



Mukti Dharod (SFSU 2021)

Ethnicity: Punjab Indian
Place of Birth: Philadelphia, PA

Party Affiliation: Democratic

Highest Elected Position:
US House of Representatives, CA
17th Congressional District (2017-
now)

Other Positions:

House Committee on Oversight and
Accountability; Congressional Asian
Pacific American Caucus; Co-chair,
CAPAC Economic Development
Taskforce; Co-chair, Congressional
Caucus on India and Indian Americans;
Deputy Whip, Congressional
Progressive Caucus; Assistant Whip,
Democratic Caucus; Co-founder,
Congressional War Powers Caucus

Rohit "Ro" Khanna
(b. September 13, 1976)

"Ro" is short for Rohit. He was born with activism in his blood as his grandfather was involved in the Indian Independence Movement. Ro was originally more interested in playing baseball, but a writing assignment in 9th grade about the first Gulf War deepened his interest in activism and politics. Ro promotes American manufacturing and technology leadership, clean energy, and US leadership in climate, human rights, and diplomacy around the world. He is credited with co-authoring the 2021 Endless Frontier Act, a \$250 billion tech investment bill, and authoring the 2018 Internet Bill of Rights Initial Draft. Ro has also advocated for the engagement of the APIA community to support an accurate counting of APIAs in the 2020 census.