





## Speaker:

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## Ethnic Minority Rights Movements in Mexico, Turkey, and El Salvador

Professor Gellman examines six case studies in Mexico, Turkey, and El Salvador to show how ethnic minority communities use memories of violence to mobilize for cultural rights, particularly the right to mother tongue education. She explores how violence-affected

communities use memory-based narratives in order to shame states into cooperating with claims for cultural rights protections. Shaming and claiming are social movement tactics that bind historic violence to contemporary citizenship.

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