



## Michael Golden

**INTRO:** Michael Golden is the author of *Unlock Congress: Reform the Rules - Restore the System* and serves as a Senior Fellow at the Adlai Stevenson Center for Democracy. Michael is also a former broadcast journalist whose public affairs and investigative reporting has earned honors from the the Associated Press, the Edward R. Murrow Awards and the Society of Professional Journalists. Between 2000 and 2006, Michael worked as a campaign manager and communications strategist on political races for the White House, U.S. Senate, and U.S. House of Representatives. In late 2006 he co-founded One Million Degrees, a non-profit scholarship program that has empowered hundreds of low-income community college students to graduate and embark upon careers. Please welcome, Michael Golden.