



Session 8

Hindu Mandir Empowerment Council
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Speaker Bio



Navneet J. Pathak is the COO of Americans4Hindus and a recent graduate in Economics from San Diego State University. He is passionate about being an advocate for Hindu American voices in politics and in civic engagement.

Presentation Abstract



A4H's Rajneeti Academy provides free and fully remote political education for learners of any age, with a direct avenue to learn from elected officials. This program centers on civic engagement, political awareness, leadership development, and informed participation in the political process.

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Inside Rajneeti Academy



- Free & fully remote political education
- Live interactive sessions every Sunday
- Open to learners of all ages
- Connect with participants across the country
- Direct Q&A with political leaders

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Why Rajneeti Academy?



- Bridging political knowledge and community involvement
- Making civic education accessible to all ages
- Connecting Hindu Americans with public leaders
- Building a foundation for civic leadership
- Preparing future generations for public service

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Understanding Politics



- How local and federal governments operate
- The role of elected officials in policymaking
- How political campaigns and elections work
- Understanding legislation and public policy
- Pathways into government and public service

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Pathway to Leadership



- Develop confidence in public speaking
- Learn from real-world political experiences
- Build relationships with civic leaders
- Explore opportunities for community involvement
- Get involved with campaigns directly

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Rooted in Dharma



- Open to all, rooted in dharmic values
- Dharma and seva through community service
- Amplifying Hindu voices in public life
- Protecting Hindu heritage and religious freedom
- Supporting Hindu and pro-Hindu candidates

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