

# SOMEWHERE IN THE SKIES



▬▬▬ UFOS 2022: PART 1 ▬▬▬  
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MICHAEL HUNTINGTON

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00:00:00,750 --> 00:00:10,310

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00:00:14,990 --> 00:00:13,270

this is somewhere in the skies with ryan

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sprague

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00:00:40,790 --> 00:00:38,320

somewhere in the skies and welcome to a

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00:00:43,350 --> 00:00:40,800

live stream tonight of the show this

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00:00:45,670 --> 00:00:43,360

will go out on the podcast feed tomorrow

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00:00:48,630 --> 00:00:45,680

morning monday but i'm excited to do

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00:00:51,430 --> 00:00:48,640

this live tonight because we have two of

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00:00:54,069 --> 00:00:51,440

the speakers and one of the organizers

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00:00:56,470 --> 00:00:54,079

of the midwest conference on the unknown

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00:00:58,069 --> 00:00:56,480

coming to cape girardeau missouri august

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00:00:59,910 --> 00:00:58,079

5th through the 7th we're going to talk

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00:01:01,110 --> 00:00:59,920

all about what's going to be going on at

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the conference who's going to be

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00:01:05,030 --> 00:01:02,879

speaking

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00:01:07,510 --> 00:01:05,040

this guy those guys are going to see in

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00:01:09,990 --> 00:01:07,520

just a sec and a ton of other amazing

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00:01:12,149 --> 00:01:10,000

speakers and special events going on

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00:01:13,350 --> 00:01:12,159

there in missouri but before we do that

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00:01:16,070 --> 00:01:13,360

we're going to talk some of the latest

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00:01:19,429 --> 00:01:16,080

ufo news with these two people whom i

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00:01:21,830 --> 00:01:19,439

respect greatly who i am honored to call

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00:01:24,310 --> 00:01:21,840

not just colleagues but good friends as

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00:01:27,190 --> 00:01:24,320

well so let's not waste any more time

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00:01:29,109 --> 00:01:27,200

let's bring them in right now we have

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00:01:31,510 --> 00:01:29,119

micah hanks and michael huntington

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00:01:33,990 --> 00:01:31,520

welcome guys to somewhere in the skies

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00:01:36,390 --> 00:01:34,000

how's it going hello

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00:01:38,710 --> 00:01:36,400

cheers gentlemen before we start i know

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00:01:40,230 --> 00:01:38,720

it's hot there micah where you are i

31

00:01:42,069 --> 00:01:40,240

don't know how it's going to missouri

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00:01:44,710 --> 00:01:42,079

michael but it's hot here too so i've

33

00:01:48,630 --> 00:01:44,720

got a cold bevy right here

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00:01:49,990 --> 00:01:48,640

the go fast sightings beer so right well

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00:01:52,710 --> 00:01:50,000

yeah i guess i'm gonna i'm just gonna

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00:01:56,069 --> 00:01:52,720

have to follow suit you know uh and jump

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00:01:57,670 --> 00:01:56,079

in here on that um i i i haven't got a

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00:02:00,230 --> 00:01:57,680

good you oh actually no there's totally

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00:02:01,510 --> 00:02:00,240

a ufological uh tie in here because okay

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00:02:03,830 --> 00:02:01,520

so corona

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00:02:08,389 --> 00:02:03,840

uh some would say roswell others would

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00:02:11,029 --> 00:02:08,399

say corona right uh some would say aztec

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00:02:12,309 --> 00:02:11,039

incredible mythos of uh crash wreckage

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00:02:13,910 --> 00:02:12,319

retrievals

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00:02:15,589 --> 00:02:13,920

uh throughout parts of the southwestern

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00:02:16,949 --> 00:02:15,599

united states so again yeah so there's

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00:02:18,949 --> 00:02:16,959

at least a name

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00:02:21,350 --> 00:02:18,959

italian there

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00:02:23,190 --> 00:02:21,360

absolutely absolutely michael what are

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00:02:24,470 --> 00:02:23,200

you drinking man are you the responsible

51  
00:02:25,910 --> 00:02:24,480  
one tonight

52  
00:02:29,589 --> 00:02:25,920  
well uh i

53  
00:02:31,430 --> 00:02:29,599  
when i do drink which is very rare uh i

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00:02:34,150 --> 00:02:31,440  
i will usually drink pretty much

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00:02:36,550 --> 00:02:34,160  
exclusively guinness

56  
00:02:38,229 --> 00:02:36,560  
i'm one of those weird persons uh you

57  
00:02:40,550 --> 00:02:38,239  
know i can have some wine or you know a

58  
00:02:43,670 --> 00:02:40,560  
shot or whatever every once in a while

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00:02:45,830 --> 00:02:43,680  
but uh you know i'm a family man so uh

60  
00:02:48,630 --> 00:02:45,840  
uh uh you know with a lot of kids so

61  
00:02:51,670 --> 00:02:48,640  
sleep is a big priority so uh

62  
00:02:53,190 --> 00:02:51,680  
yeah i have the the monster triple shot

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00:02:57,030 --> 00:02:53,200

energy drink

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00:02:58,390 --> 00:02:57,040

uh which is really bad for you

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00:03:01,190 --> 00:02:58,400

yes but it's

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00:03:03,589 --> 00:03:01,200

almost a cryptozoological oddity so very

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00:03:05,589 --> 00:03:03,599

fitting and apropos for the occasion

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00:03:07,110 --> 00:03:05,599

very very good point my man we're

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00:03:09,110 --> 00:03:07,120

keeping it we're all keeping it real

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00:03:10,550 --> 00:03:09,120

tonight here and so we're in the skies

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00:03:12,949 --> 00:03:10,560

um guys

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00:03:14,470 --> 00:03:12,959

this is gonna be super laid back i'm so

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00:03:17,030 --> 00:03:14,480

happy to have you guys here i know i'm

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00:03:19,589 --> 00:03:17,040

gonna see you both in almost a week and

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00:03:22,149 --> 00:03:19,599

a half now out in missouri but i thought

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00:03:23,509 --> 00:03:22,159

it'd be a really cool opportunity

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00:03:25,430 --> 00:03:23,519

to talk about what we're going to be

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00:03:28,470 --> 00:03:25,440

doing in missouri um talk about the

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00:03:30,949 --> 00:03:28,480

speakers at the midwest conference on

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00:03:33,430 --> 00:03:30,959

the unknown but before we do that

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00:03:35,030 --> 00:03:33,440

there's been so much going on in the ufo

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00:03:38,550 --> 00:03:35,040

world lately a lot of stuff being

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00:03:40,630 --> 00:03:38,560

covered over at the debrief um so let's

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let's hop in with some of the latest

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news if you guys don't mind i've got um

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00:03:47,750 --> 00:03:45,360

a little thing here this is probably the

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00:03:49,589 --> 00:03:47,760

biggest story to come out in the last

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00:03:52,309 --> 00:03:49,599

couple weeks micah this was written by

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00:03:55,110 --> 00:03:52,319

you over at the debrief the pentagon

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00:03:58,869 --> 00:03:55,120

reveals new name of its uap

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00:04:02,789 --> 00:03:58,879

investigative office i'm sugg a whatever

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00:04:04,309 --> 00:04:02,799

the heck that thing was is no more so

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00:04:06,710 --> 00:04:04,319

yeah micah do you want to start man

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00:04:08,470 --> 00:04:06,720

what's this new office uh what's gonna

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00:04:10,309 --> 00:04:08,480

make it different from the other

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00:04:12,789 --> 00:04:10,319

iterations we've heard of in the last

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00:04:15,190 --> 00:04:12,799

year or so and uh give us your thoughts

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00:04:17,430 --> 00:04:15,200

on this story if you don't mind

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00:04:20,229 --> 00:04:17,440

well you know really this all goes back

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00:04:21,909 --> 00:04:20,239

to last november uh as most lawmakers in

101  
00:04:24,070 --> 00:04:21,919  
washington were on their way home for

102  
00:04:26,790 --> 00:04:24,080  
the thanksgiving holiday we saw a

103  
00:04:28,870 --> 00:04:26,800  
surprise announcement uh this was quite

104  
00:04:30,310 --> 00:04:28,880  
a development and that was the dod

105  
00:04:31,990 --> 00:04:30,320  
announcing the establishment of the

106  
00:04:34,950 --> 00:04:32,000  
airborne object identification

107  
00:04:36,230 --> 00:04:34,960  
management and synchronization group

108  
00:04:38,469 --> 00:04:36,240  
otherwise

109  
00:04:40,550 --> 00:04:38,479  
known affectionately as aimsag even

110  
00:04:42,469 --> 00:04:40,560  
though that's not really a very accurate

111  
00:04:44,310 --> 00:04:42,479  
description of how the words would sound

112  
00:04:46,629 --> 00:04:44,320  
if you tried to read them out but anyway

113  
00:04:49,030 --> 00:04:46,639

this is how you know the the respected

114

00:04:50,790 --> 00:04:49,040

uh mr moultrie uh depicted in the image

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00:04:53,030 --> 00:04:50,800

there ronald moultrie had described it

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00:04:55,430 --> 00:04:53,040

during the recent congressional hearings

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00:04:57,030 --> 00:04:55,440

um this was a surprise because of course

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00:04:58,790 --> 00:04:57,040

we had just seen at that time an

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00:05:00,550 --> 00:04:58,800

amendment that had been

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00:05:02,550 --> 00:05:00,560

introduced as a proposed amendment to

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00:05:04,629 --> 00:05:02,560

the national defense authorization act

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00:05:07,029 --> 00:05:04,639

for fiscal year 2022

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00:05:08,150 --> 00:05:07,039

by u.s senator kirsten gillibrand of new

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00:05:09,670 --> 00:05:08,160

york

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00:05:11,510 --> 00:05:09,680

and this called for the establishment of

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00:05:13,029 --> 00:05:11,520

a uap office that would definitely go

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00:05:15,670 --> 00:05:13,039

beyond the scope of what seemed to be

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00:05:18,310 --> 00:05:15,680

entailed as far as the aim sog

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00:05:20,390 --> 00:05:18,320

and so this led to a bit of a clash um

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00:05:22,230 --> 00:05:20,400

people were asking if this passes as

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00:05:23,670 --> 00:05:22,240

legislation is this going to mean that

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00:05:24,629 --> 00:05:23,680

there's going to be more than one uap

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00:05:26,230 --> 00:05:24,639

office

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00:05:28,550 --> 00:05:26,240

what exactly is going to happen with

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00:05:30,629 --> 00:05:28,560

that and so sure enough

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00:05:32,230 --> 00:05:30,639

as the year went on it comes to pass

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00:05:34,469 --> 00:05:32,240

that the gillibrand amendment continue

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00:05:35,990 --> 00:05:34,479

to receive additional support i reached

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00:05:37,270 --> 00:05:36,000

out to gillibrand's office and received

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00:05:38,790 --> 00:05:37,280

a statement from her spokesperson

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00:05:40,550 --> 00:05:38,800

elizabeth landau who had said that you

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00:05:43,110 --> 00:05:40,560

know the aimsag although we appreciate

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00:05:45,270 --> 00:05:43,120

what the dod is trying to do in no way

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00:05:47,510 --> 00:05:45,280

covers all the parameters of what we're

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00:05:48,870 --> 00:05:47,520

looking at for the proposed anomaly i

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00:05:51,909 --> 00:05:48,880

think at the time they were trying to

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00:05:53,670 --> 00:05:51,919

call it the asro the anomaly anomaly

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00:05:55,749 --> 00:05:53,680

surveillance and resolution office i

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00:05:56,950 --> 00:05:55,759

think was the proposed name at that time

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00:05:59,029 --> 00:05:56,960

so many

151  
00:06:00,230 --> 00:05:59,039  
i know and trying to keep up with all of

152  
00:06:02,790 --> 00:06:00,240  
them it's just

153  
00:06:04,870 --> 00:06:02,800  
near herculean task and i'm no hercules

154  
00:06:05,990 --> 00:06:04,880  
but the point is is that they had wanted

155  
00:06:07,430 --> 00:06:06,000  
to look at you know having you know

156  
00:06:09,670 --> 00:06:07,440  
field dispatch teams who could

157  
00:06:11,350 --> 00:06:09,680  
investigate uap

158  
00:06:13,029 --> 00:06:11,360  
in in the field they had been looking at

159  
00:06:14,469 --> 00:06:13,039  
you know having a science team that

160  
00:06:17,350 --> 00:06:14,479  
would evaluate this there was supposed

161  
00:06:20,070 --> 00:06:17,360  
to be an oversight panel uh members of

162  
00:06:21,749 --> 00:06:20,080  
harvard astronomer avi loeb's galileo

163  
00:06:23,350 --> 00:06:21,759

project was supposed to constitute this

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00:06:24,870 --> 00:06:23,360

panel as well as members of an

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00:06:27,430 --> 00:06:24,880

organization i'm actually a part of the

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00:06:28,309 --> 00:06:27,440

scientific coalition for uap studies

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00:06:32,230 --> 00:06:28,319

um

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00:06:34,309 --> 00:06:32,240

that the gila brand amendment and its

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00:06:36,230 --> 00:06:34,319

version of the uap office would take

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00:06:37,749 --> 00:06:36,240

effect and that amendment did end up

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00:06:39,430 --> 00:06:37,759

being included in the final senate

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00:06:41,029 --> 00:06:39,440

package and passed into law early this

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00:06:42,070 --> 00:06:41,039

year signed into law by president joe

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00:06:44,070 --> 00:06:42,080

biden

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00:06:45,590 --> 00:06:44,080

so that still left us wondering well but

176  
00:06:47,670 --> 00:06:45,600  
is there going to be the aim sog which

177  
00:06:50,469 --> 00:06:47,680  
is just looking at aerial incursions

178  
00:06:51,430 --> 00:06:50,479  
over military controlled airspace or is

179  
00:06:52,790 --> 00:06:51,440  
there going to be this gillibrand

180  
00:06:54,950 --> 00:06:52,800  
amendment so i reached out to the

181  
00:06:57,510 --> 00:06:54,960  
pentagon susan goff got back with me and

182  
00:07:00,309 --> 00:06:57,520  
told me that no they didn't include the

183  
00:07:02,710 --> 00:07:00,319  
name for the office in the legislation

184  
00:07:05,589 --> 00:07:02,720  
purposefully so that the aim sog as it

185  
00:07:06,870 --> 00:07:05,599  
has been described uh can be the office

186  
00:07:08,870 --> 00:07:06,880  
but it's going to fall within the

187  
00:07:09,749 --> 00:07:08,880  
purview of what congress has directed

188  
00:07:11,350 --> 00:07:09,759

and then we heard during the

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00:07:13,670 --> 00:07:11,360

congressional hearings earlier this year

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00:07:15,110 --> 00:07:13,680

that mr moultrie had said that name's

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00:07:18,070 --> 00:07:15,120

going to change and this is that new

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00:07:18,950 --> 00:07:18,080

name the all domain anomaly resolution

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00:07:20,629 --> 00:07:18,960

office

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00:07:21,990 --> 00:07:20,639

which is supposed to do exactly what

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00:07:23,430 --> 00:07:22,000

congress has directed it's going to

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00:07:24,790 --> 00:07:23,440

cover all the things that were in the

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00:07:28,309 --> 00:07:24,800

final version of the bill that went into

198

00:07:29,749 --> 00:07:28,319

law and this is going to be the dod uap

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00:07:31,510 --> 00:07:29,759

investigative component so that's kind

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of where we are right now that little

201  
00:07:34,309 --> 00:07:33,280  
you know arrow on the map that points at

202  
00:07:35,909 --> 00:07:34,319  
where we are

203  
00:07:37,350 --> 00:07:35,919  
uh and where it goes from here is

204  
00:07:39,589 --> 00:07:37,360  
anybody's guess

205  
00:07:41,990 --> 00:07:39,599  
right and this is a really interesting

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00:07:43,749 --> 00:07:42,000  
part i thought from the statements i

207  
00:07:46,309 --> 00:07:43,759  
believe by moultrie uh this includes

208  
00:07:49,029 --> 00:07:46,319  
anomalous unidentified space airborne

209  
00:07:50,710 --> 00:07:49,039  
submerged and trans-medium

210  
00:07:53,110 --> 00:07:50,720  
objects that's the part that really

211  
00:07:55,110 --> 00:07:53,120  
caught a lot of people's attention so

212  
00:07:57,189 --> 00:07:55,120  
michael would you mind touching on that

213  
00:07:59,830 --> 00:07:57,199

a little bit man do you think this is as

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00:08:02,469 --> 00:07:59,840

someone who strives for scientific uh

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00:08:04,790 --> 00:08:02,479

exploration of this topic and um you

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00:08:07,029 --> 00:08:04,800

know credibility what do you think of

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00:08:10,189 --> 00:08:07,039

this thing is this just another blue

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00:08:13,110 --> 00:08:10,199

book in its millionth version now in

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00:08:15,589 --> 00:08:13,120

2021 excuse me 22. well i'm a year

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00:08:16,950 --> 00:08:15,599

behind guys um what do you make of all

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00:08:20,869 --> 00:08:16,960

this man

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00:08:24,150 --> 00:08:20,879

well uh it is certainly fascinating uh

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00:08:27,350 --> 00:08:24,160

what it is going to be or or what it is

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00:08:29,430 --> 00:08:27,360

now is sort of uh open to interpretation

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uh are we going to get some sort of

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00:08:32,230 --> 00:08:31,039

bureaucratic uh

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00:08:35,430 --> 00:08:32,240

blue book

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00:08:37,990 --> 00:08:35,440

uh that some perceived as uh perceived

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00:08:39,990 --> 00:08:38,000

as you know being d legitimate

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00:08:42,070 --> 00:08:40,000

uh somehow it was a whitewash of the

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00:08:44,070 --> 00:08:42,080

subject is this going to be

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00:08:45,990 --> 00:08:44,080

you know a furtherance of that or is it

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00:08:48,070 --> 00:08:46,000

going to be used for you know some sort

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00:08:50,710 --> 00:08:48,080

of a broader disclosure

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uh effort um

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00:08:57,269 --> 00:08:53,279

we shall see it it certainly

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00:08:58,870 --> 00:08:57,279

is a defense organization though

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and and it

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00:09:03,910 --> 00:09:01,279

at least you know separate from say the

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ufo or the uap

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00:09:08,870 --> 00:09:06,959

uh subject proper it is at least going

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00:09:11,190 --> 00:09:08,880

to try to resolve

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00:09:13,829 --> 00:09:11,200

uh you know some of the uh the

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incursions uh that are being reported or

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have been reported uh there at a minimum

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is at least some sort of a drone problem

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or some sort of an incursion pro

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problem just on its base whatever the

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ultimate answer is

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00:09:31,509 --> 00:09:29,440

uh you know there are incursions and

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it's of concern to military and

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intelligence so it's going to be taken

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at least these uh further cases i think

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are going to be looked at through

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you know

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trying to

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00:09:47,750 --> 00:09:45,279

make real determinations as to

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00:09:49,190 --> 00:09:47,760

likely explanations uh i don't think

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you're going to see this governmental

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body uh you know making

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any sort of disclosure like conclusion

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that declares something is

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extraterrestrial

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00:10:02,310 --> 00:10:00,480

i think what you will see is

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as you have seen in the past you know

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00:10:05,430 --> 00:10:04,079

that we we might get some interesting

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cases that are

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going to be open to different

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interpretations and uh

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uh

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we'll just have to see what comes out of

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00:10:17,110 --> 00:10:14,399

that i think there's going to be uh

273

00:10:19,750 --> 00:10:17,120

you know there's not really a mandate to

274

00:10:22,389 --> 00:10:19,760

give all this information out other than

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00:10:23,509 --> 00:10:22,399

you know internally and politically so

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00:10:25,829 --> 00:10:23,519

um

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00:10:28,790 --> 00:10:25,839

how much we're going to get

278

00:10:31,350 --> 00:10:28,800

it's debatable that their the new

279

00:10:33,990 --> 00:10:31,360

office has opened up a twitter space so

280

00:10:35,910 --> 00:10:34,000

they're at least going to be engaging

281

00:10:38,310 --> 00:10:35,920

you know and maybe there's a recognition

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00:10:39,829 --> 00:10:38,320

of of ufo twitter there or maybe there's

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00:10:41,509 --> 00:10:39,839

you know

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00:10:44,069 --> 00:10:41,519

there's there's more connections there

285

00:10:48,389 --> 00:10:44,079

with the social media aspect

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00:10:50,230 --> 00:10:48,399

that is intriguing you know certainly um

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00:10:53,750 --> 00:10:50,240

are they gonna give us reports are they

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00:10:55,590 --> 00:10:53,760

gonna get ufo resources involved yeah

289

00:10:57,269 --> 00:10:55,600

because you know ufo twitter we're not

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00:10:59,030 --> 00:10:57,279

gonna keep our mouth shut if they put a

291

00:11:00,710 --> 00:10:59,040

case on there

292

00:11:02,710 --> 00:11:00,720

we're going to be into it we're in your

293

00:11:05,590 --> 00:11:02,720

investigation sorry you know we're going

294

00:11:07,509 --> 00:11:05,600

to put our opinions out there uh so

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00:11:08,710 --> 00:11:07,519

it'll be interesting to see what happens

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00:11:10,230 --> 00:11:08,720

um

297

00:11:13,590 --> 00:11:10,240

i just hope we get some interesting

298

00:11:16,069 --> 00:11:13,600

cases to look at and and and things that

299

00:11:18,470 --> 00:11:16,079

make us rise to that next level of you

300

00:11:19,829 --> 00:11:18,480

know what do we need scientifically here

301  
00:11:21,670 --> 00:11:19,839  
how do we

302  
00:11:23,350 --> 00:11:21,680  
continue to progress this because the

303  
00:11:24,550 --> 00:11:23,360  
goal is going to be we're going to want

304  
00:11:26,870 --> 00:11:24,560  
some evidence

305  
00:11:29,269 --> 00:11:26,880  
that's what we want ultimately

306  
00:11:31,509 --> 00:11:29,279  
we want the stories we want the accounts

307  
00:11:34,310 --> 00:11:31,519  
accounts because we want to delve into

308  
00:11:35,430 --> 00:11:34,320  
those but you know we want some serious

309  
00:11:41,110 --> 00:11:35,440  
evidence

310  
00:11:44,310 --> 00:11:41,120  
that we can

311  
00:11:46,630 --> 00:11:44,320  
sneak our t's into or you know foia

312  
00:11:48,069 --> 00:11:46,640  
files that we can sync our teams into i

313  
00:11:49,269 --> 00:11:48,079

think we're going to get a little bit of

314

00:11:51,350 --> 00:11:49,279

all that

315

00:11:52,790 --> 00:11:51,360

yeah if i may just add really quickly to

316

00:11:54,230 --> 00:11:52,800

what michael's talking about i mean

317

00:11:55,750 --> 00:11:54,240

again and this is one reason i just got

318

00:11:57,590 --> 00:11:55,760

to say you know if i can geek for a

319

00:11:59,590 --> 00:11:57,600

moment why it's going to be so great up

320

00:12:01,509 --> 00:11:59,600

there in cape girardeau when we're all

321

00:12:02,790 --> 00:12:01,519

sharing space you know and talking about

322

00:12:04,629 --> 00:12:02,800

this because it's evident i mean we've

323

00:12:07,110 --> 00:12:04,639

got so much going on right now so many

324

00:12:09,030 --> 00:12:07,120

ideas everybody wants to share um and

325

00:12:10,470 --> 00:12:09,040

frankly coming out of the last two years

326

00:12:11,910 --> 00:12:10,480

with everybody having to kind of keep

327

00:12:12,870 --> 00:12:11,920

those conversations in the digital

328

00:12:14,310 --> 00:12:12,880

sphere

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00:12:16,870 --> 00:12:14,320

it's going to be so wonderful to do that

330

00:12:19,829 --> 00:12:16,880

in human like space with one another in

331

00:12:21,750 --> 00:12:19,839

in the real world that's been so lacking

332

00:12:24,710 --> 00:12:21,760

from this dialogue but but as michael

333

00:12:26,470 --> 00:12:24,720

pointed out uh we have a twitter handle

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00:12:27,990 --> 00:12:26,480

right for the aaro

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00:12:30,150 --> 00:12:28,000

and what are we gonna call that can we

336

00:12:31,509 --> 00:12:30,160

just call it the arrow the ro arrow i

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00:12:33,590 --> 00:12:31,519

think works

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00:12:34,949 --> 00:12:33,600

i like that i think we'll go with arrow

339

00:12:36,629 --> 00:12:34,959

at least you know

340

00:12:38,790 --> 00:12:36,639

for the purposes of our conversation

341

00:12:40,230 --> 00:12:38,800

here but it having a social media

342

00:12:42,150 --> 00:12:40,240

presence already that didn't happen with

343

00:12:43,509 --> 00:12:42,160

aim sog

344

00:12:45,590 --> 00:12:43,519

didn't even happen to my knowledge with

345

00:12:47,430 --> 00:12:45,600

the uab task force so i mean if anything

346

00:12:48,389 --> 00:12:47,440

this does seem to show

347

00:12:50,470 --> 00:12:48,399

that the

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00:12:51,430 --> 00:12:50,480

the dod is hoping to have

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00:13:02,310 --> 00:12:51,440

a

350

00:13:04,150 --> 00:13:02,320

they're going to be distinctive

351  
00:13:05,269 --> 00:13:04,160  
limitations in terms of how much can be

352  
00:13:07,670 --> 00:13:05,279  
revealed

353  
00:13:09,990 --> 00:13:07,680  
but on the other side there is also a

354  
00:13:11,350 --> 00:13:10,000  
definitiveness i guess about this right

355  
00:13:13,750 --> 00:13:11,360  
there's something of a statement being

356  
00:13:14,949 --> 00:13:13,760  
made the fact that the predecessors

357  
00:13:17,030 --> 00:13:14,959  
didn't have

358  
00:13:19,269 --> 00:13:17,040  
their own twitter handles not just a

359  
00:13:21,590 --> 00:13:19,279  
hashtag but again a actual handle and i

360  
00:13:23,190 --> 00:13:21,600  
followed it as soon as i saw moultrie

361  
00:13:24,550 --> 00:13:23,200  
tweeting about this

362  
00:13:26,310 --> 00:13:24,560  
that seems to indicate that well there's

363  
00:13:28,470 --> 00:13:26,320

a lasting component here we plan to have

364

00:13:30,310 --> 00:13:28,480

this office at least for some time

365

00:13:31,990 --> 00:13:30,320

and i think actually some of the the

366

00:13:33,829 --> 00:13:32,000

parameters in terms of length and then

367

00:13:35,590 --> 00:13:33,839

also what the office is intended to do

368

00:13:36,870 --> 00:13:35,600

or outlined in the legislation from

369

00:13:38,230 --> 00:13:36,880

earlier this year

370

00:13:41,189 --> 00:13:38,240

but that definitely seems to say that

371

00:13:43,189 --> 00:13:41,199

the dod uh is expecting for this to be a

372

00:13:45,269 --> 00:13:43,199

presence for you know at least the next

373

00:13:46,870 --> 00:13:45,279

few years and enough so that they're

374

00:13:48,629 --> 00:13:46,880

already kind of you know staking their

375

00:13:49,990 --> 00:13:48,639

claim in social media

376

00:13:50,949 --> 00:13:50,000

the other side of that that may also

377

00:13:53,030 --> 00:13:50,959

entail

378

00:13:54,710 --> 00:13:53,040

questions about well how forward-facing

379

00:13:57,030 --> 00:13:54,720

will this be really is the whole idea of

380

00:14:00,629 --> 00:13:57,040

engaging you know with the ufo twitter

381

00:14:02,069 --> 00:14:00,639

crowd uh openly in what even though i

382

00:14:03,990 --> 00:14:02,079

doubt sincerely we're going to be seeing

383

00:14:06,069 --> 00:14:04,000

tweets at people or interactions you

384

00:14:07,829 --> 00:14:06,079

know from the aero account

385

00:14:10,069 --> 00:14:07,839

let's take a you know a hint from maybe

386

00:14:11,509 --> 00:14:10,079

past instances where government offices

387

00:14:13,350 --> 00:14:11,519

and things have had a twitter presence

388

00:14:16,389 --> 00:14:13,360

like the cia often they're actually

389

00:14:17,750 --> 00:14:16,399

making fun of topics like ufos and and

390

00:14:19,189 --> 00:14:17,760

kind of you know making humorous

391

00:14:22,069 --> 00:14:19,199

references to the subject and their

392

00:14:23,829 --> 00:14:22,079

tweets uh in a way that you would expect

393

00:14:26,069 --> 00:14:23,839

people to engage with one another online

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00:14:28,069 --> 00:14:26,079

so can we expect the same from the arrow

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00:14:29,990 --> 00:14:28,079

the all domain anomaly resolution office

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00:14:31,509 --> 00:14:30,000

maybe so that remains to be seen but i

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00:14:33,590 --> 00:14:31,519

think in itself that there is already

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00:14:35,110 --> 00:14:33,600

that social media handle that could be

399

00:14:36,629 --> 00:14:35,120

pretty significant but one final point

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00:14:38,629 --> 00:14:36,639

that michael makes that's really really

401  
00:14:40,150 --> 00:14:38,639  
important here again you mentioned

402  
00:14:41,829 --> 00:14:40,160  
michael there being a drone problem and

403  
00:14:43,829 --> 00:14:41,839  
we can acknowledge at least that much

404  
00:14:46,150 --> 00:14:43,839  
let's not leave with a presumption that

405  
00:14:47,990 --> 00:14:46,160  
the uap investigative elements within

406  
00:14:49,670 --> 00:14:48,000  
government right now are looking for dim

407  
00:14:50,870 --> 00:14:49,680  
aliens you know because if anything what

408  
00:14:53,110 --> 00:14:50,880  
they have been

409  
00:14:55,350 --> 00:14:53,120  
tasked with doing is just analyzing any

410  
00:14:58,150 --> 00:14:55,360  
kind of defense risks any kind of

411  
00:14:59,350 --> 00:14:58,160  
challenges to national security weather

412  
00:15:02,069 --> 00:14:59,360  
and again this is also something you

413  
00:15:04,550 --> 00:15:02,079

pointed out ryan that be in our airspace

414

00:15:07,189 --> 00:15:04,560

or if that actually is occurring at sea

415

00:15:09,750 --> 00:15:07,199

below or actually transitioning between

416

00:15:11,030 --> 00:15:09,760

the mediums of sea and air as has been

417

00:15:13,110 --> 00:15:11,040

you know proposed with these so-called

418

00:15:15,269 --> 00:15:13,120

trans-medium

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00:15:16,310 --> 00:15:15,279

aircraft technologies objects whatever

420

00:15:17,750 --> 00:15:16,320

they may be

421

00:15:18,710 --> 00:15:17,760

so we have to take into consideration

422

00:15:21,110 --> 00:15:18,720

that really

423

00:15:22,310 --> 00:15:21,120

our expectations especially in the ufo

424

00:15:25,189 --> 00:15:22,320

community having looked at the

425

00:15:27,110 --> 00:15:25,199

possibility of an exotic intelligence

426  
00:15:29,350 --> 00:15:27,120  
and a technology

427  
00:15:31,110 --> 00:15:29,360  
being what uap represents and being the

428  
00:15:33,269 --> 00:15:31,120  
concept of this being something that is

429  
00:15:34,629 --> 00:15:33,279  
not human that may not be exactly how

430  
00:15:35,990 --> 00:15:34,639  
the government looks at it in fact the

431  
00:15:38,069 --> 00:15:36,000  
majority of what they'll be looking at

432  
00:15:40,150 --> 00:15:38,079  
probably has much to do much more to do

433  
00:15:41,910 --> 00:15:40,160  
with down-to-earth threats and other

434  
00:15:44,389 --> 00:15:41,920  
challenges that emanate from here rather

435  
00:15:47,189 --> 00:15:44,399  
than from up there

436  
00:15:50,150 --> 00:15:47,199  
right exactly and we should say here

437  
00:15:50,949 --> 00:15:50,160  
this is the the twitter account for this

438  
00:15:57,189 --> 00:15:50,959

new

439

00:15:59,189 --> 00:15:57,199

right there we see lazar is trending

440

00:16:01,269 --> 00:15:59,199

that could not be more perfect than for

441

00:16:03,910 --> 00:16:01,279

our live stream tonight guys

442

00:16:06,949 --> 00:16:03,920

lazarus trending again

443

00:16:08,710 --> 00:16:06,959

um so make of that what you will so is

444

00:16:10,310 --> 00:16:08,720

he-man i'm interested to learn more

445

00:16:13,030 --> 00:16:10,320

about that that's gotta be a comic-con

446

00:16:15,590 --> 00:16:13,040

thing but um yeah yeah loving these

447

00:16:17,030 --> 00:16:15,600

trending things over here um awesome

448

00:16:19,670 --> 00:16:17,040

guys well i'm glad i could get your

449

00:16:22,550 --> 00:16:19,680

thoughts on that because it was it was

450

00:16:24,389 --> 00:16:22,560

exciting news again this is an evolution

451  
00:16:26,629 --> 00:16:24,399  
in the official dome of this topic

452  
00:16:28,710 --> 00:16:26,639  
within the us government at least we

453  
00:16:31,509 --> 00:16:28,720  
also just had congressional hearings

454  
00:16:33,350 --> 00:16:31,519  
here in the united states also in brazil

455  
00:16:36,550 --> 00:16:33,360  
something i'm going to be uh covering on

456  
00:16:39,749 --> 00:16:36,560  
the show in the very near future um but

457  
00:16:42,550 --> 00:16:39,759  
i want to move on guys to another big

458  
00:16:44,629 --> 00:16:42,560  
story that recently um

459  
00:16:47,110 --> 00:16:44,639  
that recently came to our attention and

460  
00:16:50,710 --> 00:16:47,120  
that is this

461  
00:16:53,910 --> 00:16:50,720  
we got some of the most historic images

462  
00:16:56,150 --> 00:16:53,920  
to ever grace our human eyeballs and

463  
00:16:58,310 --> 00:16:56,160

that came from the james webb

464

00:17:00,949 --> 00:16:58,320

telescope i mean look at these things

465

00:17:02,550 --> 00:17:00,959

it's it's absolutely incredible so i

466

00:17:05,429 --> 00:17:02,560

want to know first and foremost did

467

00:17:07,510 --> 00:17:05,439

either of you get to watch the uh the

468

00:17:10,150 --> 00:17:07,520

press briefing that occurred the day

469

00:17:11,590 --> 00:17:10,160

before they released these images it was

470

00:17:14,230 --> 00:17:11,600

pretty interesting right a little

471

00:17:17,350 --> 00:17:14,240

awkward just like i would expect from

472

00:17:19,110 --> 00:17:17,360

nasa and biden but um yeah what did you

473

00:17:20,949 --> 00:17:19,120

guys think when these images first

474

00:17:22,949 --> 00:17:20,959

dropped uh michael let's start with you

475

00:17:26,230 --> 00:17:22,959

man if you don't mind

476

00:17:28,230 --> 00:17:26,240

well uh i i i knew it was going to be a

477

00:17:30,549 --> 00:17:28,240

an historic moment you know they're they

478

00:17:32,390 --> 00:17:30,559

were i think they lit the empire state

479

00:17:35,110 --> 00:17:32,400

building up in gold right

480

00:17:37,350 --> 00:17:35,120

yep uh in honor of it and uh everybody

481

00:17:38,390 --> 00:17:37,360

was you know counting down

482

00:17:40,789 --> 00:17:38,400

uh

483

00:17:43,750 --> 00:17:40,799

the minutes to you know these pictures

484

00:17:47,270 --> 00:17:43,760

that we knew sort of what they were and

485

00:17:48,870 --> 00:17:47,280

and what areas were being uh looked at

486

00:17:51,909 --> 00:17:48,880

and then

487

00:17:53,990 --> 00:17:51,919

you know i i had you know my screen set

488

00:17:55,430 --> 00:17:54,000

up and i was projecting it and i was

489

00:17:56,950 --> 00:17:55,440

watching it with my boys you know

490

00:17:59,110 --> 00:17:56,960

because i was like hey you're gonna

491

00:18:00,870 --> 00:17:59,120

remember the time that we uh

492

00:18:03,350 --> 00:18:00,880

watch this you know

493

00:18:06,230 --> 00:18:03,360

and of course then we waited for like 45

494

00:18:08,310 --> 00:18:06,240

minutes they just left us waiting

495

00:18:11,110 --> 00:18:08,320

and this music was playing over and over

496

00:18:12,870 --> 00:18:11,120

and over and and you know i'm getting on

497

00:18:14,549 --> 00:18:12,880

twitter and everybody's just making fun

498

00:18:16,150 --> 00:18:14,559

of it the memes are just rolling right

499

00:18:18,870 --> 00:18:16,160

at it and then

500

00:18:20,390 --> 00:18:18,880

and then it started and then it uh

501  
00:18:22,950 --> 00:18:20,400  
you know the pictures were kind of way

502  
00:18:26,150 --> 00:18:22,960  
back there and then people were

503  
00:18:28,870 --> 00:18:26,160  
i guess politicians were saying stuff

504  
00:18:31,110 --> 00:18:28,880  
you know and then uh and it just sort of

505  
00:18:33,510 --> 00:18:31,120  
ended you know and i was kind of

506  
00:18:35,270 --> 00:18:33,520  
disappointed you know and

507  
00:18:37,430 --> 00:18:35,280  
yeah that's yeah

508  
00:18:40,070 --> 00:18:37,440  
yeah it was kind of a um i i was

509  
00:18:42,150 --> 00:18:40,080  
expecting the um kirby enthusiasm music

510  
00:18:45,110 --> 00:18:42,160  
to come in at the end there that would

511  
00:18:46,630 --> 00:18:45,120  
have been all too perfect but um hey i

512  
00:18:48,230 --> 00:18:46,640  
think the most important part of this

513  
00:18:49,510 --> 00:18:48,240

and michael you're right like this

514

00:18:51,909 --> 00:18:49,520

hopefully will be something your

515

00:18:55,190 --> 00:18:51,919

children will remember the day they saw

516

00:18:57,350 --> 00:18:55,200

the first images from james webb i mean

517

00:19:00,470 --> 00:18:57,360

i remember micah i was with you

518

00:19:03,110 --> 00:19:00,480

digitally when um the rover first landed

519

00:19:05,350 --> 00:19:03,120

on mars and my god man like i think all

520

00:19:06,150 --> 00:19:05,360

of us had tears in our eyes it was such

521

00:19:30,230 --> 00:19:06,160

a

522

00:19:32,630 --> 00:19:30,240

know

523

00:19:33,909 --> 00:19:32,640

uh asking me is this anything earth

524

00:19:36,390 --> 00:19:33,919

shattering you know is this life

525

00:19:38,549 --> 00:19:36,400

changing can i not watch this i'm like

526

00:19:40,630 --> 00:19:38,559

yeah you know go out there uh till the

527

00:19:42,870 --> 00:19:40,640

garden if you like go take your wife to

528

00:19:44,630 --> 00:19:42,880

lunch no problem i mean it's not gonna

529

00:19:47,029 --> 00:19:44,640

change your life maybe if you aren't as

530

00:19:49,270 --> 00:19:47,039

interested in space exploration

531

00:19:50,950 --> 00:19:49,280

uh as someone like i am but

532

00:19:52,390 --> 00:19:50,960

for me this was

533

00:19:55,190 --> 00:19:52,400

one of the most significant

534

00:19:57,350 --> 00:19:55,200

um milestones i think that we've seen in

535

00:19:58,630 --> 00:19:57,360

in terms of not just modern space

536

00:20:00,630 --> 00:19:58,640

exploration

537

00:20:03,029 --> 00:20:00,640

uh but also of course in terms of what

538

00:20:04,630 --> 00:20:03,039

this uh what some have called the modern

539

00:20:06,870 --> 00:20:04,640

space race or you know what uh

540

00:20:08,950 --> 00:20:06,880

commentators like rod pyle have called

541

00:20:10,710 --> 00:20:08,960

space 2.0

542

00:20:12,710 --> 00:20:10,720

what i really think is the the key

543

00:20:14,710 --> 00:20:12,720

takeaway about

544

00:20:16,789 --> 00:20:14,720

the james webb space telescope is that

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00:20:19,430 --> 00:20:16,799

you know we have the most advanced

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00:20:21,430 --> 00:20:19,440

science observatory

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00:20:23,430 --> 00:20:21,440

that humans have ever put into space and

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00:20:25,990 --> 00:20:23,440

it's right now out there at lagrange

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00:20:28,070 --> 00:20:26,000

point to collecting data

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00:20:29,990 --> 00:20:28,080

and sure these images look great but for

551  
00:20:31,510 --> 00:20:30,000  
a lot of people they look a lot like the

552  
00:20:32,630 --> 00:20:31,520  
kinds of images that we're used to

553  
00:20:34,549 --> 00:20:32,640  
seeing but i'll just point out and

554  
00:20:35,909 --> 00:20:34,559  
although these are it should be you know

555  
00:20:37,830 --> 00:20:35,919  
emphasized here

556  
00:20:40,470 --> 00:20:37,840  
the images we're getting from web

557  
00:20:42,789 --> 00:20:40,480  
are combinations of images from several

558  
00:20:45,270 --> 00:20:42,799  
of the different uh instruments on board

559  
00:20:47,270 --> 00:20:45,280  
the the telescope several different

560  
00:20:50,310 --> 00:20:47,280  
imaging systems and cameras

561  
00:20:51,510 --> 00:20:50,320  
nasa forms composite imagery in that way

562  
00:20:53,909 --> 00:20:51,520  
and that's what we're seeing here which

563  
00:20:56,230 --> 00:20:53,919

is what allows the rich depth of color

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00:20:57,750 --> 00:20:56,240

the incredible detail that you see

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00:21:00,230 --> 00:20:57,760

but what we also are able to see are

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00:21:01,750 --> 00:21:00,240

things that previously and this is where

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00:21:04,230 --> 00:21:01,760

things get a little nuanced and where i

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00:21:05,990 --> 00:21:04,240

personally get really excited uh it's

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00:21:07,990 --> 00:21:06,000

not just pretty colors it's not just

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00:21:09,350 --> 00:21:08,000

vivid detail and sharper resolution than

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00:21:10,789 --> 00:21:09,360

what we've seen before we're literally

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00:21:11,750 --> 00:21:10,799

seeing things that were not visible

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00:21:13,990 --> 00:21:11,760

before

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00:21:15,430 --> 00:21:14,000

um for instance i think the nebula if

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00:21:16,710 --> 00:21:15,440

you look in the center of the image that

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00:21:18,710 --> 00:21:16,720

you have right there you've got a pair

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00:21:20,070 --> 00:21:18,720

of nebula

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00:21:21,270 --> 00:21:20,080

one on the left that has a bluish color

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00:21:23,029 --> 00:21:21,280

one on the right that has a reddish

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00:21:24,630 --> 00:21:23,039

color

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00:21:25,830 --> 00:21:24,640

in previous attempts at imaging that

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00:21:27,510 --> 00:21:25,840

nebula we've known that there was a

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00:21:29,590 --> 00:21:27,520

binary star

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00:21:30,950 --> 00:21:29,600

at the heart of it we weren't able to

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00:21:32,950 --> 00:21:30,960

see that

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00:21:34,549 --> 00:21:32,960

but now we actually have very clear

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00:21:36,149 --> 00:21:34,559

imagery representative of that because

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00:21:37,430 --> 00:21:36,159

of the infrared wavelengths that are

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00:21:39,190 --> 00:21:37,440

captured by the james webb space

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00:21:41,750 --> 00:21:39,200

telescope which unlike its predecessor

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00:21:44,470 --> 00:21:41,760

the hubble is able to actually discern

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00:21:46,310 --> 00:21:44,480

data that the for instance the human eye

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00:21:49,430 --> 00:21:46,320

would not be able to see which would not

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00:21:51,190 --> 00:21:49,440

be able to uh you know perceive

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00:21:52,470 --> 00:21:51,200

and that's important because it's much

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00:21:54,789 --> 00:21:52,480

of the data that we're actually able to

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00:21:56,630 --> 00:21:54,799

collect about distant galaxies and which

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00:21:58,549 --> 00:21:56,640

we're doing with james webb comes in

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00:22:00,549 --> 00:21:58,559

that spectra or rather in those

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00:22:02,789 --> 00:22:00,559

wavelengths now of course in terms of

601  
00:22:05,430 --> 00:22:02,799  
spectra spectrographic information

602  
00:22:06,470 --> 00:22:05,440  
that's relayed to us back by a web in

603  
00:22:08,549 --> 00:22:06,480  
other words breaking apart the

604  
00:22:10,549 --> 00:22:08,559  
bandwidths of light and looking for key

605  
00:22:12,390 --> 00:22:10,559  
signatures in terms of minerals elements

606  
00:22:14,230 --> 00:22:12,400  
what have you we're also getting a lot

607  
00:22:15,590 --> 00:22:14,240  
of data like that um during the press

608  
00:22:17,190 --> 00:22:15,600  
conference the other day it was stated

609  
00:22:18,789 --> 00:22:17,200  
that we also saw the transit of an

610  
00:22:20,149 --> 00:22:18,799  
exoplanet and we were able to detect in

611  
00:22:21,750 --> 00:22:20,159  
the atmosphere of that from the

612  
00:22:24,390 --> 00:22:21,760  
spectrography

613  
00:22:26,070 --> 00:22:24,400

the oxygen and the hydrogen

614

00:22:27,590 --> 00:22:26,080

in its atmosphere well if you've got

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00:22:29,029 --> 00:22:27,600

hydrogen and you've got oxygen that

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00:22:30,870 --> 00:22:29,039

means you've got a very good chance for

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00:22:33,510 --> 00:22:30,880

there being water too and this is

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00:22:35,510 --> 00:22:33,520

helping us very quickly i mean just in

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00:22:37,669 --> 00:22:35,520

the first few days really since it came

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00:22:39,029 --> 00:22:37,679

fully operational and online it's

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00:22:41,350 --> 00:22:39,039

showing how web is going to be a

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00:22:43,909 --> 00:22:41,360

formidable really a force to be reckoned

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00:22:45,190 --> 00:22:43,919

with in terms of collecting data about

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00:22:46,549 --> 00:22:45,200

our universe but the final point i'll

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00:22:48,230 --> 00:22:46,559

make also is that because of the

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00:22:50,310 --> 00:22:48,240

wavelengths of the infrared light that

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00:22:52,149 --> 00:22:50,320

it gathers it's able to appear to the

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00:22:54,070 --> 00:22:52,159

very edges of the known universe and

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00:22:56,630 --> 00:22:54,080

it's able to show us life that has taken

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00:22:58,789 --> 00:22:56,640

13.5 billion years to travel to where we

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00:23:00,470 --> 00:22:58,799

are right now and we can see what those

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00:23:02,549 --> 00:23:00,480

galaxies look like

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00:23:04,950 --> 00:23:02,559

essentially as they appeared in that

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00:23:07,110 --> 00:23:04,960

formation stage that long ago and so

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00:23:08,950 --> 00:23:07,120

this is why you hear scientists saying

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00:23:10,630 --> 00:23:08,960

we're not just looking further out into

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00:23:13,590 --> 00:23:10,640

the universe we're looking back in time

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00:23:15,909 --> 00:23:13,600

we're seeing how our universe looks at a

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00:23:17,430 --> 00:23:15,919

different much earlier formative stage

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00:23:20,070 --> 00:23:17,440

and that's going to give us clues about

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00:23:22,390 --> 00:23:20,080

not only the formation of galaxies but

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00:23:25,190 --> 00:23:22,400

also really about our universe how it

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00:23:27,830 --> 00:23:25,200

has grown expanded and changed over time

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00:23:29,669 --> 00:23:27,840

so again i can't emphasize enough

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00:23:32,070 --> 00:23:29,679

that these aren't just pretty pictures

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00:23:34,310 --> 00:23:32,080

this the data that's contained in these

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00:23:36,230 --> 00:23:34,320

images is going to reshape in the years

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00:23:38,630 --> 00:23:36,240

ahead how i think we're going to

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00:23:40,950 --> 00:23:38,640

actually look at the universe

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00:23:43,590 --> 00:23:40,960

i love that man yeah it's not just about

651  
00:23:45,190 --> 00:23:43,600  
the pictures guys we read the articles

652  
00:23:45,990 --> 00:23:45,200  
too if there's anything i've learned

653  
00:23:50,149 --> 00:23:46,000  
from

654  
00:23:52,470 --> 00:23:50,159  
playboy um anyways moving on lord

655  
00:23:54,390 --> 00:23:52,480  
ludwiger says great discussion thanks

656  
00:23:55,909 --> 00:23:54,400  
man thanks everyone for being here i

657  
00:23:57,430 --> 00:23:55,919  
didn't get to give you guys all a shout

658  
00:23:59,110 --> 00:23:57,440  
out at the beginning but thank you

659  
00:24:02,390 --> 00:23:59,120  
everyone we've got the regulars here

660  
00:24:04,870 --> 00:24:02,400  
robert is here we've got awaiting aliens

661  
00:24:07,350 --> 00:24:04,880  
um yeah just all all you guys thanks for

662  
00:24:09,590 --> 00:24:07,360  
the support thanks for watching um one

663  
00:24:12,070 --> 00:24:09,600

more news story i want to talk about

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00:24:15,430 --> 00:24:12,080

before we get to the conference the core

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00:24:17,909 --> 00:24:15,440

of this conversation um is this

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00:24:20,789 --> 00:24:17,919

we have right now this weekend going on

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00:24:23,750 --> 00:24:20,799

the kecksburg ufo festival and no the

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00:24:26,390 --> 00:24:23,760

event did not happen in july it actually

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00:24:28,310 --> 00:24:26,400

happened in december but look just like

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00:24:30,549 --> 00:24:28,320

many around the country including in

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00:24:32,710 --> 00:24:30,559

missouri live conferences have been

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00:24:35,830 --> 00:24:32,720

suffering greatly for the past few years

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00:24:36,710 --> 00:24:35,840

with this obvious uh dilemma we've been

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00:24:39,590 --> 00:24:36,720

in for

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00:24:41,830 --> 00:24:39,600

for years and now at this point and um

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00:24:44,149 --> 00:24:41,840

yeah we're just now starting to get live

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00:24:46,149 --> 00:24:44,159

content conferences up and going again

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00:24:49,190 --> 00:24:46,159

which is amazing micah i know you've hit

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00:24:52,070 --> 00:24:49,200

up a bunch already this year um but this

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00:24:54,310 --> 00:24:52,080

is a big one kecksburg so i've actually

681

00:24:57,430 --> 00:24:54,320

never guys covered this

682

00:24:59,190 --> 00:24:57,440

incident on my show um so i would love

683

00:25:01,430 --> 00:24:59,200

if either of you whoever wants to take

684

00:25:05,510 --> 00:25:01,440

it first your thoughts on the kexpert

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00:25:07,430 --> 00:25:05,520

case of uh it was 1965 correct i'm i'm

686

00:25:08,830 --> 00:25:07,440

failing at ufology right now yep

687

00:25:11,590 --> 00:25:08,840

december 9th

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00:25:14,230 --> 00:25:11,600

1965. um what do you guys make of this

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00:25:15,909 --> 00:25:14,240

case where does this case lay in ufo

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00:25:17,430 --> 00:25:15,919

history for you guys

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00:25:19,029 --> 00:25:17,440

personally michael why don't we start

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00:25:21,909 --> 00:25:19,039

with you

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00:25:23,750 --> 00:25:21,919

uh well uh

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00:25:25,110 --> 00:25:23,760

those of us who have

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00:25:26,950 --> 00:25:25,120

followed the lore

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00:25:30,230 --> 00:25:26,960

for a number of years know that there

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00:25:31,190 --> 00:25:30,240

are several uh ufo crash

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00:25:39,750 --> 00:25:31,200

uh

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00:25:42,870 --> 00:25:39,760

that have captured our imaginations

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00:25:45,029 --> 00:25:42,880

as well as the popular culture and of

701  
00:25:46,470 --> 00:25:45,039  
course right up there at the top

702  
00:25:49,350 --> 00:25:46,480  
is roswell

703  
00:25:52,310 --> 00:25:49,360  
uh uh as one of the big ones uh shag

704  
00:25:55,750 --> 00:25:52,320  
harbors maybe up there in the top few

705  
00:25:58,390 --> 00:25:55,760  
uh aztec is possibly even up there but

706  
00:26:01,110 --> 00:25:58,400  
certainly also occupying you know one of

707  
00:26:03,909 --> 00:26:01,120  
these top spots would be the uh the

708  
00:26:07,669 --> 00:26:03,919  
kecksburg uh pennsylvania

709  
00:26:12,630 --> 00:26:07,679  
uh acorn crash that took place uh

710  
00:26:17,510 --> 00:26:16,070  
near a small town in pennsylvania called

711  
00:26:18,630 --> 00:26:17,520  
kecksburg

712  
00:26:21,430 --> 00:26:18,640  
uh

713  
00:26:23,909 --> 00:26:21,440

folks there saw a fireball come out of

714

00:26:25,029 --> 00:26:23,919

the sky and it was a fireball that was

715

00:26:27,590 --> 00:26:25,039

seen by

716

00:26:29,110 --> 00:26:27,600

uh people in other states so you know

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00:26:32,070 --> 00:26:29,120

there was some sort of

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00:26:33,029 --> 00:26:32,080

uh legitimate phenomena or something uh

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00:26:36,789 --> 00:26:33,039

it

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00:26:40,070 --> 00:26:36,799

came down uh uh during that time period

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00:26:41,830 --> 00:26:40,080

uh even skeptics will will tell you that

722

00:26:45,269 --> 00:26:41,840

you know a satellite or a meteor or

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00:26:48,390 --> 00:26:45,279

something came down down that night

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00:26:51,430 --> 00:26:48,400

and uh quite possibly landed

725

00:26:54,390 --> 00:26:51,440

in in a little you know ravine area near

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00:26:56,390 --> 00:26:54,400

kecksburg and uh

727

00:26:58,310 --> 00:26:56,400

from there you know like like a lot of

728

00:26:59,590 --> 00:26:58,320

these stories uh

729

00:27:01,669 --> 00:26:59,600

you know the the town was sort of

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00:27:03,350 --> 00:27:01,679

overrun by the military people were

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00:27:05,110 --> 00:27:03,360

sworn to secrecy

732

00:27:07,029 --> 00:27:05,120

uh you know the government came in

733

00:27:09,750 --> 00:27:07,039

whisked things out and you know made

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00:27:12,870 --> 00:27:09,760

threats and you know all sort of strange

735

00:27:15,029 --> 00:27:12,880

shenanigans and uh

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00:27:16,789 --> 00:27:15,039

reports from accounts from different

737

00:27:18,950 --> 00:27:16,799

people over the years that you know saw

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00:27:21,830 --> 00:27:18,960

different things you know were close to

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00:27:24,149 --> 00:27:21,840

the objects that came down and it wasn't

740

00:27:26,789 --> 00:27:24,159

a meteorite it was some kind of a

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00:27:28,630 --> 00:27:26,799

you know a metal device or

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00:27:30,789 --> 00:27:28,640

capsule with uh

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00:27:32,230 --> 00:27:30,799

exotic writing on it

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00:27:34,070 --> 00:27:32,240

and uh

745

00:27:37,669 --> 00:27:34,080

you know that that goes to the question

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00:27:40,149 --> 00:27:37,679

of was it man-made was it foreign

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00:27:43,269 --> 00:27:40,159

uh was it uh a

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00:27:45,990 --> 00:27:43,279

government uh alien

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00:27:47,669 --> 00:27:46,000

or you know some other sort of strange

750

00:27:49,190 --> 00:27:47,679

hoax type thing or

751  
00:27:52,950 --> 00:27:49,200  
or a military

752  
00:27:57,909 --> 00:27:55,269  
and you know these stories circulated

753  
00:28:00,470 --> 00:27:57,919  
and uh uh people like stan gordon

754  
00:28:03,110 --> 00:28:00,480  
investigated him a a great researcher

755  
00:28:05,350 --> 00:28:03,120  
from that area been on it ever since you

756  
00:28:06,149 --> 00:28:05,360  
know i've been lucky to talk to him and

757  
00:28:09,350 --> 00:28:06,159  
uh

758  
00:28:12,230 --> 00:28:09,360  
it's a fascinating story that has

759  
00:28:14,870 --> 00:28:12,240  
captured the imagination over subsequent

760  
00:28:16,950 --> 00:28:14,880  
uh generations now you know through tv

761  
00:28:19,750 --> 00:28:16,960  
shows and you know like unsolved

762  
00:28:20,870 --> 00:28:19,760  
mysteries and and sightings you know all

763  
00:28:23,750 --> 00:28:20,880

these different

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00:28:25,510 --> 00:28:23,760

uh generational uh retellings of the

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00:28:26,230 --> 00:28:25,520

story uh

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00:28:28,070 --> 00:28:26,240

uh

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00:28:30,630 --> 00:28:28,080

make us wonder what happened and we can

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00:28:31,430 --> 00:28:30,640

speculate and uh you know a lot of

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00:28:32,870 --> 00:28:31,440

people

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00:28:34,630 --> 00:28:32,880

lean towards you know a possible

771

00:28:36,549 --> 00:28:34,640

satellite i think in most

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00:28:39,269 --> 00:28:36,559

interpretations now but

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00:28:41,990 --> 00:28:39,279

uh ultimately it's it's a ufo crash

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00:28:44,789 --> 00:28:42,000

story and uh it's uh

775

00:28:47,110 --> 00:28:44,799

and the town celebrates it as a lot of

776

00:28:48,870 --> 00:28:47,120

towns do celebrate break their folklore

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00:28:50,630 --> 00:28:48,880

and they have a uh

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00:28:52,710 --> 00:28:50,640

a festival there which uh you know

779

00:28:54,070 --> 00:28:52,720

benefits the community which is a good

780

00:28:56,470 --> 00:28:54,080

thing

781

00:28:57,750 --> 00:28:56,480

absolutely and you know one of the most

782

00:28:59,909 --> 00:28:57,760

i think uh

783

00:29:02,789 --> 00:28:59,919

interesting aspects to this entire case

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00:29:05,590 --> 00:29:02,799

is also uh leslie kane the investigative

785

00:29:08,310 --> 00:29:05,600

journalist was involved with a lawsuit

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00:29:10,630 --> 00:29:08,320

to try to get the files on this thing

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00:29:11,750 --> 00:29:10,640

from i believe it was nasa maybe micah

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00:29:13,669 --> 00:29:11,760

you can

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00:29:16,870 --> 00:29:13,679

expound on this because i don't know a

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00:29:19,590 --> 00:29:16,880

lot about this case again um this is not

791

00:29:22,149 --> 00:29:19,600

one that i have really dug into but um

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00:29:23,230 --> 00:29:22,159

where does this case lay in terms of ufo

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00:29:26,549 --> 00:29:23,240

history

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00:29:27,510 --> 00:29:26,559

controversy um do you what do you think

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00:29:32,630 --> 00:29:27,520

this

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00:29:35,350 --> 00:29:32,640

incident and why is it worth celebrating

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00:29:37,350 --> 00:29:35,360

with this festival in your opinion

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00:29:39,669 --> 00:29:37,360

well you know again and michael really

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00:29:41,830 --> 00:29:39,679

already gave us a great overview of the

800

00:29:43,029 --> 00:29:41,840

main points i think that the three

801  
00:29:45,029 --> 00:29:43,039  
primary

802  
00:29:46,389 --> 00:29:45,039  
theories about what this object if there

803  
00:29:47,590 --> 00:29:46,399  
was an object was and i think there's

804  
00:29:49,110 --> 00:29:47,600  
pretty good evidence that there was one

805  
00:29:51,029 --> 00:29:49,120  
we'll get to that in a moment

806  
00:29:53,590 --> 00:29:51,039  
but the three primary theories are

807  
00:29:56,310 --> 00:29:53,600  
either a fireball i.e a meteor

808  
00:29:58,870 --> 00:29:56,320  
either the entry re-entry of a soviet

809  
00:30:01,430 --> 00:29:58,880  
satellite uh or of course something more

810  
00:30:04,710 --> 00:30:01,440  
exotic that again would fall within the

811  
00:30:06,470 --> 00:30:04,720  
kind of ufo crash retrieval mythos which

812  
00:30:08,389 --> 00:30:06,480  
to use the word myth my father's always

813  
00:30:10,950 --> 00:30:08,399

said this is not to assert that well it

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00:30:13,430 --> 00:30:10,960

didn't happen or it doesn't exist but

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00:30:15,830 --> 00:30:13,440

myths are often the byproduct of a real

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00:30:18,230 --> 00:30:15,840

event that people experience they

817

00:30:20,470 --> 00:30:18,240

observe they tell it they retell it next

818

00:30:23,590 --> 00:30:20,480

generation comes along and retells it

819

00:30:24,950 --> 00:30:23,600

and a story you know a mythos is woven

820

00:30:26,950 --> 00:30:24,960

around real events that may not

821

00:30:28,870 --> 00:30:26,960

necessarily be entirely what had

822

00:30:31,110 --> 00:30:28,880

actually happened what we do know is of

823

00:30:33,110 --> 00:30:31,120

course that back in december 1965 it was

824

00:30:35,190 --> 00:30:33,120

reported that something crashed

825

00:30:36,549 --> 00:30:35,200

as it passed over ontario comes down

826

00:30:37,669 --> 00:30:36,559

over the midwest

827

00:30:40,070 --> 00:30:37,679

crashes

828

00:30:41,350 --> 00:30:40,080

near kecksburg but it's reported

829

00:30:42,789 --> 00:30:41,360

subsequently in newspapers that

830

00:30:44,149 --> 00:30:42,799

authorities weren't able to actually

831

00:30:46,549 --> 00:30:44,159

recover anything

832

00:30:49,190 --> 00:30:46,559

which is curious because in advance of

833

00:30:51,269 --> 00:30:49,200

the 40th anniversary of the event nasa

834

00:30:53,750 --> 00:30:51,279

actually came forward and said

835

00:30:54,710 --> 00:30:53,760

we did recover some bits of metallic

836

00:30:56,310 --> 00:30:54,720

debris

837

00:30:59,190 --> 00:30:56,320

and those do appear to be

838

00:31:01,830 --> 00:30:59,200

consistent with the re-entry of a soviet

839

00:31:03,430 --> 00:31:01,840

satellite that's probably what happened

840

00:31:05,350 --> 00:31:03,440

but we don't have any documentation

841

00:31:07,110 --> 00:31:05,360

because we lost it that's where leslie

842

00:31:08,630 --> 00:31:07,120

kane came into this case leslie is part

843

00:31:11,190 --> 00:31:08,640

of i think of a sci-fi television

844

00:31:13,750 --> 00:31:11,200

program a few years back

845

00:31:15,590 --> 00:31:13,760

had become involved in trying to appeal

846

00:31:17,269 --> 00:31:15,600

through the foia process to get nasa to

847

00:31:19,190 --> 00:31:17,279

reveal those documents

848

00:31:20,389 --> 00:31:19,200

and again they maintained we just don't

849

00:31:21,590 --> 00:31:20,399

have the documents there isn't a

850

00:31:23,430 --> 00:31:21,600

cover-up we aren't trying to hide

851  
00:31:25,590 --> 00:31:23,440  
anything we don't have those documents

852  
00:31:27,110 --> 00:31:25,600  
now i mean a lot of people would say

853  
00:31:29,750 --> 00:31:27,120  
that's very convenient that a

854  
00:31:32,070 --> 00:31:29,760  
significant case like this

855  
00:31:33,750 --> 00:31:32,080  
they happen to have lost all their

856  
00:31:35,509 --> 00:31:33,760  
information something to the tune of

857  
00:31:37,430 --> 00:31:35,519  
like two boxes of documents that they

858  
00:31:38,630 --> 00:31:37,440  
supposedly had about this case

859  
00:31:40,230 --> 00:31:38,640  
but keep in mind i mean i couldn't

860  
00:31:43,029 --> 00:31:40,240  
imagine anything probably more

861  
00:31:44,950 --> 00:31:43,039  
significant in the 20th century than the

862  
00:31:46,630 --> 00:31:44,960  
apollo moon landing and the original

863  
00:31:48,549 --> 00:31:46,640

tapes from that moon landing also were

864

00:31:50,389 --> 00:31:48,559

misplaced or lost or if anything

865

00:31:52,230 --> 00:31:50,399

actually is was standard practice back

866

00:31:53,590 --> 00:31:52,240

in those days they reused the tapes now

867

00:31:55,269 --> 00:31:53,600

you wouldn't imagine that makes much

868

00:31:56,950 --> 00:31:55,279

sense something as historic as putting

869

00:31:59,110 --> 00:31:56,960

human beings on the moon and you tape

870

00:32:01,029 --> 00:31:59,120

over the originals but that's actually

871

00:32:03,269 --> 00:32:01,039

apparently what nasa did and they point

872

00:32:04,870 --> 00:32:03,279

to that as uh evidence in support of

873

00:32:07,029 --> 00:32:04,880

their loss of these documents as

874

00:32:08,389 --> 00:32:07,039

treacherous and sad as it sounds they're

875

00:32:09,830 --> 00:32:08,399

like hey we're human and that does

876

00:32:11,830 --> 00:32:09,840

happen it's happened in the past and

877

00:32:12,710 --> 00:32:11,840

that's no doubt what happened here

878

00:32:14,710 --> 00:32:12,720

but

879

00:32:16,310 --> 00:32:14,720

i do think it's interesting that

880

00:32:18,230 --> 00:32:16,320

initial reports said there was nothing

881

00:32:20,389 --> 00:32:18,240

found and then later nasa despite not

882

00:32:21,990 --> 00:32:20,399

having any longer the documentation that

883

00:32:23,430 --> 00:32:22,000

they said supported this

884

00:32:25,269 --> 00:32:23,440

claiming that they had actually had

885

00:32:27,350 --> 00:32:25,279

metallic debris that was consistent with

886

00:32:28,870 --> 00:32:27,360

the reentry of a soviet satellite i

887

00:32:31,509 --> 00:32:28,880

would say that that's probably the most

888

00:32:32,870 --> 00:32:31,519

likely explanation but one final point

889

00:32:34,470 --> 00:32:32,880

i'll also make about this is that you

890

00:32:37,190 --> 00:32:34,480

know again when we talk about this idea

891

00:32:38,470 --> 00:32:37,200

of a crash retrieval mythos or what i

892

00:32:40,710 --> 00:32:38,480

would call the flying saucer crash

893

00:32:42,230 --> 00:32:40,720

retrieval syndrome

894

00:32:43,830 --> 00:32:42,240

there's a long history of this in the

895

00:32:46,149 --> 00:32:43,840

united states if we go back to around

896

00:32:49,110 --> 00:32:46,159

1886 in nebraska there was a newspaper

897

00:32:51,750 --> 00:32:49,120

item about a mystery a metallic meteor

898

00:32:53,590 --> 00:32:51,760

of mysterious origins which crashed into

899

00:32:55,350 --> 00:32:53,600

a field and it scattered debris and a

900

00:32:56,870 --> 00:32:55,360

group of cowboys observed this and when

901  
00:32:58,549 --> 00:32:56,880  
they go back up there a few days later

902  
00:32:59,509 --> 00:32:58,559  
to actually try and recover some of this

903  
00:33:01,269 --> 00:32:59,519  
wreckage

904  
00:33:03,190 --> 00:33:01,279  
from this mystery meteor as it was

905  
00:33:04,789 --> 00:33:03,200  
termed in the newspaper article a heavy

906  
00:33:06,789 --> 00:33:04,799  
rain came through and as the water from

907  
00:33:08,149 --> 00:33:06,799  
the rain struck the object it melted it

908  
00:33:09,750 --> 00:33:08,159  
like salt

909  
00:33:11,669 --> 00:33:09,760  
that was

910  
00:33:13,509 --> 00:33:11,679  
an interesting story it was also later

911  
00:33:14,549 --> 00:33:13,519  
revealed in the 1920s to have been a

912  
00:33:17,190 --> 00:33:14,559  
hoax

913  
00:33:19,269 --> 00:33:17,200

we also had in 1897 uh the famous

914

00:33:21,430 --> 00:33:19,279

incident down there at aurora texas i've

915

00:33:22,710 --> 00:33:21,440

been down there to that uh masonic

916

00:33:24,070 --> 00:33:22,720

cemetery there in the little town of

917

00:33:27,110 --> 00:33:24,080

aurora

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00:33:29,590 --> 00:33:27,120

and there is a historical uh sign right

919

00:33:30,870 --> 00:33:29,600

there a state historical sign that says

920

00:33:33,350 --> 00:33:30,880

you know this is the location where an

921

00:33:34,870 --> 00:33:33,360

alleged airship crash in 1897 occurred

922

00:33:36,950 --> 00:33:34,880

and the occupant the pilot was

923

00:33:39,509 --> 00:33:36,960

supposedly buried in this little aurora

924

00:33:41,269 --> 00:33:39,519

cemetery in likelihood that probably

925

00:33:43,909 --> 00:33:41,279

also was a newspaper hoax but we should

926  
00:33:46,549 --> 00:33:43,919  
keep in mind that between 1896 and 1897

927  
00:33:48,789 --> 00:33:46,559  
that whole thing about airships began

928  
00:33:50,870 --> 00:33:48,799  
with sightings over california of lights

929  
00:33:52,389 --> 00:33:50,880  
in the sky and there were a number of

930  
00:33:53,750 --> 00:33:52,399  
officials who were

931  
00:33:55,909 --> 00:33:53,760  
you know cited in these newspaper

932  
00:33:57,590 --> 00:33:55,919  
articles as having been witnesses to

933  
00:33:58,870 --> 00:33:57,600  
these events now again it's it's

934  
00:34:00,389 --> 00:33:58,880  
difficult when we get into shaky

935  
00:34:02,630 --> 00:34:00,399  
territory if we start saying well one

936  
00:34:03,990 --> 00:34:02,640  
newspaper article was probably a hoax

937  
00:34:04,789 --> 00:34:04,000  
but all these other ones were probably

938  
00:34:06,470 --> 00:34:04,799

true

939

00:34:08,389 --> 00:34:06,480

really it's going to be difficult for us

940

00:34:09,589 --> 00:34:08,399

in hindsight to know

941

00:34:11,109 --> 00:34:09,599

but if i had to speculate i would

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00:34:13,669 --> 00:34:11,119

actually say that there probably were

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00:34:15,270 --> 00:34:13,679

aerial phenomena of some kind that were

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00:34:16,869 --> 00:34:15,280

being observed and that there were

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00:34:18,550 --> 00:34:16,879

witnesses to this and that this gave

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00:34:20,470 --> 00:34:18,560

rise to a lot of interest in the idea of

947

00:34:22,310 --> 00:34:20,480

prospective airship technologies that

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00:34:24,470 --> 00:34:22,320

the military or maybe a private inventor

949

00:34:26,869 --> 00:34:24,480

was building the long story short is

950

00:34:28,389 --> 00:34:26,879

that this kind of gave rise to these

951  
00:34:29,909 --> 00:34:28,399  
discussions of airships and then of

952  
00:34:31,430 --> 00:34:29,919  
course this crash story which we'd

953  
00:34:33,750 --> 00:34:31,440  
already seen some time before in

954  
00:34:36,389 --> 00:34:33,760  
nebraska another iteration occurs there

955  
00:34:38,310 --> 00:34:36,399  
in 1897 at aurora texas and then we

956  
00:34:40,629 --> 00:34:38,320  
continue to hear stories about crash

957  
00:34:43,030 --> 00:34:40,639  
wreckages and retrievals and things uh

958  
00:34:44,310 --> 00:34:43,040  
throughout of course 1947 with roswell

959  
00:34:46,389 --> 00:34:44,320  
that had been reported in the roswell

960  
00:34:48,069 --> 00:34:46,399  
daily record frank scully in his book

961  
00:34:49,909 --> 00:34:48,079  
behind the flying saucers is talking

962  
00:34:52,230 --> 00:34:49,919  
about an alleged crash at aztec new

963  
00:34:54,470 --> 00:34:52,240

mexico leonard stringfield is collecting

964

00:34:55,909 --> 00:34:54,480

all kinds of stories about crashes that

965

00:34:58,470 --> 00:34:55,919

occurred in the southwest throughout the

966

00:34:59,990 --> 00:34:58,480

1970s and that in advance of the late

967

00:35:01,510 --> 00:35:00,000

great stanton friedman talking with

968

00:35:03,190 --> 00:35:01,520

jesse marcel

969

00:35:04,230 --> 00:35:03,200

and then eventually the publication of a

970

00:35:06,230 --> 00:35:04,240

book

971

00:35:07,829 --> 00:35:06,240

partly as a result of some of the field

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00:35:08,790 --> 00:35:07,839

investigations by stan who had been the

973

00:35:11,270 --> 00:35:08,800

first

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00:35:12,630 --> 00:35:11,280

in the field civilian investigator along

975

00:35:14,150 --> 00:35:12,640

with william moore

976  
00:35:15,910 --> 00:35:14,160  
more having gone and co-authored with

977  
00:35:18,870 --> 00:35:15,920  
charles burlitz that book the roswell

978  
00:35:20,870 --> 00:35:18,880  
incident but that book even was fairly

979  
00:35:22,390 --> 00:35:20,880  
dismissive although it mentioned alien

980  
00:35:25,109 --> 00:35:22,400  
bodies it was dismissive of a lot of

981  
00:35:27,349 --> 00:35:25,119  
those claims but again as that mythos

982  
00:35:29,270 --> 00:35:27,359  
continued to build we had other writers

983  
00:35:30,950 --> 00:35:29,280  
kevin randle don schmidt and others get

984  
00:35:32,790 --> 00:35:30,960  
involved we start hearing the stories

985  
00:35:34,550 --> 00:35:32,800  
about alien bodies you know we have the

986  
00:35:36,550 --> 00:35:34,560  
story of the mortician meeting with the

987  
00:35:38,310 --> 00:35:36,560  
woman who had worked at army a roswell

988  
00:35:40,870 --> 00:35:38,320

army airfield and who had you know

989

00:35:42,790 --> 00:35:40,880

claimed that she had seen bodies um it's

990

00:35:45,349 --> 00:35:42,800

it's a complex

991

00:35:46,950 --> 00:35:45,359

web of stories that again no doubt has

992

00:35:49,030 --> 00:35:46,960

some truth in

993

00:35:50,870 --> 00:35:49,040

in in you know in the historical side of

994

00:35:52,790 --> 00:35:50,880

it but that truth has probably been

995

00:35:54,630 --> 00:35:52,800

built on to so much over the years

996

00:35:56,230 --> 00:35:54,640

that's very evident with roswell i think

997

00:35:59,109 --> 00:35:56,240

that's probably very likely with

998

00:36:00,470 --> 00:35:59,119

keksburg too but ryan final point as to

999

00:36:03,270 --> 00:36:00,480

where it really sits in the history of

1000

00:36:04,470 --> 00:36:03,280

ufos in america as you asked it is that

1001

00:36:05,750 --> 00:36:04,480

i think it is and this is kind of

1002

00:36:07,829 --> 00:36:05,760

speaking to what michael was talking

1003

00:36:09,589 --> 00:36:07,839

about this kind of you know it's a

1004

00:36:12,310 --> 00:36:09,599

component within this long-standing

1005

00:36:14,150 --> 00:36:12,320

american tradition of the recovery of

1006

00:36:16,710 --> 00:36:14,160

crashed exotic material of unknown

1007

00:36:18,710 --> 00:36:16,720

origin and again that's a very american

1008

00:36:20,470 --> 00:36:18,720

tradition there's probably some truth to

1009

00:36:22,310 --> 00:36:20,480

it somewhere and we even saw recent

1010

00:36:24,230 --> 00:36:22,320

legislation passed uh by the house

1011

00:36:26,550 --> 00:36:24,240

intelligence committee for the proposed

1012

00:36:27,750 --> 00:36:26,560

ndaa for next year saying hey you know

1013

00:36:31,109 --> 00:36:27,760

going all the way back to the beginning

1014

00:36:32,550 --> 00:36:31,119

of fiscal year 1947 we want data on

1015

00:36:34,150 --> 00:36:32,560

anything that's been collected we know

1016

00:36:36,069 --> 00:36:34,160

what they're referencing whether we

1017

00:36:37,670 --> 00:36:36,079

actually find out we headed or not

1018

00:36:39,270 --> 00:36:37,680

remains to be seen but it's a very

1019

00:36:40,550 --> 00:36:39,280

american tradition

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00:36:43,829 --> 00:36:40,560

you know finding things that have

1021

00:36:46,150 --> 00:36:43,839

crashed and then hearing about cover-ups

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00:36:49,030 --> 00:36:46,160

yep we've got many traditions here in

1023

00:36:51,349 --> 00:36:49,040

america i am happy to make ufo crash

1024

00:36:54,230 --> 00:36:51,359

retrievals one of them that will make me

1025

00:36:57,349 --> 00:36:54,240

a proud american for sure um well

1026  
00:36:58,390 --> 00:36:57,359  
speaking of crashes let's move on guys

1027  
00:37:02,069 --> 00:36:58,400  
to

1028  
00:37:05,589 --> 00:37:02,079  
reason the three of us are gonna be in

1029  
00:37:08,470 --> 00:37:05,599  
missouri and that is a very uh famous

1030  
00:37:09,910 --> 00:37:08,480  
crash for many missourians um that

1031  
00:37:12,870 --> 00:37:09,920  
michael's going to be talking about at

1032  
00:37:15,430 --> 00:37:12,880  
the midwest conference on the unknown so

1033  
00:37:18,069 --> 00:37:15,440  
michael first before we even get to the

1034  
00:37:20,390 --> 00:37:18,079  
event um how did it come to be this is

1035  
00:37:22,790 --> 00:37:20,400  
going to be the inaugural festival that

1036  
00:37:25,670 --> 00:37:22,800  
i know you're one of the co-organizers

1037  
00:37:27,109 --> 00:37:25,680  
on um give us the skivvy man how did

1038  
00:37:29,750 --> 00:37:27,119

this come to be

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00:37:32,310 --> 00:37:29,760

and um tell us a little about what the

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00:37:33,990 --> 00:37:32,320

event is going to entail if you don't

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00:37:36,870 --> 00:37:34,000

mind

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00:37:38,870 --> 00:37:36,880

uh well uh i was approached uh by a

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00:37:41,270 --> 00:37:38,880

friend of mine that i've known for 30

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00:37:42,069 --> 00:37:41,280

years uh ken murphy he's a local uh you

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00:37:44,470 --> 00:37:42,079

know

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00:37:47,510 --> 00:37:44,480

uh conference organizer he's in that

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00:37:50,870 --> 00:37:47,520

he's in the events business and uh he

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00:37:52,710 --> 00:37:50,880

had been interested in bringing uh

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00:37:55,430 --> 00:37:52,720

the sort of stuff that i'm interested in

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00:37:59,030 --> 00:37:55,440

it you know paranormal ufos ghosts

1051  
00:38:00,630 --> 00:37:59,040  
bigfoot anything anomalous and uh you

1052  
00:38:02,550 --> 00:38:00,640  
know anything that

1053  
00:38:03,910 --> 00:38:02,560  
you know sort of uh

1054  
00:38:05,750 --> 00:38:03,920  
pushes us in

1055  
00:38:07,670 --> 00:38:05,760  
different directions of thinking when it

1056  
00:38:09,349 --> 00:38:07,680  
comes to uh

1057  
00:38:11,750 --> 00:38:09,359  
you know what constitutes you know

1058  
00:38:14,310 --> 00:38:11,760  
science methodology you know paradigm

1059  
00:38:15,190 --> 00:38:14,320  
shifts all that sort of stuff uh

1060  
00:38:16,950 --> 00:38:15,200  
uh

1061  
00:38:20,230 --> 00:38:16,960  
we knew that we wanted it you know if it

1062  
00:38:22,550 --> 00:38:20,240  
it we looked and saw that you know the

1063  
00:38:24,630 --> 00:38:22,560

midwest is a good place uh there's not a

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00:38:26,230 --> 00:38:24,640

lot of conferences in this area uh

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00:38:28,390 --> 00:38:26,240

people are sort of interested in this

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00:38:30,550 --> 00:38:28,400

subject uh uh

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00:38:32,630 --> 00:38:30,560

from recent years you know uh you know

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00:38:35,430 --> 00:38:32,640

within the society within the culture

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00:38:37,589 --> 00:38:35,440

these these topics have taken on and

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00:38:39,510 --> 00:38:37,599

taken off in uh all different kinds of

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00:38:40,390 --> 00:38:39,520

media and uh

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00:38:43,030 --> 00:38:40,400

uh

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00:38:44,630 --> 00:38:43,040

you know so i i began reaching out and

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00:38:47,109 --> 00:38:44,640

uh uh

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00:38:49,990 --> 00:38:47,119

contacted some of the best

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00:38:51,109 --> 00:38:50,000

speakers i think in different areas uh

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00:38:53,510 --> 00:38:51,119

that

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00:38:57,270 --> 00:38:53,520

you know can provide a you know a really

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00:38:59,270 --> 00:38:57,280

good conversation a really good uh uh

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00:39:00,790 --> 00:38:59,280

you know traditional type conference

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00:39:01,589 --> 00:39:00,800

that they used to have you know where it

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00:39:03,510 --> 00:39:01,599

was

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00:39:05,510 --> 00:39:03,520

uh you know people interacting you know

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00:39:07,910 --> 00:39:05,520

it's not just everybody's up on the

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00:39:09,510 --> 00:39:07,920

stage and everybody's over here you know

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00:39:10,550 --> 00:39:09,520

i think we're gonna have just as many uh

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00:39:12,470 --> 00:39:10,560

you know

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00:39:15,030 --> 00:39:12,480

uh talented researchers and people

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00:39:17,270 --> 00:39:15,040

within these different fields of inquiry

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00:39:19,990 --> 00:39:17,280

within the audience just just as well as

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00:39:22,470 --> 00:39:20,000

there will be on stage but you know we

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00:39:25,750 --> 00:39:22,480

uh we reached out to you know you guys

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00:39:27,510 --> 00:39:25,760

and uh you know some people within uh

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00:39:29,910 --> 00:39:27,520

you know the cryptozoological

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00:39:31,589 --> 00:39:29,920

communities and uh

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00:39:34,870 --> 00:39:31,599

you know people that are that that are

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00:39:37,109 --> 00:39:34,880

really bringing their a game and uh

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00:39:39,270 --> 00:39:37,119

trying to deal with these uh these

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00:39:40,310 --> 00:39:39,280

questions in a critically thinking

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00:39:42,390 --> 00:39:40,320

manner

1101  
00:39:45,030 --> 00:39:42,400  
uh you know so that we can try to work

1102  
00:39:47,670 --> 00:39:45,040  
towards strategies to to try to you know

1103  
00:39:50,150 --> 00:39:47,680  
get some real answers uh you know

1104  
00:39:51,829 --> 00:39:50,160  
for consideration and uh

1105  
00:39:54,230 --> 00:39:51,839  
uh i think we got a good little group

1106  
00:39:56,310 --> 00:39:54,240  
here and and we're looking to do more

1107  
00:39:58,470 --> 00:39:56,320  
conferences in the future and and to

1108  
00:40:01,430 --> 00:39:58,480  
grow these conferences and you know to

1109  
00:40:03,109 --> 00:40:01,440  
add workshops and and uh you know maybe

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00:40:05,910 --> 00:40:03,119  
even a a

1111  
00:40:07,190 --> 00:40:05,920  
you know a visiting lecture stage you

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00:40:09,190 --> 00:40:07,200  
know for people that want to present

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00:40:11,670 --> 00:40:09,200

papers you know

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00:40:13,589 --> 00:40:11,680

things like that i think uh you know to

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00:40:17,750 --> 00:40:13,599

kind of get us back towards

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00:40:20,870 --> 00:40:17,760

you know uh some good reform-minded uh

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00:40:22,069 --> 00:40:20,880

uh events that you know where we discuss

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00:40:23,750 --> 00:40:22,079

you know trying to improve these

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00:40:26,069 --> 00:40:23,760

research fields and deal with these

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00:40:27,670 --> 00:40:26,079

questions and uh

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00:40:30,069 --> 00:40:27,680

i think that's what we're looking to do

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00:40:32,870 --> 00:40:30,079

and uh you know i'm i'm grateful that

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00:40:33,670 --> 00:40:32,880

you guys are are participating i think

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00:40:35,589 --> 00:40:33,680

uh

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00:40:37,030 --> 00:40:35,599

you're some of the brightest people in

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00:40:39,990 --> 00:40:37,040

this field

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00:40:41,670 --> 00:40:40,000

um you know you're open to the mystery

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00:40:43,589 --> 00:40:41,680

but you're also

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00:40:44,950 --> 00:40:43,599

you know you have those questions in

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00:40:46,710 --> 00:40:44,960

your hands

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00:40:48,230 --> 00:40:46,720

and uh you know you don't want to be

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00:40:50,870 --> 00:40:48,240

fooled either you don't want to be part

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00:40:52,390 --> 00:40:50,880

of a belief system we want to all try to

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00:40:53,670 --> 00:40:52,400

you know figure out

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00:40:56,710 --> 00:40:53,680

great ways

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00:40:59,270 --> 00:40:56,720

you know strategic ways to uh try to get

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00:41:01,589 --> 00:40:59,280

the information you know ultimately i

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00:41:03,589 --> 00:41:01,599

think scientific information

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00:41:06,630 --> 00:41:03,599

uh you know is what we're gonna have to

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00:41:08,870 --> 00:41:06,640

to try to promote and uh i'm looking

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forward to some great comp conversations

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and i think it's really going to be fun

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00:41:15,670 --> 00:41:11,520

and

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00:41:18,150 --> 00:41:15,680

to these subcultures too

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00:41:19,829 --> 00:41:18,160

you know and we've sort of

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00:41:22,230 --> 00:41:19,839

been pulled out of that

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00:41:23,829 --> 00:41:22,240

these past few years and and due to the

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00:41:25,349 --> 00:41:23,839

internet you know it's kind of just so

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00:41:27,829 --> 00:41:25,359

easy to war

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00:41:29,829 --> 00:41:27,839

you know it it'd be great if we can

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00:41:32,790 --> 00:41:29,839  
get back to community by actually

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00:41:34,790 --> 00:41:32,800  
communing and sharing ideas and

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00:41:38,550 --> 00:41:34,800  
and and and learning how to elevate the

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00:41:40,550 --> 00:41:38,560  
discourse and uh have collegial

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00:41:42,390 --> 00:41:40,560  
conversations uh and still have

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00:41:43,349 --> 00:41:42,400  
differences of opinion that's how we're

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00:41:46,150 --> 00:41:43,359  
gonna

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00:41:47,510 --> 00:41:46,160  
achieve some of these answers and uh

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00:41:48,870 --> 00:41:47,520  
you know i think this is a good

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00:41:50,710 --> 00:41:48,880  
opportunity

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00:41:52,390 --> 00:41:50,720  
right well and you bring up you bring up

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00:41:54,390 --> 00:41:52,400  
a couple good points there michael and

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00:41:56,630 --> 00:41:54,400

this is going to be my first conference

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00:41:59,190 --> 00:41:56,640

in person conference since the pandemic

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so i'm like um i've forgotten how to

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interact with human beings in person

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00:42:06,230 --> 00:42:03,520

like so this is going to be a very

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interesting social experiment for me but

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i think the other big exciting thing and

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00:42:12,390 --> 00:42:10,079

the reason i signed on um i don't want

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to speak for micah but um i think it's

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00:42:16,950 --> 00:42:14,079

because of the

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00:42:19,910 --> 00:42:16,960

variety of speakers you know micah and i

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00:42:22,790 --> 00:42:19,920

are so used to going to ufo conferences

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where it's just you know ufo researchers

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00:42:27,670 --> 00:42:25,839  
um bouncing the echo chamber back and

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00:42:30,390 --> 00:42:27,680  
forth back and forth but a conference

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00:42:33,109 --> 00:42:30,400  
like this i can go as a speaker

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00:42:35,430 --> 00:42:33,119  
but i'm also an attendee learning

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00:42:37,510 --> 00:42:35,440  
something about other topics and that's

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00:42:40,309 --> 00:42:37,520  
what i love about events like this where

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00:42:42,069 --> 00:42:40,319  
you have a cryptozoologist you have um

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00:42:44,470 --> 00:42:42,079  
you know a paranormal investigator you

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00:42:47,030 --> 00:42:44,480  
have a ufologist because that's what

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00:42:49,510 --> 00:42:47,040  
it's all about like we're all one big

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00:42:51,910 --> 00:42:49,520  
weird-ass family let's be completely

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00:42:53,990 --> 00:42:51,920  
honest and while we want to kind of

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00:42:57,510 --> 00:42:54,000

narrow in on answers to the ufo

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00:42:59,990 --> 00:42:57,520

phenomenon to the paranormal phenomena

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00:43:02,470 --> 00:43:00,000

i think this is a wonderful opportunity

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00:43:04,390 --> 00:43:02,480

for everyone to get together and see hey

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maybe some of these topics are connected

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to one another or maybe they are not um

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00:43:10,950 --> 00:43:09,599

that's really up to the the person the

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00:43:13,829 --> 00:43:10,960

researcher and

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00:43:16,710 --> 00:43:13,839

those attending what they think but um

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00:43:18,550 --> 00:43:16,720

i'd love to get micah your thoughts on

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00:43:20,950 --> 00:43:18,560

uh when michael came to you with this

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00:43:23,510 --> 00:43:20,960

event yeah what drew you to this i know

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00:43:26,230 --> 00:43:23,520

for me i was like dude you don't have to

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00:43:28,550 --> 00:43:26,240

ask me twice i'm there the sun's amazing

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00:43:30,390 --> 00:43:28,560

um so what was it like for you

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00:43:31,589 --> 00:43:30,400

well there is that collegial side of it

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00:43:33,990 --> 00:43:31,599

you know that i mean i like all the

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00:43:35,990 --> 00:43:34,000

people michael and yourself and you know

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00:43:37,750 --> 00:43:36,000

some of some of the excellent speakers

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00:43:39,510 --> 00:43:37,760

that are on the tap for this of course

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you know josh cutchen

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a very uh

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00:43:45,349 --> 00:43:43,359

very interesting guy in terms of being

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00:43:48,309 --> 00:43:45,359

someone who has you know kind of

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00:43:50,870 --> 00:43:48,319

continued in my view the work of some of

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00:43:52,390 --> 00:43:50,880

the luminaries like jacques valet

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and others and

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00:43:57,349 --> 00:43:54,319

trying to look at look a little more

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deeply in an almost sort of folkloristic

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and anthropological sense at well could

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00:44:05,109 --> 00:44:02,480

uap actually be representative

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00:44:07,109 --> 00:44:05,119

of a broader deeper and longer lasting

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00:44:08,870 --> 00:44:07,119

phenomenon and one that we as humans

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00:44:10,710 --> 00:44:08,880

have experienced throughout time

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00:44:13,510 --> 00:44:10,720

uh his work really again in that

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00:44:15,750 --> 00:44:13,520

magonian sense of things citing valet's

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00:44:17,750 --> 00:44:15,760

passport to magonia really carries on in

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00:44:19,510 --> 00:44:17,760

that tradition uh but again all the

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00:44:21,109 --> 00:44:19,520

speakers uh you know i'm naturally

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partial to guys like

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00:44:24,710 --> 00:44:23,280

josh or ken gerhard you know who has

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00:44:26,710 --> 00:44:24,720

been out there just you know really

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00:44:29,270 --> 00:44:26,720

working tirelessly

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00:44:31,109 --> 00:44:29,280

in the field of cryptozoology but more

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00:44:32,950 --> 00:44:31,119

importantly in a topic that i'm really

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really passionate about

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it of course has to do with the search

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for relics hominoids

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more popularly known as sasquatch or

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bigfoot but i mean he's one of these

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researchers so if you watch ken's

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lectures

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he's talking about how can we apply

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science to the study of this many people

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would say well here's how you apply

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00:44:51,349 --> 00:44:48,880

science to it you go and you get a

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00:44:53,349 --> 00:44:51,359

degree in folklore and you but again

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there's a tremendous body of data that

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is strongly suggestive i was doing an

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interview earlier today about this very

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topic the a body of data and a

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long-standing uh american tradition that

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involves sightings

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00:45:07,349 --> 00:45:05,280  
of what appears to be a primate a

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00:45:09,430 --> 00:45:07,359  
human-like primate but one that is you

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00:45:11,750 --> 00:45:09,440  
know not unlike other higher primates

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00:45:13,069 --> 00:45:11,760  
extant today and certainly not unlike

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00:45:14,950 --> 00:45:13,079  
things that are recognized in the

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00:45:16,710 --> 00:45:14,960  
paleoanthropological record

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00:45:19,510 --> 00:45:16,720  
but which there seem to be very good you

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00:45:21,589 --> 00:45:19,520  
know and i think in many instances valid

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00:45:23,030 --> 00:45:21,599  
eyewitness observations of even in

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00:45:25,750 --> 00:45:23,040  
recent years

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00:45:27,270 --> 00:45:25,760  
and it's always been a bit paradoxical

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00:45:30,230 --> 00:45:27,280  
to me that although we we don't really

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00:45:32,390 --> 00:45:30,240

know exactly what uap might be i mean we

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have ideas but we still haven't

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come close to resolving that question

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even in the odni report last june we had

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that other category which a lot of folks

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kind of look at as a throwaway category

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i look at that as the most important

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category because it's describing objects

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that exhibit what appear to be signature

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management that is they appear to

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possess the ability to reduce their

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visibility through electromagnetic means

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through the ability of use of decreasing

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electronically their detection

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capabilities radar jamming is something

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that's being observed hyper acceleration

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of objects which again speaks of

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technology all these things observed and

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hence we have to say we're not sure what

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this is let's give it a really ambiguous

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and unimpressive category title other if

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they'd called them possible et or

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00:46:18,150 --> 00:46:16,480

something like that yeah it would have

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gotten a lot of attention raised a lot

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of eyebrows but the point i'm making

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here is that again that little that

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seemingly innocuous other category

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really points to a big mystery

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and there are a lot of implications a

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lot of potentials and yes

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one that has been on the table for years

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is we might be looking at

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extraterrestrials we don't know that

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could be and yet people these days in

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the modern uap debate are pretty quick

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to warm up to that idea despite the fact

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that we haven't got a lot of scientific

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data collected by astronomers and

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physicists that is indicative of the

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existence of intelligent species out

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there who are watching earth that's not

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to say that they aren't out there it's

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not to say by any means that you ap some

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uap might not represent that but again

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the fact that we don't have any data and

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yet people are so quick to warm up to

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00:47:05,910 --> 00:47:02,960

that idea and yet when we sit down for a

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guinness you know in cape girardeau

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what do you do for a living mr hanks and

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i say well i study mysteries if i start

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telling them about uap they're like

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fascinating do you think we're being

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visited tell me more you tell them hey

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but you know what i'm interested in the

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idea that there is a bipedal upright

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mysterious primate that may inhabit

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remote regions of north america they

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laugh and i'm like again guys if you

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look at the fossil record we have good

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examples of things like that that have

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00:47:31,670 --> 00:47:30,240

existed here on earth and there's

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nothing about that physically or

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biologically that couldn't potentially

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exist and yet people are so quick to

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dismiss it so again i think it's very

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important to kind of check ourselves in

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terms of

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you know how we and how our biases

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uh tend to correct our

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interpretations of phenomena when you

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00:47:51,349 --> 00:47:49,920

come to a conference like this i hope

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00:47:52,790 --> 00:47:51,359

that people are going to say okay i came

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for the ufos

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i stayed to hear about sasquatch i

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00:47:57,190 --> 00:47:56,000

stayed to hear about other interesting

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topics

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things that i might not have been as

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prone toward interest in or belief in

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but now i'm getting a different

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perspective and going okay

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00:48:07,990 --> 00:48:05,280

there was a lot more to that than i

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probably expected i'm sure in fact that

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when people come to this event they're

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00:48:12,069 --> 00:48:10,319

going to come away with those same kinds

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of perspectives

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absolutely and you know

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the mantra comes to mind

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00:48:20,950 --> 00:48:18,720

check yourself before you wreck yourself

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00:48:22,390 --> 00:48:20,960

and i think that's all that you we

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00:48:25,030 --> 00:48:22,400

really need to look at i think these

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00:48:28,150 --> 00:48:25,040

conferences really put me back in my

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00:48:30,150 --> 00:48:28,160

shoes and make me re-examine everything

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00:48:33,030 --> 00:48:30,160

i've grown comfortable with when it

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00:48:35,030 --> 00:48:33,040

comes to the ufo topic when i go to a

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00:48:37,349 --> 00:48:35,040

conference like this and i hear

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00:48:39,589 --> 00:48:37,359

something that you bring forward or uh

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00:48:41,349 --> 00:48:39,599

michael or any of the speakers

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00:48:42,630 --> 00:48:41,359

it makes me

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00:48:44,630 --> 00:48:42,640

look at

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00:48:48,470 --> 00:48:44,640

what i've been doing in a whole new

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00:48:51,190 --> 00:48:48,480

light and see oh how can i now you know

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00:48:53,349 --> 00:48:51,200

infuse that into my ufology you know a

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00:48:55,349 --> 00:48:53,359

lot of people know me as the experimenter

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00:48:57,829 --> 00:48:55,359

guy i interview experiencers i write

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00:49:00,230 --> 00:48:57,839

about them the aftermath of their their

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00:49:03,030 --> 00:49:00,240

events and that's great and that's like

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00:49:04,710 --> 00:49:03,040

something i continue to do and pursue

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00:49:06,790 --> 00:49:04,720

but then there's so many different

1371

00:49:09,589 --> 00:49:06,800

facets to the ufo

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00:49:11,670 --> 00:49:09,599

mystery and the ufo topic that i often

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00:49:12,549 --> 00:49:11,680

push to the side to focus on just the

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00:49:15,190 --> 00:49:12,559

human

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00:49:16,790 --> 00:49:15,200

aspect of it so that's again that's why

1376

00:49:18,870 --> 00:49:16,800

i love these sorts of things it gets me

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00:49:20,390 --> 00:49:18,880

out of my comfort zone and it makes me

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00:49:23,190 --> 00:49:20,400

re-examine this topic that i've

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00:49:25,349 --> 00:49:23,200

dedicated half my life to in a whole new

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00:49:28,309 --> 00:49:25,359

light um so i would have to agree with

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00:49:31,349 --> 00:49:28,319

you um it challenges us not just as

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00:49:34,150 --> 00:49:31,359

audience members but as researchers and

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00:49:36,230 --> 00:49:34,160

speakers as well you know i might go in

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00:49:37,910 --> 00:49:36,240

wanting to say one thing but that could

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00:49:40,710 --> 00:49:37,920

change in an instant with something i

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00:49:43,750 --> 00:49:40,720

hear at an event like this it completely

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00:49:46,230 --> 00:49:43,760

both ruin my presentation but also make

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00:49:49,270 --> 00:49:46,240

it better so yeah i would have to agree

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00:49:51,510 --> 00:49:49,280

with you on so many levels um so i guess

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00:49:53,190 --> 00:49:51,520

let's talk about what you guys are going

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00:49:54,069 --> 00:49:53,200

to be speaking on michael you're not

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00:49:55,990 --> 00:49:54,079

just

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00:49:58,230 --> 00:49:56,000

helping to organize this you will be a

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00:50:00,950 --> 00:49:58,240

speaker at the event so tell us a little

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00:50:02,790 --> 00:50:00,960

about your local connection to this and

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00:50:05,910 --> 00:50:02,800

um what you're going to be talking about

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00:50:08,470 --> 00:50:05,920

at the midwest conference of the unknown

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00:50:11,030 --> 00:50:08,480

well i you know i'm the resident uh

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00:50:14,870 --> 00:50:11,040

weirdo and uh

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00:50:17,750 --> 00:50:14,880

as as a ufo researcher and uh uh you

1401  
00:50:20,470 --> 00:50:17,760  
know a cryptid explorer and uh ghost

1402  
00:50:23,670 --> 00:50:20,480  
hunter you know i i travel around

1403  
00:50:25,829 --> 00:50:23,680  
uh documenting uh strange locations uh

1404  
00:50:28,950 --> 00:50:25,839  
and i do it from my town of cape

1405  
00:50:30,630 --> 00:50:28,960  
girardeau which has its own fantastic uh

1406  
00:50:31,990 --> 00:50:30,640  
ufo history

1407  
00:50:34,870 --> 00:50:32,000  
um

1408  
00:50:36,790 --> 00:50:34,880  
yeah i yeah i was they approached me and

1409  
00:50:38,390 --> 00:50:36,800  
uh i i

1410  
00:50:41,190 --> 00:50:38,400  
definitely you know said that i wanted

1411  
00:50:44,309 --> 00:50:41,200  
to do uh some stuff on local history

1412  
00:50:46,150 --> 00:50:44,319  
because i i think uh this town is and

1413  
00:50:48,630 --> 00:50:46,160

southeast missouri uh has some

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00:50:50,630 --> 00:50:48,640

interesting stuff that

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00:50:51,910 --> 00:50:50,640

that occurred here you know dr harley

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00:50:54,230 --> 00:50:51,920

rutledge

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00:50:56,069 --> 00:50:54,240

ran project identification out of

1418

00:50:57,430 --> 00:50:56,079

southeast missouri state

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00:50:59,430 --> 00:50:57,440

uh

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00:51:03,190 --> 00:50:59,440

we had

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00:51:05,030 --> 00:51:03,200

the the web uh ufo injury case and of

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00:51:07,190 --> 00:51:05,040

course you know the cape girardeau ufo

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00:51:09,510 --> 00:51:07,200

crash story so we got some

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00:51:11,510 --> 00:51:09,520

interesting connections and and lore

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00:51:13,910 --> 00:51:11,520

here and uh

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00:51:15,990 --> 00:51:13,920

i hope to uh be able to uh

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00:51:17,750 --> 00:51:16,000

uh educate some people

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00:51:20,230 --> 00:51:17,760

that are interested in that so that's

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00:51:22,150 --> 00:51:20,240

what i'm gonna be talking about

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00:51:23,829 --> 00:51:22,160

awesome micah what are you gonna be

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00:51:25,829 --> 00:51:23,839

talking about man i know you and i

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00:51:29,030 --> 00:51:25,839

whenever we go to these events we're

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00:51:31,430 --> 00:51:29,040

always the ufo guys so people kind of

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00:51:34,069 --> 00:51:31,440

know what to expect from us but this is

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00:51:37,750 --> 00:51:34,079

a um a talk that i don't believe you've

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00:51:39,750 --> 00:51:37,760

given that often um in terms of what it

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00:51:41,589 --> 00:51:39,760

will entail so yeah tell us a little

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00:51:43,829 --> 00:51:41,599

about what you'll be you'll be speaking

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00:51:46,309 --> 00:51:43,839

on and give us the tease man

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00:51:48,470 --> 00:51:46,319

well i'm actually notorious for almost

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00:51:50,150 --> 00:51:48,480

never giving the same lecture over and

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00:51:51,349 --> 00:51:50,160

over again a lot of speakers kind of

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00:51:53,349 --> 00:51:51,359

have two or three lectures and they go

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00:51:54,950 --> 00:51:53,359

and give them i try to tailor whatever

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00:51:57,589 --> 00:51:54,960

talk i'm going to give

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00:51:58,790 --> 00:51:57,599

yeah i try to tailor my my talks for the

1447

00:52:00,230 --> 00:51:58,800

event that i'm going to be at and you

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00:52:02,309 --> 00:52:00,240

know with this one when michael first

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00:52:03,750 --> 00:52:02,319

came to me and and said you know what

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00:52:05,190 --> 00:52:03,760

have you got in mind

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00:52:06,549 --> 00:52:05,200

i've been going back and spending a lot

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00:52:09,030 --> 00:52:06,559

of time reading

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00:52:10,870 --> 00:52:09,040

um some of the work of john keel from

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00:52:13,430 --> 00:52:10,880

back in the 1960s and you got to keep in

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00:52:14,230 --> 00:52:13,440

mind in 1966 there was a ufo wave going

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00:52:15,910 --> 00:52:14,240

on

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00:52:18,230 --> 00:52:15,920

in the united states we had the famous

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00:52:20,470 --> 00:52:18,240

michigan swamp gas incident that you

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00:52:23,030 --> 00:52:20,480

know heinrich stepped in his in his uh

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00:52:25,670 --> 00:52:23,040

well his soup i guess on that one

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00:52:27,270 --> 00:52:25,680

and uh and and even got some pushback

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00:52:29,589 --> 00:52:27,280

from then congressman gerald ford

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00:52:32,069 --> 00:52:29,599

michiganians aren't seeing swamp gas dr

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00:52:34,549 --> 00:52:32,079

heineck you know and that was infamous

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00:52:36,309 --> 00:52:34,559

as far as ufo history but i think that

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00:52:37,990 --> 00:52:36,319

for john keel

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00:52:39,190 --> 00:52:38,000

he's looking at this and going uh i'm

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00:52:40,950 --> 00:52:39,200

gonna start studying this to a

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00:52:42,870 --> 00:52:40,960

systematic analysis and in two years

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00:52:44,470 --> 00:52:42,880

we'll have it all figured out well two

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00:52:45,829 --> 00:52:44,480

years later he came to the novel

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00:52:47,430 --> 00:52:45,839

conclusion that

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00:52:50,309 --> 00:52:47,440

everything nycap and all the you know

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00:52:51,270 --> 00:52:50,319

the ufo extraterrestrial cultists

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00:52:53,030 --> 00:52:51,280

believe

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00:52:55,750 --> 00:52:53,040

that ain't what we're dealing with

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00:52:57,910 --> 00:52:55,760

and although i wasn't necessarily apt to

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00:52:59,829 --> 00:52:57,920

conclude the same as keel did i've

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00:53:01,510 --> 00:52:59,839

really always appreciated his approach

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00:53:03,349 --> 00:53:01,520

let's think outside the box and start

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00:53:04,710 --> 00:53:03,359

all over again and look at this and say

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00:53:06,230 --> 00:53:04,720

what do we really know about this

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00:53:07,829 --> 00:53:06,240

phenomenon

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00:53:09,430 --> 00:53:07,839

and indeed in the early days of this

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00:53:10,230 --> 00:53:09,440

phenomenon going all the way back to the

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00:53:12,470 --> 00:53:10,240

first

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00:53:14,790 --> 00:53:12,480

air force study project sign

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00:53:16,710 --> 00:53:14,800

there was a now famous but missing

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00:53:18,790 --> 00:53:16,720

document it was reportedly destroyed the

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00:53:20,790 --> 00:53:18,800

estimate of the situation it made some

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00:53:22,790 --> 00:53:20,800

very interesting uh assertions about

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00:53:24,309 --> 00:53:22,800

what some of these technologies might be

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00:53:25,990 --> 00:53:24,319

and that was talked about of course in

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00:53:28,309 --> 00:53:26,000

the book that was written by the first

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00:53:29,030 --> 00:53:28,319

head of project blue book edward rupelt

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00:53:30,870 --> 00:53:29,040

so

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00:53:32,069 --> 00:53:30,880

in terms of that tradition of what are

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00:53:33,510 --> 00:53:32,079

we doing

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00:53:35,990 --> 00:53:33,520

what are we looking at

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00:53:37,829 --> 00:53:36,000

uh what do we know epistemologically you

1501  
00:53:38,549 --> 00:53:37,839  
know what does this topic represent to

1502  
00:53:40,309 --> 00:53:38,559  
us

1503  
00:53:42,150 --> 00:53:40,319  
the the title of my presentation is

1504  
00:53:44,230 --> 00:53:42,160  
unidentified aerial phenomena past

1505  
00:53:45,990 --> 00:53:44,240  
present and future potentials and we're

1506  
00:53:48,309 --> 00:53:46,000  
going to be looking at again the

1507  
00:53:49,270 --> 00:53:48,319  
now seemingly discarded history of this

1508  
00:53:51,109 --> 00:53:49,280  
subject

1509  
00:53:53,589 --> 00:53:51,119  
that the current members of

1510  
00:53:55,030 --> 00:53:53,599  
investigative uh groups in government

1511  
00:53:57,349 --> 00:53:55,040  
that are looking at this

1512  
00:53:59,589 --> 00:53:57,359  
according to my sources apparently have

1513  
00:54:00,870 --> 00:53:59,599

very little to any interest in we're

1514

00:54:02,430 --> 00:54:00,880

going to look at that very necessary

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00:54:06,069 --> 00:54:02,440

history and it's not going to start in

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00:54:07,670 --> 00:54:06,079

1947 or 1944 or even 1943 we're going to

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00:54:10,390 --> 00:54:07,680

go back much further

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00:54:12,150 --> 00:54:10,400

and look at a brief perspective on the

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00:54:13,190 --> 00:54:12,160

history of this topic

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00:54:14,870 --> 00:54:13,200

and then

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00:54:16,230 --> 00:54:14,880

understand in the present moment what

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00:54:18,790 --> 00:54:16,240

that means and also what the future

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00:54:20,309 --> 00:54:18,800

potentials from study of uap might mean

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00:54:22,390 --> 00:54:20,319

for us in the years ahead so it's going

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00:54:24,549 --> 00:54:22,400

to be very comprehensive talk and one

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00:54:25,750 --> 00:54:24,559

that i certainly hope is going to give

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00:54:27,829 --> 00:54:25,760

us a very

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00:54:29,750 --> 00:54:27,839

um well-rounded perspective on what

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00:54:32,950 --> 00:54:29,760

unidentified aerial phenomena or these

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00:54:34,230 --> 00:54:32,960

trans-medium phenomena that our dod and

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00:54:35,670 --> 00:54:34,240

others are currently studying what they

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00:54:39,670 --> 00:54:35,680

might represent and what that means for

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00:54:42,230 --> 00:54:39,680

us all from here going forward

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00:54:44,309 --> 00:54:42,240

i love that i love that man and you know

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00:54:46,390 --> 00:54:44,319

i think one of my most popular episodes

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00:54:48,470 --> 00:54:46,400

still of summer in the skies was an

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00:54:51,190 --> 00:54:48,480

episode you did with me where we went

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00:54:53,750 --> 00:54:51,200

back to the you know antiquity time in

1539

00:54:55,670 --> 00:54:53,760

terms of flying shields and the way we

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00:54:57,670 --> 00:54:55,680

you know our ancestors interpreted these

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00:55:00,230 --> 00:54:57,680

things in the skies and what that might

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00:55:02,069 --> 00:55:00,240

say where we are in ufology now and i

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00:55:04,150 --> 00:55:02,079

think that's such a um

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00:55:06,950 --> 00:55:04,160

something that we don't

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00:55:10,870 --> 00:55:06,960

hold as much value as we used to as the

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00:55:12,789 --> 00:55:10,880

history of this topic uh pre roswell and

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00:55:15,190 --> 00:55:12,799

i think one of the most exciting things

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00:55:17,910 --> 00:55:15,200

from that conversation we had was this

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00:55:20,710 --> 00:55:17,920

idea that we can look at cases from

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00:55:23,750 --> 00:55:20,720

antiquity or you know up through the

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00:55:25,349 --> 00:55:23,760  
1800s with the the airships and whatnot

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00:55:28,150 --> 00:55:25,359  
and we can actually

1553  
00:55:29,910 --> 00:55:28,160  
go look at like what the weather was

1554  
00:55:32,150 --> 00:55:29,920  
like on the day that this event took

1555  
00:55:34,470 --> 00:55:32,160  
place and what was going on in that

1556  
00:55:37,829 --> 00:55:34,480  
geographical area at the time

1557  
00:55:40,470 --> 00:55:37,839  
and now look at a case back then with

1558  
00:55:41,589 --> 00:55:40,480  
fresh eyes and be like oh there was a

1559  
00:55:43,430 --> 00:55:41,599  
weather

1560  
00:55:45,510 --> 00:55:43,440  
phenomenon that occurred in this place

1561  
00:55:48,309 --> 00:55:45,520  
at that time that could explain what

1562  
00:55:49,789 --> 00:55:48,319  
this ufo was and that blew my mind when

1563  
00:55:53,750 --> 00:55:49,799

you brought that up i'm like we are

1564

00:55:56,390 --> 00:55:53,760

retroactively solving ufo cases so i

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00:55:59,349 --> 00:55:56,400

love this idea of like the past present

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00:56:00,870 --> 00:55:59,359

future of ufology and how it can in

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00:56:02,950 --> 00:56:00,880

tandem work

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00:56:04,870 --> 00:56:02,960

uh all those different timelines work

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00:56:07,349 --> 00:56:04,880

together to find answers to this if that

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00:56:09,030 --> 00:56:07,359

makes any sense or am i way off the mark

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00:56:10,470 --> 00:56:09,040

on that no you're spot on again you know

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00:56:12,230 --> 00:56:10,480

what what ryan's talking about for those

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00:56:13,670 --> 00:56:12,240

who haven't watched this episode and i'd

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00:56:14,950 --> 00:56:13,680

highly encourage people to go back and

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00:56:17,349 --> 00:56:14,960

check it out

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00:56:20,309 --> 00:56:17,359

we kind of broke down in real time an

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00:56:21,910 --> 00:56:20,319

example of looking at a historic case

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00:56:23,349 --> 00:56:21,920

uh this one had actually been i believe

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00:56:25,829 --> 00:56:23,359

a light that was seen hovering over

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00:56:26,710 --> 00:56:25,839

jerusalem for several days

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00:56:28,150 --> 00:56:26,720

and

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00:56:29,750 --> 00:56:28,160

what we were able to do is we were able

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00:56:31,829 --> 00:56:29,760

to look at possible

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00:56:34,069 --> 00:56:31,839

explanations with the help of modern

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00:56:36,470 --> 00:56:34,079

stellarium you know star

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00:56:38,390 --> 00:56:36,480

charting technologies because again in

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00:56:41,270 --> 00:56:38,400

terms of the way that the earth orients

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00:56:44,150 --> 00:56:41,280

itself with the star field around us

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00:56:46,069 --> 00:56:44,160

there are absolutely i mean down to to

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00:56:47,510 --> 00:56:46,079

the minutiae there are consistencies

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00:56:50,150 --> 00:56:47,520

that can be tracked throughout time and

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00:56:52,309 --> 00:56:50,160

not only can we predict when we have you

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00:56:53,910 --> 00:56:52,319

know future alignments then you know

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00:56:55,510 --> 00:56:53,920

that are going to occur of planets and

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00:56:58,069 --> 00:56:55,520

things along these lines

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00:56:59,670 --> 00:56:58,079

we can also look back and we can see

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00:57:01,270 --> 00:56:59,680

past events and we have a lot of

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00:57:03,030 --> 00:57:01,280

knowledge based on the stellar debris

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00:57:05,030 --> 00:57:03,040

that's left after you know for instance

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00:57:07,750 --> 00:57:05,040

a star explodes in the in the remnants

1601  
00:57:09,349 --> 00:57:07,760  
of the supernovae we have a good idea of

1602  
00:57:11,510 --> 00:57:09,359  
when there are actually ways that

1603  
00:57:13,829 --> 00:57:11,520  
astronomers based on the rate of the the

1604  
00:57:15,589 --> 00:57:13,839  
movement of this star stuff as sega

1605  
00:57:17,430 --> 00:57:15,599  
would have called it through space that

1606  
00:57:19,190 --> 00:57:17,440  
we can measure that we can gauge when

1607  
00:57:20,950 --> 00:57:19,200  
the actual event would have occurred and

1608  
00:57:21,910 --> 00:57:20,960  
therefore we can trace back in time when

1609  
00:57:23,190 --> 00:57:21,920  
there would have been a bright light

1610  
00:57:25,349 --> 00:57:23,200  
that would have been seen in the sky for

1611  
00:57:28,630 --> 00:57:25,359  
about a week or two and then we can look

1612  
00:57:30,710 --> 00:57:28,640  
at data about historical observations of

1613  
00:57:32,950 --> 00:57:30,720

again what we might call uap and say

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00:57:34,309 --> 00:57:32,960

okay cool as we expected people said

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00:57:36,230 --> 00:57:34,319

that they saw a bright light in the sky

1616

00:57:38,390 --> 00:57:36,240

during this period now i'm by no means

1617

00:57:39,750 --> 00:57:38,400

the only person or the best in fact in

1618

00:57:41,589 --> 00:57:39,760

terms of researchers who are doing this

1619

00:57:44,630 --> 00:57:41,599

there are a lot of very

1620

00:57:46,390 --> 00:57:44,640

very skilled uh ufo historical

1621

00:57:47,510 --> 00:57:46,400

researchers who are using this kind of

1622

00:57:50,230 --> 00:57:47,520

information

1623

00:57:51,829 --> 00:57:50,240

historical data you know stellarium

1624

00:57:53,910 --> 00:57:51,839

software and other things like this to

1625

00:57:55,910 --> 00:57:53,920

help us unravel clues about past

1626

00:57:57,109 --> 00:57:55,920

examples of uap what's interesting is

1627

00:57:59,270 --> 00:57:57,119

when you get something you can't

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00:58:00,789 --> 00:57:59,280

identify that you can't explain

1629

00:58:03,190 --> 00:58:00,799

and then we have to look at it and say

1630

00:58:05,670 --> 00:58:03,200

okay you know descriptions of a silver

1631

00:58:07,270 --> 00:58:05,680

disc resembling a shield passing over a

1632

00:58:09,990 --> 00:58:07,280

roman army

1633

00:58:11,589 --> 00:58:10,000

might at very least qualify for a uap

1634

00:58:13,430 --> 00:58:11,599

sighting not unlike the kinds of things

1635

00:58:14,870 --> 00:58:13,440

that for instance members of carrier

1636

00:58:17,349 --> 00:58:14,880

strike group 11 encountered out there

1637

00:58:19,750 --> 00:58:17,359

off the california coast in 2004

1638

00:58:21,750 --> 00:58:19,760

so that's what i think is most important

1639

00:58:23,190 --> 00:58:21,760

is trying to look at do we have data

1640

00:58:25,030 --> 00:58:23,200

that suggests there's been a longer

1641

00:58:26,950 --> 00:58:25,040

presence of this phenomenon and again

1642

00:58:28,150 --> 00:58:26,960

i'm so glad that folks like michael and

1643

00:58:30,309 --> 00:58:28,160

others are also going to be talking

1644

00:58:31,670 --> 00:58:30,319

about the history of this subject

1645

00:58:33,349 --> 00:58:31,680

because you know again everything that's

1646

00:58:35,589 --> 00:58:33,359

been indicated to me about the current

1647

00:58:38,230 --> 00:58:35,599

or the forthcoming efforts of the arrow

1648

00:58:39,510 --> 00:58:38,240

as we decided to call it

1649

00:58:41,190 --> 00:58:39,520

they're not very interested in looking

1650

00:58:43,270 --> 00:58:41,200

at historical information they want to

1651  
00:58:45,750 --> 00:58:43,280  
look at what we can collect now with the

1652  
00:58:48,309 --> 00:58:45,760  
best material and the best technology

1653  
00:58:50,150 --> 00:58:48,319  
and go forward and i respect that but i

1654  
00:58:51,750 --> 00:58:50,160  
also think that one day historians are

1655  
00:58:55,030 --> 00:58:51,760  
going to look back and say this

1656  
00:58:57,109 --> 00:58:55,040  
phenomenon didn't begin in 2019 or 2017

1657  
00:58:58,309 --> 00:58:57,119  
it's been with us for a long time and

1658  
00:59:00,390 --> 00:58:58,319  
we're going to have to understand that

1659  
00:59:02,390 --> 00:59:00,400  
history also to see the bigger picture

1660  
00:59:03,829 --> 00:59:02,400  
about that so michael's lecture

1661  
00:59:05,829 --> 00:59:03,839  
on lecture going to be looking at the

1662  
00:59:08,309 --> 00:59:05,839  
history uh i think we're all going to be

1663  
00:59:10,150 --> 00:59:08,319

trying to put together the the temporal

1664

00:59:11,910 --> 00:59:10,160

some not my microphone here the temporal

1665

00:59:14,630 --> 00:59:11,920

components of this phenomenon throughout

1666

00:59:16,470 --> 00:59:14,640

time and what it means to us now brian

1667

00:59:19,990 --> 00:59:16,480

that human perspective on the phenomenon

1668

00:59:21,589 --> 00:59:20,000

that's so integral to understanding uap

1669

00:59:24,470 --> 00:59:21,599

thank you michael well you know i can't

1670

00:59:26,789 --> 00:59:24,480

pretend that you know witness testimony

1671

00:59:27,829 --> 00:59:26,799

is anything to bring in front of uh you

1672

00:59:31,270 --> 00:59:27,839

know

1673

00:59:33,510 --> 00:59:31,280

a court of law but look people have been

1674

00:59:36,069 --> 00:59:33,520

sent to prison put on murder

1675

00:59:38,549 --> 00:59:36,079

uh you know death row because of witness

1676

00:59:41,589 --> 00:59:38,559

testimony so there is something to be

1677

00:59:44,150 --> 00:59:41,599

said about uh where my sort of ufology

1678

00:59:46,230 --> 00:59:44,160

lay in all this but um i can't pretend

1679

00:59:49,190 --> 00:59:46,240

that it's the be-all end-all i think

1680

00:59:52,309 --> 00:59:49,200

data in history is an extremely

1681

00:59:55,030 --> 00:59:52,319

important part to this entire mystery um

1682

00:59:58,069 --> 00:59:55,040

i will just say right now i am going to

1683

01:00:00,950 --> 00:59:58,079

be giving a lecture um that i have given

1684

01:00:03,829 --> 01:00:00,960

before but in a entirely new

1685

01:00:05,190 --> 01:00:03,839

light um the beauty of what i do

1686

01:00:07,510 --> 01:00:05,200

is um

1687

01:00:10,150 --> 01:00:07,520

i am constantly hearing new stories and

1688

01:00:11,910 --> 01:00:10,160

i am constantly investigating new cases

1689

01:00:14,870 --> 01:00:11,920

and that's where the human perspective

1690

01:00:16,950 --> 01:00:14,880

comes in so i now have new people that i

1691

01:00:20,150 --> 01:00:16,960

can bring forward that have never talked

1692

01:00:21,750 --> 01:00:20,160

about their incidents before including

1693

01:00:24,230 --> 01:00:21,760

uh a

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01:00:25,670 --> 01:00:24,240

one of the pilots who encountered one of

1695

01:00:27,190 --> 01:00:25,680

these things off of one of those

1696

01:00:29,589 --> 01:00:27,200

carriers will be

1697

01:00:30,950 --> 01:00:29,599

a part of one of my uh one of my

1698

01:00:33,270 --> 01:00:30,960

lectures

1699

01:00:35,030 --> 01:00:33,280

out in missouri and talking for the very

1700

01:00:35,910 --> 01:00:35,040

first time about

1701

01:00:38,630 --> 01:00:35,920

her

1702

01:00:40,230 --> 01:00:38,640

very personal thoughts and theories on

1703

01:00:42,150 --> 01:00:40,240

what she experienced

1704

01:00:44,630 --> 01:00:42,160

over the coast of california there so

1705

01:00:46,390 --> 01:00:44,640

i'm really excited about that it's um

1706

01:00:49,270 --> 01:00:46,400

it's it's unlike anything i've done

1707

01:00:51,190 --> 01:00:49,280

before in terms of the individuals i'm

1708

01:00:53,190 --> 01:00:51,200

going to be presenting there in their

1709

01:00:55,349 --> 01:00:53,200

story so i'm excited about that but

1710

01:00:57,430 --> 01:00:55,359

michael i want to ask you man we don't

1711

01:00:59,349 --> 01:00:57,440

just have ufology going on at this thing

1712

01:01:01,270 --> 01:00:59,359

like we said earlier what are some of

1713

01:01:04,390 --> 01:01:01,280

the other uh talks that we're gonna be

1714

01:01:06,309 --> 01:01:04,400

hearing and um maybe a few of the most

1715

01:01:08,230 --> 01:01:06,319

interesting that you find interesting i

1716

01:01:09,349 --> 01:01:08,240

know they're all your babies this is

1717

01:01:11,670 --> 01:01:09,359

what your event that you're

1718

01:01:13,190 --> 01:01:11,680

co-organizing but um yeah would you mind

1719

01:01:14,630 --> 01:01:13,200

touching on maybe a few of the other

1720

01:01:15,829 --> 01:01:14,640

speakers and what they'll be talking

1721

01:01:18,549 --> 01:01:15,839

about

1722

01:01:21,270 --> 01:01:18,559

well as you guys have already uh

1723

01:01:25,589 --> 01:01:21,280

alluded to you know these uh

1724

01:01:27,510 --> 01:01:25,599

these anomalies uh so to speak are

1725

01:01:28,870 --> 01:01:27,520

are connected in the fact that they are

1726

01:01:31,829 --> 01:01:28,880

mysteries

1727

01:01:34,309 --> 01:01:31,839

uh that are challenges to science and

1728

01:01:36,150 --> 01:01:34,319

you know questions are brought up as to

1729

01:01:37,270 --> 01:01:36,160

you know what constitutes sufficient

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01:01:40,710 --> 01:01:37,280

evidence

1731

01:01:43,589 --> 01:01:40,720

uh you know what uh constitution

1732

01:01:45,190 --> 01:01:43,599

constitutes a methodological program of

1733

01:01:48,230 --> 01:01:45,200

investigation

1734

01:01:50,069 --> 01:01:48,240

um how can we find out the truth behind

1735

01:01:52,710 --> 01:01:50,079

you know some of these anomalous you

1736

01:01:55,349 --> 01:01:52,720

know very divergent anomalous uh

1737

01:01:57,510 --> 01:01:55,359

circumstances and uh

1738

01:02:00,150 --> 01:01:57,520

all these questions will be uh erased

1739

01:02:01,990 --> 01:02:00,160

and asked and we will have people in

1740

01:02:03,829 --> 01:02:02,000

in uh

1741

01:02:05,589 --> 01:02:03,839

in different fields to you know try to

1742

01:02:07,829 --> 01:02:05,599

come up with you know some ideas and

1743

01:02:09,910 --> 01:02:07,839

some answers we got uh

1744

01:02:12,430 --> 01:02:09,920

people from the ufological

1745

01:02:15,589 --> 01:02:12,440

uh research uh field we got

1746

01:02:18,390 --> 01:02:15,599

cryptozoologists we got uh ghost hunters

1747

01:02:19,589 --> 01:02:18,400

uh we have keel experts we have uh you

1748

01:02:20,710 --> 01:02:19,599

know uh

1749

01:02:22,870 --> 01:02:20,720

uh

1750

01:02:26,069 --> 01:02:22,880

people from the mothman museum you know

1751

01:02:28,870 --> 01:02:26,079

we have sort of a divergence of uh

1752

01:02:30,789 --> 01:02:28,880

uh of people um

1753

01:02:33,990 --> 01:02:30,799

it's really sort of uh

1754

01:02:36,309 --> 01:02:34,000

uh amazing to see uh we got zach bales

1755

01:02:40,309 --> 01:02:36,319

who is a a a

1756

01:02:42,710 --> 01:02:40,319

a writer a teacher and uh

1757

01:02:45,029 --> 01:02:42,720

he investigates all different kinds of

1758

01:02:48,549 --> 01:02:45,039

strange things we got steve ward

1759

01:02:49,750 --> 01:02:48,559

uh he was a a keel uh researcher he does

1760

01:02:54,230 --> 01:02:49,760

tours of

1761

01:02:55,190 --> 01:02:54,240

uh mothman uh area and also he works at

1762

01:02:58,309 --> 01:02:55,200

the uh

1763

01:02:59,670 --> 01:02:58,319

mothman museum in point pleasant

1764

01:03:02,549 --> 01:02:59,680

so jealous

1765

01:03:05,910 --> 01:03:02,559

yeah it's like my dream job yeah great

1766

01:03:08,549 --> 01:03:05,920

great gig there uh margie k who was uh a

1767

01:03:09,670 --> 01:03:08,559

director of uh missouri mufon for many

1768

01:03:13,109 --> 01:03:09,680

years

1769

01:03:15,430 --> 01:03:13,119

uh you know a long time researcher here

1770

01:03:16,470 --> 01:03:15,440

uh she also

1771

01:03:20,309 --> 01:03:16,480

has a

1772

01:03:21,750 --> 01:03:20,319

within

1773

01:03:24,710 --> 01:03:21,760

all of these different paranormal

1774

01:03:27,190 --> 01:03:24,720

communities uh courtney block is

1775

01:03:29,109 --> 01:03:27,200

uh the liminal librarian or

1776

01:03:31,270 --> 01:03:29,119

i think it's what she

1777

01:03:33,990 --> 01:03:31,280

she has called but she uh she's written

1778

01:03:35,270 --> 01:03:34,000

several ghost hunting books uh she's a

1779

01:03:38,390 --> 01:03:35,280

librarian

1780

01:03:39,510 --> 01:03:38,400

from indiana so uh she's uh

1781

01:03:41,990 --> 01:03:39,520

you know we're trying to bring some of

1782

01:03:43,349 --> 01:03:42,000

the younger people people with new ideas

1783

01:03:45,270 --> 01:03:43,359

and uh

1784

01:03:46,150 --> 01:03:45,280

people that you know do you have a good

1785

01:03:48,549 --> 01:03:46,160

uh

1786

01:03:50,549 --> 01:03:48,559

basis expertise in the fields that

1787

01:03:52,230 --> 01:03:50,559

they're coming from joshua

1788

01:03:53,750 --> 01:03:52,240

cutchen is gonna bring some of the

1789

01:03:57,670 --> 01:03:53,760

esoteric uh

1790

01:03:59,510 --> 01:03:57,680

you know discussion into the mix uh

1791

01:04:02,230 --> 01:03:59,520

be prepared to talk about fairies you

1792

01:04:04,870 --> 01:04:02,240

know and folklore and and uh

1793

01:04:07,190 --> 01:04:04,880

uh all manner of high strangeness with

1794

01:04:09,109 --> 01:04:07,200

the with any of these speakers because

1795

01:04:11,910 --> 01:04:09,119

we're gonna hear some uh

1796

01:04:15,270 --> 01:04:11,920

some uh things about loch ness monster

1797

01:04:16,630 --> 01:04:15,280

and bigfoot and mothman and valiant thor

1798

01:04:20,390 --> 01:04:16,640

and uh

1799

01:04:23,190 --> 01:04:20,400

conspiracies and also you know uh

1800

01:04:25,990 --> 01:04:23,200

uh uaps and science and the limits of

1801  
01:04:27,270 --> 01:04:26,000  
science and uh you know we're gonna

1802  
01:04:30,390 --> 01:04:27,280  
we're gonna

1803  
01:04:32,390 --> 01:04:30,400  
great conversations on the stage and

1804  
01:04:33,910 --> 01:04:32,400  
then the panels and uh

1805  
01:04:35,109 --> 01:04:33,920  
in the parties afterwards so it should

1806  
01:04:37,829 --> 01:04:35,119  
be great

1807  
01:04:39,270 --> 01:04:37,839  
absolutely um and i know

1808  
01:04:41,670 --> 01:04:39,280  
and i already know some of the people

1809  
01:04:44,870 --> 01:04:41,680  
that will be in attendance and like you

1810  
01:04:47,750 --> 01:04:44,880  
said uh they have just as much right to

1811  
01:04:50,470 --> 01:04:47,760  
be up on that stage as micah and i do so

1812  
01:04:52,710 --> 01:04:50,480  
i'm excited to have conversations with a

1813  
01:04:55,349 --> 01:04:52,720

lot of the attendees at the um the after

1814

01:04:57,990 --> 01:04:55,359

parties and tell us a little about this

1815

01:05:00,390 --> 01:04:58,000

after party that's taking place in a

1816

01:05:01,750 --> 01:05:00,400

haunted location is that correct because

1817

01:05:03,910 --> 01:05:01,760

this will not be the first haunted

1818

01:05:06,150 --> 01:05:03,920

location micah hanks and i have been in

1819

01:05:08,470 --> 01:05:06,160

together after a couple of drinks if i'm

1820

01:05:11,190 --> 01:05:08,480

not mistaken yeah i think i heard about

1821

01:05:13,670 --> 01:05:11,200

that um no uh uh yeah we're gonna have

1822

01:05:17,109 --> 01:05:13,680

some uh some vip stuff you know some

1823

01:05:18,549 --> 01:05:17,119

some receptions and uh other extra

1824

01:05:21,109 --> 01:05:18,559

activities i think we'll probably have

1825

01:05:24,710 --> 01:05:21,119

some ghost tours or you know maybe a ufo

1826

01:05:26,230 --> 01:05:24,720

tour a a few artistic things going on i

1827

01:05:28,470 --> 01:05:26,240

think there might be a performance of

1828

01:05:30,710 --> 01:05:28,480

war of the worlds the radio show

1829

01:05:32,230 --> 01:05:30,720

uh by a local group of

1830

01:05:34,549 --> 01:05:32,240

artists i think that'll be fun and

1831

01:05:38,309 --> 01:05:34,559

interesting uh but we will also have you

1832

01:05:41,029 --> 01:05:38,319

know a a reception to celebrate you know

1833

01:05:42,870 --> 01:05:41,039

our inaugural event at uh the local

1834

01:05:45,750 --> 01:05:42,880

victorian haunted house that was

1835

01:05:49,190 --> 01:05:45,760

featured on uh ghost hunters a few

1836

01:05:51,190 --> 01:05:49,200

seasons ago we will be uh

1837

01:05:51,990 --> 01:05:51,200

having some great social time there and

1838

01:05:54,870 --> 01:05:52,000

and

1839

01:05:56,029 --> 01:05:54,880

can't have a better place

1840

01:05:58,230 --> 01:05:56,039

to do that you know in a

1841

01:05:59,910 --> 01:05:58,240

phenomenological location

1842

01:06:01,190 --> 01:05:59,920

and hopefully we'll experience some

1843

01:06:02,829 --> 01:06:01,200

stuff

1844

01:06:05,109 --> 01:06:02,839

and have some great

1845

01:06:07,109 --> 01:06:05,119

conversations absolutely and just

1846

01:06:10,069 --> 01:06:07,119

because you're a specter does not mean

1847

01:06:13,430 --> 01:06:10,079

that you uh are getting in for free so

1848

01:06:16,309 --> 01:06:13,440

if you want ghosts and humans alike uh

1849

01:06:18,789 --> 01:06:16,319

we have some vip discount codes for you

1850

01:06:21,510 --> 01:06:18,799

right there for the event um hanks vip

1851  
01:06:23,750 --> 01:06:21,520  
spread vip huntington vip um just put

1852  
01:06:25,510 --> 01:06:23,760  
that in at checkout and you will get a

1853  
01:06:29,349 --> 01:06:25,520  
significant discount off the ticket

1854  
01:06:32,309 --> 01:06:29,359  
price to this event um i can't wait i

1855  
01:06:34,950 --> 01:06:32,319  
don't do episodes where i just you know

1856  
01:06:36,630 --> 01:06:34,960  
kind of market an event and again it's

1857  
01:06:38,950 --> 01:06:36,640  
not just because us three are speaking

1858  
01:06:42,390 --> 01:06:38,960  
at this i do truly believe this is going

1859  
01:06:43,190 --> 01:06:42,400  
to become a big thing in the midwest and

1860  
01:07:13,589 --> 01:06:43,200  
i

1861  
01:07:16,309 --> 01:07:13,599  
you know just maybe an hour and a half

1862  
01:07:18,309 --> 01:07:16,319  
or two hours south of st louis we're

1863  
01:07:19,510 --> 01:07:18,319

right on the mississippi river we are a

1864

01:07:22,630 --> 01:07:19,520

river town

1865

01:07:24,710 --> 01:07:22,640

uh we have a great nightlife down there

1866

01:07:27,029 --> 01:07:24,720

that celebrates that uh

1867

01:07:31,270 --> 01:07:27,039

we are in cape girardeau missouri the uh

1868

01:07:33,190 --> 01:07:31,280

uh event is uh at the drury plaza

1869

01:07:35,910 --> 01:07:33,200

conference center uh

1870

01:07:37,349 --> 01:07:35,920

in in cape girardeau missouri uh august

1871

01:07:39,990 --> 01:07:37,359

5th through 7th

1872

01:07:42,710 --> 01:07:40,000

uh we're doing three days uh 10 speakers

1873

01:07:45,349 --> 01:07:42,720

panel and then you know a vendor's room

1874

01:07:46,950 --> 01:07:45,359

and then all sorts of you know fun stuff

1875

01:07:48,309 --> 01:07:46,960

uh and uh you know this will be our

1876

01:07:50,150 --> 01:07:48,319

first time out

1877

01:07:51,270 --> 01:07:50,160

uh uh

1878

01:07:53,430 --> 01:07:51,280

some of these people have you know

1879

01:07:55,109 --> 01:07:53,440

worked on other conferences and stuff so

1880

01:07:56,710 --> 01:07:55,119

i think logistically it's all gonna be

1881

01:07:59,430 --> 01:07:56,720

great and

1882

01:08:01,670 --> 01:07:59,440

we anticipate uh in future years adding

1883

01:08:05,270 --> 01:08:01,680

things like film festivals and and

1884

01:08:07,190 --> 01:08:05,280

workshops and uh you know

1885

01:08:10,630 --> 01:08:07,200

paper presentations and all that sort of

1886

01:08:13,349 --> 01:08:10,640

stuff so we we hope to use this as a as

1887

01:08:15,910 --> 01:08:13,359

a way to improve these uh communities

1888

01:08:18,870 --> 01:08:15,920

and to have fun and to you know get back

1889

01:08:20,630 --> 01:08:18,880

to socializing and and and having

1890

01:08:22,709 --> 01:08:20,640

community so

1891

01:08:24,709 --> 01:08:22,719

absolutely man i think again these

1892

01:08:26,470 --> 01:08:24,719

conferences are kind of an excuse for us

1893

01:08:28,950 --> 01:08:26,480

all to just get together

1894

01:08:31,510 --> 01:08:28,960

in the community that we love that we

1895

01:08:33,990 --> 01:08:31,520

hate but at the end of the day we all

1896

01:08:36,470 --> 01:08:34,000

have these burning curiosities in common

1897

01:08:38,309 --> 01:08:36,480

and i can't think of a better way to um

1898

01:08:40,390 --> 01:08:38,319

embrace a community and i'm truly

1899

01:08:42,709 --> 01:08:40,400

honored to be a part of that community

1900

01:08:45,749 --> 01:08:42,719

and uh with all these amazing people so

1901

01:08:48,550 --> 01:08:45,759

um yeah we'll we'll we'll end it there

1902

01:08:50,789 --> 01:08:48,560

gentlemen but before we go i've kept you

1903

01:08:52,870 --> 01:08:50,799

for long enough um tell us where we can

1904

01:08:55,030 --> 01:08:52,880

find everything you're up to

1905

01:08:57,030 --> 01:08:55,040

and um yeah michael let's start with you

1906

01:08:58,709 --> 01:08:57,040

man where can we find more about your

1907

01:09:00,550 --> 01:08:58,719

work and everything you're up to well

1908

01:09:02,309 --> 01:09:00,560

let me get the plug in for our

1909

01:09:06,990 --> 01:09:02,319

conference midwest conference on the

1910

01:09:11,110 --> 01:09:08,550

events.com

1911

01:09:13,349 --> 01:09:11,120

uh or you know do your search engine

1912

01:09:15,510 --> 01:09:13,359

thing uh you can go to my facebook i

1913

01:09:17,590 --> 01:09:15,520

think we got some links all of us have

1914

01:09:19,910 --> 01:09:17,600

some links up there uh

1915

01:09:21,990 --> 01:09:19,920

and check it out and if you can make it

1916

01:09:24,630 --> 01:09:22,000

great if not keep us in mind for future

1917

01:09:26,709 --> 01:09:24,640

years and uh you know give us your ideas

1918

01:09:28,309 --> 01:09:26,719

on the sort of thing you want to see in

1919

01:09:29,269 --> 01:09:28,319

the conversations you want to see have

1920

01:09:32,870 --> 01:09:29,279

happen

1921

01:09:34,390 --> 01:09:32,880

uh uh i'm accessible on social media i'm

1922

01:09:36,550 --> 01:09:34,400

on facebook twitter

1923

01:09:38,789 --> 01:09:36,560

uh michael huntington you can you can

1924

01:09:39,669 --> 01:09:38,799

find me there i do instagram stuff as

1925

01:09:41,030 --> 01:09:39,679

well

1926

01:09:56,070 --> 01:09:41,040

uh

1927

01:09:58,470 --> 01:09:56,080

forward to that you know

1928

01:10:00,470 --> 01:09:58,480

so thanks thanks for uh

1929

01:10:03,590 --> 01:10:00,480

getting involved and and let's have some

1930

01:10:07,430 --> 01:10:05,830

absolutely brother i i don't know if

1931

01:10:09,430 --> 01:10:07,440

that's cutting out for the rest of

1932

01:10:11,830 --> 01:10:09,440

everyone out there too are my internet's

1933

01:10:13,510 --> 01:10:11,840

been a little wonky but no michael thank

1934

01:10:16,550 --> 01:10:13,520

you thank you for everything you do my

1935

01:10:18,630 --> 01:10:16,560

man you keep us you keep us young and

1936

01:10:20,709 --> 01:10:18,640

you keep us old on twitter and you

1937

01:10:23,110 --> 01:10:20,719

challenge us and we need more of that in

1938

01:10:25,590 --> 01:10:23,120

the ufo twitter space so thank you my

1939

01:10:28,470 --> 01:10:25,600

man um i'm gonna let you go i'm gonna

1940

01:10:30,790 --> 01:10:28,480

get micah's contact info here and uh we

1941

01:10:34,550 --> 01:10:30,800

will see you in missouri very soon my

1942

01:10:36,709 --> 01:10:34,560

friend all right take care guys

1943

01:10:38,870 --> 01:10:36,719

we'll see yes

1944

01:10:40,950 --> 01:10:38,880

yes indeed and as far as me

1945

01:10:43,430 --> 01:10:40,960

you know it's it's it's not hard to find

1946

01:10:45,750 --> 01:10:43,440

me online micahanks.com where i've got

1947

01:10:47,350 --> 01:10:45,760

it right there you know and at micah

1948

01:10:48,950 --> 01:10:47,360

hanks on twitter

1949

01:10:51,590 --> 01:10:48,960

uh it helps when you make everything

1950

01:10:54,950 --> 01:10:51,600

your name right so it really does it

1951

01:10:56,790 --> 01:10:54,960

really does man hey i i in the reason i

1952

01:10:59,830 --> 01:10:56,800

wanted to end here with you micah is

1953

01:11:02,470 --> 01:10:59,840

because um you know you have been a busy

1954

01:11:04,550 --> 01:11:02,480

man you've been all over the country as

1955

01:11:06,950 --> 01:11:04,560

of late doing conferences and everything

1956

01:11:09,910 --> 01:11:06,960

but that doesn't stop you from running

1957

01:11:11,350 --> 01:11:09,920

the debrief over there so um tell us

1958

01:11:13,750 --> 01:11:11,360

where we can find everything you got

1959

01:11:16,709 --> 01:11:13,760

going on over there and maybe a little

1960

01:11:18,550 --> 01:11:16,719

about what's to come with the debrief

1961

01:11:19,910 --> 01:11:18,560

well we've always got a lot uh that

1962

01:11:21,430 --> 01:11:19,920

we're working on and you know the

1963

01:11:23,270 --> 01:11:21,440

debrief of course

1964

01:11:24,390 --> 01:11:23,280

has been a uh

1965

01:11:26,709 --> 01:11:24,400

quite a

1966

01:11:27,990 --> 01:11:26,719

change for my own workflow and lifestyle

1967

01:11:30,070 --> 01:11:28,000

for the last couple of years it's been

1968

01:11:31,910 --> 01:11:30,080

all hands on deck even more so beginning

1969

01:11:34,070 --> 01:11:31,920

early this year when i took over

1970

01:11:35,910 --> 01:11:34,080

full-time as editor-in-chief

1971

01:11:37,990 --> 01:11:35,920

that in addition to producing our weekly

1972

01:11:39,910 --> 01:11:38,000

newsletter the intelligence brief of

1973

01:11:41,830 --> 01:11:39,920

course i'm usually writing at least

1974

01:11:43,350 --> 01:11:41,840

short articles off in features

1975

01:11:45,110 --> 01:11:43,360

throughout the week as well we've been

1976

01:11:48,390 --> 01:11:45,120

covering everything from all the uh

1977

01:11:51,030 --> 01:11:48,400

ongoing developments in in washington

1978

01:11:53,430 --> 01:11:51,040

with regard to uap to the james webb

1979

01:11:54,950 --> 01:11:53,440

space telescope a lot of defense issues

1980

01:11:56,390 --> 01:11:54,960

which mostly kind of falls into the

1981

01:11:58,709 --> 01:11:56,400

purview of what my colleague tim

1982

01:12:00,870 --> 01:11:58,719

mcmillan reports on chris plains been

1983

01:12:02,870 --> 01:12:00,880

doing fantastic space and science

1984

01:12:04,630 --> 01:12:02,880

maverick science reporting you know i

1985

01:12:06,070 --> 01:12:04,640

focus a lot on space these days too and

1986

01:12:08,390 --> 01:12:06,080

over at the debrief you can expect to

1987

01:12:09,510 --> 01:12:08,400

see a lot of all those topics is we're

1988

01:12:10,950 --> 01:12:09,520

looking at things that really

1989

01:12:14,390 --> 01:12:10,960

fundamentally all have one thing in

1990

01:12:16,390 --> 01:12:14,400

common they are interesting uh they uh

1991

01:12:18,149 --> 01:12:16,400

often indicate scientific developments

1992

01:12:19,270 --> 01:12:18,159

that are changing our lives

1993

01:12:21,030 --> 01:12:19,280

and they're things that really we should

1994

01:12:22,470 --> 01:12:21,040

all be keeping tabs on as we move every

1995

01:12:24,149 --> 01:12:22,480

steadily into the future so you can

1996

01:12:26,070 --> 01:12:24,159

follow all of that over there at

1997

01:12:28,870 --> 01:12:26,080

thedebrief.org

1998

01:12:30,470 --> 01:12:28,880

and of course you can also uh follow our

1999

01:12:32,790 --> 01:12:30,480

collective work and efforts there at

2000

01:12:34,550 --> 01:12:32,800

debriefmedia on twitter

2001

01:12:35,910 --> 01:12:34,560

that's the handle on twitter to follow

2002

01:12:37,669 --> 01:12:35,920

the debrief we've got a lot of followers

2003

01:12:38,950 --> 01:12:37,679

and try to keep all of our information

2004

01:12:40,950 --> 01:12:38,960

going out there and keep the dialogue

2005

01:12:43,030 --> 01:12:40,960

going but uh we're pretty much available

2006

01:12:44,790 --> 01:12:43,040

in all places as well social media wise

2007

01:12:46,229 --> 01:12:44,800

instagram facebook

2008

01:12:48,310 --> 01:12:46,239

and uh what have you but all of that can

2009

01:12:50,550 --> 01:12:48,320

be found at the [debrief.org](http://debrief.org) with regular

2010

01:12:52,470 --> 01:12:50,560

daily reporting at least on weekdays on

2011

01:12:54,870 --> 01:12:52,480

all of these fascinating subjects

2012

01:12:57,669 --> 01:12:54,880

happening in our world

2013

01:12:59,030 --> 01:12:57,679

absolutely my man and again keeping us

2014

01:13:00,870 --> 01:12:59,040

on our toes you're always at the

2015

01:13:03,669 --> 01:13:00,880

forefront of what's going on in the

2016

01:13:04,550 --> 01:13:03,679

world of tech defense science and of

2017

01:13:06,950 --> 01:13:04,560

course

2018

01:13:10,709 --> 01:13:06,960

uap something you and i will be talking

2019

01:13:11,830 --> 01:13:10,719

about in just a few short weeks here so

2020

01:13:14,310 --> 01:13:11,840

micah

2021

01:13:16,630 --> 01:13:14,320

i can't wait man to tip back a beer with

2022

01:13:18,630 --> 01:13:16,640

you again and um this will be my first

2023

01:13:20,390 --> 01:13:18,640

time seeing you in a while buddy so get

2024

01:13:22,390 --> 01:13:20,400

ready it's gonna be an interesting

2025

01:13:24,149 --> 01:13:22,400

couple days in missouri well it

2026

01:13:26,070 --> 01:13:24,159

certainly will and you know i'm looking

2027

01:13:28,390 --> 01:13:26,080

forward to lots of catching up you and i

2028

01:13:29,510 --> 01:13:28,400

are long overdue for and you know a beer

2029

01:13:31,110 --> 01:13:29,520

and uh you know i'm going to give you a

2030

01:13:32,709 --> 01:13:31,120

hug too buddy because it's been far too

2031

01:13:34,470 --> 01:13:32,719

long and i think we're overdue for that

2032

01:13:36,550 --> 01:13:34,480

and some real good old-fashioned ufo

2033

01:13:39,110 --> 01:13:36,560

talk like we always do

2034

01:13:41,510 --> 01:13:39,120

absolutely my man and everyone join us

2035

01:13:43,350 --> 01:13:41,520

in missouri august 5th through the 7th

2036

01:13:45,350 --> 01:13:43,360

micah i'm going to say good night my man

2037

01:13:47,910 --> 01:13:45,360

talk a little shop with the viewers here

2038

01:13:49,350 --> 01:13:47,920

and i'll see you and michael very soon

2039

01:13:53,189 --> 01:13:49,360

looking forward to it my friend all

2040

01:13:55,910 --> 01:13:53,199

right talk to you soon buddy take care

2041

01:13:58,470 --> 01:13:55,920

and then there was one guys i have to

2042

01:13:59,910 --> 01:13:58,480

truly thank michael and and micah for

2043

01:14:02,149 --> 01:13:59,920

hanging out with us tonight and talking

2044

01:14:03,910 --> 01:14:02,159

all the latest uap news and about the

2045

01:14:05,669 --> 01:14:03,920

conference coming up so again we will

2046

01:14:07,750 --> 01:14:05,679

have links in the show notes for the

2047

01:14:10,630 --> 01:14:07,760

event and everything that micah and

2048

01:14:12,070 --> 01:14:10,640

michael are up to um but yeah check it

2049

01:14:14,070 --> 01:14:12,080

out cape

2050

01:14:16,709 --> 01:14:14,080

events dot com is where you can get

2051  
01:14:19,830 --> 01:14:16,719  
tickets uh and again we will have those

2052  
01:14:21,030 --> 01:14:19,840  
discount codes for you as well below

2053  
01:14:23,910 --> 01:14:21,040  
make this

2054  
01:14:25,910 --> 01:14:23,920  
a huge inaugural event please please we

2055  
01:14:27,110 --> 01:14:25,920  
would love to have you guys out there i

2056  
01:14:29,830 --> 01:14:27,120  
truly believe this is going to be

2057  
01:14:31,750 --> 01:14:29,840  
something big in the future so yes join

2058  
01:14:34,790 --> 01:14:31,760  
us there in missouri august 5th through

2059  
01:14:36,390 --> 01:14:34,800  
the 7th other than that i did a review

2060  
01:14:38,470 --> 01:14:36,400  
last night over at the unidentified

2061  
01:14:41,750 --> 01:14:38,480  
celebrity review with luis simenes

2062  
01:14:43,270 --> 01:14:41,760  
rather be squidding and chupacabra and

2063  
01:14:45,590 --> 01:14:43,280

it was a lot of fun we talked about

2064

01:14:48,070 --> 01:14:45,600

jordan peele's new movie nope which is

2065

01:14:50,630 --> 01:14:48,080

getting a lot of very uh polarizing

2066

01:14:51,990 --> 01:14:50,640

reviews whether you loved it or hated it

2067

01:14:54,630 --> 01:14:52,000

what did we think

2068

01:14:57,430 --> 01:14:54,640

go check it out over on the ucr youtube

2069

01:14:59,189 --> 01:14:57,440

page or the audio is available right now

2070

01:15:00,950 --> 01:14:59,199

on our patreon

2071

01:15:02,870 --> 01:15:00,960

campaign where you can help support

2072

01:15:04,709 --> 01:15:02,880

somewhere in the skies so go to

2073

01:15:07,750 --> 01:15:04,719

patreon.com

2074

01:15:11,990 --> 01:15:07,760

summerskies to hear our review of nope

2075

01:15:14,070 --> 01:15:12,000

jordan peels latest ufo themed film uh

2076

01:15:16,950 --> 01:15:14,080

other than that the podcast is available

2077

01:15:20,390 --> 01:15:16,960

wherever you get your shows on all

2078

01:15:22,870 --> 01:15:20,400

available podcast platforms um and this

2079

01:15:25,750 --> 01:15:22,880

will be the episode for this week so i

2080

01:15:27,430 --> 01:15:25,760

gotta get editing right now for that so

2081

01:15:29,350 --> 01:15:27,440

i'm gonna say good night to all of you

2082

01:15:31,669 --> 01:15:29,360

thank you so much for joining us tonight

2083

01:15:34,149 --> 01:15:31,679

for this very special live stream with

2084

01:15:36,550 --> 01:15:34,159

michael huntington and micah hanks it

2085

01:15:39,430 --> 01:15:36,560

was truly an honor thank you to our

2086

01:15:41,510 --> 01:15:39,440

super chat and super sticker uh

2087

01:15:44,709 --> 01:15:41,520

folks here we got matthew riot and we

2088

01:15:47,110 --> 01:15:44,719

also have scoston thank you so much guys

2089

01:15:49,030 --> 01:15:47,120

for your support of the show and i

2090

01:15:50,870 --> 01:15:49,040

should have read this when micah and

2091

01:15:52,229 --> 01:15:50,880

michael were still here matthew wright

2092

01:15:54,070 --> 01:15:52,239

says where can i find the huntington

2093

01:15:56,790 --> 01:15:54,080

hanks only fans

2094

01:15:59,350 --> 01:15:56,800

oh uh i'll let you talk to them about

2095

01:16:01,990 --> 01:15:59,360

that my man that is a conversation for

2096

01:16:04,310 --> 01:16:02,000

another day thanks thanks matthew ryan

2097

01:16:05,990 --> 01:16:04,320

always always fun having you here my man

2098

01:16:08,229 --> 01:16:06,000

so with that guys i'm going to say good

2099

01:16:10,229 --> 01:16:08,239

night thank you as always for joining us

2100

01:16:12,950 --> 01:16:10,239

here at summer in the skies and as

2101  
01:16:15,590 --> 01:16:12,960  
always keep your feet on the ground but

2102  
01:16:17,990 --> 01:16:15,600  
never stop searching somewhere in the

2103  
01:16:20,229 --> 01:16:18,000  
skies we will see you in missouri august

2104  
01:16:24,950 --> 01:16:20,239  
5th guys have a great night and i'll

2105  
01:16:30,310 --> 01:16:27,110  
hey guys ryan here the summer in the

2106  
01:16:32,470 --> 01:16:30,320  
skies podcast is a labor of love every

2107  
01:16:34,950 --> 01:16:32,480  
week and with that comes many different

2108  
01:16:37,669 --> 01:16:34,960  
costs to keep the show running that's

2109  
01:16:39,750 --> 01:16:37,679  
where our patreon campaign comes in you

2110  
01:16:42,070 --> 01:16:39,760  
give what you think the show is worth

2111  
01:16:44,070 --> 01:16:42,080  
there's different rewards available all

2112  
01:16:46,550 --> 01:16:44,080  
the time including shout outs on the

2113  
01:16:49,430 --> 01:16:46,560

show early editions of main episodes

2114

01:16:51,910 --> 01:16:49,440

bonus episodes and content and very soon

2115

01:16:55,270 --> 01:16:51,920

monthly patron hangouts where we sit

2116

01:16:56,950 --> 01:16:55,280

back and chat all things ufos so i hope

2117

01:16:59,510 --> 01:16:56,960

you'll consider becoming a patreon

2118

01:17:02,790 --> 01:16:59,520

subscriber today to learn more and to

2119

01:17:05,590 --> 01:17:02,800

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