and promote journalist safety.

At the Foley Foundation, we work to:

Advocate for Hostages and Wrongful Detainees

- Grow our support team to advocate for more families
- Enhance our annual *Bringing Americans Home* research
- Expand our research to identify effective strategies to deter and prevent hostage-taking
- Advocate for the policies, legislation, and action needed to protect Americans abroad

Promote Journalist Safety

- Improve access to the Foundation's online journalist safety education program for aspiring and freelance journalists
- Collaborate with schools of journalism and communication to increase inclusion of safety education in the design of courses
- Collaborate with other press freedom non-profits to advocate for imprisoned journalists and augment access to journalist safety education

Inspire Moral Courage

- Build partnerships to inspire moral courage and radical empathy through storytelling and education
- Encourage high school students to engage in positive civic engagement



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LETTER FROM PRESIDENT & FOUNDER

Dear Friends of the Foley Foundation,

2023 was a year of highs and lows, demonstrating once again that international hostage taking, and wrongful detentions constitute a top national security threat. Our 2023 “Bringing Americans Home” research report issued in September highlighted an increase in nation states targeting and wrongfully detaining innocent U.S. nationals and noted a decrease in hostage taking by terrorists. That trend changed dramatically only weeks later when the horrific Hamas hostage taking of 253 innocents of multiple nations, including 12 United States nationals, occurred on October 7, 2023. Thankfully, our government quickly engaged a coalition of nations to begin negotiating for the hostages’ release.

Your generous contributions - including major donors like David Bradley and institutions such as the Emerson Collective and the Diana Davis Spencer Foundation - allowed us to drive our mission forward. We strengthened our advocacy on behalf of hostages, highlighted the need for effective hostage-taking prevention and deterrence measures, and enhanced our journalist safety education program.

With your support, the Foley Foundation, was able to successfully advocate for the return of **28 innocent fellow Americans** from Haiti, Iran, Lebanon, Mexico, Nicaragua, Niger, the Palestinian Territories, Russia, Rwanda, Saudi Arabia and Venezuela in 2023. We increased our engagement with the U.S. Hostage Enterprise and Congress and supported American families suffering the horror of a loved one taken hostage abroad. The foundation supported the efforts of the “Bring Our Families Home Campaign,” led by families of hostages, as an advisor and fiscal sponsor.

In May of 2023, we collaborated with Hostage US to host “Hostage Week,” a series of events in D.C. that included a hostage family support and networking event, a reception by Hostage US, and the Foley Freedom Awards all of which raised awareness and resources to support the return of innocent fellow Americans held captive abroad. Advocacy by the Foley Foundation assisted in the passage of legislation that codified a national Hostage/Wrongful Detainee Flag,



established an annual Hostage/Wrongful Detainee Day of remembrance on March 9, and for the first time, secured financial assistance for families of Americans wrongfully detained abroad and for detainees who return home.

In 2023, Dr. Thomas Durkin launched our Journalist Safety Task Force to ensure that the Foley Foundation’s safety curriculum remains updated with the latest in journalist safety education for aspiring journalists and freelancers. Our collaborations with Head Set and the DART Center at Columbia University continued to provide freelance journalists with critical safety training.

The Foley Foundation started because of Jim’s moral courage and continues because of YOU! We are forever grateful for each of you for your generosity and compassion for fellow Americans held hostage or wrongfully detained abroad and for journalist safety.

Sincerest gratitude,
Diane M. Foley
President & Founder

LETTER FROM BOARD CHAIR

In 2023, the Foley Foundation strengthened our team by hiring Benjamin Gray as our new executive director and enhanced our financial position through continued donations, sponsorships, and record-breaking participation in our signature fundraising events - the James W. Foley Freedom Awards and the James W. Foley Freedom Run. We also increased our outreach to foundations and private donors. This fundraising allowed us to expand our efforts to ensure that our government prioritizes the release of all Americans unjustly held captive abroad.

Benjamin came to us in July from Google, where he held a strategy and operations role, improving consumer privacy and safety in ads. He has held other senior positions in private industry and at the FBI, where he served as chief of staff of the Hostage Recovery Fusion Cell.

We are thankful for the many new sponsors of the 2023 Freedom Awards held at the National Press Club, which resulted in one of our largest fundraising totals. The Freedom Run included, for the first time, an officially timed run in Washington, D.C. which together with the flagship race in New Hampshire and the virtual run option brought in donations and sponsorships of over \$150,000, a new record.

We welcomed to our board Richard Gingras, Global Vice President, News at Google, and Fernando Colina, an IT executive who has held positions at IBM, CDB Software, and BMC Software, among others. Long-time board member David Rohde, Senior Executive Editor, National

Security, for NBC News concluded his service as a member of the board. His commitment and service to the foundation is greatly appreciated, and he will be missed.

With the help of MG Strategy + Design and Brian Oakes, a friend of Jim and director of *Jim: The James Foley Story*, we initiated a re-branding process, including the design of a new logo. By doing this, we hope to better tell the story of the foundation's work, highlight those Americans who are still held captive abroad, and engage our supporters.

All of this progress has been made thanks to our excellent staff - Benjamin, Amy Coyne, Tom Durkin, Cynthia Loertscher and Patti Derochemont, our Board of Directors, Advisory Council, and volunteers who have been force multipliers in attaining our goals. Thanks to these dedicated folks and to all our generous donors who help make our work possible.

Sincerely,

Ellen Shearer
Board Chair



JOURNALIST SAFETY

- With support from the James P. Ruder Foundation, the Foley Foundation welcomed our third Marquette Foley Fellow, T.J. Dysart, to work with JWFLF Education Program Director Tom Durkin on amplifying university outreach and updating our safety materials. Currently, instructors at over 20 colleges and universities have incorporated elements of the JWFLF Safety Modules. In addition, JWFLF has partnered with UT-Austin's Moody College of Communication to design a nationwide survey of journalism and communications programs concerning safety for aspiring journalists.
- In August 2023, Tom Durkin visited Beirut, Lebanon to further our work with the Samir Kassir Foundation's SKeys Center for Media and Cultural Freedom. While in Lebanon, Tom facilitated a journalist safety discussion with 11 instructors from four Lebanese universities on incorporating the JWFLF Safety Modules into their journalism curricula.
- Tom Durkin and board member David Levinson collaborated with Teach for All, global a community of changemakers developing collective leadership to ensure all children can fulfill their potential, to create a safety guide for their teaching cohorts. Utilizing the James W. Foley Traveler Safety Guide as a template, we worked collaboratively on a guide for Teach for All cohorts working in Mexico.
- In 2023, the Foley Foundation expanded our partnership with Head Set, an immersive learning system that incorporates VR technology, to provide safety training for 50 journalists. To increase



accessibility, three sessions took place virtually and two sessions were held in person (in Washington, D.C., and New York City). The half-day virtual sessions covered civil unrest and stress management. The two full-day sessions incorporated first aid training and more hands-on strategies for journalists in the field. The cost for journalists to participate was fully covered by JWFLF.

- The Foley Foundation participated in several events, including A Culture of Safety Alliance (ACOS) annual safety coordination meeting in NYC, the Online News Association annual conference in Philadelphia, and screenings of *Jim: The James Foley Story* in Milwaukee and Madison, WI. We also participated in several safety discussions, including with Louisville's Courier-Journal and the Midwest Chapter of the National Academy for Television Arts & Sciences.
- Lastly, Tom Durkin and Foley board member Rana Altenburg continue to work with Marquette University faculty and administrators on implementing a funding strategy to archive Jim's materials, including all of his journalism and photojournalism work, at Marquette's Raynor Library. These materials will have an initial soft opening in Summer 2024, during the 10th anniversary of Jim's murder and the founding of the Foley Foundation, and will ultimately be made available to students, researchers, and others around the world.



HOSTAGE ADVOCACY

■ The Foley Foundation published its 5th annual research report, *Bringing Americans Home*, in September 2023. This year's report focused on providing updated statistical data regarding hostage-taking and wrongful detention from 2001 through July 31, 2023. Our analysis of this data and the status of prior year recommendations generated findings and updated policy and legislative recommendations for improvement. Several of these recommendations were then codified into law by the December 2023 National Defense Authorization Act. Reforms included: the establishment of a national Hostage and Wrongful Detainee Day (March 9 annually) and flag (similar to the POW/MIA flag), benefits for family members of those wrongfully detained such as travel funding to support their advocacy efforts, and for families and returned captives cost-reimbursable mental and physical health care.

■ The report was launched, with the support of New America, at an in-person and livestreamed event moderated by Sarah Moriarty during New America's Future Security Forum in September. Participating in the discussion about the report's findings and recommendations were Special Presidential Envoy for Hostage Affairs Roger Carstens, Elizabeth Whelan (sister of Paul Whelan wrongfully detained in Russia), JWFLF Board Vice Chair Ali Soufan, and the report's author Cynthia Loertscher.

■ *Bringing Americans Home* continues to be cited widely in news articles about hostage-taking and in 2023 provided useful context for the largest hostage-taking crisis in modern history when Hamas militants captured 253 individuals from several nations. A dozen Americans were initially reported to be among those captured. Four have since perished with three of their bodies still being held captive in Gaza. This event generated a surge in the Foley Foundation's case load and the need to partner with several other

NGOs to help advocate for these individuals. The response from Congress, the White House, and the departments and agencies tasked with hostage recoveries (the "hostage enterprise") has been unprecedented. From regular meetings with the White House, the National Security Council, Congressional leadership, public events, media coverage, and more, we have seen what is possible when the lives of American captives are truly prioritized. Unfortunately, for the over two dozen families of captives that we also support, attention to, prioritization of, and action on their loved one's case can be difficult to obtain.

■ The report's key recommendations include: (1) accelerating and making more transparent to families the status of their request for a wrongful detention designation while it is in-process, (2) ensuring regular oversight of the hostage enterprise through comprehensive public reviews conducted every

five years, (3) making public data on the number of Americans detained and how many of those are considered wrongful, (4) implementing structural refinements to streamline interactions between the key elements of the hostage enterprise, and (5) publishing a U.S. government national security strategy to deter hostage-taking strategy.

In 2023, JWFLF provided support for over 36 families directly related to a hostage or detainee held captive abroad.



AMERICANS RELEASED FROM OR PERISHED IN CAPTIVITY IN 2023

- **Taylor Dudley**
Russia (January, Released)
- **Ziad Auf**
Lebanon (January, Released)
- **Michael Lacayo**
Nicaragua (February, Released)
- **Washington McGee**
Mexico (March, Released)
- **Eric Williams**
Mexico (March, Released)
- **Jeffery Woodke**
Niger (March, Released)
- **Paul Rusesabagina**
Rwanda (March, Released)
- **Jean-Dickens Toussaint**
Haiti (April, Released)
- **Abigail Toussaint**
Haiti (April, Released)
- **Alix Dorsainvil and daughter**
Haiti (August, Released)
- **Carly Morris**
(September, Released)
- **Siamak Namazi**
Iran (September, Released)
- **Morad Tahbaz**
Iran (September, Released)
- **Emad Shargi**
Iran (September, Released)
- **Judith Raanan**
Palestinian Territory (Gaza) (October, Released)
- **Natalie Raanan**
Palestinian Territory (Gaza) (October, Released)
- **Abigail Mor Edan**
Palestinian Territory (Gaza) (November, Released)
- **Liat Beinun Atzili**
Palestinian Territory (Gaza) (November, Released)
- **Airan Berry**
Venezuela (December, Released)
- **Luke Denman**
Venezuela (December, Released)
- **Jerrel Lloyd Kenemore**
Venezuela (December, Released)
- **Eyvin Hernandez**
Venezuela (December, Released)
- **Jason George Saad**
Venezuela (December, Released)
- **Joseph Cristella**
Venezuela (December, Released)
- **Abraham Coakley**
Venezuela (December, Released)
- **Savoi Wright**
Venezuela (December, Released)
- **Edgar Jose Marval Moreno**
Venezuela (December, Released)
- **Shaeed Woodard**
Mexico (March, Died in Captivity)
- **Zindell Brown**
Mexico (March, Died in Captivity)
- **Itay Chen**
Palestinian Territory (Gaza) (October, Died in Captivity)
- **Gadi Haggai**
Palestinian Territory (Gaza) (October, Died in Captivity)
- **Judih Weinstein-Haggai**
Palestinian Territory (Gaza) (October, Died in Captivity)
- **Omer Neutra**
Palestinian Territory (Gaza) (October, Died in Captivity)

28 captives released from 10 countries

6 died in captivity in Mexico or Gaza

BOARD OF DIRECTORS



DIANE FOLEY *President and Founder*

Diane M. Foley is the mother of five children, including American freelance conflict journalist James W. Foley. She founded the James W. Foley Legacy Foundation in September 2014, less than a month after his public execution. Diane is currently serving as the President of JWFLF.

Since 2014, she has led JWFLF efforts to fund the start of Hostage US and the international Alliance for a Culture of Safety, ACOS. In 2015, she actively participated in the National Counterterrorism Center hostage review which culminated in the Presidential Policy Directive-30. This directive re-organized US efforts on behalf of Americans taken hostage abroad into an interagency Hostage Recovery Fusion Cell, Special Presidential Envoy for Hostage Affairs and a White House Hostage Response Group.

Previously, Diane worked first as a community health nurse and then as a family nurse practitioner for 18 years. She received both her undergraduate and master's degrees from the University of New Hampshire in Durham, NH.



ELLEN SHEARER, *Board Chair*

Ellen is the William F. Thomas Professor of Journalism at Northwestern University's Medill School of Journalism, Media, Integrated Marketing Communications. She also is Executive Editor of Medill News Service in Washington and co-director of the Medill National Security Journalism initiative. She has written and taught extensively in the areas of political journalism, national security journalism and watchdog journalism.



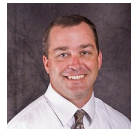
ALI SOUFAN, *Vice President*

Ali Soufan is Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of The Soufan Group. A leading national security and counterterrorism expert, he plays a significant advisory role in global intelligence issues. As an FBI Supervisory Special Agent, Ali investigated and supervised complex international terrorism cases, including the East Africa embassy bombings, the attack on the USS Cole, and the events surrounding 9/11. He also serves as a member of the Homeland Security Advisory Council. He is the author of Anatomy of Terror: From the Death of bin Laden to the Rise of the Islamic State and the New York Times top-10 bestseller The Black Banners: The Inside Story of 9/11 and the War Against al-Qaeda, winner of the 2012 Ridenhour Book Prize. Ali is an honors graduate of Mansfield University of Pennsylvania, where he received his undergraduate double degree in International Studies and Political Science, minoring in Cultural Studies and Anthropology. He received a Master of Arts in International Relations from Villanova University, graduating magna cum laude.



RANA H. ALTENBURG, Secretary

Rana H. Altenburg is associate vice president for public affairs at Marquette University. She leads the university's governmental and community relations priorities and has worked at Marquette since 1996. Rana earned a BA in political science and Spanish from Marquette and an MBA from Northwestern University Kellogg School of Management. She is the founding president of Near West Side Partners and serves on the boards of directors of Business Improvement District 10, Wisconsin Avenue Milwaukee Development Corp., Seton Catholic Schools, and the Wisconsin Policy Forum.



PETER VENTURA, Treasurer

Peter has been a member of the Leone, McDonnell & Roberts, Professional Association team since 2003. In his current role as Principal, he is responsible for multiple pension, 401(k) and 403(b) plan audits. Peter is recognized within the firm as an expert with regard to employee benefit plan audits.



FERNANDO COLINA

Before retiring in 2019, Fernando Colina had a long career in Information Technology, having worked for large (IBM), small (CDB Software), and mid-sized (BMC Software) companies.

There he held technical, management, and executive positions.

Fernando was born in Madrid, Spain many years ago. His only claim to fame is his marriage to the beautiful Rita Wright, Diane Foley's sister and James Foley's aunt.

He, along with Rita, volunteered in Worldwide Marriage Encounter, a ministry focused on the support of marriages

and families, a passion for both. He also served in the James W. Foley Legacy Foundation's original board of directors in 2014 before rejoining it in 2023.



COL CHRISTOPHER P. COSTA, USA, (RET)

Chris Costa is the executive director of the International Spy Museum in Washington, DC, and is an Adjunct Associate Professor for Georgetown University with the Security Studies Program –Walsh School of Foreign Studies. Costa is a leading voice on national security and counterterrorism issues and continues to play advisory roles in national security and intelligence issues. Colonel Costa earned two bronze stars for sensitive human intelligence work in Afghanistan. Assigned to the Naval Special Warfare Development Group with Navy SEALs, he served as the first civilian squadron Deputy Director. In 2013, Costa was inducted into the United States Special Operation's Commando Hall of Honor for lifetime service to US Special Operations.



RICHARD GINGRAS

Richard Gingras is global Vice President, News at Google. In that role Gingras guides Google's strategy in how it surfaces news on Google search, Google News, and its smart devices.

He also oversees Google's effort to enable a healthy, open ecosystem for quality journalism.

For more than forty years, Gingras has led highly regarded efforts in the development of online services and new media. He also serves on the boards of the First Amendment Coalition, the International Center for Journalists, the International Consortium of Investigative Journalists, UC Berkeley School of Journalism, and the Manship School of Communications at LSU.

From March 2009 to June 2011, he was CEO of Salon Media Group which operated the acclaimed Salon.com and the pioneering virtual community The Well. Gingras assembled Salon's initial seed financing in 1995. Salon featured the work of many acclaimed journalists including Pulitzer Prize winner Glenn Greenwald.

Gingras was a strategic advisor to the senior team at Google (2007-2009), strategic advisor to Storify (sold do LiveFyre), founder and CEO of Goodmail Systems, a founding VP of pioneering broadband provider @Home Network and SVP and General Manager of Excite@Home (1996-2001), led the design and development of Apple's online service eWorld (1993-1996), and was founder and CEO of MediaWorks (1987-1992), an early developer of news-agenting technology. He is also a strategic advisor and seed funder of numerous startups.

In 1979, Gingras created the first interactive online news magazine – done in partnership with CBS, NBC, and PBS using interactive television technology known as broadcast teletext.



DAVID LEVINSON

David Levinson is one of the seven children of Robert "Bob" Levinson, considered to be the longest held hostage in American history. After

Bob was taken captive by Iranian authorities in March 2007, the Levinson family relentlessly advocated for Bob's safe return, building relationships across the U.S. government and private industries, and with other hostages and their families. The Levinson family's tireless efforts, along with the help of the Foley Foundation, resulted in the enactment of the Robert Levinson Act in 2020, which strengthens government resources to bring back American hostages. David has been a vocal advocate for action, publicly pressing for hostages and their families through multiple published opinion pieces and media interviews, including on CNN, NBC, Iran International and Voice of America.

David began his professional career in the classroom as a Teach for America corps member, as did Jim Foley. David later became a coach for special education instruction and continues to work at the organization today, leading hiring and retention initiatives as the Managing Director of Strategy, People, and Operations.



DOUG PATTESON Served 2016 – 2023

Doug is a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin and received his MBA from The Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania. He joined TURBOCAM in 2005 as its first Chief Financial Officer.



DAVID ROHDE

David is the Online News Director at The New Yorker, a global-affairs analyst for CNN and a former reporter for Reuters, the New York Times, and the Christian Science Monitor. Rohde was awarded a Pulitzer Prize in 1996 for stories that helped expose the Srebrenica massacre during the war in Bosnia, and in 2009 he shared a Pulitzer Prize with a team of Times reporters for coverage of Afghanistan and Pakistan. He is the author of three books, including "A Rope and a Prayer: A Kidnapping from Two Sides," an account of the seven months he spent in Taliban captivity that he co-wrote with his wife, Kristen Mulvihill.



JERE VAN DYK

Jere Van Dyk, from Washington State, went to the University of Oregon (track and field scholarship), was in the U.S. Army, went to graduate school at the L'Institut d'Etudes Politiques, and began his career as an aide to U.S. Senator Henry M. Jackson in the U.S. Senate, Washington, D.C.

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THE JAMES W. FOLEY FREEDOM AWARDS

THE EVENT RAISED **\$198,546** TO SUPPORT THE FOUNDATION'S WORK

The annual James W. Foley Freedom Awards took place on May 3, 2023. This fundraising event was held at the National Press Club in Washington, DC and livestreamed. The gala was attended and viewed by U.S. government officials, journalists, returning American hostages and their families, media organizations, press freedom non-profits, educators, students, and other members of the interested public.

The event was hosted by Senior Correspondent and former anchor and managing editor of PBS NewsHour Judy Woodruff. Featured keynote speakers were Alexandra Z. Forseth, Co-Founder and Former Chair of the Bring Our Families Home Campaign and Neda Sharghi, Chair of the Bring Our Families Home Campaign.

2023 ROBERT A. LEVINSON EXCELLENCE IN GOVERNMENT SERVICE AWARD

■ **Roger Carstens**, Special Presidential Envoy for Hostage Affairs

2023 AMERICAN HOSTAGE FREEDOM AWARD

■ **Mickey Bergman**, Richardson Center for Global Engagement Vice President and Senior Advisor

2023 WORLD PRESS FREEDOM AWARD

■ **Sean Langan**, Documentary filmmaker and journalist

2023 HUMANITARIAN AWARD

■ **Mouaz Moustafa**, Executive Director of Syrian Emergency Task Force

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- The Washington Post
- Turbocam International
- Wall Street Journal
- NBCUniversal News Group

JAMES W. FOLEY Freedom Awards



THE JAMES W. FOLEY FREEDOM RUN

THE EVENT RAISED \$159,124 TO SUPPORT THE FOUNDATION'S WORK

On October 14th, 2023, thousands turned out to "Run for Jim" in the annual Foley Freedom Run. Runners and walkers from all over the world participated in this one-of-a-kind event to support the Foley Foundation, in remembrance of James W. Foley, all American hostages who perished in captivity, and journalists, like, Jim, who died exercising press freedoms.

The Run is a 5K Run/Walk held at the James W. Foley Community Center in Rochester, NH; in Washington, DC at Anacostia Park; and locally through a "virtual" option that enables supporters to participate worldwide.

JAMES W. FOLEY FREEDOM RUN



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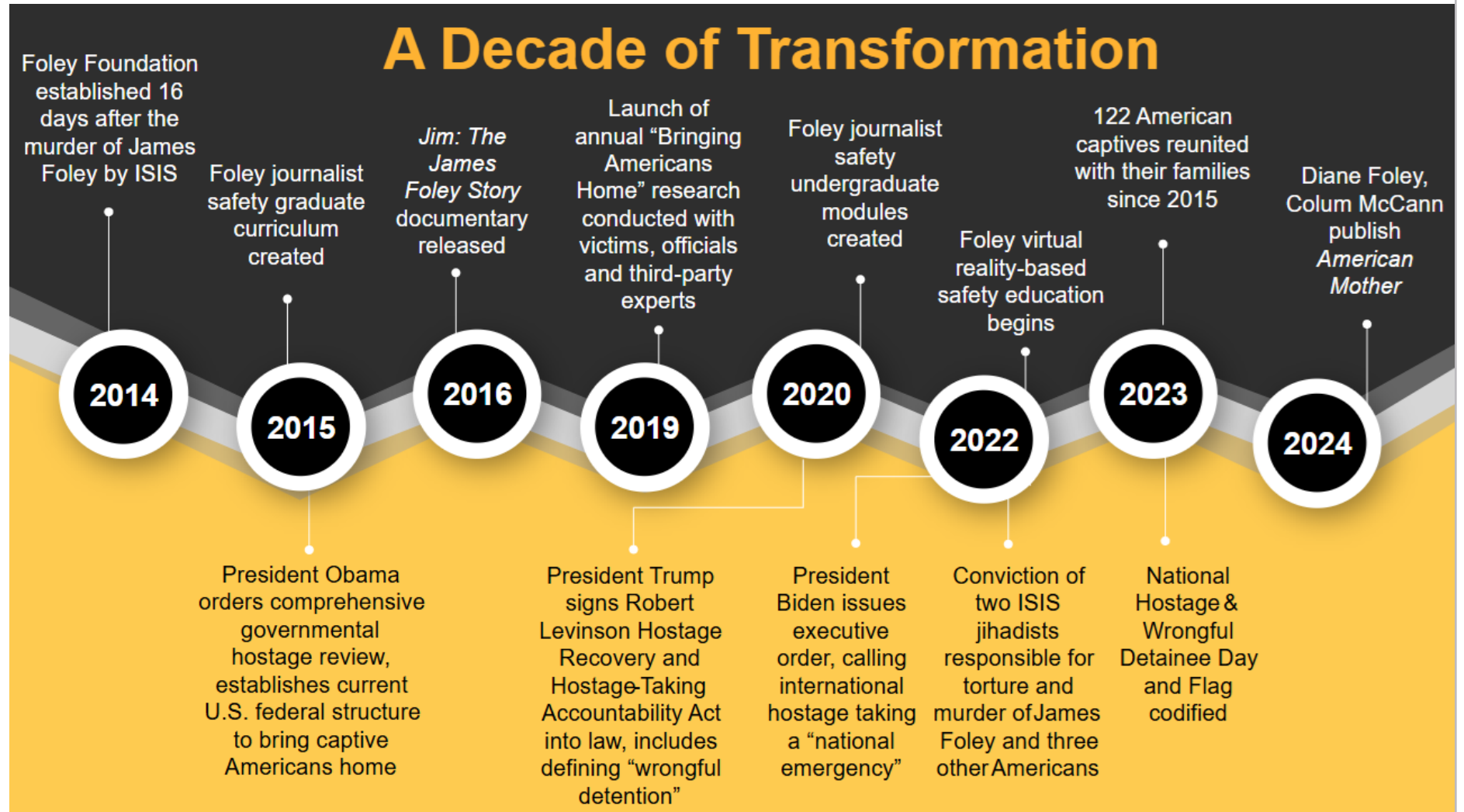


FOLEY FREEDOM FUND

The Foley Foundation was established in 2014 to advocate for American hostages and their families, so that no one would again experience what the Foley family went through. In 2019, we launched the Foley Freedom Fund to be able to support more American hostages and their families, and to ensure that aspiring and freelance journalists have access to preventive safety education. In 2020, we extended our fundraising goal to see our vision realized. Thanks to continued support from our community, we have raised a total of \$541,848 (2019 – 2023)

Our Values:

- **Justice:** We are committed to resolving the injustice of hostage taking through research and advocacy that shape policies to deter captors and hold them accountable.
- **Moral Courage:** Inspired by Jim Foley, we seek to encourage and empower all to act with moral conviction - one person at a time for the good of others.
- **Compassion:** We empathize with and help hostage families confidentially: listening, identifying the resources they need and the obstacles they face, while advocating for their loved ones' swift return.



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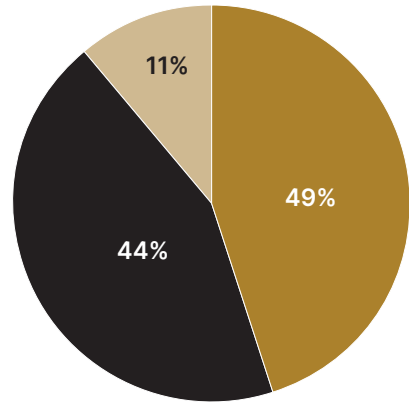
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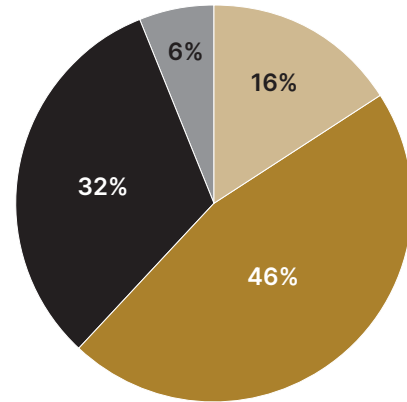
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Foundation Expenses



■ Programs:	\$371,960
■ Fundraising:	\$361,187
■ Management & General:	\$90,621

Foundation Revenue by Type



■ Corporate:	\$117,314
■ Individual:	\$334,828
■ Non-Profit:	\$233,919
■ Other:	\$43,009

LOOKING FORWARD IN 2024

Our 10 Year Anniversary!

- Publication of “American Mother,” the heart-rending story of a mother who, in the course of confronting her son’s killer, gets to the elemental heart of violence and forgiveness, by Colum McCann with Diane Foley: March 2024
- James W. Foley Freedom Awards: May 2024
- Journalist Safety Guide and Modules to be updated to include information and resources for journalists to safely cover elections: July 2024
- Release of the sixth edition of “Bringing Americans Home” hostage-taking research report: July 2024
- James W. Foley Freedom Run: October 2024
- Jamming for Jimmy, a benefit concert: October 2024
- The Marine Corps Marathon: October 2024



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■ **DONATE:** Show your support by making a donation to the James W. Foley Legacy Foundation

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■ **CONTRIBUTE:** to the Foley Freedom Blog:

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■ **PARTICIPATE:** Join us and thousands of likeminded, caring people around the world for our two key events: the James W. Foley Freedom Run held annually around the globe every October and the James W. Foley Freedom Awards, held each year in Washington, DC.

■ **ADVOCATE:** Read our Bringing Americans Home research, explore our safety curricula for schools of journalism, sign up for our hostage advocacy updates. Help us reunite everyday citizens with their loved ones and transform their lives and your own!

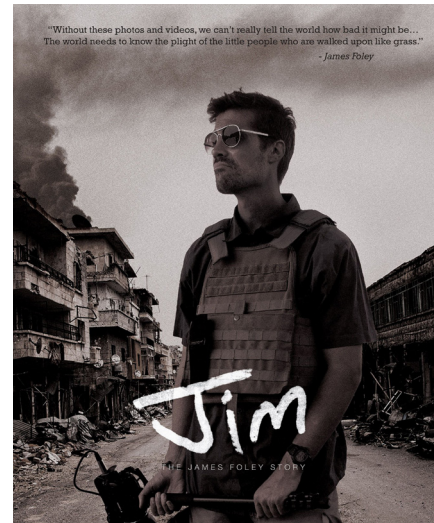
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“For some reason I have physical courage, but, really when I think about it, that’s nothing compared to moral courage. I can go and get those shots, but if I don’t have the moral courage to challenge authority, to write about things that are going to maybe have reprisals on my career, if I don’t have that moral courage, we don’t have journalism.”

— JAMES W. FOLEY October 18th, 1973 - August 19th, 2014





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