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BEYOND THE VOTING RIGHTS ACT

THE UNTOLD STORY OF THE STRUGGLE TO REFORM AMERICA'S VOTER REGISTRATION LAWS

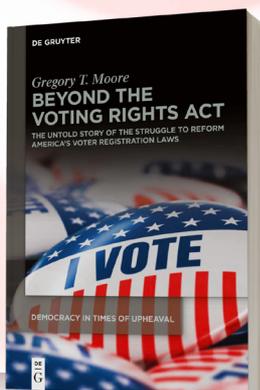
The Voting Rights Act of 1965 was designed to remedy the disenfranchisement of African Americans across the US. After several years of advocacy, the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 further expanded access to the ballot for millions of Americans. However, for decades since, the US Supreme Court and Republican lawmakers have continued to chip away at the Voting Rights Act, making it harder for people of color to vote.

Beyond the Voting Rights Act addresses the Supreme Court's Shelby County decision in 2013, which allowed states to impose new voting restrictions that led to the further suppression of voters across the US.

Moore recounts the many battles against voter suppression from his own perspective, as a young African American student activist from Cleveland, Ohio, who inadvertently rose to become an integral part of forging this legislative history.

"Beyond the Voting Rights Act tells a captivating and long overdue story that bridges the historic battles for voting rights that my father led to the landmark legislative battles for voter registration and democratic reform from the 1980s to the present. It is a must read during this period of ever-increasing threats to the Voting Rights Act and our American democracy."

Martin Luther King III,
American human
rights activist, philanthropist,
and advocate



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BEYOND THE VOTING RIGHTS ACT

“Greg Moore has written a compelling book that takes us on the journey from access to the ballot box to fighting voter suppression.

Moore, a long-time ally and a colleague in public service, has a deep passion for equality. Now, fair voting laws are essential to keep that equality, our most fundamental value. Greg reveals, in this first-hand account, the behind-the-scenes struggle to secure the vote for every citizen. No book is more important to forging our future.”

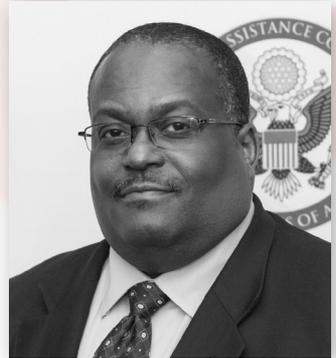
Donna Brazile, Campaign Manager, Gore for President 2000 Campaign and former Chairperson, Democratic National Committee

“As this generation wages its own battles against a tsunami of voter suppression legislation and an insurgent authoritarian movement, Moore’s insights, experiences, leadership, and guidance are more urgent than ever. Anyone and everyone concerned about the democratic future of the United States needs this book.”

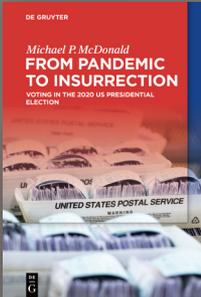
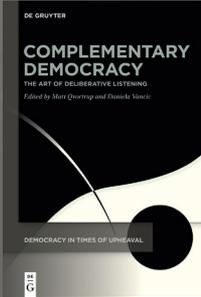
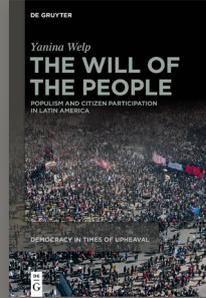
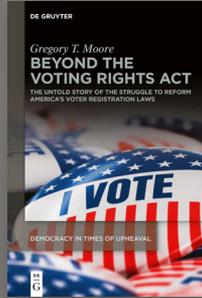
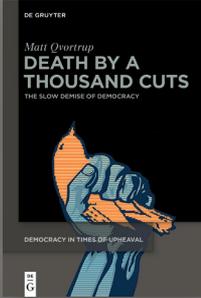
Dr. Clarence Lusane, noted political scientist, Howard University

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Gregory T. Moore is considered one of the nation’s leading voting rights advocates. For the past 30 years, Moore has held several key roles in Washington, including serving as the executive director of the NAACP’s National Voter Fund, coordinating national programs promoting voting rights and registering more than 500,000 voters nationwide throughout his career. Previously, he served as legislative director and chief of staff for Congressman John Conyers, where he helped steer the final passage of the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 (the “Motor Voter Act”), and also led the effort that established the first 50-state election protection program for the Democratic National Committee and state parties throughout the US. He is currently CEO of the Promise of Democracy Foundation, a non-profit organization where he continues his commitment to the expansion of democracy, voting rights, and civic education.



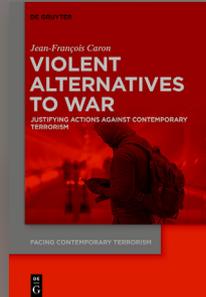
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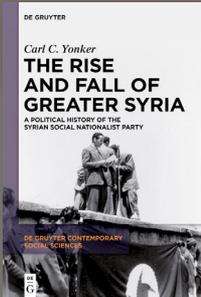
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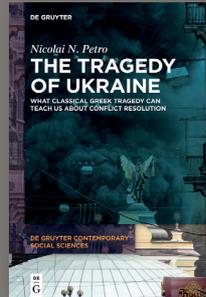
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