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SFOF Center Stage at Heritage National Meeting
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SFOF Takes Center Stage at National Heritage Foundation Event in Nashville, TN



The [State Financial Officers Foundation \(SFOF\)](#) had five of its state officials representing the organization at the 2022 Heritage Foundation Resource Bank National Meeting. This year's theme was ""We the People - On Offense.""

[Nebraska Treasurer John Murante](#), 2022 SFOF National Chair, was joined on the main stage by Vivek

Ramaswamy, CEO, Strive, Andy Puzder, 2nd Vote and Senior Fellow at The Heritage Foundation, and Will Hild, Executive Director, Consumers Research. The panel was moderated by Andy Olivastro, Vice President of Outreach, The Heritage Foundation.

Derek Kreifels, CEO, SFOF, moderated a different panel on the Resource Bank main stage focused on how state treasurers protect the public's trust. This panel consisted of three more SFOF state officials that have been leading issues of economic freedom in their states.

They included: [Missouri Treasurer](#)

[Scott Fitzpatrick](#), 2022 SFOF

National Vice-Chair, [Utah Treasurer](#)

[Mario Oaks](#), and [West Virginia Treasurer Riley Moore](#).



[Utah Auditor John](#)

[Dougall](#) took the stage in a Resource Bank ""Chalk Talk"" -- a breakout panel discussion to discuss Confronting the Fiscal Crisis: Reversing the Growth of Spending and Inflation. That discussion

included moderator Matthew Dickerson, Director, Grover M. Hermann Center for the Federal Budget, The Heritage Foundation, and panelists Vance Ginn, Ph.D., Chief Economist, Texas Public Policy Foundation, Steve Moore, Distinguished Fellow in Economics, Institute for Economic Freedom, The Heritage Foundation, and Utah Auditor John Dougall.



State Officials Fight Wall Street to Protect Pensioners From ESG ‘Scam’

Treasurers work to expose what they consider a misuse of state retirement funds

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SFOF Receives Heritage Foundation’s Innovation Prize for Public Effort to Educate Public on Environmental, Social, & Governance (ESG)

On Wednesday, June 1, the [**State Financial Officers Foundation \(SFOF\)**](#) received the Heritage Foundation’s first ever [**Innovation Prize**](#) for combating the progressive push to impose Environmental, Social, Governance (ESG) standards on

Americans. Composed of state treasurers, auditors, and other financial officers, SFOF was honored for their work educating the public about the pressing dangers of ESG through their “Our Money Our Values” campaign. The award was presented to Kreifels by Heritage Foundation President, Dr. Kevin Roberts, and Bridgett Wagner, Executive Director of the Edwin J. Feulner Institute.

The [Heritage Innovation Prize](#) is a new initiative to financially support innovative solutions to the most pressing issues facing America.



“SFOF state treasurers, auditors, and other financial officers have been working tirelessly to educate the public and key stakeholders on the dangers of ESG investing,” said Derek Kreifels, Chief Executive Officer of

the State Financial Officers Foundation. “All while corporations are trying to circumvent the democratic process and drive their own political agenda. It is such an honor to be recognized with a Heritage Foundation Innovation Prize as we work to educate the public with SFOF’s “Our Money Our Values” campaign. For more information email press@sfof.com

Treasurer Ball Requests Attorney General Opinion on the Role of Stakeholder Capitalism and ESG



Practices in Kentucky Public Pensions

Kentucky AG Daniel Cameron
Blasts ESG Globalist
Investing Trend

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Idaho officials led by Treasurer Ellsworth blast S&P, warn ESG credit indicators in ratings 'subjective way to penalize' states

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What is the State Financial Officers Foundation (SFOF)?

We are the only organization solely focused on educating and building relationships with free-market, fiscally conservative statewide elected financial officials across the country.

Our mission is to promote fiscally responsible public policy, partner with key stakeholders, and educate the public about the role of finance in a free market economy. SFOF leaders and corporate partners have worked together to develop sound financial policy in many of the fifty states.

Your continued support is critical to making this happen.

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Contributions to the State Financial Officers Foundation are tax deductible as SFOF is a non-profit (501c3) organization.

Mission Statement:

SFOF's mission is to drive fiscally sound public policy, by partnering with key stakeholders and educating Americans on the role of responsible financial management in a free market economy.

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