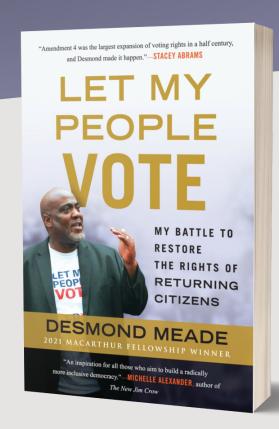
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About the Author

Desmond Meade is the president of the Florida Rights Restoration Coalition, chair of Floridians for a Fair Democracy, and a graduate of Florida International University College of Law. As a formerly homeless returning citizen, he fought to restore voting rights to over 1.4 million Floridians with past felony convictions. He was recognized by *Time* as one of the 100 Most Influential People in the World in 2019, and was named a MacArthur Fellow in 2021.





