

# “Transnational Repression Increasingly Reaches into the United States” Just Security

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In a recent article for *Just Security*, Jenner & Block Partner Jason Hipp along with Associates Emily Merrifield and Susanna Evarts explain how authoritarian regimes use transnational repression tactics to threaten dissidents who come to the United States for a new life.

The authors break down the challenges of litigating transnational repression claims in the United States, recent instances of how transnational repression occurs on U.S. soil, and U.S. government efforts to address these threats.

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