

# Ethnic, Religious, and Linguistic Minority Rights

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The following is material to consider for your syllabus. Specifically, there is:

- 1 Scholarly writing on ethnic, religious, and linguistic minority rights written by diverse scholars and experts
- 2 Scholarly writing providing geographic variety and geographically varied perspectives
- 3 Studies and analyses examining diversity, equity and inclusion-related dimensions of ethnic, religious, and linguistic minority rights

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## DISCUSSIONS OF THEORY

[Mhlanga, Brilliant and Sabelo J. Ndlovu-Gatsheni. \*Bondage of Boundaries and Identity Politics in Post-Colonial Africa: The "Northern" Problem and Ethno-Futures\*. Africa Institute of South Africa, 2013.](#)

Key words: Africa, colonialism, boundaries, ethno-futures, marginalization, suppression

[Kumar, Ashok, Adam Elliott-Cooper, Shruti Iyer, and Dalia Gebrial. "An Introduction to the Special Issue on Identity Politics." \*Historic Materialism\* 26, no. 2 \(2018\): 3–20.](#)

Key words: identity politics, economism, class, internationalism, culturalism, identitarian, race, gender

[Kinloch, Graham C., and Raj P. Mohan. \*Genocide: Approaches, Case Studies, and Responses\*. New York, NY: Algora Publishing, 2005.](#)

Key words: genocide, ethnic studies, human rights, Rwanda, India, Ireland, Germany

[Thio, Li-Ann. \*Managing Babel: The International Legal Protection of Minorities in the Twentieth Century\*. Martinus Nijhoff Publishers, 2005.](#)

Key words: minority protection, international law, self-determination, co-existence, United Nations

[Kingston, Lindsey. "The Destruction of Identity: Cultural Genocide and Indigenous Peoples" 14\(1\) \*Journal of Human Rights\* \(2015\) 63-83.](#)

Key words: international law, cultural genocide, Winnemem Wintu tribe, Inuit

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## REGION-SPECIFIC DISCUSSIONS OF ETHNIC, RELIGIOUS, AND LINGUISTIC MINORITY RIGHTS

[Tagade, Nitin, Ajaya Kumar Naik, and Sukhadeo Thorat. "Wealth Ownership and Inequality in India: A Socio-religious Analysis," \*Journal of Social Inclusion Studies\* 4 no. 2 \(2018\) 1-18.](#)

Key words: inequality, wealth, socio-religious, Hindu High Castes (HHCs), Debt and Investment Survey

[Salameh, Mohammed Torki Bani, and Khalid Issa El-Edwan. "The identity crisis in Jordan: Historical pathways and Contemporary Debates." 44\(6\) \*The Journal of Nationalism and Ethnicity\* \(2016\) 985-1002.](#)

Key words: national identity, crisis, Jordan, regime

[Tohidi, Nayereh. "Ethnicity and Religious Minority Politics in Iran." \*Essay. In Contemporary Iran: Economy, Society and Politics\*, edited by Ali Gheissari. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2009.](#)

Key words: religion, ethnicity, Shia, Sunni, Islam, Iran

[Ghencea, Flavia, and Mihnea Claudiu Drumea. "Implementing Regulation Regarding Minority Rights in Romania: Special Overview of the Legal Frame of Romanian Law and Constitution." \*Journal of Economic Development, Environment and People\* 9, no. 2 \(2020\).](#)

Key words: Romania, public administration, non-territorial autonomy, minorities, Administrative Code

[Lema Blanco, I. and M. Meda González \(2016\). Linguistic Diversity and Communication Rights: The Role of Community Media in the Promotion of Regional or Minority Languages in Europe. Radio, Sound & Society Journal, 1\(1\), 26-41.](#)

Key words: minority languages, community media, linguistic diversity, local identities, Spain, Europe

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## **ETHNIC, RELIGIOUS & LINGUISTIC MINORITY RIGHTS, POLITICS, AND DEVELOPMENT**

[Dancygier, Rafaela M. Dilemmas of Inclusion: Muslims in European Politics. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press, 2018.](#)

Key words: Muslim communities, inclusion, voters, electoral politics, Austria, Belgium, Germany

[Deshpande, Ashwini. Affirmative Action in India: Oxford Short Introductions. New Delhi: OUP, 2013.](#)

Key words: affirmative action, India, social justice, quotas

[Malloy, Tove H., and Michele Gazzola. "Evaluation of the Impact of Inclusion Policies under the Open Method of Coordination: Assessing the Cultural Policies of Six Member States of the European Union." The Centre for Minority Issues, 2006.](#)

Key words: Roma/Sinti, ethnic minorities, social inclusion policy, Estonia, Latvia, Czech Republic, Slovenia, Sweden

[Mulindwa, Paul. "Don't Develop Us Without Us! Inclusion of Indigenous Ethnic Minorities in Sustainable Development Goals in Africa." Essay. In Reimagining Justice. Human Rights and Leadership in Africa, edited by Everisto Benyera. Springer Publishing, 2019.](#)

Key words: Africa, sustainable development, ethnic minorities, participation inclusion, discrimination

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## **INTERSECTIONS: DEI & ETHNIC, RELIGIOUS AND LINGUISTIC MINORITY RIGHTS**

[Bradley, Harriet, and Nupur Mukherjee. "Multiple Burdens: Problems of Work-Life Balance for Ethnic Minority Trade Union Activist Women." Essay. In \*Work-Life Balance in the 21st Century\*, edited by Geraldine Healy, 211–29. New York: Springer Publishing, 2005.](#)

Key words: ethnic minority women, trade union, work-life balance, economic participation

[Celis, Karen, Silvia Erzeel, Liza Mugge, and Ayt Damstra. "Quotas and Intersectionality: Ethnicity and Gender in Candidate Selection." \*International Political Science Review\* 35, no. 1 \(2014\).](#)

Key words: candidate selection, ethnicity, gender, gender quotas, intersectionality, political representation

[Harel-Shalev, Ayelet. "Gendering Ethnic Conflicts: Minority Women in Divided Societies – the Case of Muslim Women in India." \*Ethnic and Racial Studies\* 40, no. 12 \(February 2017\): 2115–34.](#)

Key words: gendering conflict analysis, women, Muslim Women, India, family law, conflict resolution, minority rights

[Vale, Gina. "Liberated, Not Free: Yazidi Women after Islamic State Captivity." \*Small Wars and Insurgencies\* 31, no. 3 \(2019\): 511–39.](#)

Key words: Yazidi, Islamic State, genocide, gender, women, rape, slavery, violence