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Suggested Readings

Anti-Democratic & Authoritarian Movements & Sectors

Ben Lorber and Tina Vasquez, "[A Year After the Tree of Life Shooting, Anti-Semitism and Anti-Immigrant Racism Thrive](#)," Yes! Magazine, 10/26/19.

Ben Lorber, "[America First Is Inevitable: Nick Fuentes, the Groyper Army, and the Mainstreaming of White Nationalism](#)," The Public Eye Magazine (Political Research Associates), January 2021

Chicago Project on Security and Threats, "[Understanding American Domestic Terrorism: Mobilization Potential and Risk Factors of a New Threat Trajectory](#)," University of Chicago, April 2021.

Varieties of Democracy Institute, "[Autocratization Surges – Resistance Grows: Democracy Report 2020](#)," Produced by the V-Dem Institute at the University of Gothenburg

Frederick Clarkson, "[Still Here: The Christian Right in the 2020 Election](#)," The Public Eye Magazine (Political Research Associates), January 2021.

[Playing the Long Game: How the Christian Right Built Capacity to Undo Roe State by State](#), Political Research Associates, June 2019.

Ben Hayes and Poonam Joshi, "[Rethinking Civic Space for an Age of Intersecting Crises: A Briefing for Funders](#)," Funders' Initiative for Civil Society, May 2020.

Alex DiBranco, "[The Incel Rebellion](#)" [Movement Misogyny Delivers Another Massacre](#)," in The Public Eye Magazine (Political Research Associates), 5/16/18.

Mara Liasson, "[Democrats Increasingly Say American Democracy is Sliding Towards Minority Rule](#)," National Public Radio, 6/9/21.

Robert Evans, "[The El Paso Shooting and the Gamification of Terror](#)," *Bellingcat* (Aug 4, 2019).

Molly Sauter, "[The Apophenic Machine: The Conspiratorial Mode and the Internet's Data Hoard Were Made for Each Other](#)," *Real Life* (May 15, 2017).

Mathew Ingram, "[Media Can Help Fight Misinformation, Says Harvard's Joan Donovan](#)," *Columbia Journalism Review* (May 21, 2019).

Whitney Phillips, "[The Oxygen of Amplification: Better Practices for Reporting on Extremists, Antagonists, and Manipulators](#)," *Data & Society Report* (May 22, 2018).

Brennan Center for Justice, "[State Voter Suppression Effort Is Highly Partisan](#)," *Brennan Center Resource* (Jun 11, 2021).

David Theo Goldberg, "[US Elections Pits Democracy against Minority Rule](#)," *New Frame* (Nov 2, 2020).

Ben Lorber, "[Taking Aim at Multiracial Democracy: Antisemitism, White Nationalism, and Anti-Immigrant Racism in the Era of Trump](#)," *Political Research Associates* (Oct 22, 2019).

Steven Gardiner, "[White Nationalism Revisited: Demographic Dystopia and White Identity Politics](#)," *Journal of Hate Studies* (Vol. 4, 2005/06).

Scale of U.S. Anti-Democratic Movements

Steven Gardiner, "[Trump is the Tinder for the White Nationalist Explosion](#)," *Truthout*, 10/6/19, with additional author notation on scale of leading anti-immigrant organizations.

[Playing the Long Game: How the Christian Right Built Capacity to Undo Roe State by State](#), *Political Research Associates*, June 2019. (See, in particular, "Funding" and "Build Enduring Infrastructure at the State and National Levels".)

Frederick Clarkson, [When Exemption is the Rule: The Religious Freedom Strategy of the Christian Right](#), *Political Research Associates*, 2016. (See especially "Legal and Legislative Players and Trends Today" for short profiles on the scale of key institutions.)

Frederick Clarkson, "[Exposed: How the Right's State-Based Think Tanks Are Transforming U.S. Politics](#)," in *The Public Eye Magazine* (*Political Research Associates*), November, 2013.

Extremism, Hate, and Terrorism: Explanation & Critique of Influential Models

Chip Berlet & Matthew N. Lyons, "[Repression and Ideology: The Legacy of Discredited Centrist/Extremist Theory](#)", adapted from Chip Berlet and Matthew N. Lyons, *Right Wing Populism in America: Too Close for Comfort* (New York: Guilford, 2000)

Kay Whitlock, "[Reconsidering Hate: A Forum on the "Hate" Frame in Policy, Politics and Organizing](#)," in *The Public Eye Magazine* (Political Research Associates), August 2012.

Faiza Patel, "[We Don't Need More Terrorism Laws After the Capitol Riot. Just Look At Our 9/11 Mistakes](#)" *Newsweek* 6/11/21.

Toward a Theory of Change: Models for Understanding and Counteracting Autocratization, Racial & Religious Nationalism

Ben Hayes and Poonam Joshi, "[Rethinking Civic Space for an Age of Intersecting Crises](#): A Briefing for Funders," *Funders' Initiative for Civil Society*, May 2020.

Chip Berlet & Matthew N. Lyons, "[Repression and Ideology: The Legacy of Discredited Centrist/Extremist Theory](#)", (Political Research Associates, 2014.) Adapted from Chip Berlet and Matthew N. Lyons, *Right Wing Populism in America: Too Close for Comfort* (New York: Guilford, 2000)

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