

# Facebook and Instagram Blacklist Prominent Conservatives Including InfoWars' Paul Joseph Watson

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Instagram and its parent company, Facebook, banned a number of conservative personalities from its platforms, including Infowars host Alex Jones, Infowars contributor and YouTube star Paul Joseph Watson, journalist and activist Laura Loomer, and Milo Yiannopoulos. Louis Farrakhan was also banned at the same time. Facebook and Instagram promised to remove any Infowars videos, radio segments, and articles posted by another account or page. Any Groups related to the banned figures or Facebook Events promoting them will also be removed. Critics say that this sets a chilling precedent for free speech, it is a formula for censoring not just websites and personalities, but their supporters, and that Facebook is openly punishing and rewarding users for their political opinions.

The Masters of the Universe at Facebook have banned multiple conservative personalities from both Facebook and Instagram, including Infowars host Alex Jones, Paul Joseph Watson, Laura Loomer, and Milo Yiannopoulos.

The *Atlantic* [reports](#)

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Paul Joseph Watson confirmed his ban, claiming he has not broken Facebook's rules, and commenting, "In an authoritarian society controlled by a handful of Silicon Valley giants, all dissent must be purged."

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