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Dariush Mozaffarian, M.D.
*Dean, Friedman School of Nutrition
Science & Policy
Tufts University
Friday, February 5, 2021*

Dariush Mozaffarian is a cardiologist, Dean and Jean Mayer Professor at the Tufts Friedman School of Nutrition Science and Policy, and Professor of Medicine at Tufts Medical School. As one of the top nutrition institutions in the world, the Friedman School's mission is to produce trusted science, future leaders, and real-world impact. Dr. Mozaffarian has authored more than 400 scientific publications on dietary priorities for obesity, diabetes, and cardiovascular diseases, and on evidence-based policy approaches to reduce these burdens in the U.S. and globally. He has served in numerous advisory roles including for the U.S. and Canadian governments, American Heart Association, World Health Organization, and United Nations. His work has been featured in a wide array of media outlets including the *New York Times*, *Washington Post*, *Wall Street Journal*, *National Public Radio*, and *Time Magazine*. In 2016, Thomson Reuters named him as one of the World's Most Influential Scientific Minds.

Dr. Mozaffarian received a B.S. in biological sciences at Stanford (Phi Beta Kappa), M.D. at Columbia, residency training in internal medicine at Stanford, and fellowship training in cardiovascular medicine at the University of Washington. He also received an M.P.H. from the University of Washington and a Doctorate in Public Health from Harvard. Before being appointed as Dean at Tufts in 2014, Dr. Mozaffarian was at Harvard Medical School and Harvard School of Public Health for a decade and clinically active in cardiology at Brigham and Women's Hospital. He is married, has three children, and actively trains as a Third Degree Black Belt in Taekwondo.

Rahm Emanuel
*Former Mayor of Chicago
Former White House Chief of Staff
Friday, February 19, 2021*

Rahm Emanuel served as the 55th mayor of the City of Chicago from 2011-2019. Over his two terms, Mayor Emanuel led major investments across education, youth programming, neighborhood development, transportation, infrastructure, public health, and public safety.

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2020-2021 SPEAKERS

11-13-2020
Alex Gorskey
Chairman & CEO
Johnson & Johnson

12-4-2020
**Niloofar
Razi Howe**
Nat'l & Cyber Security

1-8-2021
John Bolton
Former U.S.
Ambassador to U.N.

1-22-2021
**Chad A.
Mirkin, Ph.D.**
Dir., Int'l Institute for
Nanotechnology

2-5-2021
**Dariusz
Mozaffarian,
M.D.**
Dean, Friedman
School of Nutrition
Science & Policy

2-19-2021
Rahm Emanuel
Former Mayor of
Chicago
Former White House
Chief of Staff

2-26-2021
**Gwynne
Shotwell**
President & COO
SpaceX



presidential campaign and later as Assistant to the President for political affairs and Senior Advisor for policy and strategy.

Rahm Emanuel is currently a senior advisor at Centerview Partners and a contributor for *ABC News*. Rahm Emanuel is married to Amy Rule and they have three children.



Gwynne Shotwell

President & COO

SpaceX

Friday, February 26, 2021

As President and COO of SpaceX, Gwynne Shotwell is responsible for the day-to-day operations and managing all customer and strategic relations to support company growth. She joined SpaceX in 2002 as Vice President of Business Development and built the Falcon vehicle family manifest to more than 100 launches, representing more than \$15 billion in business. Shotwell is a member of the SpaceX Board of Directors.

Prior to joining SpaceX, Shotwell spent more than 10 years at the Aerospace Corporation, holding positions in Space Systems Engineering, Technology and Project Management. She was promoted to the role of Chief Engineer of an MLV-class satellite program, managed a landmark study for the Federal Aviation Administration in commercial space transportation, and completed and extensive analysis of space policy for NASA's future investment in space transportation.

In addition to being included on Time's 100 Most Influential People of 2020, Shotwell was awarded the 2020 Von Karmen Wings award. In 2018, Shotwell was named the Satellite Executive of the Year and Mechanical Engineers Ralph Coats Roe Medal. *Fortune Magazine* placed Shotwell at #42 on their list of the World's 50 Greatest Leaders in 2018 and *Forbes* named her #55 on their list of Power Women in 2019. She was inducted into the National Academy of Engineering in 2020 and in 2019 was appointed to the National Space Council Users' Advisory Group. In 2014, Shotwell was appointed to the United States Export Import Bank's Advisory Committee and the Federal Aviation Administration's Management Advisory Council. Shotwell was elected to the honorable grade of Fellow with the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics.

Through leadership in both corporate and external science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) programs, Shotwell has

3-5-2021
Eric E. Silagy
Chair & CEO
Florida Power & Light

3-19-2021
Eric M. Verdin,
M.D.
Buck Institute for
Research on Aging

4-2-2021
Robert
Allbritton
Owner and Founder
Capital News Co.

4-16-2021
Brendan
Bechtel
CEO, Bechtel Corp.

helped raise over \$1.8 million for STEM programs reaching thousands of students nationwide.

Shotwell received, with honors, her bachelor's and master's degrees from Northwestern University in Mechanical Engineering and Applied Mathematics, and serves on their Board. She has authored dozens of papers on a variety of space related subjects.

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The Program Committee's goal is to bring the best speakers to the Forum Club. The criteria for the speaker selection requires that each speaker have a reputation as an outstanding well-respected leader and role model in his/her area of expertise.

To offer program variety, speakers are selected from the government, corporate, financial, international, media, health care, technology, and other fields.

This year's Program Committee, chaired by President-Elect Susan Jones, has begun its efforts to secure speakers for the next season.

While the Forum Club provides for transportation and hotel expenses, it does not offer its speakers honoraria. The Club encourages all members to assist in securing potential speakers with whom they have contact. If you have a suggestion of a potential speaker, please contact the Forum Club office or Program Committee Chair, Susan Jones.

MISSION STATEMENT

The Forum Club's mission is to:

- *Provide a congenial meeting atmosphere for members to enjoy prominent speakers in fields such as academia, business, economics, finance, government, health, international relations, media and the arts, science and technology*
- *Promote the highest civic, moral and ethical standards*
- *Share the "Forum Club Experience" with outstanding high school students in Collier County.*
- *Provide scholarships to Collier County high school students*

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2015-2016
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2011-2012
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2010-2011
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2009-2010
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2006-2007
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2004-2005
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1991
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1990
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1989
Corbin A. Wyant
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1986
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