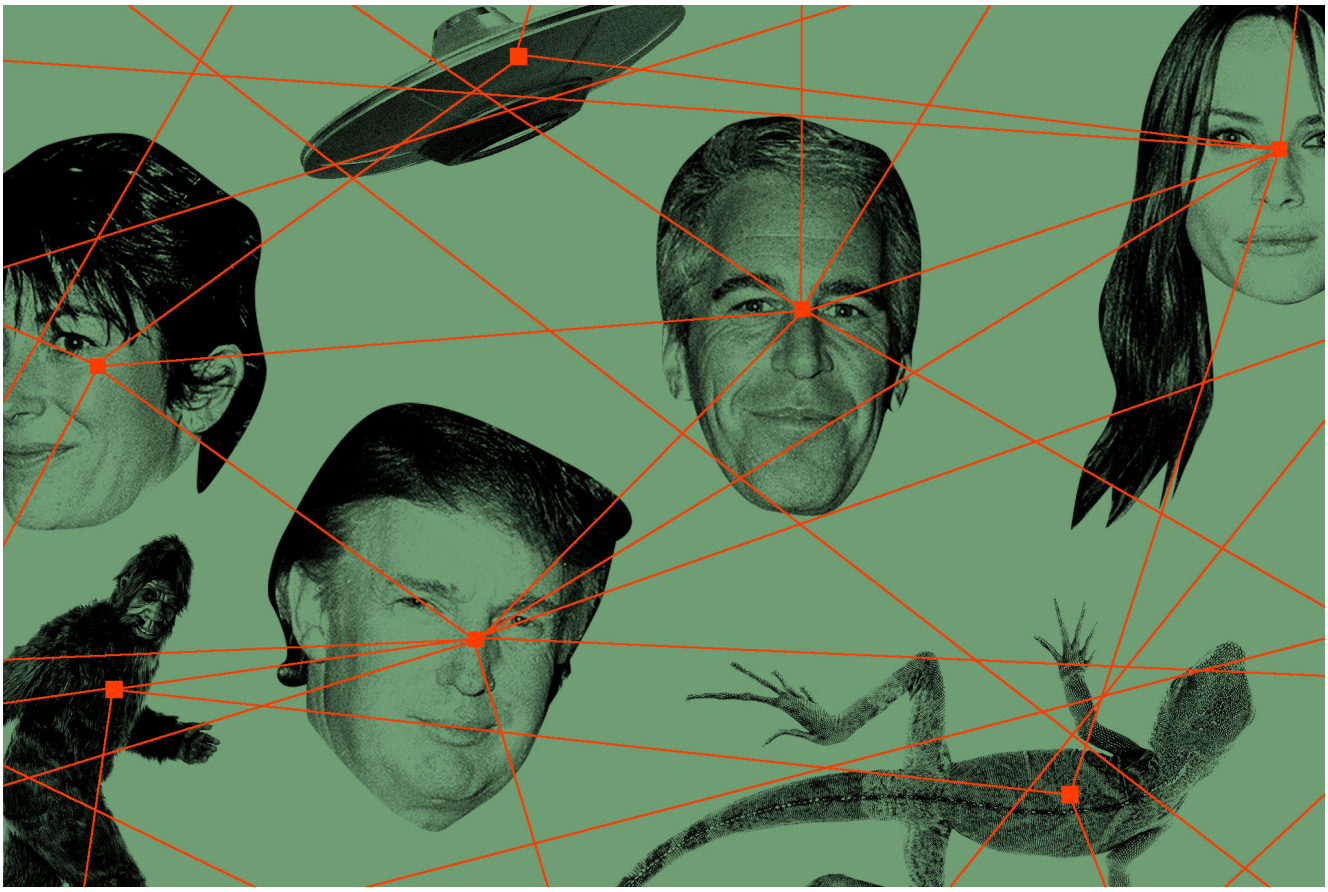
# 4chan’s creator says ‘Epstein had nothing to do’ with creating infamous far-right board /pol/



Epstein had nothing to do with the reintroduction of a politics board to 4chan, nor anything else related to the site. The decision to add the board was made weeks beforehand, and the board was added almost 24 hours prior to a first, chance encounter at a social event. His assistant reached out to me afterward, and I met with him one time for an unmemorable lunch meeting. This happened at a time when I was meeting hundreds of people a month while speaking and networking at tech events.

I did not meet him again nor maintain contact. I regret having ever encountered him at all, and have deep sympathy for all of

his victims.

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