## **ZOLTAN ISTVAN**



## Transhumanist Journalist and Entrepreneur

Zoltan Istvan is often cited as the global leader of the radical science movement. A humanitarian activist and former journalist for National Geographic, Zoltan has been compared in major media to a young Al Gore and described as a modern-day Ayn Rand.

Istvan is the founder of the Transhumanist Party, the author the Transhumanist Bill of Rights, and a frequently interviewed expert on Al. Before becoming an acclaimed futurist, he was a journalist for the National Geographic Channel (often an on-camera reporter) and The New York Times Syndicate. Istvan has traveled to over 100 countries, and has a degree in Philosophy and Religion from Columbia University.

With his wildly popular US Presidential run as a science candidate, bestselling book The Transhumanist Wager, and powerful speeches at institutions like the World Bank, Zoltan Istvan has literally transformed transhumanism into a thriving worldwide phenomenon. He was the only presidential candidate to be interviewed by underground mega-group Anonymous.

Beyond extensive media coverage, Zoltan is an eloquent, Ivy-league educated man yearning to use science, technology, reason to dramatically remake humanity. Zoltan has consulted for the US Navy as a futurist, interviewed to be Libertarian Gary Johnson's Vice President, appeared on the Joe Rogan Experience (and dozens of other shows), and gave many speeches, including at Microsoft, the Global Leaders Forum, and the Financial Times Camp Alphaville (opening Keynote).

Zoltan Istvan frequently gives keynote speeches to large audiences on all topics of science, technology, and the future. As a world leader in his field, he's consulted for the US Navy, spoke at the World Bank, advised executives at multi-billion dollar corporations, moderated panels, hosted television segments, and publicly debated celebrities and policy experts. Istvan also gives talks about his success as an entrepreneur, media personality, bestselling author, and on his past adventures as a journalist for National Geographic.

## Topics (Selection):

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