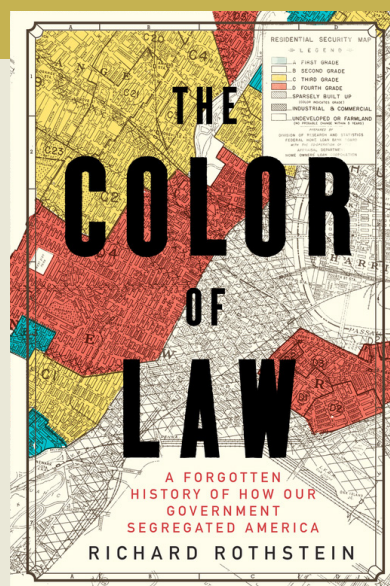




How Our GOVERNMENT Segregated America

Racial segregation characterizes every metropolitan area in the U.S. and bears responsibility for our most serious social and economic problems – it corrupts our criminal justice system, exacerbates economic inequality, and produces large academic gaps between white and African American schoolchildren.

In this talk, Richard Rothstein explains how residential segregation was created by racially explicit and unconstitutional government policy in the mid-20th century. Only after learning this forgotten history can we undertake the national conversation necessary to fix our unconstitutional racial landscape.



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