



Prevent Future False Convictions by Learning From Past Errors

The [National Registry of Exonerations](#) has now documented over 2,500 exonerations. These innocent exonerees spent more than 22,000 years in prison for crimes they did not commit.

Our annual [end-of-year appeal](#) enables us to continue our mission of finding, studying, and reporting every exoneration that occurs in the United States. Our universities are essential hosts, but they do not provide all the support we need to do this work. [We rely on loyal donors like you.](#)



The Registry is a small organization with big ambitions. In addition to our daily postings and annual reports on wrongful convictions, we have three major projects that we're working on in 2020:

- The release of a major report on **Official Misconduct and Wrongful Convictions**;
- The first-ever database collecting **Group Exonerations**;
- A study on the role of **Forensic/Expert Evidence in Wrongful Convictions**.

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With gratitude,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Barb O'Brien'.

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