MISSION STATEMENT

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OUR MISSION

Advocate for the freedom of all Americans held hostage abroad and promote the safety of journalists worldwide.
We advocate for American Hostage Freedom by

- Raising awareness about US citizens kidnapped or wrongfully detained abroad
- Supporting individual hostages, wrongful detainees and their families
- Conducting annual research to ensure US hostage policy is prioritizing the return of our citizens held abroad and assisting their families
- Engaging with the US Congress, White House, FBI, and Department of State to push for necessary improvements in US hostage policy
- Collaborating with third party experts and partner organizations assisting families in their efforts to free their loved ones

We Promote Journalist Safety by

- Developing and implementing James W. Foley journalist safety curricula for both graduate and undergraduate university journalism programs
- Increasing access to safety training, medical insurance and security information for freelance journalists through A Culture of Safety (ACOS) Alliance and other journalism and press freedom partnerships, including annual safety training grants
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Letter from President and Founder, Diane Foley

Dear Friends,

You are our HEROES! Your compassionate generosity and commitment to freedom has sustained our work for these past six years. We humbly present our 2020 Annual Report to you with our deepest gratitude.

Your moral courage inspires us each and every day to continue to advocate for the return of fellow citizens held hostage abroad and to protect our brave journalists who seek the truth. Your financial support, prayers, and caring have made all detailed within this report possible.

May God bless and protect you during this pandemic. Know that YOU have given hope to those suffering from unjust captivity and have begun to open the eyes of our country to the urgent needs of fellow Americans held hostage abroad. YOU also have helped us teach aspiring journalists to dare to seek the truth more safely.

Isaiah 42:6-7 speaks to the light and hope you each have given me since Jim’s murder in 2014. Let us keep that hope and compassionate commitment to one another ablaze throughout 2021.

Sincerely yours,

Diane
Letter from Executive Director Margaux Ewen

Dear friends and supporters of the James W. Foley Legacy Foundation,

2020 was especially challenging for American hostages and journalists impacted by the pandemic and growing threats against the press. But thanks to your generous support, we were able to continue fulfilling our critical mission to support them.

We increased our advocacy on Capitol Hill in order to strengthen U.S. policy and public awareness about Americans held hostage and wrongfully detained abroad. In addition, we maintained regular and positive relationships with the Hostage Recovery Fusion Cell, National Security Council, and Special Presidential Envoy for Hostage Affairs, who already started implementing many of our policy recommendations from our 2nd annual report “Bringing Americans Home 2020.”

We published data on the current number of public hostage and wrongful detainee cases around the world to demonstrate the magnitude of this issue, while continuing to build new relationships with hostage and wrongful detainee families and those who have returned home from captivity. This is evidenced by an increase in the number of wrongful detainee participants in our 2020 report, as well as for our 2021 report, currently underway. We owe these critical achievements to our brilliant Director of Research Cynthia Loertscher.

We also deepened our commitment to holding hostage takers accountable by advocating for the U.S. extradition of two ISIS fighters allegedly responsible for the captivity, torture, and murder of Jim Foley, Steven Sotloff, Kayla Mueller, and Peter Kassig.

We released the undergraduate version of our preventive journalism safety curricula, created by our talented Education Program Director Tom Durkin in collaboration
with Marquette University’s Diederich College of Communication. The new curriculum includes timely resources on safely covering COVID-19 and nationwide protests for racial equality. At least 15 universities are currently using some or all of these resources, and we continue to share them through virtual panel discussions produced at journalism conferences or interested universities.

We continued our collaboration with the Alliance for a Culture of Safety (ACOS) to strengthen safety for freelance journalists around the world, providing 13 freelancers with access to a special online Hostile Environment First Aid Training refresher course by the Dart Center for Journalism & Trauma at Columbia University. The pandemic forced these trainings online and brought a new layer of safety challenges to the forefront, and we expect this trend to continue in 2021.

Despite these advances, we still learn about new cases of Americans taken hostage or wrongfully detained by foreign governments who need our help. Practicing journalism has never been more dangerous, with traditional frontlines of war zones no longer being the only dangerous place from which to report the news. We have our work cut out for us in 2021 and beyond, but we know that with your critical support, we can make a difference – together.

Thank you for allowing us to do better as Americans to bring our hostages home and to protect our press freedom.

Sincerely,
Margaux Ewen
HOSTAGE ADVOCACY

Research & publications:
- In 2020, JWFLF released its second non-governmental review of U.S. hostage policy. “Bringing Americans Home,” published in partnership with New America, featuring interviews with 25 former American hostages, detainees and their family members and representatives. The report found that overall, the structures created by the U.S. government’s 2015 Hostage Review largely continue to function effectively, but there is a notable disparity in the treatment of hostage and wrongful detainee families by the U.S. government, with the latter receiving less attention, information, and access.

- We officially released data on the current number of publicly known hostage and wrongful detainee cases, the countries where this is occurring, our methodology, a full list of Americans released since our founding, and an In Memoriam section for those killed in captivity. At the time of printing this report, at least 48 Americans are currently being held in 12 countries. As these numbers include only publicly disclosed cases, it is estimated that many more cases exist that are never made public. This dataset currently represents the largest collection of this information available in one place.

JWFLF directly advocated for 27 families + former hostages/wrongful detainees
Hostage Policy Advocacy:

- In 2020, we deepened our relationship with the U.S. congress, having worked with the co-sponsors of the Robert Levinson Hostage Recovery and Hostage-Taking Accountability Act. With strong bipartisan support, the bill was finally adopted into law in the final days of 2020. This law will significantly strengthen hostage policy and fully incorporate the return of wrongful detainees into current U.S. policy.

- We successfully pushed the Justice Department to facilitate the extradition of two ISIS fighters who allegedly participated in the kidnap, torture, and murder of Jim Foley, Steven Sotloff, Kayla Mueller, and Peter Kassig so they may be tried in the U.S. They were extradited and are expected to face trial sometime in 2022. This is a critical step towards accountability, an essential deterrent for future hostage-taking.

AMERICANS WHO RETURNED FROM CAPTIVITY IN 2020:

- Reem Mohamed Desouky
  Detained in Egypt from July 2019 – May 2020

- Bryan Nerren
  Detained in India from October 2019 – May 2020

- Serkan Golge
  Detained in Turkey from July 2016 - June 2020

- Michael White
  Detained in Iran from July 2018 – June 2020

- Mohamed Amashah
  Detained in Egypt from March 2019 – July 2020

- Michael Phoung Nguyen
  Detained in Vietnam from July 2018 – October 2020

- Vitali Shkliarov
  Detained in Belarus from July 2020 – October 2020

- Sandra Loli
  Held hostage in Yemen from 2017 – October 2020

- Mikael Gidada
  Held hostage in Yemen from 2019 – October 2020

- Philip Walton
  Held hostage in Niger from October 2020 – October 2020

- 10 unnamed Americans
  9 held hostage in Haiti, 1 in Mexico, from January to April 2020

WELCOME HOME!
CURRENT NUMBER OF PUBLICLY DISCLOSED HOSTAGE AND WRONGFUL DETENTION CASES: 48‡

† JWFLF includes both U.S. Nationals and U.S. Lawful Permanent Residents (LPRs) in its data.

‡This number includes two individuals who were granted U.S. immigrant visas but were detained prior to their travel to the United States.

COUNTRIES WHERE AMERICANS† ARE CURRENTLY HELD HOSTAGE OR WRONGFULLY DETAINED

- Afghanistan
- China
- Egypt
- Iran
- Mali
- Russia
- Rwanda
- Saudi Arabia
- Syria
- Turkey
- Venezuela
- Cuba

This number reflects only publicly known cases. JWFLF estimates the total number of cases including those not yet made public is much larger.
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JOURNALISM SAFETY

Journalist Safety Curricula:

- Last year we were proud to launch the James W. Foley Journalism Safety Modules thanks to generous support from the Scripps Howard Foundation and the Society of Professional Journalists Foundation. Our talented Education Program Director Tom Durkin created the modules based on our graduate Journalist Safety Guide, developed in partnership with Northwestern University’s Medill School of Journalism. After a successful piloting process at Marquette University’s Diederich College of Communication, we launched the modules on May 1st, including a new module on covering COVID-19, and we made further updates in July to address the growing violence and risk of arrest journalists faced across the country after George Floyd’s death and ensuing protests.

- In addition to Marquette University and Northwestern University, New York University, University of Missouri, University of Oklahoma, University of Florida, University of Texas at Austin, American University, Arizona State University, West Virginia University, University of New Hampshire, Weber State University, Quinnipiac University, the University of Central Missouri, and the University of Southern California are currently using our materials, reaching an estimated 500 aspiring journalists and freelance reporters, combined.

- We started working with The Samir Kassir Foundation’s SKeyes Center for Media and Cultural Freedom in Lebanon to identify parts of the Modules that could be translated into Arabic and will continue our work in 2021 to expand access to the curricula to all aspiring journalists and freelancers in need of preventive safety education.
Continued Access to safety training for journalists.

- Covid-19 put a stop to in-person Hostile Environment First Aid Training (HEFAT) courses for which we have traditionally provided grants to allow more access for freelance journalists. Yet risks for journalists in the field have never been higher and the need was still there. We were proud to send 13 freelance journalists to a special virtual refresher course led by the Dart Center for Journalism & Trauma at Columbia University, in lieu of in-person training.

JWFLF also participated in several virtual events with our partners including:

- A Culture of Safety Alliance (ACOS) annual safety coordination meeting
- “Reporting Safely In Violent And Virulent Times” co-hosted by West Virginia University’s Reed College of Media and Ogden Newspapers Seminar Series
- “American Mavericks: Journalists Dorothy Day & James Foley” presented by the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
- “Reporting as Journalists of Color: Why We Need to Add ‘Safety’ to Our Conversations about Diversity in Our Newsrooms” at the Online News Association’s 2020 annual conference
- “Journalism in the Time of COVID: Ethics, Safety and Self-Care Training Workshop” hosted by West Virginia University’s Reed College of Media
- “Building a Culture of Safety for the Next Generation of Filmmakers and Journalists” at the Double Exposure International Film Festival
- “Protecting and Promoting Press Freedom By Strengthening Consular Support To Journalists At Risk” with the International Bar Association’s Human Rights Institute at the 2020 Global Conference for Media Freedom
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.

DOUG PATTESON

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.

LT. COL. JOHN FOLEY

Lt. Col John Foley is the brother of murdered U.S. journalist James W. Foley, who was captured and beheaded by ISIS in Syria. John Foley was deeply engaged in his family’s efforts to help recover his older brother from captivity in Syria. Today he is a strong advocate of the James W. Foley Legacy Foundation and works closely with his family and the foundation board to advance the causes of the foundation – namely to support hostage families and advocate for the safe return of U.S. hostages; to ensure the safety of conflict freelance reporters; and to educate the public about the threats to a free press.

PETER VENTURA

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.
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Jen is a Managing Director of Morgan Stanley and Global Head of the Firm’s Cybersecurity Fusion Center. She joined the firm in February 2017 after nearly three decades in U.S. Government service. Prior to joining Morgan Stanley, Jen served on the National Security Council as Special Assistant to President Obama and Senior Director for Counterterrorism, where she led the development and coordination of U.S. counterterrorism and hostage policy. Prior to that, she was the Deputy for Counterterrorism at the National Security Agency.

SARAH (LEVINSON) MORIARTY

Sarah (Levinson) Moriarty is one of the seven children of Robert “Bob” Levinson, considered to be the longest held hostage in American history. Since Bob was taken in March 2007, Sarah has been a relentless advocate for her father, building relationships across government and private industry, with other hostages and their families, and with the United Nations Human Rights Council. Sarah and her family’s tireless efforts ultimately resulted in credible information pointing to her father’s unnecessary and unjust death in Iranian captivity. In her professional career, Sarah is an action-oriented problem solver, with a 20-year record of success spanning multiple industries. Sarah currently serves as Director of Capability Building and Workforce Optimization at Novartis Pharmaceuticals, where she is also a member of the Extended Leadership Team in Global Program Management. Sarah graduated summa cum laude with a degree in Communications from the University of Central Florida and has her M.B.A. from the Crummer School of Business at Rollins College. She lives in a small town in New Jersey with her husband and two young children.

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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.

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 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.

PETER BERGEN
Peter is a journalist, documentary producer, vice president for global studies & fellows at New America, CNN national security analyst, professor of practice at Arizona State University where he co-directs the Center on the Future of War, and the author or editor of eight books, three of which were New York Times bestsellers and four of which were named among the best non-fiction books of the year by The Washington Post. The books have been translated into twenty-one languages. Documentaries based on his books have been nominated for two Emmys and also won the Emmy for best documentary.
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MORAL COURAGE IN CHALLENGING TIMES

Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, we postponed our annual in-person 2020 James W. Foley Freedom Awards gala until 2021. In its place we hosted a live-streamed inspiring and intimate discussion and fundraising event, Moral Courage in Challenging Times, to discuss how the global COVID-19 pandemic, an increase in protests for racial equality, and a surge in attacks against the press who cover them have impacted the work of leaders, advocates, and the public.

The virtual event was viewed by interested public, U.S. government officials, journalists, returning American hostages and their families, media organizations, press freedom non-profits, educators, and students. Keynote Speaker Admiral William H. McRaven, U.S. Navy four-star admiral and former ninth commander of the U.S. Special Operations Command, opened the discussion featuring our four extraordinary awardees:

2020 Foley American Hostage Freedom Awardee
JASON POBLETE

2020 Foley World Press Freedom Awardee
ANNA THERESE DAY

2020 Foley Humanitarian Awardee
THE FREE BURMA RANGERS (ACCEPTED BY FOUNDER DAVID EUBANK)

James W. Foley Legacy Achievement Awardee
ALI SOUFAAN

MORAL COURAGE IN CHALLENGING TIMES SPONSORS:
- Turbocam Energy Solutions
- The New York Times
- The Soufan Group
- Facebook Journalism Project
- Better
- The Washington Post
- Jean Ann Wensell
- Amanda Bennett/Girl Reporter Fund
THE EVENT PROFITED $78,288 TO DIRECTLY IMPACT THE FOUNDATION.
THE JAMES W. FOLEY FREEDOM RUN

In 2020, to keep our runners, spectators, sponsors, and supporters safe during the Covid-19 pandemic, the 6th annual James W. Foley Freedom Run took place virtually worldwide. On Saturday, October 17th, 2020, nearly 1100 runners from all over the world participated in this one-of-a-kind road race that began in New Hampshire in 2015 in remembrance of James W. Foley.

Although we were not able to join together in person, thanks to our generous sponsors and supporters who participated, fundraised and donated, we surpassed our $100,000 goal to reach nearly $120,000!

JAMES W. FOLEY FREEDOM RUN Sponsors:

- Knight Foundation
- The Freedom Initiative
- Harvard Pilgrim Health Care
- iNetSupply.com
- Origin Micro, Inc.
- D. F. Richard Energy
- Walmart
- Martin’s Point Health Care
- The Family of Robert Levinson
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- Albany Engineered Composites
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- JOYBEEMS
- Wolfeboro Dockside Grille and Dairy Bar
- Lantos Foundation for Human Rights and Justice
- The Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press
- Fiscal Note
- Northeast Delta Dental
THE EVENT PROFITED $119,603 TO DIRECTLY IMPACT THE FOUNDATION.
FOLEY FREEDOM FUND

The James W. Foley Legacy Foundation was started in 2014 to advocate for American hostages & their families, so that no one would again experience what the Foley family went through. In 2019, we launched the Foley Freedom Fund to further grow our advocacy for American hostages and their families, and to ensure all aspiring and freelance journalists have access to preventive safety education. In spite of the pandemic, in 2020 we raised almost $200,000 thanks to all of you!

We believe

- Our government should make the return of any American kidnapped or unjustly detained abroad a national priority.
- Our U.S. hostage policy must be improved to encourage the return of its citizens.
- Our government should be compassionate and transparent with American hostage families.
- Our government should encourage and cooperate with non-governmental experts willing to assist with hostage recovery.
- More must be done to prevent hostage taking through raising awareness and preventive security training, particularly for journalists.

We’re aiming high and extending the Foley Freedom Fund to raise $1 million in order to see our vision realized: that all American hostages will return home and journalists who bring truth to light, like Jim, will be protected.

2015
Established Hostage US, a nonprofit organization supporting American families with a loved one in captivity and returning hostages

2015
Established the James W. Foley Freedom Run, a worldwide 5K that brings together thousands of runners and walkers globally to raise awareness of international hostage taking and promote journalist safety

2015
Participated in the US Government Review of Hostage Policy which created an interagency Hostage Recovery Fusion Cell, Special Envoy for Hostage Affairs and White House Hostage Response Group

2016
 Developed the James W. Foley Journalist Safety Guide in partnership with Medill/Northwestern and Reporters Without Borders for graduate journalism schools

2016
Established the annual James W. Foley Free Awards in Washington DC, to inspire moral courage in hostage advocacy, journalism, and humanitarian work
Your support has impacted our mission

2016
Collaborated with the making of the documentary, *Jim: The James Foley Story*, to raise awareness of hostage taking and the risks freelance journalists take, particularly in conflict zones.

2017
Provided research on hostage-taking trends to support New America’s report “To Ransom or Not to Ransom.”

2019
Published the first non-governmental review of US hostage policy, “Bringing Americans Home,” from the perspective of former hostages and their families.

2020
Published the second annual non-governmental review of US hostage policy, “Bringing Americans Home” from the perspective of both former hostages and wrongful detainees, and their families.

2020
Provided Hostile Environment and First Aid Training (HEFAT) to more than 60 freelancers through various partnerships since our founding.

2020
Unveiled the James W. Foley Journalism Safety Modules, developed in collaboration with Marquette University’s Diederich College of Communication, and now being used in over a dozen university journalism programs.

2020
Expanded advocacy efforts before the US Congress through work with the co-sponsors of the Robert Levinson Hostage Recovery and Hostage-Taking Accountability Act, which codifies current policy and better supports wrongfully detained Americans.

FOLEY FREEDOM FUND
$1,000,000 investment in hostage freedom and journalist safety

JAMES W. FOLEY LEGACY FOUNDATION
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- Christine Levinson & Family
- Make It Better Media Group
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- Wolfeboro Dockside Grille and Dairy Bar

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FINANCIALS

Foundation Expenses

- Hostage Freedom & Promoting Journalist Safety: $207,919
- Fundraising: $96,780
- Management & General: $139,629

Foundation Revenue by Type

- Corporate: $86,707
- Individual: $233,159
- Non-Profit: $32,723
- Government funds: $48,000*

*Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) Loan issued April 20, 2020
Looking Forward

Coming soon in 2021:

- Latest version of our James W. Foley Journalism Safety Curricula featuring a new module on surviving captivity, produced in collaboration with former hostage Caitlan Coleman – spring 2021
- Arabic translation of the James W. Foley Journalism Safety Modules – spring 2021
- Annual research study on hostage policy impacts on hostages, wrongful detainees and their families - June 2021
- Freedom Awards: August 19th 2021
- Foley Freedom Run: October 16th 2021
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IF WE DON'T GIVE THE PEOPLE IN THERE A VOICE, NO ONE WILL
“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.”

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