

IDSD 156: Human Rights in US Politics

Examines the role of African Americans and their early efforts to shape international human rights discourses by using the new United Nations as the first system ever for the protection of international human rights. Sensing an opportunity to hold the US accountable for massive human rights violations, African American activists and their allies used the new UN system of human rights to pressure the US to address the treatment of African Americans and other minorities.

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