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Introduction

The material presented here focuses on the politics of racial violence in Britain. The material is an audio file, originally 30 minutes in length, and examines the issues around this subject. It was recorded in 1995.

This OpenLearn course provides a sample of Level 2 study in [Sociology](#).

Learning Outcomes

After studying this course, you should be able to:

- give examples of racial violence from a European perspective.

1 The politics of racial violence in Britain

Paul Gordon presents a series of views about racial violence from a European perspective. The audio programme was recorded in 1995.

Participants in the audio programme were:

- **Paul Gordon** member of The Runnymede Trust (race relations organisation);
- **Liz Fekete** researcher at the Institute of Race Relations (educational charity);
- **Cathie Lloyd** an academic at Warwick University;
- **Glyn Ford** Member of the European Parliament (MEP).

Activity 1

After listening to the audio programme consider the following questions:

- What has the European Parliament done to address this issue?
- Can you give some examples of race hate materials?

Racial violence: European perspectives part 1 (9 minutes, 3.6 MB)

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Racial violence: European perspectives part 2 (11 minutes, 4.4 MB)

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Racial violence: European perspectives part 3 (11 minutes, 4.5 MB)

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