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Turning Point Action enlists teenagers in 'troll farm' spreading coordinated pro-Trump messaging | The Washington Post

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One tweet claimed <u>coronavirus</u> numbers were intentionally inflated, adding, "It's hard to know what to believe." Another warned, "Don't trust Dr. Fauci."

A Facebook comment argued that <u>mail-in ballots</u> "will lead to fraud for this election," while an Instagram comment amplified the <u>erroneous claim</u> that 28 million ballots went missing in the past four elections.

The messages have been emanating in recent months from the accounts of young people in Arizona seemingly expressing their own views — standing up for President Trump in a battleground state and echoing talking points from his reelection campaign.

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