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Roger Ream, President of The Fund for American Studies, a 2021 Bradley Prize Winner

Award recognizes extraordinary talent, dedication to American exceptionalism

Milwaukee, WI - [The Lynde and Harry Bradley Foundation](#) announced today that Roger Ream, president of The Fund for American Studies, is one of three winners of the 2021 Bradley Prizes. The honor recognizes individuals whose outstanding achievements reflect The Bradley Foundation's mission to restore, strengthen, and protect the principles and institutions of American exceptionalism. Ream will receive the award at the 17th annual Bradley Prizes ceremony on Monday, September 13th at the National Building Museum in Washington, D.C.

"Roger's commitment to developing the liberty leaders of the future has strengthened the ideals of freedom in the U.S. and beyond," said Rick Graber, President and CEO of The Bradley Foundation. "His remarkable career has been dedicated to ensuring that younger generations understand and advance the foundations of a free society. The Bradley Foundation is proud to honor Roger for his work, which has touched thousands of lives."

For more than 40 years, Ream has pursued his passion to advance freedom and free markets, building programs that have preserved and expanded freedom both in America and around the world. In 1991, he joined The Fund for American Studies (TFAS) as executive vice president and was named president in 1998.

TFAS is an educational organization that is changing the world by developing leaders for a free society. By offering a portfolio of more than 20 different academic programs, fellowships, and seminars, TFAS helps cultivate future leaders from high school to their university studies and professional careers. Under Ream's leadership, TFAS has grown in reach and influence, adding international programs in Europe, Asia, and South America, as well as expanding to offer year-round academic and internship programs in Washington, DC. In 2013, TFAS absorbed the Foundation for Teaching Economics in Davis, California, and the Robert Novak Journalism Fellowship program into its operations.

Ream is also a member of the boards of the U.S. Air Force Academy Superintendent's Leadership Endowment, Donors Capital Fund, and the Foundation for Economic Education. He serves on the advisory boards of the Philanthropic Enterprise and TalentMarket. He is also a member of the Mont Pelerin Society, the Frank S. Meyer Society, the Association of Private Enterprise Education (APEE), and the Philadelphia Society. Ream served as president of the Philadelphia Society from 2009-10. In

January 2021, the Postmaster General of the United States Postal Service appointed Ream to the Citizens' Stamp Advisory Committee.

This year's award winners were chosen by the Bradley Prizes Selection Committee, a group of notable leaders in various fields, after careful review of over 100 distinguished nominations. Each award carries a stipend of \$250,000.

About The Lynde and Harry Bradley Foundation: Founded in 1985, the Milwaukee-based Bradley Foundation supports organizations that strengthen families and communities, inform and educate citizens, advance economic growth and encourage self-reliance. The Foundation's approach to philanthropy is guided by four core principles: fidelity to the U.S. Constitution with its principles of limited government, federalism, separation of powers, and individual liberties; commitment to free markets; dedication to the formation of informed and capable citizens; and commitment to the institutions of civil society that cultivate individuals capable of self-governance.

For questions or to schedule an interview with Rick Graber, President & CEO of The Bradley Foundation, please contact Christine Czernejewski at cczernejewski@bradleyfdn.org or 414-982-6684.

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