Engaging Civil Society: Our approach in the CUPP project

CUPP project partners
- 7 universities and research centres
- 1 trade union for IT professionals

CUPP project description
- Citizen Seminars
- Public Debate
- Ideas Catalogue

- Building skills among stakeholders
- Enabling critical engagement
- Facilitating dialogue with concerned citizens

➢ Communication partner
➢ Bridge to civil society

CUPP Activities so far
➢ Joint Manifesto
➢ Project Website
➢ Twitter/X (@cuppresearch)
➢ Conference for researchers + practitioners

Ideas catalogue
➢ Concepts
➢ Guides (Action+Rights)
➢ Visualisations of findings, dilemmas, concerns etc.
➢ Educational material, podcasts, videos

CUPP — Critical Understanding of Predictive Policing

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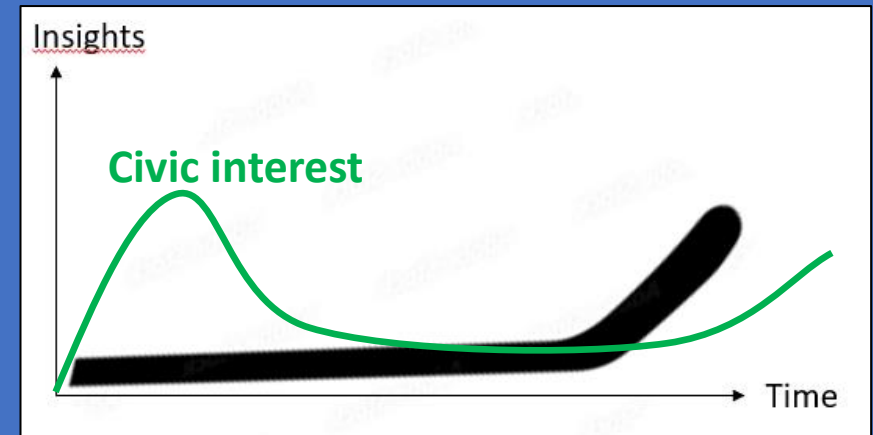PROSA Danish Association of IT Professionals

Lessons so far

- ❖ Many <u>researchers</u> are positively interested in engaging civil society,
  but lack relevant **skills** or **inspiration**

- ❖ Many <u>community activists</u> are positively interested in engaging academics,
 but works with a **shorter time horizon** and more focus on **direct use value**

Research project timeline vs. civic interest:

Combined Hockey Stick Graph + Gartner Hype Cycle

Bridging the gap

- ❑ Provide inspiration
- ❑ Develop skills
- ❑ Practice explaining use value for non-researchers
- ❑ Consider the potential of interested activists
  Qualification / Citizen science / Crowdsourcing
- ❑ Facilitate involvement and align expectations
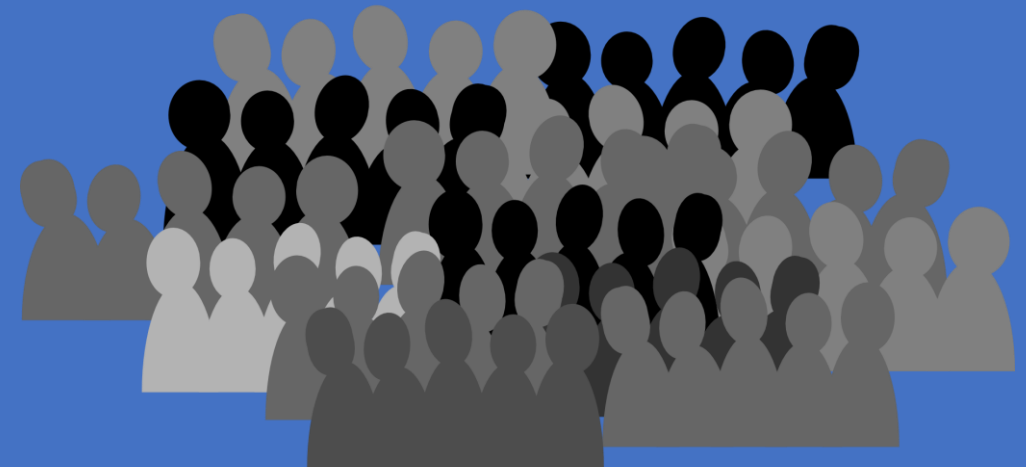
Project: Atlas of Surveillance

A project of the Electronic Frontier Foundation

ATLAS of SURVEILLANCE

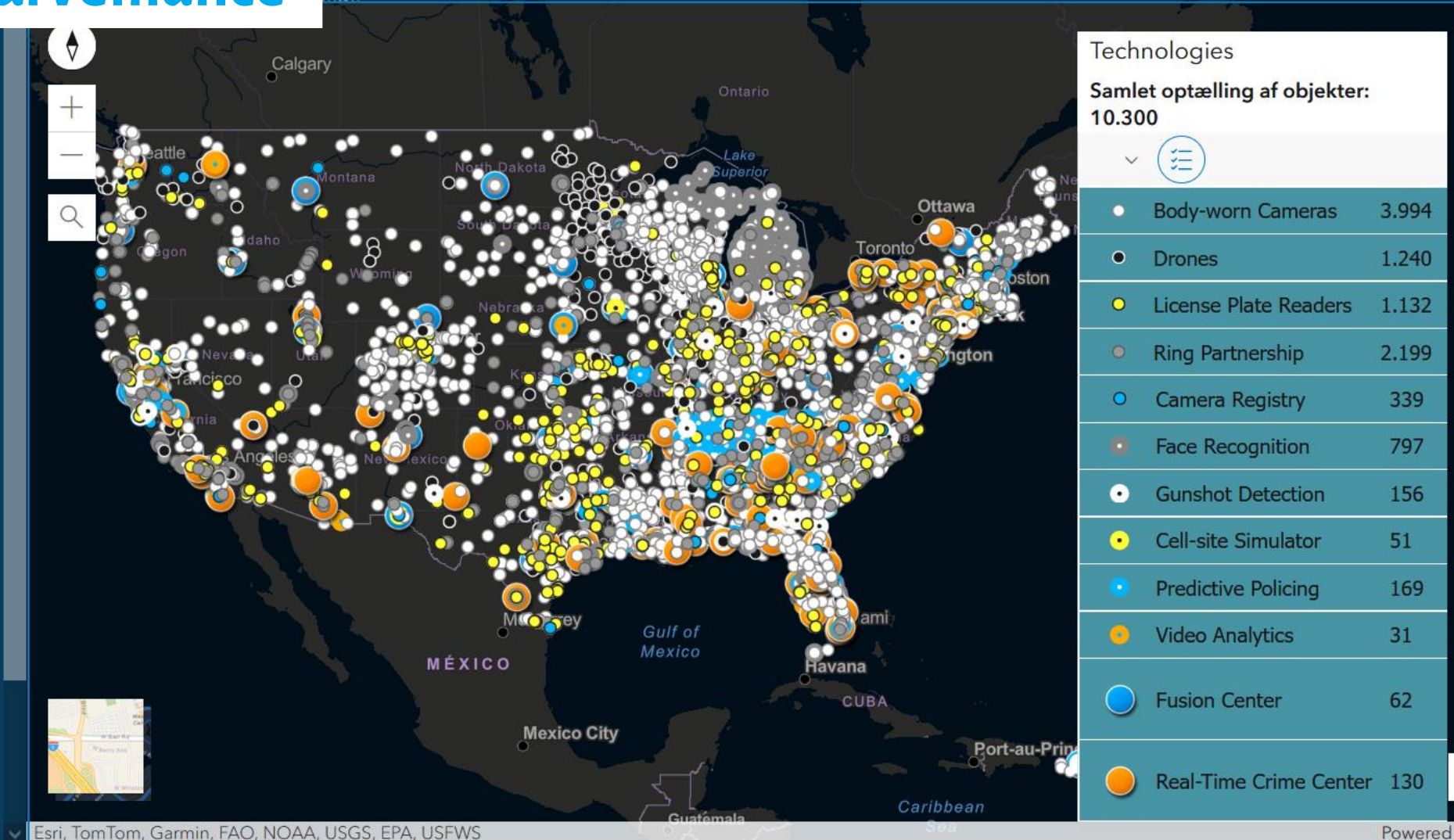Documenting Police Tech in Our Communities with Open Source Research

Explore 12.090 datapoints in the U.S. collected by hundreds of researchers. Last updated 12/11/23. (Methodology)

TOGGLE the Legend to reveal how each technology is spreading.

ZOOM into any region to see the technologies in detail.

If an area has no markers, it may mean it hasn't been researched yet. To help collect more data, visit our Collaborate page.
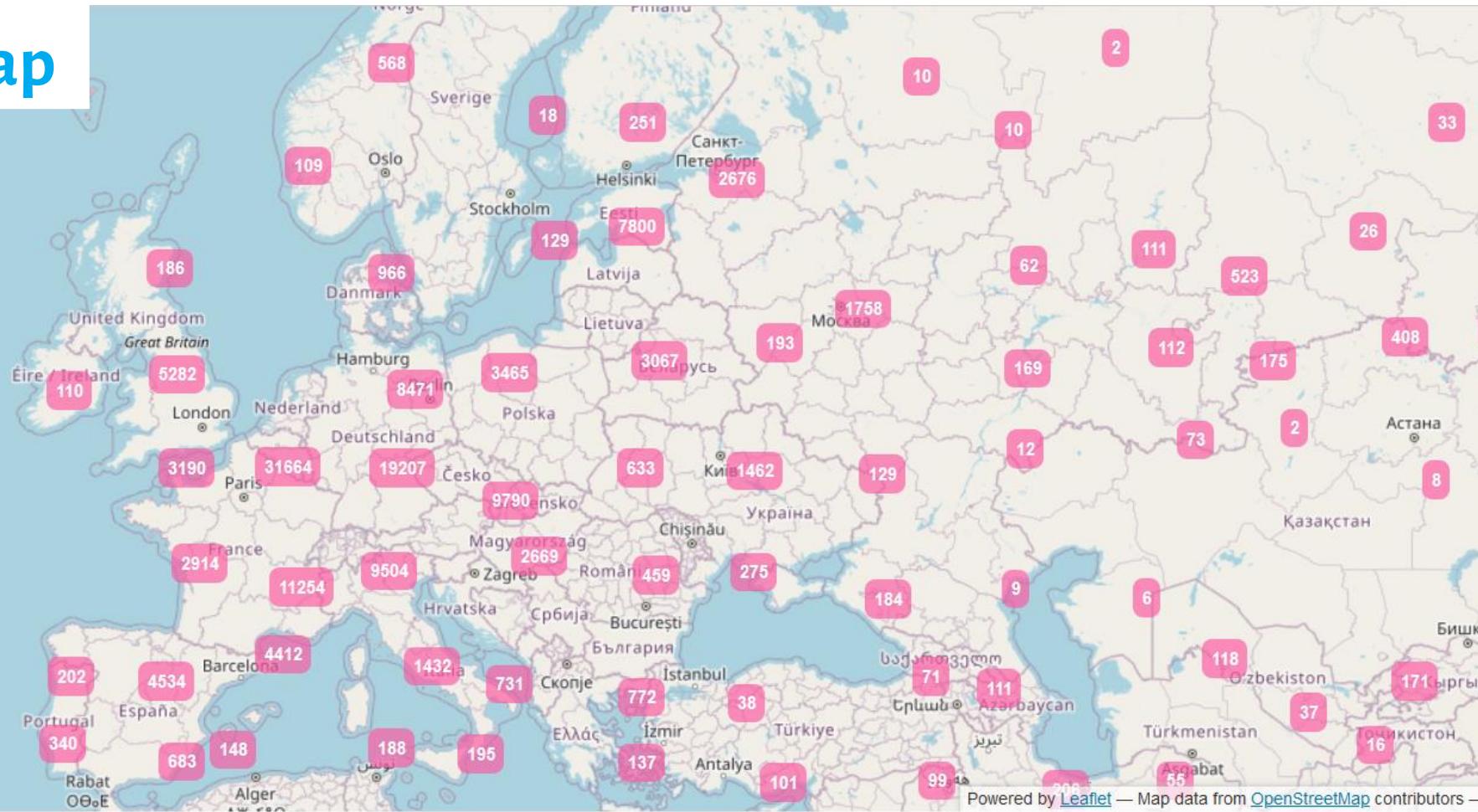
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Technologies	
Samlet optælling af objekter: 10.300	
Body-worn Cameras	3.994
Drones	1.240
License Plate Readers	1.132
Ring Partnership	2.199
Camera Registry	339
Face Recognition	797
Gunshot Detection	156
Cell-site Simulator	51
Predictive Policing	169
Video Analytics	31
Fusion Center	62
Real-Time Crime Center	130

Esri, TomTom, Garmin, FAO, NOAA, USGS, EPA, USFWS

Atlas of Surveillance is a project of the Electronic Frontier Foundation and the Reynolds School of Journalism at the University of Nevada, Reno

Project: The CCTV Map

https://cctv.masspirates.org/

Interactive database
Public data
Publicly assembled

Specific Cities

Boston | Worcester | Springfield | Lowell | Fall River

About

This site displays the locations of CCTV cameras people have mapped in Open Street Map in North America. It focuses on Massachusetts and New England. It is part of the #BINJbrother effort by the Boston Institute for Nonprofit Journalism.
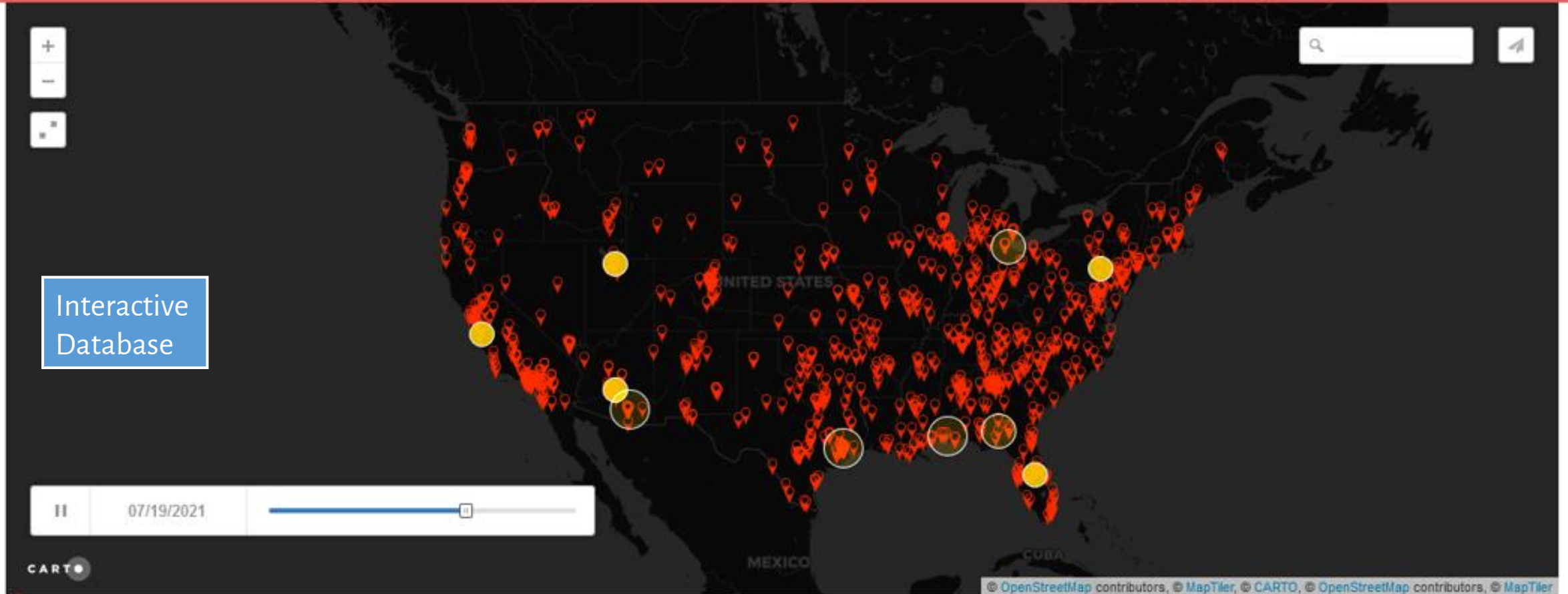
Project: Mapping Police Violence

https://mappingpoliceviolence.org/

Project: Surveillance Cities

Interactive database

Expert knowledge
No participation

Artistic Projects/Presentations

Glenn Harvey / for NBC News
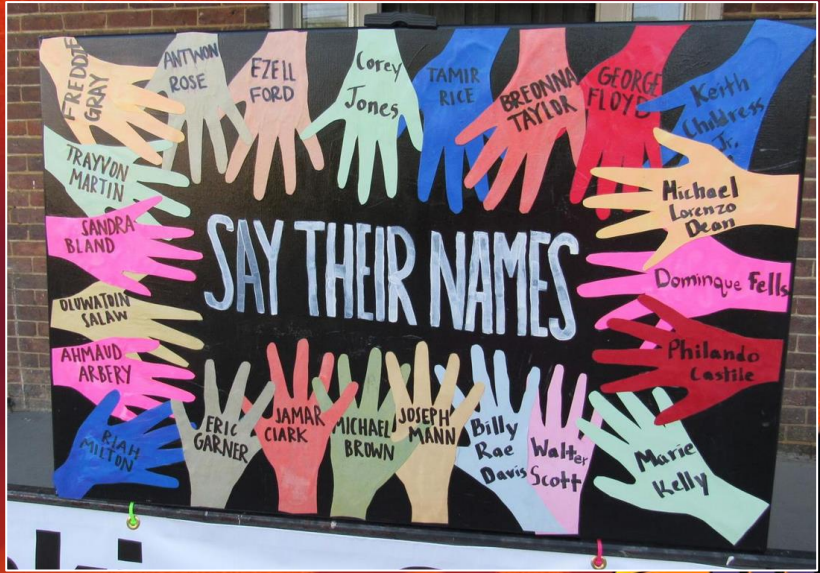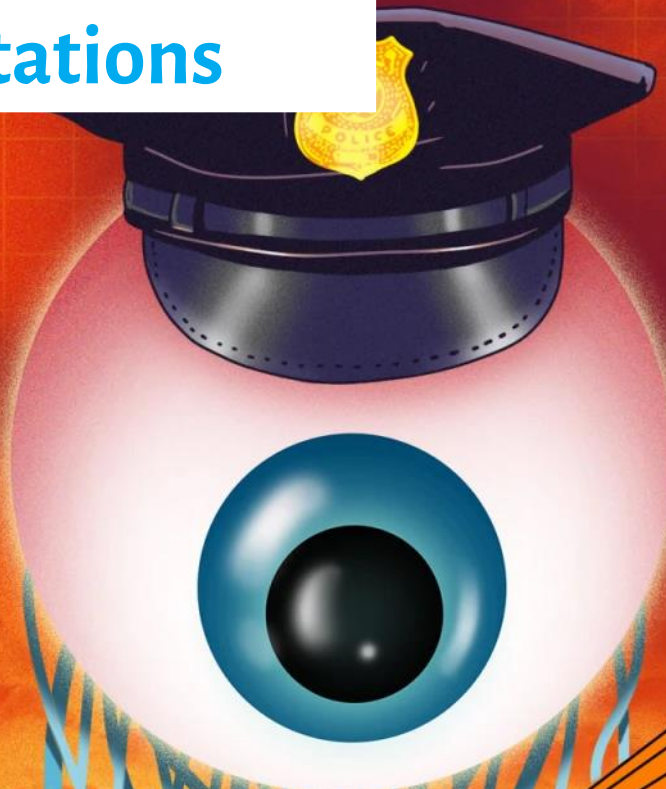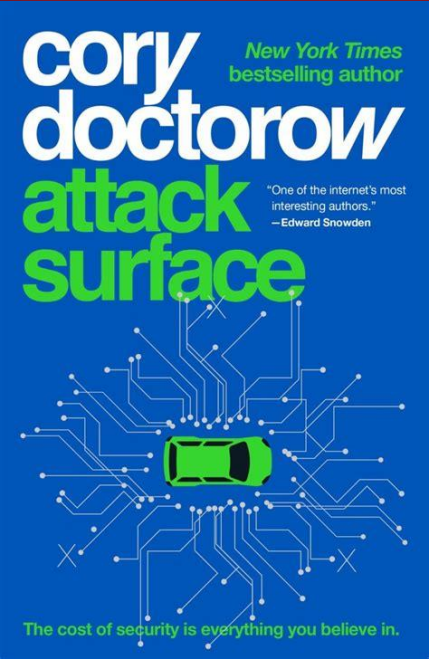
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