

Erin Houchin (IN-9)



Biography

BIRTH DATE

Unknown

EDUCATION

Attended, Women's Campaign School, Yale Univ., 2008; Graduated, Indiana Leadership Forum, 2007; BS, Psychology, Indiana Univ.; MA, Political Management, The George Washington Univ.

FAMILY

Husband: Dustin; 3 Children: Claire, Elaine, Graham

Background

Former Senate staffer and current small business owner who dedicated her early career to children's issues; served eight years as state senator before resigning to run again to represent Indiana's 9th Congressional District

After earning a BA at Indiana University and a MPS at The George Washington University, Houchin devoted her time to children's issues; worked at various local organizations and service centers including New Hope Services, Community Alliance Promoting Education, and the Indiana Department of Child Services

Served as the Southeast Indiana regional director for former US Senator Dan Coats where she "provided training on grassroots organizations for the Indiana Leadership Forum and the Indiana Republican Party;" appointed by Governor Mitch Daniels (R) to serve on the Indiana Commission for Women for three years

Founded and serves as the president of Contend Communications, Inc., "a communications, media relations, and campaign consultancy company with clients across the state"

In 2014, Houchin was elected state senator to represent District 47 which encompasses several counties in Southern Indiana; served as assistant majority whip from 2016 to 2018. During her tenure, Houchin focused on education, the opioid epidemic, and broadband internet access

District Profile

COOK PVI	2022 VOTE RATING	DISTRICT LOCATION
R+16	Solid R	South-central Indiana

Election Results

2022 GENERAL	
Houchin	63%
Fyfe	34%

SOURCE Associated Press; Vignette, by National Journal
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