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ABOUT CSA

The Council for a Secure America (CSA) is a non-partisan, non-profit 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to strengthening America's national security by deepening public understanding of the United States-Israel relationship, advancing American energy security, and supporting the strategic framework of the Abraham Accords.

CSA provides briefings, educational programs, and research initiatives that demonstrate why a strong U.S.-Israel alliance and a resilient American energy sector are vital to the nation's stability, security, and long-term prosperity.

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Israel-Hamas War

Since October 7, CSA has produced the nation's only regularly updated, open-source, hyperlinked Israel-Hamas War Report, offering policymakers, industry leaders, and the public real-time analysis, the only report of its kind.



Read the Report



FROM THE
DESK *of the*
EXECUTIVE
DIRECTOR

Dear Friends,

As we reflect on 2025, it is clear that this year demanded exceptional clarity, resilience, and partnership. The global aftershocks of October 7 continued to reshape the regional landscape, deepen geopolitical tensions, and elevate the need for trusted, responsible analysis. In this environment, CSA worked every day to meet the moment, providing national leaders, industry partners, and community stakeholders with timely insights at the intersection of United States national security, American energy, and the U.S.–Israel relationship.

Throughout the year, CSA expanded its reach across the country. Our legislative briefings in Alaska, Iowa, Colorado, and North Dakota brought our work directly to governors, attorneys general, legislators, and policymakers. We were privileged to engage with leaders such as Governor Kelly Armstrong, Attorney General Brenna Bird, and Lieutenant Governor Nancy Dahlstrom. These conversations highlighted a growing national recognition that energy security, democratic alliances, and global stability are deeply interconnected.

CSA also strengthened its role as a source of rapid and responsible analysis during fast-moving global events. When the Israel–Iran War erupted, our team produced nationwide public-opinion polling, six emergency briefings, and an Iran primer now used by legislators across the country, within seventy-two hours. Our primers on Syria and the Doha strikes reinforced CSA’s commitment to clarity at moments when decision-makers needed it most.

This year we also broadened our national partnerships. Quarterly briefings in New York convened Members of Congress, senior diplomats including Ambassador Danny Danon and Deputy Chief of Mission Eliav Benjamin, and leading defense experts such as Brig. Gen. (res.) Yossi Kuperwasser and Lt. Col. (res.) Sarit Zehavi. We advanced new international collaborations following our spring board meeting, including engagements with the Ambassador of Argentina and Secretary of Energy Chris Wright. The elevation of several CSA Board and Advisory Board members to senior positions within the current administration speaks to the leadership and expertise within our community.

As our work expanded, so did our organizational capacity. With the addition of a Director of Operations and Programming, a Director of Outreach, and new research staff, CSA strengthened its ability to deliver rigorous analysis, national briefings, polling, and rapid-response reporting. These investments ensure that CSA’s mission will remain strong and enduring in the years ahead.

I am deeply grateful for the friends, partners, and supporters who stand with us during this consequential time. Your trust enables CSA to act with purpose, insight, and resolve. Thank you for your partnership and for the confidence you place in our work.

With appreciation,

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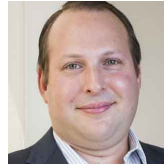
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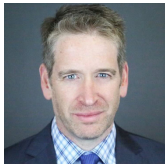
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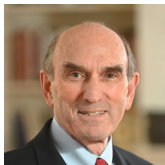
[A full list is available here](#)



Vice Chairman Malcolm Hoenlein

New Advisory Board Members

CSA is honored to welcome these distinguished leaders to the Advisory Board:



The Honorable Elliott Abrams
Chairman, Tikvah and the Vandenberg Coalition; Senior Fellow, Council on Foreign Relations; Former NSC Senior Director for the Near East and North Africa



[A full list is available here](#)



The Honorable Peter Deutsch
Former Member of the U.S. House of Representatives

LEADERSHIP

New Board Members

CSA is pleased to welcome the following members to the Board of Directors. Their leadership strengthens CSA's national role across energy, policy, finance, and media:



Brooke Baum
Vice President, Devon Energy



Shea Loper
Director of U.S. Government Relations, Ovintiv



Ron Gusek
CEO, Liberty Energy



Dr. Emil Pitkin
CEO, Sandstorm



Jason Kalisman
CEO The Talisman Group Investments LLC



James Tisch
Chairman of the Board, Loews Corporation



Joshua Katzen
Co-Founder, JNS and CAMERA



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CSA Partnership Society

CSA partners with leading legislative and industry institutions to advance informed policymaking, strengthen national energy security, and support responsible resource development.

New Partnership Society Additions in 2025



Edward Cross
Illinois Oil and Gas Association
(IOGA)



Debra Mamula
The Energy Council



Toby Mack
President and CEO, Energy
Equipment and Infrastructure
Alliance (EEIA)



Tim Stewart
US Oil and Gas Association
(USOGA)



Lynn Granger
Colorado Oil and Gas Association
(COGA)



[A full list is available here](#)

LEADERSHIP

The Energy Council | Legislative Energy Policy Collaboration

Following a presentation at the Energy Council’s Annual Board Meeting in Anchorage, CSA established a new partnership with The Energy Council, a nonpartisan legislative organization representing fourteen energy-producing states and the Canadian provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan. The member states are Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Montana, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Texas, Utah, West Virginia, and Wyoming.

Through this collaboration, CSA will work with state legislators and policy leaders to provide national security insights linking domestic energy production to global strategic realities through educational programming and policy dialogue. CSA thanks long time friends of CSA State Senators Craig Brandt (R-NM) and Dale Patten (R-ND) for their leadership in advancing this partnership.



LEADERSHIP

University Partnerships

CSA partners with leading academic institutions to advance education, leadership development, and public service initiatives.



Yeshiva University

Senator Joseph Lieberman–Mitzner Center for Public Service and Advocacy

CSA launched a new academic partnership with Yeshiva University's Senator Joseph Lieberman–Mitzner Center for Public Service and Advocacy. Through this collaboration, students from the Center will work directly with CSA as the inaugural cohort of our Youth Leadership Program. Together, we will provide educational, networking, and mentoring opportunities that connect YU students with CSA's work on U.S.–Israel relations, energy security, and national security policy. This marks the beginning of a promising relationship between CSA and one of the country's leading institutions dedicated to public service and advocacy.



CSA Congressional Dinner with Representative Dusty Johnson (R–SD) and Yeshiva University Student New York, NY, February 2025



Representative Doug LaMalfa (R–CA) with Yeshiva University Students

LEADERSHIP

CSA New Hires

CSA welcomed several new members to its professional staff in 2025, strengthening national outreach, research, and organizational capacity.



Brett Goldman, Director of Outreach

Leads CSA's national engagement strategy and expands bipartisan relationships across federal and state governments, industry partners, and key stakeholders.



Isaac Choua, Director of Operations and Programming

Oversees internal operations, program development, and CSA's national briefing schedule. Manages research, polling, and educational initiatives and supports the expansion of long-term programming.

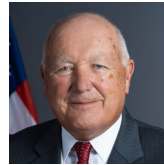
CSA Members Serving in Public Service

CSA proudly recognizes members of the CSA family who joined the current administration:



Chris Wright

Secretary of Energy; Former CEO, Liberty Energy



Ambassador Pete Hoekstra

United States Ambassador to Canada; Former CSA Advisory Board Member



John Jovanovic

President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States; Former CSA Advisory Board Member



Jeff Wilson

Senior Advisor for Energy Dominance, Energy, Critical Minerals, and Infrastructure Export-Import Bank of the United States; Former CSA Vice Chair and Vice President, Devon Energy

RESEARCH AND ANALYSIS

CSA significantly expanded its research and analytical output in 2025, providing policymakers, industry leaders, and stakeholders with timely, accessible, and nonpartisan insight during a period of rapid geopolitical change. Through updated reports, public-opinion polling, primers, and national briefings, CSA strengthened its position as a trusted source of clarity at the intersection of United States national security, American energy, and the U.S.–Israel relationship.

Israel– Hamas War Report

The *Israel– Hamas War Report* remains the nation’s only continuously updated, open-source resource tracking developments in the conflict. In 2025, the report has been used in briefings for policymakers, staffers, state officials, and industry leaders alike. The report has been shared in congressional offices, 5 state capitols, and numerous energy conferences and annual meetings. Read the report here.



CSA Primers

CSA released three new primers in 2025, each offering rapid and responsible analysis during moments of escalating global tensions:



**CSA Doha
Attack Primer**



**Fall of the Assad
Regime: Syria Update**



**Israel–Iran War
One Week Update**

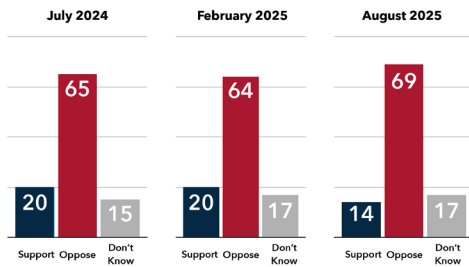
These primers were circulated widely among legislators, executive-branch officials, industry leaders, and stakeholders, providing essential context and timely guidance during fast-moving developments.

RESEARCH AND ANALYSIS

Israeli Public Opinion Polling

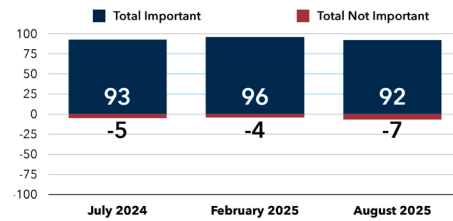
Majority of Israeli voters still oppose a 2 State Solution

Do you support or oppose the two state solution - a Palestinian state next to the State of Israel - as the solution to the Israeli-Palestine conflict?



Near unanimous agreement amongst Israeli voters of the importance of the Israel-US relationship

In your opinion, how important or not important do you think the State of Israel's relationship is with the US?



CSA commissioned two rounds of public-opinion polling of Israeli Jews, capturing sentiment on:

- **The Israel-Hamas War**
- **The U.S.-Israel Relationship**
- **The Two-State Solution**
- **The Support for the Abraham Accords**



[Read the polling report here](#)



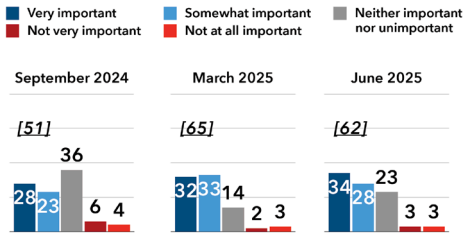
Survey of Israeli Public Opinion

RESEARCH AND ANALYSIS

U.S. Public Opinion Polling

CSA States*: Importance of US-Israel Relationship to Americas

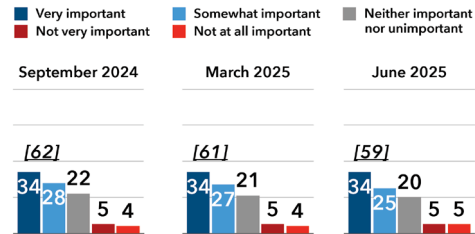
In your opinion, how important or not important do you think the US' relationship is with the State of Israel?



*Nine CSA states analyzed in the survey: IA, IN, MT, ND, NE, OK, SD, UT, and WY.

Consistent Importance of US-Israel Relationship to Americans

In your opinion, how important or not important do you think the US' relationship is with the State of Israel?



In 2025, CSA conducted two major national surveys of American voters, including a Morning Consult poll assessing:

- **Support for Israeli military action against Hamas and Hezbollah**
- **Attitudes toward U.S. engagement in the Middle East**
- **Perceptions of the United States–Israel alliance**



[Read the polling report here](#)



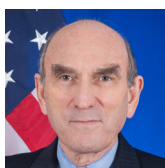
US Public Opinion
American Foreign Policy
& the Middle East

DISTINGUISHED LEADERS SERIES

CSA's 2025 National Briefing Program

In 2025, the Council for a Secure America hosted a robust and diverse speaker lineup. Through national briefings, in-person events, emergency sessions, and high-level security discussions, CSA convened leading voices from government, diplomacy, defense, academia, media, and the energy sector. Together, these conversations strengthened public understanding of the United States–Israel relationship, American energy security, and the rapidly evolving strategic landscape across the Middle East. Below is a representative selection of speakers who contributed to CSA's mission of education, analysis, and nationwide engagement.

Government, Diplomacy, and Senior Officials



The Honorable Elliott Abrams
Former Special Representative for Iran and Venezuela; Former Deputy National Security Advisor



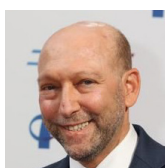
Eli Groner
Former Director General, Office of the Prime Minister of Israel



Consul General Ofir Akunis
Consul General of Israel in New York; Former Minister of Science and Technology; Former Minister of Regional Cooperation



Representative Dusty Johnson (R-SD)
United States House of Representatives



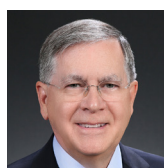
Eliav Benjamin
Deputy Chief of Mission, Embassy of Israel in Washington, DC



Yisrael Klitsner
Former Diaspora Affairs Advisor to the Prime Minister of Israel



Ambassador Danny Danon
Former Permanent Representative of Israel to the United Nations



Ambassador David Satterfield
Senior U.S. Diplomat; Former U.S. Ambassador to Lebanon and Turkey



Brian Fincheltub
Former Consul General of Venezuela to the United States



The Honorable Mitchell Silk
Former U.S. Assistant Secretary of the Treasury



Ambassador Marc Ginsberg
Former U.S. Ambassador to Morocco; White House Middle East Advisor; Founding President, Coalition for a Safer Web

DISTINGUISHED LEADERS SERIES

Defense, Intelligence, and National Security Experts



Brig. Gen. (res.) Amir Avivi
Israeli Security Strategist and
Defense Expert



Col. (res.) Grisha Yakubovich
Former Mayor of Gaza City; Former
Coordinator of Government
Activities in the Territories



Ambassador Marc Ginsberg
Former U.S. Ambassador to
Morocco; White House Middle
East Advisor; Founding President,
Coalition for a Safer Web



Col. (res.) Oren Zini
Former IDF Brigade Commander,
Menashe



Brig. Gen. (res.) Yossi Kuperwasser
Former Head of Research, IDF
Military Intelligence



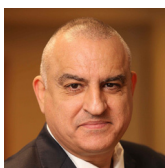
Lt. Col. (res.) Sarit Zehavi
CEO, ALMA Research and Education
Center



Richard Priem
CEO, Community Security
Service (CSS); Former Counter-
Terrorism Advisor, United Nations
(Southeast Asia and New York)



Former Senior Intelligence Officer
Office of the Prime Minister of Israel

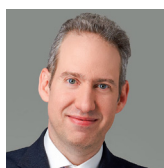


Prof. Dr. Col. Gabi Siboni
Director of Military and Strategic
Affairs and Cyber Security, JISS

Energy, Geopolitics, Legal, and Global Resource Experts



Anne Herzberg
Legal Advisor, NGO Monitor



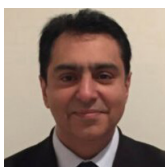
Avery Samet
Founding Member, Amini LLC;
Lead Counsel on the UNRWA Case



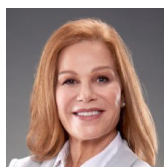
Gary Osen
Leading Litigator on Terror
Finance Cases; Managing
Partner of Osen LLC



Dr. Charles Small
Founder and President, ISGAP



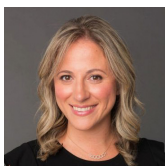
Haras Rafiq
Counter-Terrorism Specialist
and CEO, Pink Llama Group



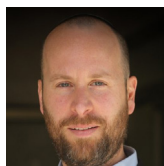
Carice Witte
CEO, SIGNAL Group

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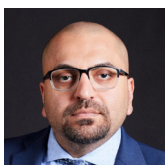
Middle East Regional Experts and Strategic Analysts



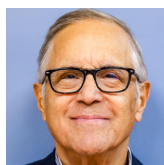
Jacki Alexander
Global CEO, HonestReporting



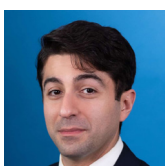
Yaakov Katz
Former Editor in Chief,
Jerusalem Post



Ahmed Fouad Alkhatib
Founder, Realign for Palestine;
Nonresident Senior Fellow,
Atlantic Council



Dr. Mark Meirowitz
Professor of Political Science at SUNY
Maritime College; Turkey Expert



David Daoud
Senior Fellow, Foundation for Defense
of Democracies



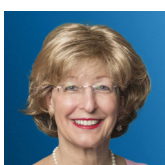
Gregg Roman
Executive Director,
Middle East Forum



Mark Dubowitz
CEO, Foundation for Defense
of Democracies



Dalia Ziada
Egyptian scholar and
Senior Fellow, JCFA



Bonnie Glick
Former Deputy
Administrator, USAID

Select High-Level Series

Throughout 2025, CSA hosted several flagship briefing series, including:

The Presidential Series

Perspectives on U.S. policy, the Middle East, and regional diplomacy

The Israel–Hamas War Update Series

Regular battlefield, geopolitical, intelligence, and policy assessments

The Iran War Emergency Series

Rapid-response briefings following escalatory events

The Regional Strategic Landscape Series

Coverage of developments in Syria, Lebanon, Turkey, and other key geopolitical arenas

Energy and National Security Sessions

Discussions on the intersection of American energy production and global security

NATIONWIDE WAR REPORT BRIEFINGS

Throughout 2025, CSA delivered timely and accessible briefings to stakeholders across the country, including state legislatures, national energy conferences, community institutions, and congressional offices. These programs drew senior energy executives, federal and state lawmakers, policy professionals, and influential civic leaders, ensuring that decision-makers at every level remained informed during a rapidly shifting geopolitical landscape.

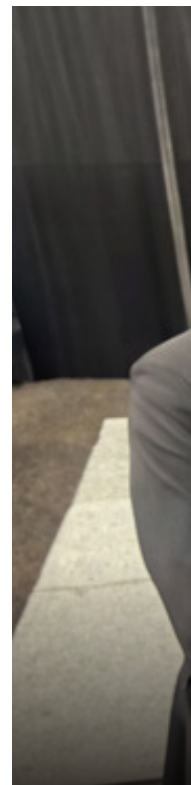
In Washington, CSA senior staff conducted an extensive series of bipartisan meetings on Capitol Hill, engaging with hundreds of congressional staff across both chambers and connecting with nearly every Member of Congress. These sessions included representatives from key committees, caucuses, and leadership offices and reinforced CSA's role as a trusted, nonpartisan resource.

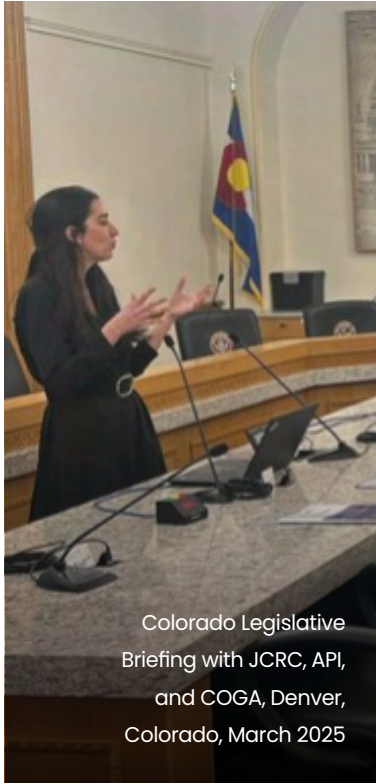
Across all briefings, whether on Capitol Hill, in state houses, or at major national conferences, CSA provided clear analysis on the Israel and Hamas war, the strategic importance of American energy independence, the regional implications of the Abraham Accords, and insights drawn from CSA's Israel and Hamas War Report and national polling.

These nationwide efforts reflect CSA's commitment to delivering responsible and actionable analysis to leaders shaping United States national security and foreign policy.

Briefings included:

- Indiana Oil and Gas Association, Evansville, Indiana, March 2025
- Colorado Legislative Briefing with JCRC, API, and COGA, Denver, Colorado, March 2025
- New Mexico Friends of Israel Caucus, Legislative Briefing, April 2025
- Main Street Congressional Caucus, Washington, DC, April 2025
- North Dakota Legislative Briefing with Governor Kelly Armstrong, Hosted by the North Dakota Petroleum Council (NDPC), Bismarck, North Dakota, May 2025
- Independent Petroleum Association of America Annual Meeting, Williamsburg, VA June 2025
- MASDA Conference North Dakota with Governor Kelly Armstrong and Energy & Agriculture Commissioner Doug Goehring, Medora ND, June 2025
- Energy Council Annual Meeting – Energy Security, the Abraham Accords, and the Changing Middle East, Anchorage, Alaska, September 2025
- Kehilath Jeshurun Synagogue, New York, NY, October 2025

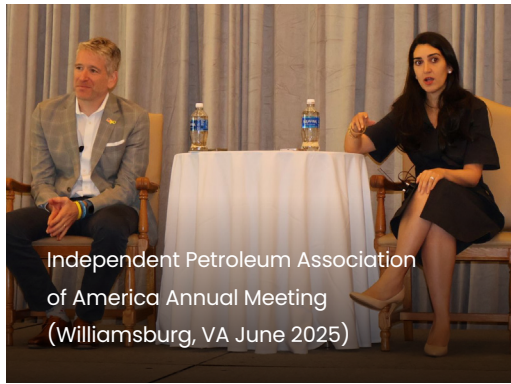




Colorado Legislative Briefing with JCRC, API, and COGA, Denver, Colorado, March 2025



MASDA Conference North Dakota with Governor Kelly Armstrong and Energy & Agriculture Commissioner Doug Goehring (Medora ND, June 2025)



Independent Petroleum Association of America Annual Meeting (Williamsburg, VA June 2025)



North Dakota Legislative Briefing with Governor Kelly Armstrong, Hosted by the North Dakota Petroleum Council (NDPC), Bismarck, North Dakota, May 2025



Indiana Oil and Gas Association, Evansville, Indiana, March 2025

CSA STATE DELEGATIONS AND NATIONAL OUTREACH

CSA worked extensively with states across the country at the intersection of national security, energy security, and the United States–Israel relationship. Since October 7, 2023, CSA has deployed delegations nationwide to brief governors, attorneys general, state legislators, energy leaders, and regional policy communities on fast-moving geopolitical developments.

These state-level delegations strengthened longstanding partnerships in places such as North Dakota and expanded CSA's presence in Iowa, Alaska, Colorado, New Mexico, and beyond. CSA's outreach ensures that local and state leaders remain informed, connected, and engaged during a rapidly evolving global landscape.

North Dakota Delegation (June 2025)

CSA hosted a major delegation to North Dakota's energy sector with a comprehensive agenda highlighting the state's strategic role in U.S. energy production and national security.

The delegation opened with a briefing at the North Dakota Petroleum Council with former Lieutenant Governor Brent Sanford, CSA Advisory Board Member and Interim Chancellor of the University of North Dakota, followed by an oil-rig site tour hosted by Chord Energy.

Key engagements included meetings with Governor Kelly Armstrong, Attorney General Drew Wrigley, and Energy and Agriculture Commissioner Doug Goehring, as well as a VIP tour of the Theodore Roosevelt Presidential Library and Museum construction site.

One of the trip highlights was a geopolitical panel at the Medora Social on "The Geopolitical Importance of the Bakken Across the Globe," moderated by NDPC President Ron Ness and featuring CSA Advisory Board Member Bonnie Glick, JNS Editor in Chief Jonathan Tobin, and Governor Kelly Armstrong.

Additional programming included tours of the Badlands and Watford City with State Senator Dale Patten and staff from Congresswoman Julie Fedorchak's office, a visit to the MPLX Fryburg Rail Terminal and Natural Gas Plant, and a concluding session at the North Dakota State Capitol.



CSA Delegation at the Drilling Rig, North Dakota 2025



North Dakota Petroleum Council Medora Social Panel: Bakken Oil and America's Role in Global Energy Security with: (L-R) Ron Ness, President of NDPC, Governor Kelly Armstrong (R-ND), CSA Advisory Board Member Bonnie Glick, Former Deputy Administrator of USAID, and Jonathan Tobin, Editor in Chief of Jewish News Syndicate (JNS), Medora, North Dakota 2025



CSA Delegation Briefing with Governor Kelly Armstrong at the Governor's Office, Bismarck, North Dakota, June 2025.

CSA STATE DELEGATIONS AND NATIONAL OUTREACH

Iowa Legislative Delegation (January 2025)

CSA conducted its first formal visit to Iowa to engage with state lawmakers and senior officials. Organized by CSA Advisory Board Member Ambassador Chuck Larson, this was CSA's first visit to Iowa, an important agricultural and biofuel producing state.

The visit began with a CSA breakfast briefing introduced by State Representative Jon Dunwell and attended by several senior legislators. CSA met with Attorney General Brenna Bird, House Majority Leader Matt Windschitl, Speaker Pat Grassley, Treasurer Roby Smith, and other key policymakers.

A highlight was a luncheon hosted by Iowans Supporting Israel, co-chaired by former State Senator Charles Schneider, where CSA briefed state leaders on national security, the U.S.–Israel relationship, and the strategic importance of American energy and agriculture.



Iowa House Majority Leader
Matt Windschitl, Des Moines,
Iowa, January 2025



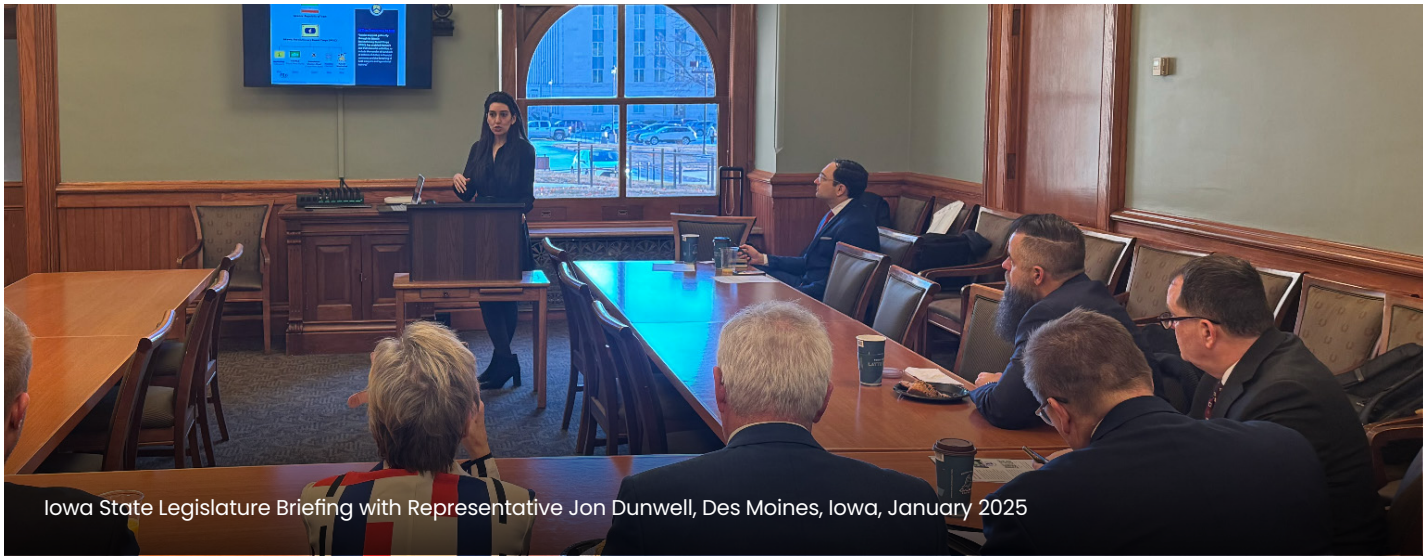
Meeting with Iowa Attorney
General Brenna Bird, Des
Moines, Iowa, January 2025



Iowa Speaker Pat Grassley,
Des Moines, Iowa, January 2025



Iowa State Treasurer Roby Smith, Des Moines, Iowa, January 2025



Iowa State Legislature Briefing with Representative Jon Dunwell, Des Moines, Iowa, January 2025



Iowans Supporting Israel Luncheon, Des Moines, Iowa, January 2025

CSA STATE DELEGATIONS AND NATIONAL OUTREACH

Alaska Legislative Delegation (September 2025)

In September 2025, CSA traveled to Alaska to deepen its understanding of the state's energy landscape and explore opportunities to strengthen the United States–Israel relationship. Facilitated by the Office of Governor Mike Dunleavy, the delegation engaged with senior state officials and key industry leaders.

Meetings included discussions with Lt. Governor Nancy Dahlstrom, Department of Natural Resources Commissioner John Boyle, the Alaska Office of International Business, the Alaska Chamber of Commerce, the Alaska Oil and Gas Association, the Alaska Native Heritage Museum, the Alyeska Pipeline, the Alaska Alliance, ConocoPhillips, and Santos.

The delegation laid the groundwork for a future CSA visit and reinforced Alaska's emerging role as a key partner in CSA's work.



DNR Commissioner John Boyle showing Jennifer Sutton the map of Alaska, Anchorage, Alaska, September 2025



Jennifer Sutton and Brett Goldman with Lt. Governor Nancy Dahlstrom, Anchorage, Alaska, September 2025



Jennifer Sutton learning about the Alyeska Pipeline, Anchorage, Alaska, September 2025

IRAN WAR RAPID RESPONSE AND PRIMERS

CSA responds to fast-moving global events by delivering rapid, responsible analysis through primers, emergency briefings, and real-time reporting. This capability was demonstrated most clearly during the Twelve Day Israel–Iran War, when CSA provided national leaders, energy partners, and board members with continuous updates and strategic insights at a moment of heightened geopolitical uncertainty.

Within seventy-two hours of the conflict’s outbreak, CSA produced a coordinated rapid-response effort that included live situational updates, a dedicated war-update briefing series, and six exclusive off-the-record sessions featuring leading experts and senior officials.

Rapid-Response Expert Briefings Included:



**Brig. Gen. (res.)
Yossi Kuperwasser**
Board and Advisory
Board members



**Former Senior
Intelligence Officer**
Office of the Prime
Minister of Israel



Lt. Col. (res.) Sarit Zehavi
ALMA Research and
Education Center



Brig. Gen. (res.) Amir Avivi
One virtual briefing and
one in-person briefing



**Deputy Chief of Mission
Eliav Benjamin**
Embassy of Israel in
Washington, DC

Together, these rapid-response efforts ensured that policymakers and partners received clear, timely, and accurate analysis during one of the most consequential crises of the year.

OFF-THE-RECORD DIALOGUES WITH GLOBAL DIGNITARIES

Since October 7, CSA has hosted a series of exclusive, off-the-record engagements designed to provide members with direct insight from senior leaders shaping global security, diplomacy, and U.S.–Israel relations. These sessions create space for candid discussion, strategic analysis, and real-time assessments from key figures across government, defense, intelligence, and international affairs.

In 2025, CSA organized multiple in-person off-the-record events. These gatherings strengthened CSA's role as a trusted national security convener and offered members a unique window into issues driving U.S. policy and global developments.

Events included:

- CSA Congressional Dinner with Representative Dusty Johnson (R-SD), New York, NY, February 2025
- CSA Lunch with Ambassador Danny Danon, Israel's Permanent Representative to the United Nations, New York, NY, March 2025
- CSA Lunch Briefing with Brig. Gen. (res.) Yossi Kuperwasser, New York, NY, April 2025
- CSA Board Dinner with Secretary of Energy Chris Wright and Ambassador Alec Oxenford, Embassy of Argentina, Washington, DC, May 2025
- CSA Iran War Breakfast Briefing with Brig. Gen. (res.) Amir Avivi, New York, NY, June 2025
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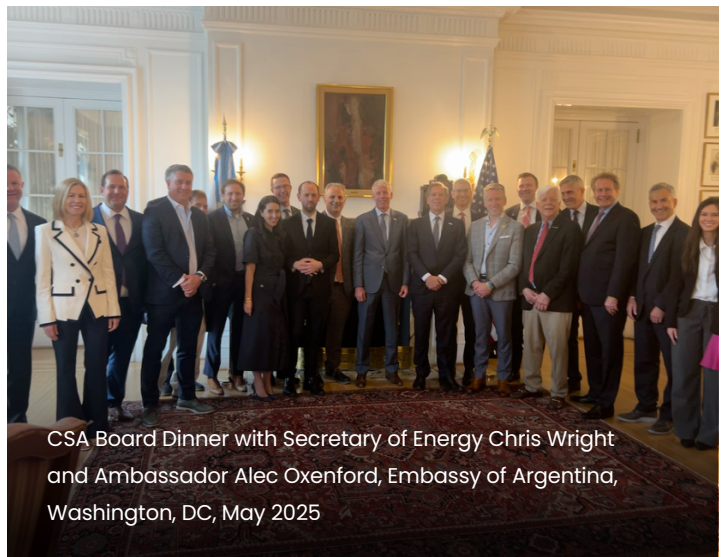
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162

**Congressional
Office Briefings**

300 since Oct 7, 2023

121

Virtual Events

52 since Oct 7, 2023

41

In-Person Events

206 since Oct 7, 2023

44

States Engaged

45 since Oct 7, 2023

100

**Republican Offices
Met With**

198 since Oct 7, 2023

62

**Democratic Offices
Met With**

102 since Oct 7, 2023

42

**Members Briefed in
Caucus Sessions**

CSA'S IMPACT WORK SINCE OCTOBER 7TH, 2023

148

Events Hosted for CSA Members

123 Virtual Events, 25 In-Person Events

42

Editions of the CSA Israel-HAMAS War Report, Polls, and Primers

73

Israel-HAMAS War Report Briefings

39 In-Person Briefings, including
4 Congressional Caucuses and
16 Conferences and Annual Meetings

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Primers

September Israel-Lebanon Update,
Fall of Assad Regime - Syria Update
Primer, Israel-Iran Twelve Day War
Primer, Doha Strike Primer

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State Legislatures

Wyoming, Iowa, New Mexico (Virtual),
Colorado, North Dakota

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Public Opinion Polls

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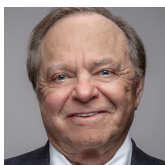
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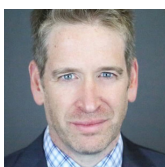
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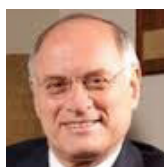
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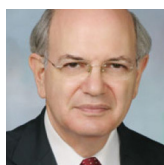
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