

Bio Terror Bible

EXPOSING THE COMING BIO-TERROR PANDEMIC

BIOTERRORBIBLE.COM: When a major bio-terror attack and subsequent pandemic hit the United States of America, it will most likely be executed from behind the scenes by [Ezekiel Emanuel](#), soon to be known as the “Doctor of Death”. As it currently stands, the city of [Chicago appears to be bio-terror target #1](#) with Ezekiel's brother [Rahm Emanuel](#) in the power position of mayor. Both Emanuel brothers are dual U.S. and Israeli citizens whose father is a known Zionist terrorist who conducted attacks for the [terror state of Israel](#) who will likely provide the pathogens for the future bio-terror attack.

Israel is the only modern nation that has not signed the 1972 [Biological Weapons Convention](#) (refusal to engage in offensive biological warfare, stockpiling, and use of biological weapons). Israel is also the only modern nation that has signed but not ratified the 1993 [Chemical Weapons Convention](#) (refusal to produce, stockpile and use chemical weapons). Should a future biological terror attack hit America or any other nation, the state of Israel and its citizens will be prime suspects.

The following government and non-government agencies, institutions and organizations also appear to be intimately involved in some aspect of the upcoming bio-terror attack: [BARDA \(Biomedical Advanced Research and Development Authority\)](#), [CDC \(Center for Disease Control\)](#), [Center for Biosecurity of UPMC](#), [EIS \(Epidemic Intelligence Service\)](#), [INTERPOL \(International Criminal Police Organization\)](#), [NBACC \(National Biodefense Analysis and Countermeasures Center\)](#), [NIAID \(National Institute of Allergy & Infectious Diseases\)](#), [NIH \(National Institutes of Health\)](#), [OBFS \(Organization of Biological Field Stations\)](#), [USAMRICD \(U.S. Army Medical Research Institute of Chemical Defense\)](#), [USAMRIID \(U.S. Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases\)](#) and the [WHO \(World Health Organization\)](#).

1. BioterrorBible.com: Rahm Emanuel Wikipedia Entry:

Title: Rahm Emanuel

Date: 2012

Source: [Wikipedia](#)

Abstract: Rahm Israel Emanuel (born November 29, 1959) is an [American](#) politician and the 55th and current [Mayor of Chicago](#). He was formerly [White House Chief of Staff](#) to [President Barack Obama](#). He served as senior advisor to President [Bill Clinton](#) from 1993 to 1998 and as a [Democratic](#) member of the [United States House of Representatives](#), representing [Illinois's 5th congressional district](#), from 2003 until his resignation in 2009 to take his position in the [Obama Administration](#).

Emanuel was chair of the [Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee](#) during the [2006 mid-term elections](#) and remained a top strategist for House Democrats during the [2008 cycle](#). After Democrats regained control of the House in 2006, Emanuel was elected chairman of the [Democratic Caucus](#). This made him the fourth-ranking House Democrat, behind [Speaker Nancy Pelosi](#), [Majority Leader Steny Hoyer](#) and [Majority Whip Jim Clyburn](#).

Two days after Obama's election victory, Emanuel was announced as Obama's designee for White House Chief of Staff. He resigned from the House on January 2, 2009, and began his duties as Chief of Staff on January 20, 2009, the day of Obama's inauguration.

Emanuel resigned as Chief of Staff effective October 1, 2010, in order to pursue [a campaign to run for Mayor of Chicago](#) pending the announced retirement of six-term [incumbent Richard M. Daley](#). On January 27, 2011, the [Illinois Supreme Court](#) reversed a lower court's ruling that had cast doubt on Emanuel's candidacy; the court unanimously held that Emanuel did not abandon his [Chicago](#) residency by serving in the White House, thus affirming his eligibility to run for mayor. He won the Mayoral election on February 22, 2011, with 55% of the vote. President Obama appointed [William M. Daley](#), the brother of Emanuel's predecessor as mayor, as Chief of Staff to replace Emanuel.

Early & Personal Life

Emanuel was born in [Chicago, Illinois](#), to [Jewish](#) parents. His father, Benjamin M. Emanuel, is a [Jerusalem-born pediatrician](#) who was once a member of the [Irgun](#), a Jewish paramilitary organization that operated in [Mandate Palestine](#). His mother, Marsha Smulevitz, is the daughter of a Chicago [union](#) organizer.^[1] She worked in the civil rights movement and owned, briefly, a local [rock and roll](#) club. She is now a [psychiatric social worker](#). The two met in Chicago in the 1950s. Emanuel's older brother [Ezekiel Emanuel](#) is an [oncologist](#) and [bioethicist](#) at the [National Institutes of Health](#), and his younger brother [Ari Emanuel](#), a [Hollywood](#) talent agent. He has an adopted sister, Shoshanna, who is 14 years younger. Emanuel's grandfather was a Romanian Jew from [Moldova](#).

Emanuel's first name, Rahm (רם) means high or lofty in [Hebrew](#). The surname Emanuel (עמנואל), adopted by the family in honor of his father's brother Emanuel Auerbach, who was killed in the [1948 Arab–Israeli War](#) in Jerusalem, means God is with us. Sources disagree as to whether the family name was changed in 1933 or 1938.

When the family lived in Chicago, Emanuel attended the [Bernard Zell Anshe Emet Day School](#). After his family moved to [Wilmette](#), he attended public schools: Romona School, Locust Junior High School, and [New Trier West High School](#). He and his brothers attended summer camp in Israel, including just after the 1967 [Six-Day War](#).

While working at an [Arby's](#) restaurant in his high school years, Emanuel severely cut his right middle finger on a meat slicer. He sought medical attention after suffering a severe infection from swimming in Lake Michigan and as a result, had his finger partially [amputated](#).

Emanuel was encouraged by his mother to take [ballet](#) lessons as a boy and is a graduate of the Evanston School of Ballet as well as a student of The Joel Hall Dance Center, where his children also took dance lessons. He won a scholarship to the [Joffrey Ballet](#), but turned it down to attend [Sarah Lawrence College](#), a liberal arts school with a strong [dance](#) program.

He graduated from [Sarah Lawrence College](#) in 1981 with a [B.A.](#) in [Liberal Arts](#), and went on to receive an [M.A.](#) in [Speech](#) and [Communication](#) from [Northwestern University](#) in 1985. While an undergraduate, Emanuel was elected to the Sarah Lawrence Student Senate. He also joined the congressional campaign of David Robinson of Chicago.

During the 1991 Gulf War, Emanuel volunteered with the [Israel Defense Forces](#) as a civilian helping to maintain equipment.

Emanuel's wife, Amy Rule, [converted to Judaism](#) shortly before their wedding. They are members of the Chicago synagogue [Anshe Sholom B'nai Israel](#). They have a son and two daughters.

Emanuel is a close friend of fellow Chicagoan [David Axelrod](#), chief strategist for the 2008 [Barack Obama](#) presidential campaign. Axelrod signed the [ketuba](#), the Jewish marriage contract, at Emanuel's wedding.

Rabbi [Asher Lopatin](#) of [Anshe Sholom B'nai Israel](#) Congregation is quoted as saying Emanuel's family is "a very involved Jewish family", adding that "Amy was one of the teachers for a class for children during the High Holidays two years ago." Emanuel has said of his Judaism: "I am proud of my heritage and treasure the values it has taught me." Emanuel's family lives on the North Side of Chicago, in the [North Center](#) neighborhood.

Emanuel trains for and participates in [triathlons](#).

Career as Political Staffer

Emanuel began his political career with the [public interest](#) and [consumer rights](#) organization Illinois Public Action. He went on to serve in a number of capacities in local and national politics, initially specializing in fundraising for Illinois campaigns and then nationally.

Emanuel worked for Democrat [Paul Simon](#)'s 1984 election to the [U.S. Senate](#), was the national campaign director for the [Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee](#) in 1988, and was senior advisor and chief fundraiser for [Richard M. Daley](#)'s victorious campaign for [Mayor of Chicago](#) in 1989.

At the start of then-[Arkansas](#) Governor Bill Clinton's presidential primary campaign, Emanuel was appointed to direct the campaign's finance committee. Emanuel insisted that Clinton schedule a lot of time for fundraising and greatly delay campaigning in [New Hampshire](#). Clinton agreed and embarked on an aggressive fundraising campaign across the nation. The fundraising paid off later, providing the campaign a vital buffer to keep buying television time as attacks on Clinton's character threatened to swamp the campaign during the [New Hampshire primary](#).

Clinton's primary rival, [Paul Tsongas](#) (the [New Hampshire Democratic primary](#) winner in 1992), later withdrew, citing a lack of campaign funds. Richard Mintz, a Washington public relations consultant who worked with Emanuel on the campaign, spoke about the soundness of the idea: "It was that [extra] million dollars that really allowed the campaign to withstand the storm we had to ride out in New Hampshire [over Clinton's relationship with [Gennifer Flowers](#) and the controversy over his [draft](#) status during the [Vietnam War](#)]." Emanuel's knowledge of the top donors in the country, and his rapport with "the heavily Jewish donor community" helped Clinton amass a then-unheard-of sum of \$72 million.

Following the campaign, Emanuel became a senior advisor to Clinton at the [White House](#) from 1993 to 1998. In the White House, Emanuel was initially Assistant to the President for Political Affairs and then Senior Advisor to the President for Policy and Strategy. He was a leading strategist in the unsuccessful White House efforts to institute [universal healthcare](#) and many other Clinton initiatives.

Emanuel is known for his "take-no-prisoners style" that has earned him the nickname "[Rahmbo](#)." Emanuel is said to have sent a dead fish in a box to a pollster who was late delivering polling results. On the night after the [1996 election](#), "Emanuel was so angry at the president's enemies that he stood up at a celebratory dinner with colleagues from the campaign, grabbed a steak knife and began rattling off a list of betrayers, shouting 'Dead! ... Dead! ... Dead!' and plunging the knife into the table after every name." Before [Tony Blair](#) gave a pro-Clinton speech during the impeachment crisis, Emanuel reportedly screamed to Blair's face "Don't fuck this up!" while Clinton was present; Blair and Clinton both burst into laughter. However, by 2007 friends of Emanuel were saying that he has "mellowed out". Stories of his personal style have entered the popular culture, inspiring articles and websites that chronicle these and other quotes and incidents. Though executive producer [Lawrence O'Donnell](#) has denied it, the character [Josh Lyman](#) in [The West Wing](#) is said to be based on Rahm Emanuel.

One of his proudest moments during the [Clinton administration](#) "was an event that touched his political sensibilities and his personal ties to [Israel](#): the 1993 Rose Garden signing ceremony after the [Oslo Accords](#) between Israel and the [Palestine Liberation Organization](#). Emanuel directed the details of the ceremony, down to the choreography of the famous handshake between [Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin](#) and PLO leader [Yasser Arafat](#)."

Career in Finance

After serving as an advisor to Bill Clinton, in 1998 Emanuel resigned from his position in the Clinton administration and joined the [investment banking](#) firm of [Wasserstein Perella](#), where he worked until 2002. Although he did not have an [MBA](#) degree or prior banking experience, he became a managing director at the firm's Chicago office in 1999 and, according to Congressional disclosures, made \$16.2 million in his two-and-a-half-years as a banker. At Wasserstein Perella, he worked on eight deals, including the acquisition by [Commonwealth Edison](#) of [Peco Energy](#) and the purchase by [GTCR Golder Rauner](#) of the SecurityLink home security unit from [SBC Communications](#).

Emanuel was named to the Board of Directors of the [Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation](#) (Freddie Mac) by President Clinton in 2000. His position earned him at least \$320,000, including later

stock sales. He was not assigned to any of the board's working committees, and the Board met no more than six times per year.

During Rahm's time on the board, Freddie Mac was plagued with scandals involving campaign contributions and accounting irregularities. The Obama Administration rejected a request under the [Freedom of Information Act](#) to review Freddie Mac board minutes and correspondence during Emanuel's time as a director.

The [Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight](#) (OFHEO) later accused the board of having "failed in its duty to follow up on matters brought to its attention." Emanuel resigned from the board in 2001 when he ran for Congress.

Congressional Career

After working in investment banking, in 2002 Emanuel pursued the U.S. House seat in the 5th District of Illinois previously held by [Rod Blagojevich](#), who chose not to run for re-election, but instead successfully ran for [Governor of Illinois](#). Rahm's strongest opponent of the seven other candidates in the 2002 Democratic primary was former Illinois State Representative [Nancy Kaszak](#), who had unsuccessfully opposed Blagojevich in the 1996 primary. The most controversial moment of the primary election came when [Edward Moskal](#), president of the [Polish American Congress](#), a [political action committee](#) endorsing Kaszak, called Emanuel a "millionaire [carpetbagger](#) who knows nothing" about "our heritage". Moskal also charged that Emanuel had [dual citizenship](#) with [Israel](#) and had served in the [Israeli Army](#). Emanuel did not serve in the Israeli army, but was a civilian volunteer assisting the [Israel Defense Forces](#) for a short time during the 1991 [Gulf War](#), repairing truck brakes in one of Israel's northern bases with [Sar-El](#). Emanuel brought together a coalition of Chicago clergy to denounce the incident. He recalled, "One of the proudest moments of my life was seeing people of my district from all backgrounds demonstrate our common values by coming together in response to this obvious attempt to divide them." Moskal's comments were denounced as [anti-Semitic](#) by Kaszak.

Emanuel won the primary and defeated [Republican](#) candidate Mark Augusti in the [general election](#).

Emanuel was elected after the October 2002 [joint Congressional resolution](#) authorizing the [Iraq War](#), and thus was not able to vote on it. However, in the lead up to the resolution, Emanuel spoke out strongly in support of the war, urging a United States' "muscular projection of force" in Iraq. Emanuel has been the focus of anti-war protests for his support of funding bills for the war in Iraq, and his support, during Democratic party primaries, of Democratic party candidates that are more hawkish. In his first term, Rahm Emanuel was a founding member and the Co-Chair of the Congressional [Serbian Caucus](#).

In January 2003, Emanuel was named to the [House Financial Services Committee](#), and sat on the subcommittee that oversaw Freddie Mac. A few months later, Freddie Mac Chief Executive Officer [Leland Brendsel](#) was forced out, and the committee and subcommittee commenced hearings lasting for more than a year. Emanuel skipped every hearing allegedly for reasons of avoiding any appearance of favoritism, impropriety, or conflict of interest.

Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee Chairman

Emanuel assumed the position of [Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee](#) chairman (DCCC) after the death of the previous chair, [Bob Matsui](#). Emanuel led the Democratic Party's effort to capture the majority in the House of Representatives in the 2006 elections. The documentary [HouseQuake](#), featuring Emanuel, chronicles those elections. After Emanuel's election as chairman of the Democratic Caucus, [Chris Van Hollen](#) became committee chair for the 110th Congress.

While chairman of the DCCC, Emanuel was known to have had disagreements over Democratic election strategy with [Democratic National Committee](#) Chairman [Howard Dean](#). Dean favored a "[fifty-state strategy](#)", building support for the Democratic Party over the long term, while Emanuel believed a more tactical approach, focusing attention on key districts, was necessary to ensure victory.

Ultimately the Democratic Party enjoyed considerable success in the [2006 elections](#), gaining 30 seats in the House. Emanuel has received considerable praise for his stewardship of the DCCC during this election cycle, even from Illinois Republican Rep. [Ray LaHood](#) who said "He legitimately can be called the golden boy of the Democratic Party today. He recruited the right candidates, found the

money and funded them, and provided issues for them. Rahm did what no one else could do in seven cycles." However, he also faced some criticism for his failure to support some progressive candidates, as Howard Dean advocated.

2008 Election

Emanuel declared in April 2006 that he would support [Hillary Rodham Clinton](#) should she pursue the presidency in 2008. Emanuel remained close to Clinton since leaving the White House, talking strategy with her at least once a month as chairman of the DCCC. However, Emanuel's loyalties came into conflict when his home-state senator [Barack Obama](#) expressed interest in the race; asked in January 2007 about his stance on the Democratic presidential nomination, he said: "I'm hiding under the desk. I'm very far under the desk, and I'm bringing my paper and my phone." Emanuel remained neutral in the race until June 4, 2008, the day after the final primary contests, when he endorsed the eventual winner Obama.

Emanuel won re-election to the House, defeating Republican candidate Tom Hanson. [Open Secrets](#) reported that Emanuel "was the top House recipient in the 2008 election cycle of contributions from hedge funds, private equity firms and the larger securities/investment industry". Securities and investments business interests were the main sector contributing to Emanuel's campaigns in both 2006 and 2008.

House Leadership

After his role in helping the Democrats win the 2006 elections, Emanuel was believed to be a leading candidate for the position of [Majority Whip](#). Nancy Pelosi, who became the next Speaker of the House, persuaded him not to challenge [Jim Clyburn](#), but instead to succeed Clyburn in the role of [Democratic Caucus Chairman](#). In return, Pelosi agreed to assign the caucus chair more responsibilities, including "aspects of strategy and messaging, incumbent retention, policy development and rapid-response communications." Caucus vice-chair [John Larson](#) remained in this role instead of running for the chairman position.

After [U.S. Vice President Dick Cheney](#) asserted that he did not fall within the bounds of orders set for the [executive branch](#), Emanuel called for cutting off the \$4.8 million the Executive Branch provides for the Vice President's office.

Political Views

During his original 2002 campaign, Emanuel "indicated his support of [President Bush](#)'s position on [Iraq](#), but said he believed the president needed to better articulate his position to the American people". One of the major goals he spoke of during the race was "to help make [health care](#) affordable and available for all Americans".

In the 2006 congressional primaries, Emanuel, then head of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, made national headlines for engineering a run by [Tammy Duckworth](#) — an Iraq war veteran with no political experience — against grassroots candidate Christine Cegelis in Illinois' 6th District. Expedited withdrawal from Iraq was a central point of Cegelis' campaign; Duckworth opposed a withdrawal timetable.

In his 2006 book, co-authored with Bruce Reed, *The Plan: Big Ideas for America*, Emanuel advocated a three-month compulsory universal service program for Americans between the ages of 18 and 25. An expanded version of this idea was later proposed by U.S. Presidential candidate Barack Obama (who was later to choose Emanuel as his White House Chief of Staff), during his 2008 campaign, in a [speech](#) on July 2, 2008, at the [University of Colorado](#), in which Obama proposed a "civilian national security force" (this term being used in the spoken version of his speech, not in the original written version), which included expanded voluntary national service programs in many areas, such as infrastructure rebuilding, service to the elderly, and environmental cleanup. For some of these services, tax credits and direct pay — primarily for college tuition — was proposed. Obama's original proposal was for participation by all ages, but with required participation by all middle-school and high-school students for 50 hours of community service a year. That proposed requirement was later modified to being "a goal". Obama's entire service program proposal quickly became controversial, largely for being mistaken as a call for a national paramilitary force, though the proposal's only reference to military service was volunteer participation in regular [U.S. Armed Forces](#), as one activity that would qualify for inclusion under the program's umbrella.

Emanuel is generally [liberal](#) on [social issues](#). He maintained a 100-percent [pro-choice](#) voting record, supports [gay rights](#) and [same sex marriage](#), and is a strong supporter of gun control, rated "F" by the NRA in December 2003. He has also strongly supported the banning of numerous rifles based upon "sporting" purposes criteria. He has aligned himself with the right wing of the Democratic Party, the [Democratic Leadership Council](#).

In June 2007, Emanuel condemned an outbreak of Palestinian violence in the Gaza Strip and criticized Arab countries for not applying the same kind of pressure on the Palestinians as they have on Israel. At a 2003 pro-Israel rally in Chicago, Emanuel told the marchers Israel was ready for peace but would not get there until Palestinians "turn away from the path of terror".

Emanuel has been called an ally of former Illinois Governor [Rod Blagojevich](#) and Chicago Mayor [Richard M. Daley](#); other sources dispute that he has been an ally of Blagojevich, for whom Emanuel served as a campaign adviser. He called Illinois state legislator [John C. D'Amico](#) in 2008 in support of Blagojevich's Illinois capital bill, but withdrew his encouragement when he discovered Daley opposed the bill. After Obama's election victory, Emanuel articulated his view on the role of government as a positive force to face difficult challenges and solve national problems, notably combating global warming through [green energy](#) policies and completely restructuring the healthcare system.

White House Chief of Staff

See also: [Illinois's 5th congressional district special election, 2009](#)

On November 6, 2008, Emanuel accepted the Cabinet-level position of [White House Chief of Staff](#) for [Barack Obama](#). He resigned his congressional seat effective January 2, 2009. A special primary to fill his vacated congressional seat was held on March 3, 2009, and the special general election on April 7. Chicago newspapers reported that one candidate for that seat said at a forum that Emanuel had told him he may be interested in running for the seat again in the future.

Some Republican leaders criticized Emanuel's appointment because they believed it went against Obama's promises to make politics less divisive, given Emanuel's reputation as a partisan Democrat. Republican [Lindsey Graham](#) disagreed, saying: "This is a wise choice by President-elect Obama. He's tough but fair—honest, direct and candid."

Ira Forman, executive director of the [National Jewish Democratic Council](#), said that the choice indicates that Obama will not listen to the "wrong people" regarding the U.S.–Israel relationship. Some commentators opined that Emanuel would be good for the [Israeli–Palestinian peace process](#) because if Israeli leaders make excuses for not dismantling settlements, Emanuel will be tough and pressure the Israelis to comply. Some [Palestinians](#) expressed dismay at Obama's appointment of Emanuel. Emanuel said that Obama did not need his influence to "orientate his policy toward Israel".

In a 2010 article in [The New York Times](#), Emanuel was characterized as being "perhaps the most influential chief of staff of a generation".

At a closed-door meeting in the White House with liberal activists, he called them "fucking retarded" for planning to run TV ads attacking conservative Democrats who didn't support Obama's health-care overhaul. In February 2010, Emanuel apologized to organizations for the mentally handicapped for using the word "retarded." He expressed his regret to [Tim Shriver](#), the chief executive of the [Special Olympics](#) after the remark was reported in an article by [The Wall Street Journal](#) about growing liberal angst at the chief of staff. The apology came as former [Alaska governor](#) and conservative activist [Sarah Palin](#) called on President Obama to fire Emanuel via the former governor's Facebook page.

Emanuel also could make his team laugh. Chief technology officer [Aneesh Chopra](#) would come to staff meetings and give uniformly upbeat reports, administration aides said. Once Emanuel is said to have looked at him and said: "Whatever you're taking, I want some." Emanuel had a hand in war strategy, political maneuvering, communications and economic policy. Bob Woodward wrote in his book, *Obama's Wars* that Emanuel made a habit of calling up CIA Director [Leon Panetta](#) and asking about the lethal drone strikes aimed at Al Qaeda. "Who did we get today?" he would ask.

In 2010, Emanuel was reported to have conflicts with other senior members of the president's team and ideological clashes over policy. He was also the focal point of criticism from left-leaning Democrats for the administration's perceived move to the center. By September 2010, with the Democrats anticipating heavy losses in midterm elections, this was said to precipitate Emanuel's departure as Chief of Staff.

Mayor of Chicago

2011 Chicago Mayoral Campaign

See also: [Chicago mayoral election, 2011](#)

On September 30, 2010, it was announced that Emanuel would be leaving his post as White House Chief of Staff to run for Mayor of Chicago. He was replaced by [Pete Rouse](#) on October 2, 2010.

After being cleared as eligible to run for mayor by the Board of Elections and the Cook County Circuit Court (his eligibility was challenged on the basis of his lack of residency in Chicago for one year prior to the election), a divided Court of Appeals reversed holding on January 24, 2011, that residency for purposes of a candidate is different from residency for purposes of being a voter. Nevertheless, a further appeal to the [Illinois Supreme Court](#) resulted in a unanimous decision reversing the Court of Appeals and affirming Emanuel's eligibility to run for mayor. Emanuel was elected mayor on Tuesday, February 22, 2011. He is Chicago's first [Jewish](#) mayor.

Emanuel's electoral campaign was the inspiration for a Twitter account, [@MayorEmanuel](#), which was written by Chicago journalist Dan Sinker. The account received over 43000 followers, and was more popular than Emanuel's real Twitter account. Emanuel announced on February 28 that if the author would reveal himself, he would donate \$5000 to the charity of his choice. When Sinker revealed himself, Emanuel donated the money to Young Chicago Authors, a community organization which helps young people with writing and publishing skills.

Mayoralty

Emanuel was sworn in as the [55th Mayor of Chicago](#) on May 16, 2011 at the [Pritzker Pavilion](#). At his inauguration were outgoing Mayor [Richard M. Daley](#), [Vice President Joe Biden](#), [Labor Secretary Hilda Solis](#), [Treasury Secretary Timothy Geithner](#), and [William M. Daley](#), who succeeded Emanuel as White House Chief of Staff and is the brother of the outgoing Mayor Richard Daley ([Wikipedia, 2012](#)).

2. BIOTERRORBIBLE.COM: Rahm Emanuel News:

Title: Obama's First Appointment Is Son Of Zionist Terrorist

Date: November 6, 2008

Source: [Prison Planet](#)

Abstract: Rahm Emanuel's father was member of militant terror group that bombed hotels, massacred villagers – Obama pick is keen supporter of lobbying group aimed at creating militarized youth brigades

President elect Barack Obama's first appointment, Rahm Emanuel, who is set to become chief-of-staff, is the son of a member of the Zionist terrorist group Irgun, which was responsible for bombing hotels, marketplaces as well as the infamous Deir Yassin massacre, in which hundreds of Palestinian villagers were slaughtered.

Revelations about Obama's relationship with Bill Ayers, a Weather Underground domestic terrorist, which dogged him during the final weeks of the campaign trail, pale in significance to his selection of Emanuel, whose father, [Benjamin M. Emanuel](#), was an Irgun member.

Irgun has been labeled a terrorist organization by both [The New York Times](#) newspaper and by the [Anglo-American Committee of Enquiry](#).

Irgun was closely affiliated with the widely feared hardcore terrorist Stern Gang, an organization that carried out assassinations, train bombings and bombed police stations in an attempt to pave the way for unrestricted immigration of Jews into Palestine. Irgun operated in Palestine between 1931 and 1948.

Following the ideology of right-wing Revisionist Zionism, Irgun's doctrine was that, "Every Jew had the right to enter Palestine; only active retaliation would deter the Arabs and the British; only Jewish armed force would ensure the Jewish state".

This manifested itself by way of terror attacks such as the July 1946 bombing of the King David Hotel in Jerusalem, which killed 91 people. In 2006, Israelis including former Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and former members of Irgun, attended a 60th anniversary celebration of the bombing organized by the Menachem Begin Centre.

Buses and marketplaces were also a target for Irgun, who were widely chastised for favoring attacks against civilian targets.

The widely condemned Deir Yassin massacre, which occurred in April 1948, involved Irgun working in consort with the Stern Gang and going house to house slaughtering Palestinian villagers. Eyewitness accounts of spies working for mainstream Jewish authorities, such as Meir Pa'il, reported Irgun members running around shooting civilians "full of lust for murder".

"I saw the horrors that the fighters had created. I saw bodies of women and children, who were murdered in their houses in cold blood by gunfire, with no signs of battle and not as the result of blowing up the houses," said eyewitness Eliahu Arbel.

"[One body was] a woman who must have been eight months pregnant," noted Jacques de Reynier, a French-Swiss Representative of the International Red Cross, "He hit in the stomach, with powder burns on her dress indicating she'd been shot point-blank."

The son of a man who helped carry out this slaughter has now been selected by Obama to be his chief-of-staff. Cries of "sins of the father" lose their gusto [when one considers the fact that](#), after the 1996 re-election of Bill Clinton, Rahm Emanuel "Was so angry at the president's enemies that he stood up at a celebratory dinner with colleagues from the campaign, grabbed a steak knife and began rattling off a list of betrayers, shouting 'Dead! ... Dead! ... Dead!' and plunging the knife into the table after every name." Sounds like a nice guy.

Rahm Emanuel is also an enthusiastic supporter of the [United States Public Service Academy Act](#), a lobbying group founded in 2006 in order to promote the foundation of an American public service academy modeled on the military academies – a youth corps whose students would be trained in "civilian internship in the armed forces".

This rings the alarm bells when we recall Obama's pledge to create a "civilian national security force" that is "just as powerful, just as strong, just as well-funded" as the U.S. military.

A creepy You Tube video of a brown-shirt style Obama youth brigade chanting and marching military style emerged last month, [raising fears](#) about where the messianic cult-like status of Obama's image could eventually lead ([Prison Planet, 2008](#)).

Title: Rahm Emanuel's Father: An Israeli Terrorist?

Date: November 8, 2008

Source: [Belfast Telegraph](#)

Abstract: The appointment of Rahm Emanuel triggered widespread interest in Israel, the native country of his former Jewish underground fighter father.

The older Emanuel, a paediatrician born in Jerusalem, was a member of Irgun, the hard-line militant group which fought for Jewish independence until 1948.

It was described as "terrorist" at the time by Britain. Mr Emanuel's appointment could reassure Israel that Mr Obama will continue America's close alliance.

The Ynet news service quoted Michael Kotzin, a leader of the Jewish Federation of Metropolitan Chicago, as saying Mr Emanuel is a frequent attendee at Israel-related events.

He co-sponsored a Bill defending Israel against a world court advisory opinion in 2004 criticising the route of the military's separation barrier for cutting deep into the West Bank, and co-sponsored another Bill congratulating Israelis and Palestinians who work together for peace.

He is credited with choreographing the famous handshake between Yasser Arafat and Yitzhak Rabin on the White House lawn in 1993 ([Belfast Telegraph, 2008](#))

Title: Wikipedia Deletes Benjamin Emanuel Entry

Date: November 13, 2008

Source: [Uruknet](#)

Abstract: Wikipedia has deleted Rahm Emanuel's father's page. Benjamin M. Emanuel's entry was recommended for deletion shortly after Obama named the younger Emanuel as his Chief of Staff, and it looks like it had already been deleted (or recommended for deletion) once before in January of 2007.

"Benjamin M. Emanuel" is no longer searchable in Wikipedia, but the former-page can be accessed through the original URL: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Benjamin_M._Emanuel

The old entry is no longer even in Google cache. The Progressive Mind was forward-thinking enough to save the original entry, including the original links. Here's what is used say:

<http://www.theprogressivemind.info/2008/11/benjamin-m-emanuel-wikipedia-free.html>

And here's a screenshot (from [Blog-Reporter](#)):

Benjamin M. Emanuel

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Benjamin M. Emanuel is a [Chicago](#) pediatrician and former member of the [Iraqi](#).^{[1][2]} He is the father of U.S. Congressman and White House Chief of Staff-designate [Rahm Emanuel](#), [NIE](#) bioethicist [Ezekiel J. Emanuel](#), talent agent [Ari Emanuel](#), and adopted daughter Shoshana.^[1] Born in [Jerusalem](#) in 1927,^[1] he later emigrated to America in the 1950s^[2] and married Martha Smolensky. They lived first in [Chicago](#) and later moved to [Winnetka](#).^[1] Emanuel's family adopted their surname in 1933, after Benjamin's brother, Emanuel Auerbach, was killed in a skirmish with Arabs in Jerusalem.^[1] According to Benjamin Emanuel, his son Rahm is the namesake of Rahanun, a [Lehi](#) combatant who was killed.^[1]

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Title: Rahm Emanuel Apologizes For Father's Disparaging Remarks About Arabs

Date: November 14, 2008

Source: [Haaretz](#)

Abstract: U.S. President-elect Barack Obama's chief of staff Rahm Emanuel apologized to an Arab-American group on Thursday for comments disparaging Arabs made by his father.

The American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee sent a letter to Emanuel calling on him to distance himself from remarks made by the elder Emanuel in an interview with an Israeli newspaper following his son's appointment last week.

In the interview, Benjamin Emanuel was reported as saying: "Obviously, he will influence the president to be pro-Israel. Why wouldn't he? What is he, an Arab? He's not going to clean the floors of the White House."

While some political analysts have said Rahm Emanuel, a veteran Democratic congressman, should not be held responsible for the actions of his father, there was also a sense that an apology was unavoidable.

"Today, Rep. Emanuel called Mary Rose Oakar, president of the American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee, apologized on behalf of his family and offered to meet with representatives of the Arab-American community at an appropriate time in the future," a statement from his office said.

The committee, in a statement on its website, said Emanuel told Oakar it was unacceptable to make such remarks against any ethnic or religious group.

"From the fullness of my heart, I personally apologize on behalf of my family and me. These are not the values upon which I was raised or those of my family," the group quoted him as saying.

Oakar welcomed the apology, saying: "We cannot allow Arabs and Muslims to be portrayed in these unacceptable terms."

Some commentators in the Middle East have raised concern about the appointment of Emanuel, who has a pro-Israel record, suggesting he could use his position to influence Obama's policies in the region.

But political analysts and Emanuel himself this week dismissed such suggestions. The congressman said Obama did not need his influence to "orientate his policy toward Israel."

The chief of staff position serves as one of the closest advisers to the president and typically can decide who gains access to the president, while also developing administration policies ([Haaretz, 2008](#)).

Title: Rahm Emanuel Elected Mayor Of Chicago

Date: February 22, 2011

Source: [ABC News](#)

Abstract: Rahm Emanuel, the former White House chief of staff, has realized his lifelong ambition to become mayor of Chicago.

With 97 percent of the vote in the Chicago mayor's race counted this evening, Emanuel, 51, had 55 percent, winning the mayoral election outright and avoiding a runoff in April.

"Looking forward to working together as your next mayor," he tweeted tonight.

After a topsy-turvy campaign, in which his Chicago residence was repeatedly challenged, Emanuel easily outdistanced a crowded field.

His closest challenger, longtime city official Gery Chico, drew only 25 percent of the vote.

Former Sen. Carol Moseley Braun, the so-called "consensus" African-American candidate, polled a distant fourth with only about 8 percent.

In his victory address at Plumbers Hall, Emanuel thanked his supporters and spoke about his vision for the city.

"We have not won anything until a child can go to school and not think of their safety we have not won anything. Until a parent can think of their work, and not where they're going to find work, we have not won anything," Emanuel said. "The plural pronoun of 'we' is how we're going to meet the challenges. ... I do not want to see another child's name in memorial killed by violence."

President Obama, Emanuel's longtime friend and former employer, issued a statement congratulating him after all five other candidates in the race had conceded.

"I want to extend my congratulations to Rahm Emanuel on a well-deserved victory tonight," the president said. "As a Chicagoan and a friend, I couldn't be prouder. Rahm will be a terrific mayor for all the people of Chicago."

For more on the history of the job of mayor in Chicago, why so many politicians want it, and an [interview by George Stephanopoulos with current Mayor Richard Daley click here](#).

Turnout in Chicago was far lower than expected, according to city election officials, who said fewer than half of the city's registered voters showed up at the polls.

Emanuel takes office in May, succeeding Richard M. Daley who is retiring after 22 years in office -- serving longer than his famous father, Richard J. Daley, the last of America's big-city bosses.

Despite his big victory, Emanuel faces huge challenges including a crippling city budget deficit. The city faces a \$655 million budget gap in the current fiscal year and unfunded pension liabilities estimated at more than \$20 billion.

The results were not a surprise, as the most recent polls showed Emanuel far out in front, trailed by Chico.

Since Mayor Richard Daley announced he would not seek a record seventh term, Emanuel has led the pack in polling and fund-raising, amassing more than \$12 million in campaign contributions.

An attempt by Rev. Jesse Jackson and others to solidify African-American support behind Braun largely fizzled as the former senator's campaign [suffered numerous embarrassing gaffes](#).

Emanuel's most serious challenge had been expected to come from Chico, a former school board president and Daley chief of staff who had the support of Chicago's police and firefighters unions ([ABC News, 2011](#)).