

# UNDERSTAND THE ORIGINS OF MODERN POLITICAL EXTREMISM



*Political Extremism* on the *Gale Case Studies* platform explores the evolution of political radicalism in the United States and across the world. This undergraduate learning module has been carefully curated with primary sources and case studies, such as *Female Activism in the Black Panther Party* and *Reinventing Nazism*, to help students investigate how groups from the past may have sown the seeds for future extremist movements.

## EXAMINE POLITICAL EXTREMISM FROM EVERY ANGLE

### MEET STUDENT AND FACULTY NEEDS

Amidst our current political climate, students and faculty are requesting accurate, timely, and engaging content now more than ever. This module is supported by a curated collection of primary sources to address their needs.

### SAVE TIME FOR WHAT MATTERS MOST

Thoroughly curated content saves faculty time searching for relevant course materials. Situational case studies and primary sources also fit easily into courses and seamlessly integrate into learning management systems (LMS).

### COLLABORATE ACROSS DISCIPLINES

The intersectional lens of the case studies allows for cross-disciplinary use of the information in several courses.

### SATISFY COURSE OBJECTIVES

Case studies can be used on their own or together to create a lesson or supplement course materials.

### STRENGTHEN SKILLS FOR THE FUTURE

Students can apply the critical-thinking skills they have gained from working with *Political Extremism* to analyze primary sources in other topical areas.

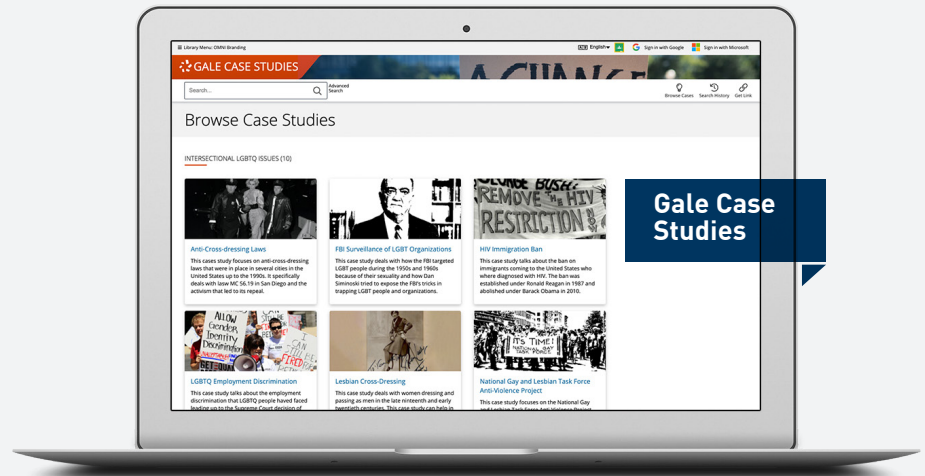
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## GET TO KNOW THE GALE CASE STUDIES PLATFORM

*Gale Case Studies* is our newest resource to help librarians and faculty save time developing effective course activities by packaging relevant primary source content with case studies.

By modeling how novice researchers approach information literacy, students can develop inferences and practice their own critical-thinking skills with a focused set of primary sources before exploring larger research collections.

Our intuitive platform has been enhanced to help students navigate between case studies and primary source content independently.



Product screen capture as of September 2020. Actual interface may vary.

### CURATED CONTENT

Content is carefully chosen by an academic editor in chief who has thoroughly reviewed the case studies for accuracy and teachability.

### GUIDED EXPERIENCE

Instructors and student users are guided through the workflow by an intuitive experience that begins with the case study, then leads to curated primary sources and discussion questions.

### FOCUSED STUDY QUESTIONS

Discussion questions are provided at the end of the workflow to act as a prompt for students to critically analyze primary sources and topics.

### PRIMARY SOURCES

With *Gale Case Studies*, users can look at the primary source content, such as images, handwritten letters, or newspaper articles, as they were originally published.

### COLLABORATION TOOLS

The platform allows academic instructors to seamlessly upload content into their LMS products, which prevents students from leaving the LMS to find content. This also makes content compatible for remote teaching.

## CULTURALLY RESPONSIVE TEACHING AND LEARNING

*Gale Case Studies* uses historical content to help undergraduate students develop critical-thinking skills around contemporary social justice issues. Topics include LGBTQ rights, public health concerns, political extremism, and race. Together, the online format and robust range of authoritative content facilitates instruction in a virtual or remote classroom setting.

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