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Service: 2013–2025 (including current term)

Most recent Congress: 119

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Biography

A Senator from Virginia. Born in St. Paul, Minn. , February 26, 1958. Graduated University of Missouri, B. A. , 1979. Graduated Harvard University, J. D. , 1983. Lawyer. Richmond City Council 1994-1998. Mayor of Richmond, Va. , 1998-2001. Lieutenant governor of Virginia 2002-2006. Governor of Virginia 2006-2010. Chairman of the Democratic National Committee 2009-2011. Elected as a Democrat to the United States Senate in 2012 for the term commencing January 3, 2013. Reelected in 2018 and again in 2024 for the term ending January 3, 2031. Unsuccessful candidate for vice president on the Democratic ticket with Hillary Rodham Clinton in 2016.

Committee Memberships (Congress 119)

- Armed Services Committee – Standing **Member**
- Budget Committee – Standing **Member**
- Education and the American Family Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Member**
- Emerging Threats and Capabilities Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Member**
- Employment and Workplace Safety Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Member**
- Foreign Relations Committee – Standing **Member**
- Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee – Standing **Member**
- Near East, South Asia, Central Asia, and Counterterrorism Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Member**
- Readiness and Management Support Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Member**
- Seapower Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Ranking**
- State Department and USAID Management, International Operations, and Bilateral International Development Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Member**
- Western Hemisphere, Transnational Crime, Civilian Security, Democracy, Human Rights, and Global Women's Issues Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Ranking**

Legislative Activity (2013–2025)

Bills sponsored: 308

Bills cosponsored: 2522

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
119 SJRES 182	A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Education relating to "William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan (Direct Loan) Program".	Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 402. Updated Apr 30, 2026
119 S 4468	A bill to address behavioral health and well-being among education professionals and other school staff.	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Updated Apr 30, 2026
119 SRES 712	A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate in support of general elections in Venezuela.	Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text: CR S2176) Updated Apr 30, 2026
119 SJRES 190	A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Executive Office for Immigration Review relating to "Appellate Procedures for the Board of Immigration Appeals".	Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. Updated Apr 30, 2026
119 SJRES 124	A joint resolution to direct the removal of United States Armed Forces from hostilities within or against the Republic of Cuba that have not been authorized by Congress.	The motion to discharge fell when the point of order was well taken. Updated Apr 28, 2026

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

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119 SRES 716	A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate regarding critical elements of the United States policy towards the People's Republic of China.	Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text: CR S2178-2179) Updated Apr 30, 2026
119 SRES 715	A resolution recognizing escalating threats to freedom of the press and freedom of speech worldwide, including increasing harm to journalists reporting in conflict zones and under repressive regimes, reaffirming the vital role that a free and independent press plays in upholding democracy, fostering economic prosperity, and keeping the public informed, and reaffirming freedom of the press as a priority of the United States Government in supporting democracy, human rights, and good governance in commemoration of "World Press Freedom Day" on May 3, 2026.	Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text: CR S2177-2178) Updated Apr 30, 2026
119 SRES 720	A resolution recognizing the significance of Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander Heritage Month as an important time to celebrate the significant contributions of Asian Americans, Native Hawaiians, and Pacific Islanders to the history of the United States.	Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Updated Apr 30, 2026
119 S 4478	A bill to protect the credit of Federal workers during a government shutdown.	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. Updated Apr 30, 2026
119 SJRES 184	A joint resolution to direct the removal of United States Armed Forces from hostilities within or against the Islamic Republic of Iran that have not been authorized by Congress.	Motion to discharge Senate Committee on Foreign Relations rejected by Yea-Nay Vote. 47 - 50. Record Updated Apr 30, 2026