Blank Check Company Joining Trump's Media Venture Is Tied To Brazilian President Jair Bolsonaro – A Long-Time Political Ally Of Trump Who Used Him In His Political Branding, And Was Working Towards A Trade Deal As Trump Left Office - Via A Politician In Bolsonaro's Party Who Holds Monarchist Views

SUMMARY: Trump Media & Technology Group, a new entity chaired by former President Trump planning to become a media company, <u>announced it would be going public</u> in an \$875 million deal through blank check, special purpose acquisition company Digital World Acquisition Corp. Digital World Acquisition Corp. was incorporated in December 2020, after Donald Trump's electoral loss but before his exit from office, with the company putting out a \$250 million initial public offering in September 2021.

Digital World Acquisition Corp. listed <u>Luiz Philippe of Orlèans-Braganza as its chief financial officer</u> dating back to at least May 2021. Philippe was <u>elected in 2018</u> to Brazil's parliament as a member of Jair Bolsonaro's far-right Social Liberal Party, following speculation during the campaign that he was in the <u>highest running to become Bolsonaro's vice president</u>. Other candidates were reported to have been <u>turned off</u> the vice president position by Bolsonaro's extreme comments and policies, including his <u>defense of Brazil's military dictatorship</u>, racist comments that included referring to black activists as "<u>animals</u>" who should "go back to the zoo" and <u>insults directed at a settlement in Brazil founded by former slaves</u>. Bolsonaro also said he "wouldn't be able to love a gay son" and would "prefer a son to die in an accident."

The Bolsonaro connection fits into a larger pattern of ties between the Brazilian president and the Trump sphere. Ties to Trump have been described as a key element of Bolsonaro's political persona, and while in office, Trump came to Bolsonaro's defense on issues such as his handling of Amazon wildfires when he faced international criticism. The two leaders had agreed to a limited trade deal less than a month before the 2020 election, and Trump's Secretary of State declared Brazil a "major non-NATO ally" in the months before Trump left office. In October 2021, Trump endorsed Bolsonaro for re-election.

Philippe's choice to join Bolsonaro's party may be related to his familial connections to the Brazilian monarchy. Philippe was a <u>direct descendant of Dom Pedro II</u>, the final emperor of Brazil. Philippe has seemingly positively compared the Brazilian monarchy model to the United States, saying the monarchy was "based on liberal principles and highly influenced by the US Constitution." Philippe has also made proposals in line with monarchist principles – Philippe's idea to <u>establish a fourth national authority</u>, equal to the current head of state, was considered by some to the first step in the direction of re-establishing a monarchy in the country. Philippe was also listed as a <u>coordinator</u> for the "<u>Constitutição a Libertadora</u>" project, a proposal to rewrite Brazil's constitution to abandon the social state model. The new constitution <u>also included language</u> which identified that citizens may choose whether the head of state would be a president, or be a monarch.

Beyond Bolsonaro, Philippe had expressed admiration for Trump himself. Philippe positively compared Brazil's course as a nation to <u>Trump's rhetoric</u>, saying they shared a belief in balanced trade, investing in defense, and strong borders; Philippe posted images of himself with President Trump on his Instagram account; and on that same Instagram account, Philippe even <u>posted a video clip</u> of former Trump advisor Steve Bannon warning a crowd that "globalists" stood to steal the election from Bolsonaro. The partnership also follows former Trump advisor Jason Miller meeting with Bolsonaro and his family in Brazil; Miller's attempt at a pro-Trump social media site, Gettr, attracted the attention of Bolsonaro's son Flavio, and had earned a following as a site for Bolsonaro users in the country.

Digital World Acquisition Corp. – The Company Acquiring Trump Media And Technology Group – Has A CFO Who Is A Brazilian Far-Right Politician That Nearly Became Far-Right Jair Bolsonaro's Vice President.

<u>Digital World Acquisition Corp, Set To Acquire Trump Media And Technology</u>

<u>Group In An \$875 Million Deal, Had A Chief Financial Officer Who Was A Member</u>

<u>Of The Brazilian National Congress, Luiz Philippe</u>

Digital World Acquisition Corp Announced An \$875 Million Deal To Acquire Trump Media And Technology Group. "In one of the most shocking announcement's of this current SPAC boom, Trump Media & Technology Group (TMTG) has struck an \$875M deal to go public via Digital World Acquisition Corp (DWAC). The announcement gives no transaction details with seemingly no PIPE, and set to use the \$295M cash in DWAC's trust (assuming no redemptions)." [The Street, 10/21/21]

Digital World Acquisition's Chief Financial Officer Was A Member Of The Brazilian National Congress, Luis Orleans-Braganza. "Digital World Acquisition's chief financial officer is Luis Orleans-Braganza, a member of Brazil's National Congress." [The Week, 10/20/21]

<u>Digital World Acquisition Corp. Was Incorporated In December 2020, After President Trump Had Lost The Election But Before He Left Office, And Their IPO Was Listed For \$250 Million In September 2021 – With Philippe's Involvement Dating Back To At Least May 2021</u>

December 11, 2020: Digital World Acquisition Corp. Was Incorporated In The State Of Delaware.

Entity Details			
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File Number:	4417964	Incorporation Date / Formation Date:	12/11/2020 (mm/dd/yyyy)
Entity Name:	DIGITAL WORLD ACQUISITION CORP.		
Entity Kind:	Corporation	Entity Type:	General
Residency:	Domestic	State:	DELAWARE

[Delaware Division of Corporations – Entity Search for Digital World Acquisition Corp., accessed 10/27/21]

May 26, 2021: DWAC Filed Paperwork With The SEC, Which Included Listing Luis Orleans-Braganza As CFO. "Our CFO, Mr. Luis Orleans-Braganza is a businessman and currently a member of Brazil's National Congress, originally elected in 2018, representing the state of São Paulo." [SEC EDGAR – Digital World Acquisition Corp S-1, 5/26/21]

September 2021: Digital World Acquisition Corp. Put Out An Initial Public Offering (IPO) Of \$250 Million. "Digital World Acquisition Corp. (the 'Company') announced today that it priced its initial public offering of \$250 million, consisting of 25,000,000 units at \$10.00 per unit. The units are expected to be listed on the Nasdaq Global Market ('Nasdaq') and begin trading tomorrow, Friday, September 3, 2021, under the ticker symbol 'DWACU'." [Digital World Acquisition Corp. – Press Release via AccessWire, 9/2/21]

<u>DWA CFO Luiz Philippe Was A Member Of The Brazilian National Congress For Jair Bolsonaro's Far-Right Social Liberal Party, Having Been Considered To Be</u> Bolsonaro's Vice President

Philippe Was Elected To Brazil's Parliament In 2018, Following A Cycle In Which He Was Speculated To Become Bolsonaro's Running Mate

2018: Philippe Was Elected As A Congress-Representative For The State Of Sao Paulo. "On Friday afternoon, His Royal Highness Prince Luiz Philippe of Orléans-Braganza was inaugurated in Brasília for his first term as Congress-representative in the Brazilian parliament. During the inauguration, the Prince of the former Empire of Brazil wore the Imperial Order of Christ that used to belong to Emperor Pedro II Brazil. Prince Luiz Philippe was officially elected as new congress-representative for the state of Sao Paulo in Brazil last year." [Royal Central, 2/2/19]

Philippe Ran In Jair Bolsonaro's Social Liberal Party. "Yet in April, Orléans e Bragança announced his
candidacy for Congress as a member of the Social Liberal Party – the party of Jair Bolsonaro, a retired
right-wing Army captain who is running first in most polls for Brazil's October presidential election."
[Americas Quarterly, 7/26/18]

During Jair Bolsonaro's 2018 Presidential Campaign, Luiz Philippe Was Strongly In The Running To Become Bolsonaro's Vice President. "For a few days, Luiz Philippe became the 'plan B' of someone who came from a military background, Jair Bolsonaro – or 'plan P', as in prince, joked an ally to the candidate to the Presidency of the Republic, this institution seen with so much reservation by the member of the royal family. The presidential candidate needed to choose a vice-president, and the other names considered, like evangelical preacher Magno Malta, astronaut Marcos Pontes, general Augusto Heleno and jurist Janaína Paschoal. The prince began to look like a sure bet, but Bolsonaro ended up choosing someone from the military like himself, general Antonio Hamilton Mourão." [Gazeta do Povo, 8/9/18]

Bolsonaro Received Criticism For Comments Defending Brazil's Military Dictatorship, Racist Remarks, Attempts To Expand Gun Ownership In Brazil.

Americas Quarterly: Several Other Politicians Considered For The Vice President Role Had Reportedly Turned Off By Bolsonaro's Views On Minorities And Guns. "Brazilian media reported this week that Orléans e Bragança is now a leading candidate to be Bolsonaro's running mate. Several other politicians – some of them reportedly put off by Bolsonaro's views on minorities and guns – had previously turned down the offer." [Americas Quarterly, 7/26/18]

Bolsonaro Was A Defender Of Brazil's 1964-1985 Military Dictatorship, And Had Argued That The Dictatorship's "Mistake Was To Torture But Not Kill." "The former army man has spoken fondly of the military dictatorship that ruled Brazil between 1964 and 1985. 'The dictatorship's mistake was to torture but not kill,' he told a radio interviewer in 2016." [Independent, 10/8/18]

Referring To A Settlement In Brazil Founded By Descendants Of Slaves, During A Speech Bolsonaro Said "They Do Nothing. They Are Not Even Good For Procreation." "In a speech made last year, Mr Bolsonaro spoke about a black settlement in Brazil founded by the descendants of slaves. 'They do nothing. They are not even good for procreation,' he said." [Independent, 10/8/18]

Bolsonaro Had Reported Referred To Black Activists As "Animals" Who Should "Go Back To The **Zoo."** "He has also reportedly referred to black activists as 'animals' who should 'go back to the zoo'." [Independent, 10/8/18]

Bolsonaro Tried To Approve 31 Legal Changes To Make Obtaining Guns Easier In Brazil, Following A Political Campaign In Which He Regularly Posed With Guns. "In contrast to his predecessors Jair Bolsonaro, a former army captain elected as president in 2018, wants more people to own firearms. In his election campaign he frequently posed with weapons; when he couldn't, he made shooting gestures with his hands. Three of his sons, who are also in politics, have posed at shooting ranges. 'Allegedly they have shrines to the nra in their homes,' quips Ilona Szabó de Carvalho of the Igarapé Institute, a think-tank. As president, Mr Bolsonaro has tried to approve 31 legal changes that would make guns easier to get hold of." [Economist, 4/17/21]

In An Interview, Bolsonaro Had Declared He "Wouldn't Be Able To Love A Gay Son," And That He'd "Prefer A Son To Die In An Accident." The president of Brazil, Jair Bolsonaro claimed that it was wrong for him to tell a journalist that he had "the face of a homosexual". [...] He had earlier told Playboy magazine that he 'wouldn't be able to love a gay son... I'd prefer a son to die in an accident'." [Wion, 12/22/19]

The Bolsonaro Administration Broadly Viewed Their Ties To Trump As A Political Asset, While The Trump Administration Took Steps To Tie The Countries Together On Environmental And Trade Policy, Including Trump Defending Bolsonaro While He Received Criticism Over Wildfires In The Amazon

Bolsonaro's Has Politically Utilized His Ties To Trump, Enabling Him To Take Political Credit For A Softening Of Brazil-American Relations

Americas Quarterly: Trump Was Wildly Popular Among Bolsonaro Supporters, And Bolsonaro's Access To The Trump White House Was A Central Element Of His Political Persona. "First, Trump is wildly popular among Bolsonaro supporters and the perception among his die-hard fans that the Brazilian president possesses privileged access to the White House has been a key political asset for the former army captain. [...] At no point in history has a Brazilian leader made his resemblance to and friendship with his U.S. counterpart such a central element of his political persona." [Americas Quarterly, 9/21/20]

Visiting Washington, Bolsonaro Declared Himself An Admirer Of The United States While Citing Trump As A Reason For Partnerships, Following A Campaign Where He Pledged To Forge Closer US Ties. "Far-right Brazilian President Jair Bolsonaro, on his first official visit to Washington, declared himself an unabashed admirer of the United States and said he was seeking a new era of close relations after what he called decades of anti-American leaders. The day before he is due to meet like-minded populist President Donald Trump at the White House, Bolsonaro told business leaders he would like to partner more with the United States. Brazil had changed, he said. [...] An outspoken Trump admirer, Bolsonaro took power in January, vowing to realign Brazil with more advanced economies, particularly the United States. That represents a change in diplomatic priorities after over a decade of leftist party rule that had seen Brazil forging closer ties with regional allies." [Reuters, 3/18/19]

<u>Trump Voiced Support For Bolsonaro While He Was Receiving International Criticism Over His Handling Of Amazon Wildfires</u>

Trump Backed Bolsonaro Amidst Wildfires In The Amazon, Despite Bolsonaro's Handling Receiving International Criticism. "He backed Bolsonaro during last year's wildfires in the Amazon, his handling of which prompted several world leaders, including Germany's Angela Merkel and France's Emmanuel Macron, to voice concern. By lending his support, Trump gave 'Bolsonaro room to not be an international pariah on this topic,' Cutz said. 'Bolsonaro feels more comfortable going against Europeans knowing that the United States is still in its corner.'" [The Atlantic, 10/19/20]

Trump, August 2019: Bolsonaro Was "Working Very Hard On The Amazon Fires And In All Respects Doing A Great Job For The People Of Brazil." "I have gotten to know President @jairbolsonaro well in our dealings with Brazil. He is working very hard on the Amazon fires and in all respects doing a great job for the people of Brazil - Not easy. He and his country have the full and complete support of the USA!" [Twitter - @realdonaldtrump via archive.org, 8/27/19]

A Former Brazilian Minister For The Environment Argued Deforestation In The Brazilian Amazon Was A Direct Result Of Government Policy, And Trump Backed Bolsonaro Even As He Rejected Foreign Aid For Fighting Wildfires. "Deforestation in the Brazilian Amazon is not the result of a lack of money, but a consequence of the government's deliberate failure of care,' former Brazilian ministers for the environment Marina Silva and Rubens Ricupero wrote in an op-ed lambasting Bolsonaro on April 22. (The Brazilian government did not return a request for comment.) [...] All the while, Trump — who withdrew the US from the Paris Agreement and sought similar environmental rollbacks in the US — did little to thwart the destruction. In 2019, for example, Trump backed Bolsonaro as the president rejected foreign aid for fighting wildfires that were raging across the Amazon, Politico reported. (Bolsonaro did issue a decree banning fires in the Amazon and mobilized the military to put them out.)" [Vox, 5/1/21]

Less Than One Month Before The 2020 Presidential Election, Trump Agreed To A
Limited Trade Deal With Brazil's Bolsonaro To Facilitate Commerce With The
Country, And The Trump Administration Declared Brazil A "Major Non-NATO
Ally" And Removed COVID Travel Restrictions During Their Last Month In Office

October 2020: Trump And Bolsonaro's Brazil Reached An Agreement On A Limited Trade Deal That Would Facilitate Commerce Between The United States And Brazil. "Today, the United States and Brazil signed a new Protocol relating to Trade Rules and Transparency. This Protocol updates the 2011 Agreement on Trade and Economic Cooperation (ATEC) with three new annexes comprising state-of-the-art provisions on Customs Administration and Trade Facilitation, Good Regulatory Practices, and Anticorruption." [USTR Press Release, 10/19/20]

October 2020: The United States And Brazil Agreed To A "Limited Trade Deal That Will Facilitate Commerce Between The Countries, Strengthen Regulatory Practices And Crack Down On Corruption." "The United States and Brazil have reached an agreement on a limited trade deal that will facilitate commerce between the countries, strengthen regulatory practices and crack down on corruption, officials from the two countries announced Monday." [New York Times, 10/19/20]

January 18, 2021: Days Before Leaving Office, President Trump Ordered An End To The Ban On Travelers From Brazil Over COVID, A Move The Biden Administration Said They Would Reverse. "President Trump on Monday ordered an end to the ban on travelers from Europe and Brazil that had been aimed at stopping the spread of the coronavirus to the United States, a move that was quickly rejected by aides to President-elect Joseph R. Biden Jr., who said Mr. Biden will rescind the move when he takes office on Wednesday. [...] Mr. Trump wrote that Alex Azar, the secretary of health and human services, had recommended ending the restrictions on travel from most parts of Europe and Brazil, while maintaining restrictions on Iran and China, which Mr. Trump said had not been cooperative." [New York Times, 1/18/21]

January 2021: Then Secretary Of State Mike Pompeo Praised The Trade Deal Framework, And Designated Brazil A "Major Non-NATO Ally" While Launching An Environmental Framework Dialogue. "#SoMuchWinning. Our relationship with Brazil is at an all-time high. Together with the @jairbolsonaro Administration, we signed a new 3-part trade deal, designated Brazil a major non-NATO ally, and launched the U.S.-Brazil Environmental Framework Dialogue."



[Twitter - @SecPompeo, 1/4/21]

October 2021: Shortly After News Of The Digital World Acquisition Corp. Partnership Broke, Trump Endorsed Bolsonaro For Re-Election

October 2021: Donald Trump Endorsed President Jair Bolsonaro For Reelection In Brazil. "Brazilian President Jair Bolsonaro has received a reelection endorsement from former President Donald Trump the same day that the Brazilian Senate recommend he face criminal charges for his handling of the COVID-19 pandemic. 'President Jair Bolsonaro and I have become great friends over the past few years,' former President Trump said in a statement. 'He fights for, and loves, the people of Brazil.'" [Newsweek, 10/26/21]

Luiz Philippe Of Orléans-Braganza Is A Descendent Of Brazil's Last Emperor, And He Has Pushed For New Constitutional Language To Allow A Monarch To Become Brazilian Head Of State

Philippe Is A Direct Descendent Of The Last Emperor Of Brazil, Dom Pedro II, And Has Made Proposals To Change Brazil's Constitution To Allow For The Creation Of A Fourth Branch Of Power And To Choose A Monarch As Head Of State

Philippe Is A Direct Descendant Of The Final Brazilian Emperor, Dom Pedro II, And Said The 19th Century Brazilian Monarchy Was "Based On Liberal Principles"

Philippe Is A Direct Descendant Of Dom Pedro II, Who Ruled As Emperor Of Brazil For 58 Years Until Being Deposed By The Military. "The charismatic and youthful 49-year-old enjoys the highest public profile of any living symbol of Brazil's former monarchy, which governed the country as an independent nation-state from 1822 to 1889. Orléans e Bragança is a direct descendant of Dom Pedro II, who ruled as emperor for 58 years until being deposed by the military and exiled to Portugal." [Americas Quarterly, 7/26/18]

Dom Pedro II Was The Final Emperor Of Brazil, Leaving Due To A Military Coup In 1889. "Pedro II, original name Dom Pedro de Alcântara, (born Dec. 2, 1825, Rio de Janeiro, Braz.—died Dec. 5, 1891, Paris, France), second and last emperor of Brazil (1831–89), whose benevolent and popular reign lasted nearly 50 years. [...] On Nov. 15, 1889, a military coup forced him to abdicate. The royal family went into exile in Europe." [Britannica – "Pedro II," accessed 10/21/21]

Philippe: Brazilian Monarchy In The 19th Century Was "Based on Liberal Principles And Highly Influenced By The US Consittution." "Reflecting on the history of Brazil's monarchy, Orléans e Bragança cited examples of leadership that could benefit the country today. 'The monarchy of the 19th century was based on liberal principles and highly influenced by the U.S. constitution,' he commented." [Americas Quarterly, 7/26/18]

Philippe Has Proposed The Creation Of A Fourth National Authority, Which Many Believed To Be A First Step In Re-Establishing A Version Of Monarchy, And Had Also Participated In A Constitutional Reform Model Which Would Allow Citizens To Choose Whether A President Or A Monarch Would Be The Head Of State In The Country

Royal Central: Philippe Proposed The Creation Of A Fourth National Authority, Equal To The Head Of State, Which Many Believe Would Be A First Step In Re-Establishing A Version Of Monarchy In Brazil. "Prince Luiz Philippe was born in 1969. [...] Among one of his popular proposals is the creation of a fourth national authority equal to the current head of state. The fourth power will, according to the Prince, have a veto equal to the parliament. Many believe that this may be the first step in the direction to re-establish a version of a monarchy in Brazil." [Royal Central, 2/2/19]

Constitutição A Libertadora Was A Project For A Brazilian Constitution Which Abandoned The Social State Model And Against Centralization. "The constitutions mark the last stage of transition from an organic society to an institutionalized society in a nation-state context. [...] Brazil is once again at a time when its constitution of a Welfare State is no longer relevant to the population and is used for the tyranny of rulers and bureaucrats. The Libertadora was born from the desire to abandon a Social State model, attacking the concentration of executive power, Brasília's centralism and the lack of a mechanism of popular sovereignty to take a great leap in the organization of our State, and this will only happen with a review ,simpler, safer. A free country since its constitution." [Constituicao A Libertadora – "Why A New Constitution?," accessed 10/21/21] NOTE: Text quoted was taken via a Google translation of the website.

The Proposed Constitutional Language Said Citizens Could Choose Whether Head Of State Would Be A President Or A Monarch. "The Powers of the Union, defined in this Constitution, have distinct and complementary powers, and are exercised independently and in harmony with each other, with internal and external control being guaranteed in each of them. [...] § 2 The Head of State is exercised by the Head of State, advised by his ministers. [...] Art. 48. Citizens may call a plebiscite, to choose the form of Head of State that should be in force in the country, whether a President or a Monarch will be its holder, without changes in their competences and in the other powers provided for in this Constitution." [Constituicao A Libertadora – "Read In Full," accessed 10/21/21]

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• Luiz Philippe De Orleans E Bragança Was Listed As A "Coordinator" Behind The Proposed Constitution.

Who is behind the Constitution?



Luiz Philippe de Orleans e Bragança

Luiz Philippe de Orleans e Bragança was born on April 3, 1969 in Rio de Janeiro and is Princess Isabel's great-great-grandson.

He studied Business Administration at FAAP – SP and took a Masters in Political Science from Stanford University (USA). His MBA was completed at the Institut Européen d'Administration des Affaires (INSEAD), in France, and he collaborated in the financial planning of Saint-Gobain, a French multinational. He worked for three years at the investment bank JP Morgan, in London; and then at Lázard Freres' investment bank in New York. Returned to Brazil as director of business development for America Online (AOL) in Latin America.

As an activist, in 2014 he founded the liberal movement Acorda Brasil. He was elected federal deputy by the PSL-SP, being the 33rd most voted in the state.

Considered by the Ranking of Politicians the best federal deputy in Brazil and in the state of São Paulo. Coordinator of the Constitutionalist Movement.

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[Constituicao A Libertadora – "Luiz Philippe de Orleans e Bragança," accessed 10/21/21]

Philippe Has Expressed Support For Trump And Posted Videos Featuring Former Trump Advisors, As Trump Advisors Had Shown Interest In Joint Trump/Bolsonaro Media Efforts In The Past – And, While In Office, Bolsonaro Had Reached A Trade Deal With Trump

Philippe Referenced President Trump Positively While In Office, Posted
Instagram Pictures Alongside The Former American President, And Shared A
Video Of Steve Bannon Claiming "Globalists" Stood To Steal The Election From
Jair Bolsonaro

2019: Philippe Said That, "Like President Trump," Brazil Believed In Fair And Balanced Bilateral Trade, Investing In Defence, And Keeping Strong Borders. "Prince Luiz Philippe is often referred to as just 'O Príncipe' (the Prince) by the media. Luiz Philippe is a member of Bolsonaro's PSL party and was considered as one of the favourites in his own race for Congress, representing the State of São Paulo. [...] His Royal Highness has previously said: 'Nonetheless, we feel that the United States is a natural strategic partner in many ways—something that has eroded over the past decade under Brazil's Workers' Party. Like President Trump, we believe in fair and balanced bilateral trade, investing in defence, and keeping strong borders'." [Royal Central, 2/2/19]

Luiz Philippe Posted A Video Of Steve Bannon, Apparently At A Conference In Brazil, Claiming "Globalists" Would Try To Steal The Election From Bolsonaro. [Instagram - @lpbragancabr, 8/14/21] (VIDEO)

Philippe Posted A Photo With President Trump, Following Announcement Of The Digital World Acquisition Group Deal.



[Instagram - @lpbragancabr, 10/21/21]

<u>Trump Advisor Jason Miller Met With Bolsonaro During A Trip To Brazil, Which Followed Bolsonaro's Son Flavio Joining Miller's Pro-Trump Social Media</u> Platform

Jason Miller Attempted A Pro-Trump Social Media Platform, Gettr, Which Proved Popular With Brazilian Supporters Of President Bolsonaro. "Gettr, [Jason] Miller's attempt at a pro-Trump social media platform, has proven especially popular with conservative Brazilian supporters of President Bolsonaro, according to a recent report by Stanford University's Internet Observatory. As a part of that study, researchers looked at the frequency of flag emojis in Gettr users' profiles: Brazilian flags, affixed to 11,350 profiles, were second only to American flags, found on 20,650 accounts." [The Daily Beast, 9/10/21]

Jair Bolsonaro's Son, Flavio, Joined Gettr In July 2021. "Their presence in such numbers, Stanford researchers wrote, is likely due at least in part to the support of Bolsonaro's son Flavio, who announced he was joining the platform back in July." [The Daily Beast, 9/10/21]

Bolsonaro Met With Jason Miller During A Trip To Brazil, Alongside His Son Eduardo Bolsonaro And A Member Of Project Veritas, Matthew Tyrmand. "The pugnacious Brazilian president has returned the favor, courting Miller with a high-level meeting during the Brazil trip. Miller met with a barefoot Bolsonaro and his son Eduardo, according to pictures posted on Twitter by fellow attendee Matthew Tyrmand, a board member of pro-Trump conservative activist James O'Keefe's Project Veritas group. During the meeting, Bolsonaro and his son held up a Project Veritas shirt." [The Daily Beast, 9/10/21]

Matthew Tyrmand Posted Photos From The Meeting Between Bolsonaro And Trump Officials. "BREAKING: being detained at airport in Brasilia. Sitting on tarmac as @GETTRofficial CEO & top Trump

advisor @JasonMillerinDC is being interrogated by Supreme Court anti-Bolsonaristas on day of massive pro @jairbolsonaro rally after we met w/Bolsonaros."



[Twitter - @MatthewTyrmand, 9/7/21]