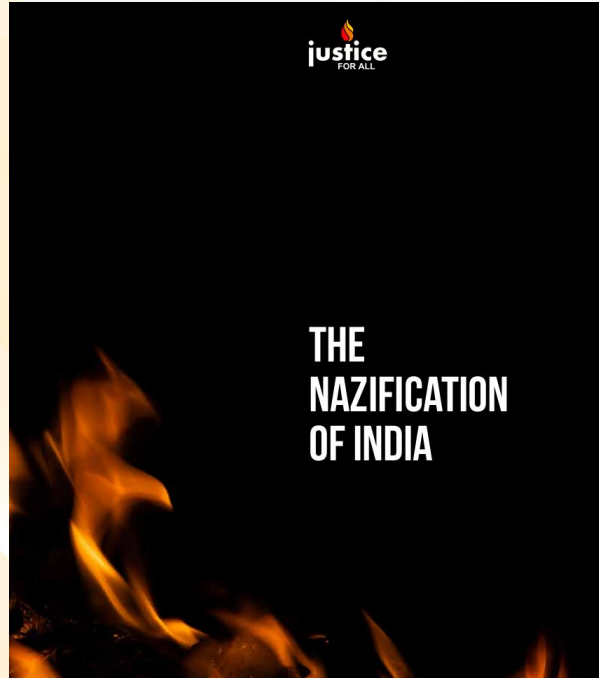


# Leaders' Briefing



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# Why?

We need majority Americans on our side!  
What points will have an impact on them?

Museums  
Research Departments  
Synagogues, Churches,  
Human rights councils

# Why?

All Muslims have a stake in this

All Muslims are affected

Hindutva encroachment

Workplace

Inter-faith

Social work circles

# How?

1<sup>st</sup> - our own communities  
Get all involved

Khutbah  
Action points  
Alerts

# How?

2<sup>nd</sup> – our neighbors  
Help them understand

Use parallels to something they relate with.  
Democracy decline, minority religious rights.  
Attacks on churches, mosques etc.

# 12 parallels

## Supremacy

German Nazis	Indian BJP-RSS
Sought to establish Aryan supremacy	Seeks to establish Hindu supremacy <sup>17</sup>
Anti-Semitism and vilification of Jewish population as political agenda	Islamophobia and vilification of Muslim population as political agenda <sup>18</sup>

Aryan-ism comes from India.. was borrowed by  
Hitler

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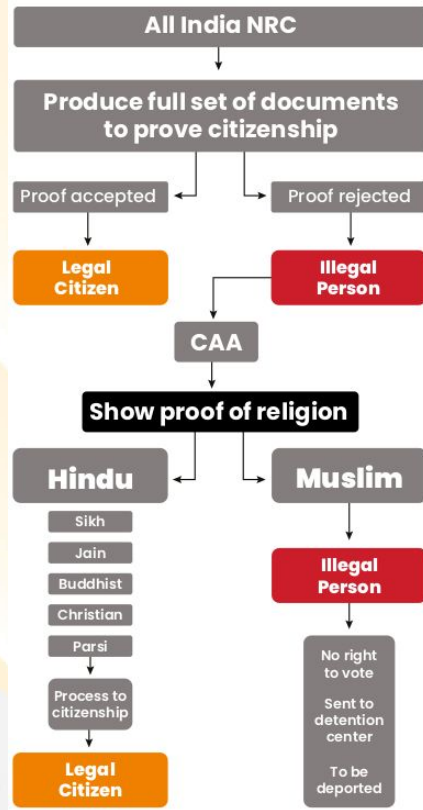
## Legal repression

German Nazis	Indian BJP-RSS
Reich Citizenship Law redefined German citizenship to exclude Jewish people	India's National Register of Citizens (NRC) will strip many of their citizenship, as is already happening in Assam since they do not possess historic documents. The Citizenship Amendment Act (CAA) grants non-Muslims a path to regain citizenship. Muslims would remain stateless. <sup>19</sup>
The "Law for the Protection of German Blood and Honor" banned marriage and extramarital relations between Jews and those of 'German blood'	"Prohibition of Unlawful Conversion of Religion Ordinance 2020," also known as the "Love Jihad" Law seeks to "protect" Hindu women and their honor from Muslim men by preventing inter-faith marriages. <sup>20</sup>
Law banning kosher slaughter	Campaign against halal products. <sup>21</sup> Ban on beef consumption. <sup>22</sup> Lynching on the transportation of cattle. <sup>23</sup>



# 12 parallels

Legal repression



**“They [Muslims] thought they can increase their population and capture the country. But Modi ji and Amit Shah have brought this law and smashed their dream. I urge them not to step back but go forward with NRC...”**

Swami Yati Narsinghanand Saraswati, a Hindutva religious leader of the largest organization of Hindu monks (the Juna Akhara), and supporter of Prime Minister Modi



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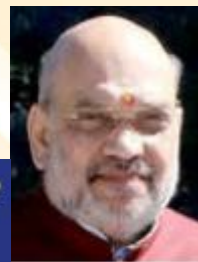
## Propaganda

German Nazis	Indian BJP-RSS
The Propaganda Ministry controlled the press to propagate Nazi ideology	A professional information technology cell and a compliant media (called godi or lapdog media) spread fake news to demonize minorities and mold public opinion in favor of Hindutva ideology. Reporters Without Borders ranked India below Somalia and Colombia in media freedom at 150 <sup>th</sup> level. <sup>24</sup> Textbooks demonize Muslims. <sup>25</sup> Admiration for Nazism is rampant in the BJP-RSS ideology <sup>26</sup>
Longing for a return of the glory of Germany, especially pre-WW1	The glorification of ancient India is a standard part of mythology presented as factual history by Modi and the BJP-RSS regime with claims that everything from the internet to stem cells all were first invented by Hindus thousands of years ago. <sup>27</sup>



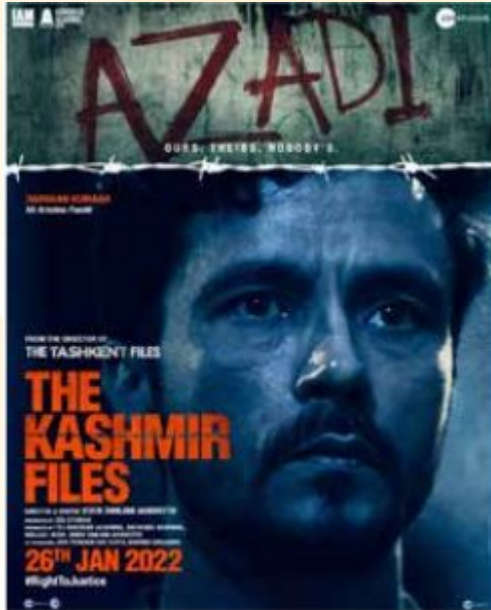
**"Propaganda is a truly terrible weapon in the hands of an expert."** Hitler

**"Real or Fake, We Can Make Any Message Go Viral"** Amit Shah, Indian Home Minister, & RSS member



# 12 parallels

Propaganda



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## Dehumanization & Economic repression

German Nazis	Indian BJP-RSS
Economic boycott of Jewish owned businesses and Jewish professionals	Economic boycott of Muslim owned businesses and Muslim professionals <sup>28</sup>
Dehumanization of Jews by referring to them as Untermenschen (subhuman), pigs, vermin, rats, lice	Dehumanization of Muslims by referring to them as rakshasa which in Hindu literature are man-eating demons who fought Ram, the prime Hindu god. <sup>29</sup> Muslims are also called pigs, termites, foreigners, thieves

# 12 parallels

## Political consolidation & indoctrination



German Nazis	Indian BJP-RSS
Hitler was a cult figure - admired as the "unknown soldier" who ascended in rank due to his talent and regarded as the one who alone could save Germany	Modi is a cult figure - admired as a humble "chai wala" (tea seller) who rose to power and boasts a "56 inch chest." He is regarded as the one who will develop and defend India single-handedly <sup>30</sup>
Hitler Youth indoctrinated its young members to embrace supremacist Nazi ideology	RSS runs the largest school network in India. Children in RSS affiliated schools and at public events are indoctrinated to embrace supremacist Hindutva ideology <sup>31</sup>





# 12 parallels

Property destruction

German Nazis	Indian BJP-RSS
Vandalization and destruction of synagogues	Vandalization and destruction of mosques <sup>32</sup>

Muslim homes, businesses and mosques are targeted, even during Hindu religious festivals

# How?

## 2<sup>nd</sup> – our neighbors

### Approach

Interfaith partners, city human rights councils,  
local libraries (request to keep copy),  
city officials (warn them against citations etc.)

Will they take offence?



# Next steps

- **DOWNLOAD** <https://justiceforall.org/IndianNazis>
- **ORDER** prints
- **READ** the report please
- **HOST** us for a teach-in
- **ENGAGE** your connections
- **BRING** in training for articulation and speaking

# Next steps

- **COMMUNITY** sign-on Modi petition <https://justiceforall.org/StopModi>
- **HOST** us for a benefit event (zakat eligible)
- **SIGN UP** for our newsletter <https://justiceforall.org>
- **CREATE** a rapid-response team in your community