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EDUCATION

University of Chicago Law School, J.D. 1987; *Law Review* member
Princeton University, Ph.D. candidate in American History 1983-84
University of Minnesota, B.A. in history and political science, 1983 Summa Cum Laude

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2003 – Present Associate Professor of Law and Director of the Institute on Race and Poverty, University of Minnesota Law School. Expertise: Civil rights, state and local government, state and local finance, land use, questions of regional governance, and the legislative process. Direct research center studying the intersection of law and social science, race and poverty.
- 2003 – Present Non-resident Senior Fellow, the Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C.
- 2001 – Present President, Ameregis, a demographic research and geographic information systems firm producing studies and data regarding socio-economic, fiscal, land use and election trends for US and Canadian metropolitan areas.
- 1994 – 2001 Executive Director, Metropolitan Area Research Corporation (www.metroresearch.org), a nonprofit research center producing studies on socio-economic, fiscal, and land use in U.S. metropolitan areas.
- 2001 – 2003 Senator, Minnesota Senate, District 60: Local Government and Metropolitan Affairs, Taxes, Judiciary committees
- 1991 – 2001 Representative, Minnesota House of Representatives: Local Government, Environment, Taxes, Banking, Government Operations, K-12 Education committees
- 1991 – 2003 Adjunct Professor of Law, University of Minnesota Law School
- 1988 – 1991 Special Assistant Attorney General, Minnesota Attorney General's Office, Solicitor General's Division
- 1988 – 1989 Research Associate and Bradley Fellow, The Center for Studies in Criminal Justice, University of Chicago Law School

1987 – 1988 Law Clerk to Judge Gerald W. Heaney, United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit

PUBLICATIONS

I. Books

American Metropolitcs: The New Suburban Reality. (2002)

Metropolitcs: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability. (1997)

II. Book Chapters and Articles

The Need for a Race and Region Conscious Dialogue in Regional Equity (Paloma Pavel, ed.) MIT Press (forthcoming 2006) (with john powell).

The Minneapolis Desegregation Settlement: Legal Remedies and School Choice to Achieve Desegregation Fifty Years After Brown II, 24 *Law & Ineq.* __ (forthcoming 2006).

Comment on Robert Bullard article. 7 *Minnesota Journal of Law, Science & Technology* __ (forthcoming 2006).

Access to Growing Job Centers in the Twin Cities Metropolitan Area (with Thomas Luce and Jill Mazullo). (forthcoming 2006).

Atlanta Metropatterns: Race, Taxes, Landuse and Law in Urban Sprawl: A Comprehensive Reference (David Soule, ed.) Greenwood Press (forthcoming 2005).

Racial Integration and Community Revitalization: Applying the Fair Housing Act to the Low Income Housing Tax Credit, 58 *Vand. L. Rev.* __ (forthcoming 2005).

Building Regional Coalitions Between Cities and Suburbs, in *Growing Smarter: Planning for Regional Equity and Environmental Justice* (Robert D. Bullard ed., forthcoming 2006, MIT Press).

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Brookings Institution Center on Urban and Metropolitan Policy, *Economic and Racial Segregation in Greater Miami Elementary Schools: Trends Shaping Metropolitan Growth* (2003) (with Anne Discher & Thomas Luce), available at http://www.brookings.edu/es/urban/publications/200308_orfield.htm.

The Minnesota Statewide Racial Profiling Study. Authored with the Institute on Race & Poverty and the Council on Crime & Justice. Available at the [Institute on Race & Poverty web site](#).

The Region: The True City, in *Toward the Livable City* (Emilie Buchwald ed., 2003).

Politics and Regionalism, in *Urban Sprawl: Causes Consequences and Policy Responses* (Greg Squires ed., 2002).

Valuing America's First Suburbs: A Policy Agenda for Older Suburbs in the Midwest, Brookings Institution Center on Urban and Metropolitan Policy, (with Robert Puentes, April 2002).

Tax Equity and Land Use, in *Charter of the New Urbanism* (Michael Leccese et al. eds., 2000).

Conflict of Consensus: Forty Years of Metropolitan Reform, *The Brookings Review* (Fall 1998).

The Need for Tax Base Sharing, in *The Value of Land: The Lincoln Institute for Land Policy Annual Review* (1998). (Debate with Professor William Fischel).

Regional Coalition Building and the Inner Suburbs, *Shelterforce* (Jan/Feb 1998).

Suburbs in Flux, 57 *Urb. Land* 42 (1998) (with Jonathan D. Miller).

Metropolitics: Coalitions for Regional Reform, *The Brookings Review* (Winter 1997).

The "Push-Pull" of Regional Polarization, *Lusk Forum* (1997).

Economic and Racial Polarization in Twin Cities Schools, 17 *Hamline J. Pub. L. & Pol'y* 271 (1996).

Tax Equity Devices and Tax Relief Programs, in *American Planning Association Growing Smart Legislative Guidebook: Model Statutes for Planning and the Management of Change* (1996).

Model Tax Sharing Legislation Statute, in *American Planning Association Growing Smart Legislative Guidebook: Model Statutes for Planning and the Management of Change* (1996).

Deterrence, Perjury, and the Heater Factor: An Exclusionary Rule in the Chicago Criminal Courts, 63 *U. Colo. L. Rev.* 75 (1992).

Comment, *The Exclusionary Rule and Deterrence: An Empirical Study of Chicago Police Narcotics Officers*, 54 *U. Chi. L. Rev.* 1016 (1987).

MARC and Ameregis Publications:

Orfield, Myron and Luce, Thomas. October 2003. *An Activist's Guide to Metropolitics*.

Orfield, Myron and Luce, Thomas. August 2003. *Toledo Metropatterns: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability in Toledo*.

Orfield, Myron and Luce, Thomas. April 2003. *Michigan Metropatterns: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability in Michigan*.

Orfield, Myron and Luce, Thomas. April 2003. *New Jersey Metropatterns: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability in New Jersey*.

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Orfield, Myron and Luce, Thomas. March 2003. *Connecticut Metropatterns: A Regional Agenda for Community and Prosperity in Connecticut*.

Orfield, Myron and Luce, Thomas. December 2002. *Ohio Metropatterns: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability*.

Orfield, Myron and Luce, Thomas. April 2002. *California Metropatterns: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability in California*.

Orfield, Myron and Luce, Thomas. February 2002. *Wisconsin Metropatterns: Regional Cooperation, Economic growth and Environmental protection.*

Orfield, Myron and Luce, Thomas, Oleson, Benjamin. October 2001. *Boston Metropatterns: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability in Greater Boston.*

Orfield, Myron and Luce, Thomas. October 2001. *Erie Metropatterns: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability in the Erie Region.*

Orfield, Myron, Luce, Thomas, Kleidman, Robert, and Oleson, Ben. September 2001. *Northeast Ohio Metropatterns: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability in the Northeast Ohio Region.*

Orfield, Myron and Luce, Thomas. September 2001. *Ohio's Mahoning Valley Regional Metropatterns: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability.*

Orfield, Myron and Luce, Thomas. August 2001. *Cincinnati Metropatterns: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability in Cincinnati.*

Orfield, Myron. January 2001. *Central Valley Metropatterns: Regional Challenges in California's Central Valley.*

Orfield, Myron. December 2000. *Puget Sound Metropatterns: Social Separation and Sprawl in the Puget Sound Region.*

Orfield, Myron. October 2000. *Saginaw Metropolitcs: A regional Agenda for Community and Stability.*

Orfield, Myron. May 2000. *Kentucky's Rural/Metropolitan Fiscal Divide: A Statewide Agenda for Sustainable Communities.*

Orfield, Myron. May 2000. *Los Angeles Metropatterns: Social separation and Sprawl in the Los Angeles Region.*

Orfield, Myron. April 2000. *Denver Metropolitcs: A Regional agenda for Community and Stability.*

Orfield, Myron. August 1999. *San Diego Metropolitcs: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability.*

Orfield, Myron. August 1999. *St. Louis Metropolitcs: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability.*

Orfield, Myron. July 1999. *Washington Metropolitcs: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability.*

Orfield, Myron. June 1999. *Pittsburgh Metropolitcs: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability.*

Orfield, Myron. May 1999. *Grand Rapids Area Metropolitcs: A West Michigan Agenda for Community and Stability.*

Orfield, Myron. May 1999. *Seattle Metropolitcs: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability in the Puget Sound Region.*

Orfield, Myron. January 1999. *Detroit Metropolitcs: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability.*

Orfield, Myron. December 1998. *Atlanta Metropolitcs: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability.*

Orfield, Myron. July 1998. *Portland Metropolitcs: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability.*

Orfield, Myron. May 1998. *Milwaukee Metropolitcs: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability.*

Orfield, Myron. March 1998. *Baltimore Metropolitcs: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability*.

Orfield, Myron. March 1997. *Philadelphia Metropolitcs: A Regional Agenda for Community and Stability*.

Orfield, Myron. October 1996. *Chicago Regional Report*.

FELLOWSHIPS AND HONORS

Fesler-Lampert Chair in Urban and Regional Affairs, University of Minnesota (2005-2006)

Bradley Fellow, The Center for Studies in Criminal Justice, University of Chicago Law School (1990-91)

Tony Patino Fellow (1984-87) (academic scholarship at the University of Chicago Law School)

Edward Hinton Moot Court Semi-finalist (1987)

Shelby Cullum Davis Fellow (1983-84) (full tuitions and expenses Ph.D. fellowship at Princeton University)

Phi Beta Kappa (1982)

BOARD MEMBERSHIPS AND ADVISORY POSITIONS

Board Member, The Brookings Institution Center for Urban and Metropolitan Policy (1997-present)

Academic Advisory Board, Congressional Black Caucus (2003-present)

Member, National Academy of Sciences Committee on Establishing Data Needs for Place-Based Decision Making (2002)

Member, National Academy of Sciences Committee on Improving the Future of US Cities through Improved Metropolitan Governance (1996-97)

Directorate, American Planning Association “Growing Smart” Project (1995-1998)

Policy Council, Association of Public Policy Analysis & Management (1997-1999)

SELECTED LECTURES AND APPEARANCES

Presentation to Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, “American Metropolitcs,” 13 June 2002.

Presentation to Board of Trustees, The Charles Stewart Mott Foundation, Flint, Mich., 6 June 2002.

Presentation to Chicago Metropolitan Planning Council, “American Metropolitcs,” May 21, 2002.

Presentation to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology Center for Real Estate Annual Conference, "Regional Development Trends," 10 May 2002.

Presentation to the nation's 25 largest metropolitan planning organizations at The Lincoln Institute for Land Policy, Cambridge MA, "American Metropolitcs," 9 May 2002.

Public lecture to the Harvard University Joint Center on Housing and the Harvard Civil Rights Project, "American Metropolitcs," 3 May 2002.

Woodrow Wilson School Lecture at Princeton University, "American Metropolitcs," 1 May 2003.
Presentation to California Cities, Counties, and School District Partnership, Sacramento, Calif., "California Metropatterns," 20 April 2002.

Urban Affairs annual lecture series presentation to Michigan State University, "Regional Development Patterns in Michigan," 12 March 2002.

Presentation to Wisconsin Alliance of Cities, Milwaukee, Wis., "Wisconsin Metropatterns," 8 February 2002.

Presentation to Yale University, "Connecticut Metropatterns," 8 November 2001.

Presentation to Governor Parris Glendenning's Smart Growth Cabinet, Seaside, Fla., 29 November 2001.

Presentation to University of Michigan School of Architecture and Urban Planning, Ann Arbor, Mich., "U.S. Regional Development Patterns," 19 November 2001.

Presentation to Erie County Board of Commissioners, "Erie Metropatterns," 26 October 2001.

Presentation to Michigan State Catholic Conference, Lansing, Mich., "Michigan Statewide Growth Patterns," 17 October 17 2001.

SELECTED NEWSPAPER COMMENTARY

Myron Orfield, "Salvaging Suburbia: How to Stop Communities From Growing Farther and Farther Apart," *Los Angeles Times*, 15 November 1998.

Myron Orfield, "Where sharing the tax base works well." *Sacramento Bee*, 17 January 2002, sec. L, p. 1-2.

Myron Orfield, "Atlanta Metropolitcs," *Atlanta Constitution*, 1998.

Myron Orfield, "The trouble with sprawl," *Minneapolis Star Tribune*, 17 January 1999.

Myron Orfield, 6/16/96, "The news, please: TV plays up crime, pays little heed to policy issues," *Minneapolis Star Tribune*, 16 June 1996, Op-Ed.

Myron Orfield, "Orfield defends studies that support regional legislation," *Minneapolis Star Tribune*, 28 September 1996, sec. A, p. 23.

SELECTED MEDIA APPEARANCES

Television Interview on “Nightline” (ABC), “Growing Nowhere: *Metropolitics* and regional reform in the Twin Cities” 8 May 1997.

Television Interview on “All Politics” (CNN) on regional growth and national suburban politics, November 1999.

Radio Interview on Talk of the Nation, hosted by Ray Suarez (National Public Radio), “Cities versus Suburbs,” 26 November 1996.

Frequent commentator on National Public Radio on the topics of racial segregation, land use trends, and suburban demographics; frequent guest on Twin Cities Public Television’s Almanac and Minnesota Public Radio on racial segregation, land use trends and suburban demographics. Orfield’s research has been featured in *The New York Times*, *The Washington Post*, *The Wall Street Journal*, *USA Today* and in *US News and World Report*, *Business Week*, *The National Journal*, *Crain’s Chicago Business* and dozens of local papers and radio stations throughout the country.