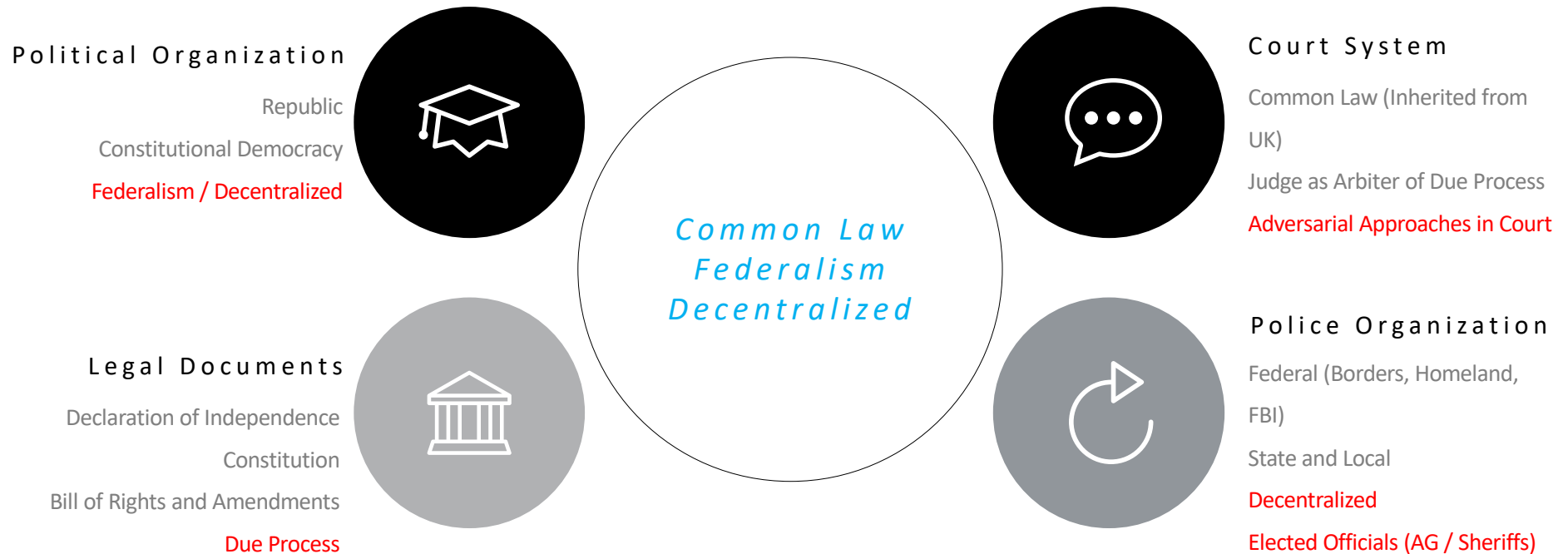


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U S B i l l o f R i g h t s a n d A m e n d m e n t s

- Only free white men guaranteed rights (1789)
 - 2nd Amendment: Well-Regulated Militia and Right to Bear Arms
 - 4th Amendment: Freedom against Unreasonable Search and Seizure
 - 5th-8th Amendments: Due Process
- Emancipation Proclamation (1862)
 - 13th Amendment: Abolishes slavery (1865)
 - 14th Amendment: Defines citizenship, due process, equal protection (1868)
 - 24th Amendment: Abolished poll tax (voting rights) (1962)
 - Civil Rights Act (1964)

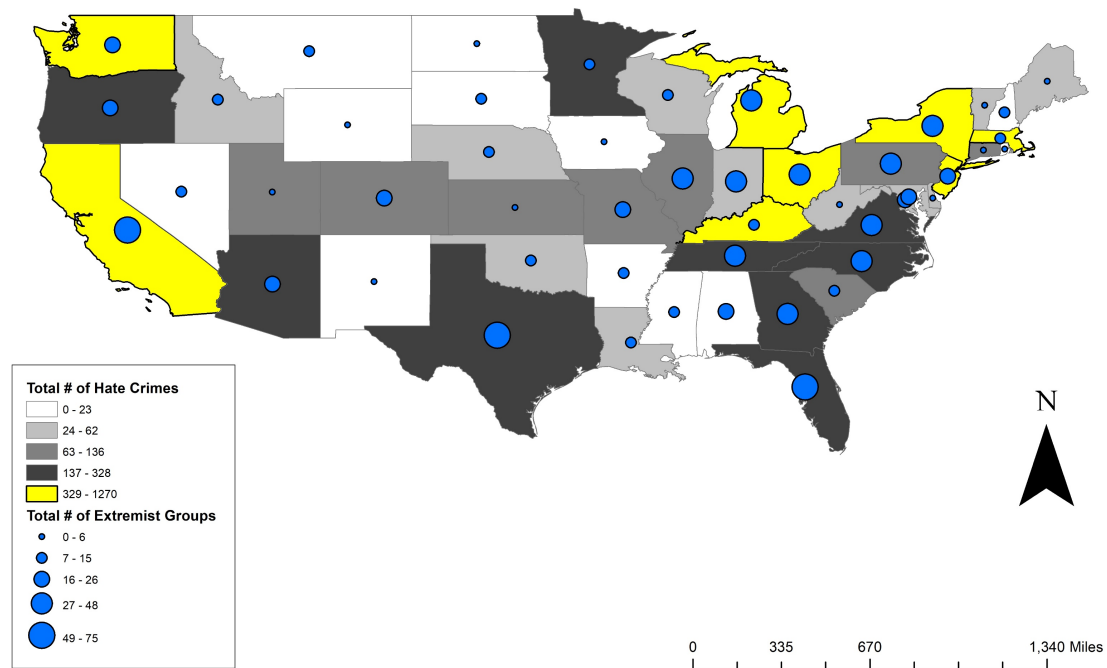
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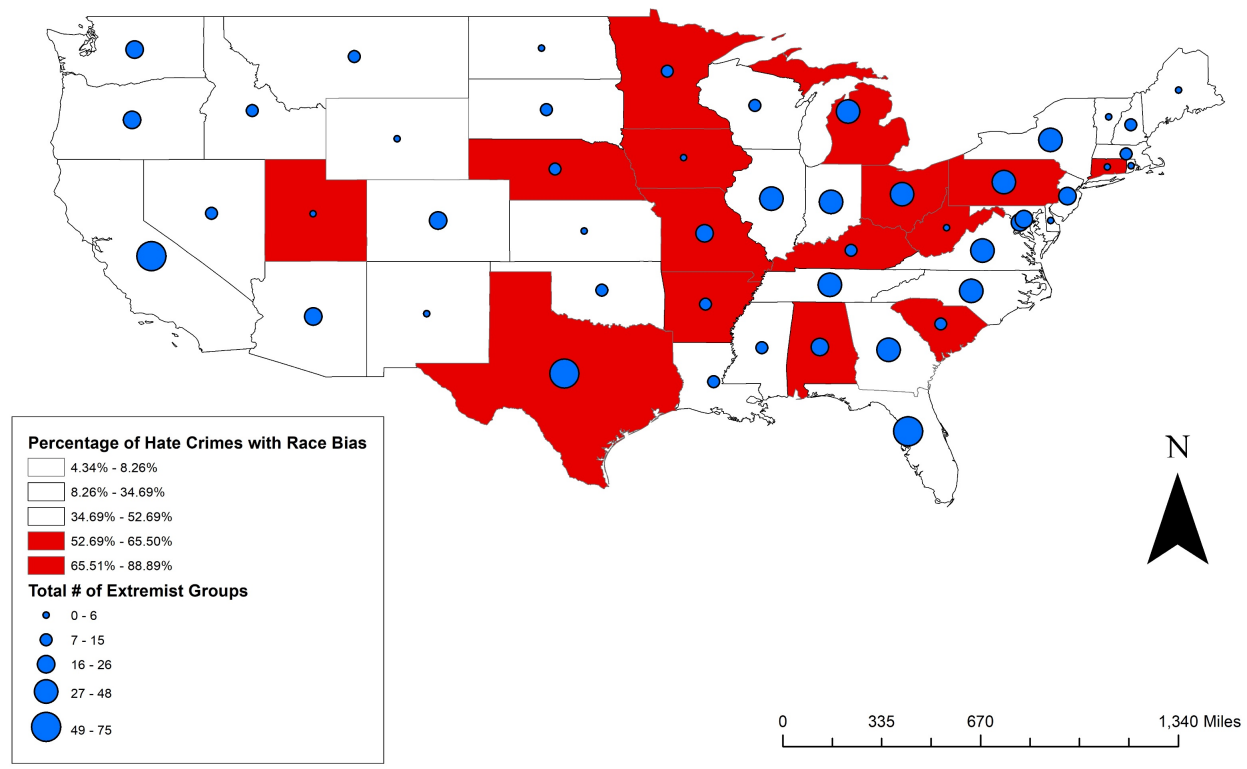
W h i t e S u p r e m a c y a n d H a t e C r i m e s

- Lack of dedicated local police forces to hate crimes except in limited areas (such as NYC)
- White supremacist infiltration of police / military
- Spread of extremist ideologies online / social media
- 6 April 2020 Designation of RIM (Russian Imperial Movement) as SDGT (specially designated global terrorist) movement

Total Number of Hate Crimes per State in 2017 (FBI)
Total Number of Extremist Groups per State in 2017 (SPLC)



**Concentration of SPLC Extremist Groups by State and
States with Majority of Hate Crimes with Race or Ethnic Bias in 2017**



S u g g e s t e d R e s o u r c e s

- **Southern Poverty Law Center:** <https://www.splcenter.org/hatewatch>
- **Anti-Defamation League:** <https://www.adl.org/adl-hate-crime-map>
- **FBI Hate Crimes Data:** <https://www.fbi.gov/investigate/civil-rights/hate-crimes>
- **White Fragility** <http://www.beacon.org/White-Fragility-P1631.aspx>

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