



Howard Dean

Thursday February 25, 11am

Howard Dean – former DNC Chairman, presidential candidate, six-term governor of Vermont, and physician – has long promoted an expansive vision for participatory democracy in the United States.

Governor Dean brings a briefing on the state of the playing field for (small “d”) democratic policies and the Democratic Party. Come to hear how the dynamics of the 2020 elections shaped the Democratic Party, as well as get a forecast for how Democrats and progressives can push priorities around health equity, climate innovation, grassroots democracy, and more.



Stacey Abrams

Tuesday, March 23, noon

Stacey Abrams, political leader and voting rights activist, founded Fair Fight to promote fair elections via direct action and coordination among grassroots organizers. Along with Fair Fight Action’s CEO, Lauren Groh-Wargo, an alliance of pro-democracy activists effected sweeping advances in the state of Georgia.

Stacey and Lauren will address WNDC's members and guests to recap their efforts that produced meaningful change, sharing lessons for Georgia – and other battlegrounds – moving forward.

About the series



In 2021, the Woman's National Democratic Club is focusing on themes around understanding the US.'s system of representative democracy, inquiring into formal measures to address shortfalls such as H.R.1, the For the People Act, and pursuing action around grassroots mobilizing such as Fair Fight's 'Abrams Playbook.' As we build out the series, we welcome advisors, speakers, and participants in making this a reality. Please contact programs@democraticwoman.org to get involved.

