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## **Democracy & Why Ukraine Matters: An Evening with Brock Bierman**

STAUNTON, VA – The Woodrow Wilson Presidential Library & Museum (WWPL) is pleased to host Brock Bierman, CEO, and President of Ukraine Focus, at our [Library and Research Center](#) on Monday, June 12 at 7:00 P.M. Mr. Bierman is a former U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) official & experienced humanitarian relief professional. Mr. Bierman will be speaking on his multiple humanitarian missions to Ukraine and work currently being conducted by USAID to support efforts to strengthen democracy.

In 2022, Bierman led seven missions to Ukraine to deliver humanitarian assistance. As founder of the Volunteer Ambulance Corps, he helped raise \$2 million through a partnership with Rotary International to purchase 76 ambulances to Ukraine, personally driving several to the front lines of the Russia-Ukraine war in Kharkiv and Mykolaiv. For his humanitarian contributions, Ukraine's Territorial Defense Force made him an honorary soldier. Bierman is considered an expert on democracy and governance by the German Marshall Fund, where he's a Visiting Fellow.

Join us at our Library and Research Center at 235 E Beverley St, Staunton, VA, or via Zoom for this FREE event. [Click here](#) to register online. Donations are encouraged but not required, and may also be made at the registration link.

The Woodrow Wilson Presidential Library and Museum is an educational institution dedicated to the study of the life of President Wilson and the times in which he lived. In addition to welcoming museum visitors from around the world, the Presidential Library produces online and in-person educational programming for people of all ages. The Museum is located at 20 N. Coalter Street, Staunton VA. For additional information, please contact Karen Dodson, Special Assistant for Development Initiatives at 540-885-0897 ext. 113 or visit [www.woodrowwilson.org](http://www.woodrowwilson.org).

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