Police Science in Germany (and European Perspectives)

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Police Science in Germany: History

- 18th century Prussia: Polizey
- 19th century: Policing the underclass (70%)/working class organizations
- Weimar Republic and police reform
- 1933-45 Nazi police and post war period
- 1967 Democratic policing
- 1980s onwards: Police training and education
Police Science in Germany as part of the European Police Science Project

• Theoretical/ empirical framework: Common Law vs. Civil Law traditions
• Example: origins of police studies and currents
• Accountability and democratic policing
• Policing and the decent society
• P. Manning and my practitioner colleagues

Police Science as a Hybrid
Top Down Structure

EUROPEAN SECURITY - top down structure

Transnational security idea

- Policies
- Legal constitutional framework
- Policies
- European countries

Bottom Up Structure

EUROPEAN SECURITY - bottom up structure

ESSENCE

- Germany (BHPG)
  - culture, crime, police, citizens, education, gender, strategy
- Latvia (LSP)
  - culture, crime, police, citizens, education, gender, strategy
- Austria (SAK)
  - culture, crime, police, citizens, education, gender, strategy
- Portugal (CSP)
  - culture, crime, police, citizens, education, gender, strategy
- Italy (AL)
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- Finland (FC)
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- Netherlands (NL)
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- Slovenia (SM)
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- Estonia (EL)
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COREPOL
Conflict Resolution, Mediation and Restorative Justice and the Policing of Ethnic Minorities in Germany, Austria, and Hungary

- EU FP7 security research: COREPOL
  [www.corepol.eu](http://www.corepol.eu)
- January 2012 to December 2012
- Participating countries: Germany, Austria, Hungary
- Minorities: Turkish migrants and their descendants (Germany); Sub-Saharan Africans in Vienna (Austria); Roma communities (Hungary)
Lookout

- Necessity of academic undergraduate and graduate programs for European police management
- Graduate students as a transmission belt connecting science and policing
- The positive aspect of EU top down structure
- The bright side of glaciers.