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## The Making of QAnon: A Crowdsourced Conspiracy | Bellingcat

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On January 6, chaos descended on Washington D.C. as supporters of President Donald Trump stormed the United States Capitol Building. Amid the melee, a longtime QAnon promoter known as "the Q Shaman" made his way onto the Senate floor and occupied the speaker's rostrum. He was far from the only QAnon supporter on the scene that day: another led the charge into the Capitol.

Once again, this dangerous and eclectic conspiracy is in the spotlight. It has come a long way since its birth on a forum barely three years ago.

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