DIGITAL FORUM
ON TERRORISM PREVENTION

Digital Forums on Terrorism Prevention build the capacity of credible, local voices in addressing terrorism and hate online.

- The Digital Forum offers a platform for community leaders in various fields to engage with tech companies to discuss innovative and inclusive responses to hate, polarization, and terrorism in the digital space.
- Technology is critical to terrorism prevention, and can support efforts at the community level to amplify messaging, assess risks, and inform reporting.
- Prevention programs require a "whole-of-society approach," which calls for engaging all facets of a local community to prevent individuals from mobilizing to violence.

In combining the talents of communities, non-governmental organizations, and the tech sector, we can drive collaborative responses to terrorist recruitment and radicalization that are more authentic, more scalable, and more sustainable.

- Past Digital Forums have included speakers and participants from leaders in:

  - Technology
  - Mental health
  - Non-profit organizations
  - Higher education
  - Research institutions and think tanks
  - Local school districts
  - Social Work

  - Information and referral networks
  - Human rights agencies
  - Law enforcement
  - Interfaith networks
  - Cultural and religious cohesion organizations
  - Emergency Management

Digital Forums support prevention efforts that provide awareness of the terrorist threat, reduce barriers to reporting and bolster resistance to radicalization to violence, and create an online environment better equipped to counter hate that mobilizes to violence and terrorism.

Themes:

- Tech Trends & Insights to Improve Your Effectiveness Online
- Counter Narratives from Credible Voices
- Responses to Polarization & Hate
- Increasing Online Responsibility
- Visions for Future Collaboration

Past Digital Forums:

- Washington, D.C. September 2017
- Palo Alto, CA February 2018
- Santa Monica, CA November 2018

Digital Forums have included representatives from more than **220** different organizations

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Carnegie Mellon University, the University of Pittsburgh, Tech Against Terrorism and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Office for Targeted Violence & Terrorism Prevention (TVTP) are co-presenting the next (invitation-only) Digital Forum on Terrorism Prevention.

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