

Concerning Slander



Heidi Beirich of the SOUTHERN POVERTY LAW CENTER (commonly called \$PLC) wrote an article in the year 2013 <https://www.splcenter.org/hatewatch/2013/07/01/long-adores-anti-semites-california-prof-now-glorifies-violence> , where I, *Manfred von Pentz*, am briefly mentioned and outed (he *appears* to be) as a Holocaust denier. This allegation has no basis whatsoever, because neither in the Internet nor anywhere else can there be found anything in this respect. Yet in today's politically correct Germany an allegation like this needs to be defused, and be it only with regard to family members and friends.

What really happened is that Heidi Beirich was terribly annoyed about a satire written by the great *Michael Colhaze* <http://www.theoccidentalobserver.net/2013/07/08/when-heidi-went-to-heaven-2/> , whereby in the first version she interviews an incompetent bomber for the purpose of possible co-operation and inadvertently blows herself up, whereas in the second and attenuated version she swallows one donut too many and gets suffocated by it. On entering Paradise (whose existence she rigorously refutes in real life), she is denied permanent residence and sent to Hell instead, where she must eternally perfect the notorious HATE LIST of the \$PLC.

I have published this satire and cartoon shortly afterwards in my own blog *LUX* in 2013. The latter was an attempt to defend the *Fine Arts* against the so-called “contemporary art”, but it garnered not enough response and was discontinued later that year. The same applies to a book with articles by Michael Colhaze, for whose cover was used one of my drawings (hence accidentally my name in the imprint) and which was also a failure. A few copies were printed by an American print-on-demand publisher, but the manuscript had been mixed up with an older version by the sloppy layout company and therefore the whole thing was in the end abandoned.

What remains is Heidi’s link in the Internet, because *Google* refuses to remove it. While it has no qualms to disseminate the most disgusting pornography and other abnormalities, a departure from the politically correct norm is obviously not tolerated. And so I am forced to launch a complaint with the *Federal Commissioner for Data Protection and Freedom of Information*, contact my lawyers and even contemplate a substantial indemnification. Because, as everyone knows, such a stain on an otherwise snow-white vest is like having the beastly flue in high summer.

It should be remembered that *Google* also harms itself with such manipulating. Rather than pursuing an objective and balanced policy, the company has not only angered one of the biggest financial criminals of the day, but also the European Union establishment, not to mention private initiatives such as GRIP (Google Redress & Integrity Platform), which I will also contact.

Finally permit me a few words about the in Germany largely unknown SOUTHERN POVERTY LAW CENTER. Based in Montgomery, Alabama, USA, with assets of several hundred million US\$ and an annual budget of more than 10 million US\$, this institution used to have a considerable manipulative reach, but is now considered even in liberal circles as an anarchist-extremist, hateful and fundamentally mendacious monster. Here are some reviews of Heidi Beirich’s operational base, including powerful News Channels such as *FOX News* or *CBN News*.



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In December, after the SPLC urged Israeli Ambassador to the U.S. *Ron Dermer* not to attend a dinner hosted by anti-Muslim conspiracy theorist *Frank Gaffney*, Dermer used his speech at the dinner to condemn the SPLC as “defamers and blacklists“. *Politico*

<https://www.politico.com/magazine/story/2017/06/28/morris-dees-splc-trump-southern-poverty-law-center-215312>

The Southern Poverty Law Center is a money-grabbing slander machine. *Fox News*
<http://www.foxnews.com/opinion/2018/01/17/john-stossel-southern-poverty-law-center-is-money-grabbing-slander-machine.html>

For too long now respectable newspapers and other news outlets have lent credibility and succour to one of the most dishonest and unprincipled “civil rights” organizations in America. Under the guise of identifying and fighting „extremist hate groups“, the Southern Poverty Law Center has actually become one. And a rich one at that! *Cincinnati*
<https://www.cincinnati.com/story/opinion/contributors/2017/09/15/wise-up-southern-poverty-law-centers-scam/666904001/>

Among the list of Christian groups on the SPLC’s Hate Map are many local churches. It’s usually because they oppose the gay agenda. The list includes the *Family Research Council*. FRC Executive Vice President General Jerry Boykin doesn’t pull any punches, telling CBN News: „First of all, the SPLC, you have to understand, is probably one of the most evil groups in America. They’ve become a money-making machine and they’ve become an absolute Marxist, anarchist organization.“ *CBN News*
<https://www1.cbn.com/cbnnews/us/2017/september/southern-poverty-law-center-when-hate-is-good-for-business-nbsp>

Southern Poverty Law Center claims ANTIFA isn’t a ‘hate group’, but the *Family Research Center* is. *Washington Times* <https://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2017/dec/2/antifa-isnt-hate-group-southern-poverty-law-center/>

The overall impression from SPLC’s list is designed to make Americans believe that America is a nation filled with racism, sexism, homophobia, anti-Semitism, and every other form of hatred that the conservative cause specifically disavows. SPLC’s senior leadership is shameful. It uses its past legacy of fighting against racism to add legitimacy to their evolving agenda of hatred towards the large number of Americans who hold conservative and religious values. The most recent SPLC controversy involves labeling the Alliance Defending Freedom, or ADF. Attorney General Jeff Sessions made a speech to ADF last week and was immediately vilified by the left wing media such as ABC for associating with an alleged hate group. How ridiculous. *Townhall*
<https://townhall.com/columnists/joshgoldstein/2017/07/26/splc-hate-group-n2360208>

Morris Dees, the SPLC’s founder, pays himself nearly half a million dollars a year. Although Dees once promised that when the Center’s endowment reached \$50 million, he’d stop fundraising, he didn’t stop. Now the Center has \$320 million dollars stashed away — much of it in the Cayman Islands. It’s all in their tax returns. *Catholicism.Org*
<http://catholicism.org/john-stossel-southern-poverty-law-center.html>

Most see *Mark Potok* and *Heidi Beirich* as the face of the SPLC. That is because *Morris Dees*, the founder, has a sordid past that is dangerous for the organization to have him on any live show. Dees makes rare appearances at campuses. He has been denounced as a con artist by people all across the political spectrum. He has been denounced by major newspapers. He has been denounced by people of all races. He has been denounced on the pages of major left-wing websites like *Daily Kos* and *Huffington Post*. *Harper's Weekly*, a publication cherished by liberal reporters, even published an expose denouncing Morris Dees. ... The most shocking part involves his former step-daughter. She testified that Morris Dees repeatedly tried to sexually assault her with a dildo when she was only 16 years old! *The Morris Dees Divorce Papers* <http://lukeford.net/blog/?p=65419The>



Heidi Beirich (after learning that Paradise really exists)

Last August a 28-year-old gay-rights volunteer named *Floyd Corkins* entered the office lobby of the *Family Research Council* (FRC), a Christian traditional-values group headquartered in Washington that condemns homosexual conduct and opposes same-sex marriage. Corkins took a gun from his backpack and fired three shots at building manager *Leo Johnson*, one of them wounding the unarmed Johnson in the arm before he wrested the gun from Corkins. Corkins found out about the FRC from the ever-expanding (at least in recent years) list of “hate groups” tracked on the website of the *Southern Poverty Law*

Center (SPLC), a civil-rights behemoth bursting with donor cash headquartered in Montgomery, Alabama. *Weekly Standard* <http://www.weeklystandard.com/king-fearmongers/article/714573?nopager=1#!>

D. James Kennedy Ministries, based at Coral Ridge Presbyterian Church in Fort Lauderdale, has filed a federal lawsuit in Alabama against the Montgomery-based Southern Poverty Law Center for calling the ministry a „hate“ group. The lawsuit alleges that the SPLC „illegally trafficked in false and misleading descriptions of the services offered by DJKM and committed defamation against DJKM arising from the publication and distribution of false information that libels the ministry's reputation and subjects the ministry to disgrace, ridicule, odium, and contempt in the estimation of the public“, according to a statement by the ministry. *AL Alabama* http://www.al.com/news/index.ssf/2017/08/ministry_files_lawsuit_against.html

Which is more insidious, the enemy that you recognize or the enemy that appears to be your friend? Which is more dangerous, a rag-tag bunch of poorly-funded White Supremacists or a well-organized, massively-funded, “civil rights” organization which demonizes Christian conservatives? And which lie is more likely to spread, one that is false from beginning to end or one that mixes falsehood with truth? Based on the obvious answers to these questions, the Southern Poverty Law Center (SPLC) is the most insidious and dangerous. And the lies of the SPLC are more likely to spread. The SPCL must now be exposed and called to account, since their lies have actually led to the shedding of innocent blood. The SPLC even has blood on its hands. *Stream* <https://stream.org/southern-poverty-law-center-dangerous-hate-group-america/>

Family Research Council President *Tony Perkins* and the Co-Directors of the *Jewish Institute for Global Awareness*, *Arthur Goldberg* and *Elaine Silodor Berk*, released the following joint statement: “This week a Tufts University student-made handbook smeared a Jewish campus group for supporting what the handbook ludicrously called the “white supremacist state” of Israel. University administrators removed the handbook after media outlets reported on the anti-Semitic incident. However, the *Southern Poverty Law Center* (SPLC), which aims to establish itself as the preeminent authority on hate groups, made no public comment on the anti-Semitic smear. This is no surprise. Its deafening silence on incidents outside its preferred targets on the religious right cannot be ignored. While the SPLC wants to be viewed as a referee on the field of political debate, their demonization of mainstream conservatives and predictable silence on incidents like Tufts University's anti-Semitic handbook can only lead to one conclusion: the SPLC wants to be both referee and player. It's time the media recognize the SPLC for what it is --- a discredited left wing political group.” <http://www.frc.org/pressrelease/frc-jewish-institute-for-global-awareness-calls-out-southern-poverty-law-centers-deafening-silence-on-anti-semitic-smear-incident-at-tufts-university>

The Southern Poverty Law Center has become a hate group itself. It is now a left-wing, money grabbing slander machine. *Reason* <http://reason.com/reasontv/2018/01/16/the-southern-poverty-law-center-scam>

There's more of the same, much more, but for the moment the above suffices to give you an idea of the esteem which conservative America has today for the SPLC and what value it attributes to Heidi Beirich's statements.

In short, I have this miserable bunch at my throat and need to defend myself against its slander. Whoever is interested may look in from time to time and see how things develop. After all, this is only one more attempt to contribute a little to the preservation of truth and justice.

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