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Stefanie Friedhoff is co-founder of the Information Futures Lab and professor of the practice at the Brown University School of Public Health, and a veteran journalist. At Brown, she collaborates with diverse communities, experts, public health practitioners, journalists, and policy makers on new models for co-designing quality information, eliminating information inequities, and building infrastructures of trust. Throughout the pandemic, Friedhoff has led key pandemic policy, health equity and crisis communications initiatives, such as serving as Design and Research Partner on the Rockefeller Foundation's Equity First Vaccination Initiative, launching [GlobalEpidemics.org](http://GlobalEpidemics.org) and [BuildingVaccineDemand.org](http://BuildingVaccineDemand.org), and building out the STAT Network of 400+ state health department COVID-19 leads. Prior to joining Brown, Friedhoff was Director of Content and Strategy at the Harvard Global Health Institute and led Programs and Special Projects at the Nieman Foundation for Journalism at Harvard. A 2001 Nieman Fellow, she has worked as a foreign correspondent, writer and editor for U.S. and European media on three continents. Friedhoff has served as a founding board member of the journalism start-up RiffReporter and an expert advisor to the Pew Research Center. She is an Expert Contributor to the Covid Collaborative and a Trustee of the Trust for Trauma Journalism.