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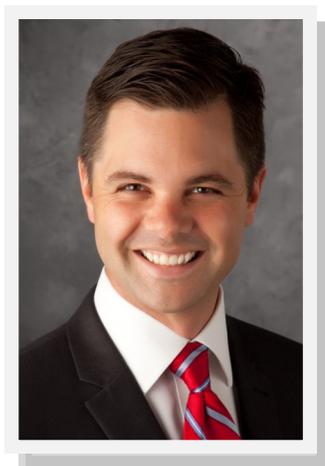
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## *Washington and Tehran: Locked in Cyber Warfare?*

*featuring Representative Zach Nunn*

**Tuesday, June 2 - Noon to 1 p.m.**

**Central Library, 1000 Grand Avenue - Downtown Des Moines**



*Rep. Zach Nunn*

Join the White House’s former Director of Cybersecurity and current Iowa House Representative **Zach Nunn** as he examines U.S. cyber operations, Iran’s counter-strikes and the unintended consequences of **global cyber warfare**.

The United States and Iran are battling online in an increasingly intense cyber campaign taking place against the backdrop of high-level talks on Iran's nuclear program. The use of cyberspace is only the latest field of battle between Washington and Tehran as clandestine cyber espionage races toward open cyber conflict. **Join us for this intriguing program on the impact of cyber security on a global scale.**

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## About Representative Zach Nunn

Prior to his election to the Iowa Legislature in 2014, Representative Zach Nunn served as the Director of Cybersecurity Policy on the National Security Council, White House, where he helped author two Presidential Policy Directives on cyber response options for the U.S. Government.

A seasoned counter-intelligence officer and cyber specialist, Zach's has partnered with Fortune 500 CEOs, formed policy with Congressional leaders, and alerted the President's national security team to imminent threats – and then recommended options to solve them.

In addition, as former Chief of Operations for Embassy Security, Zach supervised \$25 billion in new embassy construction in Beijing, London, Moscow and Guangzhou. Awarded the Director's Exceptional Service Medallion and the Defense Meritorious Service Medal in 2014, Nunn's experience prior to working with the nation's secrets includes flying 700 combat hours with the USAF over Iraq and Afghanistan, and teaching US Government to America's high school students. Nunn has extensive experience as a cyber entrepreneur, and has helped 500 public-private partners find creative solutions to security challenges 'on the internet.

He currently serves in the Iowa State Legislature for House District 30 (Altoona, Bondurant, Elkhart, Mitchellville, Pleasant Hill, Runnels, and eastern Polk County).

