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WEBINAR GLOSSARY

Alcove: A small opening or nook in a wall.

al-Qaeda: An international Islamist extremist terrorist network responsible for the 9/11 attacks. al-Qaeda is responsible for multiple terrorist attacks since their founding by Osama bin Laden and others in the 1980s.

Bunker coat: Protective jacket of a firefighter, traditionally kept in a firefighter's bunk.

Central Park: The most visited urban park in the United States. Central Park is 2.5 miles long, 0.5 miles wide, and stretches through the center of Manhattan.

Debris: The remains of something broken down or destroyed.

Father Mychal Judge: Catholic priest who served as a chaplain to the FDNY. He was killed on September 11, 2001 when the South Tower collapsed.

FBI: The primary federal law enforcement agency for the United States, which focuses on counterterrorism, counterintelligence, and federal criminal investigations. FBI stands for Federal Bureau of Investigation.

FDNY: Fire Department of New York. 343 FDNY firefighters were killed on 9/11.

First-generation: Describes a person who is the first generation of a family to be born in a country or to become a citizen of a country where their parents had immigrated.

Ground Zero: The World Trade Center site and surrounding area after the collapse of the Twin Towers. The area was filled with 1.8 million tons of debris.

Guide dog: An assistance dog trained to lead blind and visually impaired people around obstacles.

Hijack: To take control by force.

Lower Manhattan: The southernmost part of Manhattan; it is a hub of business, culture, and government in New York City.

Midtown Manhattan: A primarily commercial area in the center of Manhattan, one of New York City's five boroughs. Midtown is home to some of the city's most famous buildings, including the Empire State Building.

Mount Sinai Hospital: One of the oldest and largest teaching hospitals in the United States, located on the east side of Manhattan.

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NYPD: New York City Police Department. 23 NYPD officers were killed on 9/11.

Port Authority Police Department (PAPD): The law enforcement arm for the Port Authority, an agency run by New York and New Jersey, that oversees many facilities shared by the two states, including airports, bridges, tunnels, and the World Trade Center. 37 PAPD officers were killed on 9/11.

Recovery workers: Volunteers, first responders, and other skilled workers who came to Ground Zero to help with relief efforts after 9/11.

Soot: A black or brown powdery substance caused by the burning of materials like wood or coal.

Terrorist: A person who uses violence and fear, especially against civilians, to force people or countries into taking a certain action.

Times Square: Major commercial intersection, tourist destination, entertainment center, and neighborhood in Midtown Manhattan.

Top Gun: The nickname for an elite Navy-run flight school that trains fighter pilots.

Tower 7: Refers to Building 7 of the original World Trade Center. On 9/11, the building was heavily damaged by falling debris from the Twin Towers, eventually collapsing.

Windows on the World: A restaurant that was located near the top of the North Tower of the World Trade Center. The restaurant was destroyed on 9/11.

WEBINAR MAPS



NEW YORK CITY MAP

- 1: Manhattan
- 2: Brooklyn
- 3: Queens
- 4: Bronx
- 5: Staten Island

Location in brown represents JFK airport.

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PRE-9/11 WORLD TRADE CENTER MAP

- 1 WTC: North Tower
- 2 WTC: South Tower