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Psychology expert, specializing in race and sex discrimination and intergroup dynamics

Description

Prof. Pratto's research addresses the processes and consequences of inequality. Thus, her work is known in social psychology, political psychology, and related disciplines. Her research has addressed a variety of real-world issues, including race- and sex- discrimination in hiring, prejudice against lesbians, gay men, and immigrants, violations of International Humanitarian Law in war-time, terrorism and counter-terrorism, and the Arab uprisings. She uses a wide variety of research methods, from interactive games, to lab and field experiments, to international surveys and comparative studies (which compare different societies systematically).

Topics

Terrorism and counter-terrorism, Xenophobia, Prejudice, race- and sex- discrimination in hiring, Homophobia, Violations of International Humanitarian Law in war-time

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New York University

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