



# A&S Media Report - 12/12/2025

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## Social Sciences

### [Chatbots Can Meaningfully Shift Political Opinions, Studies Find](#)

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New York Times and 127 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** David Rand, Gordon Pennycook

**Related Department or Program:** Psychology

### [No, New York City's wealthiest are not fleeing the city after Mamdani's win](#)

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The Guardian and 9 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Cristobal Young

**Related Department or Program:** Sociology

### [Domestic politics driving Thailand-Cambodia border tensions says Cornell Southeast Asia expert](#)

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**Related People:** Thomas Pepinsky

**Related Department or Program:** Government

### [Workshop, talk focused on applying lessons learned from COVID](#)

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**Related People:** Thomas Pepinsky, Peter John Loewen

**Related Department or Program:** Government

**[Cornell-China trip celebrates 20 years of CAPS program](#)**

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A&S Communications

**Related People:** Peter John Loewen, Xu Xin

**Related Department or Program:** Government, China and Asia-Pacific Studies Program

**[Australia's teen social media enforcement takes a big step tomorrow, here's what to know \(audio, begins 1:32\)](#)**

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KPCC

**Related People:** Sarah Kreps

**Related Department or Program:** Government

**[Thai Leader's Hard Line on Cambodia Clash Risks Irking Trump](#)**

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Bloomberg and 42 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Thomas Pepinsky

**Related Department or Program:** Government

**[Commentary: When did the Supreme Court stop caring about public opinion?](#)**

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Miami Herald and 29 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Peter K. Enns

**Related Department or Program:** Government

**[Why news organizations are suing AI companies, and what they hope to win](#)**

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NPR and 599 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Sarah Kreps

**Related Department or Program:** Government

**[Latin American assets rally on Fed cut, Brazil's centbank maintains pause](#)**

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Reuters

**Related People:** Kenneth Roberts

**Related Department or Program:** Government

**[Ahead of Trump Call, Fighting Between Thailand and Cambodia Intensifies](#)**

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New York Times and 42 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Thomas Pepinsky

**Related Department or Program:** Government

**Humanities and Arts, Social Sciences**

**[‘Guilt by association’ doesn’t justify a war on immigrants](#)**

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The Hill and 3 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Glenn Altschuler

**Related Department or Program:** American Studies Program

**[Ancient ‘dirty dishes’ may have led archaeologists astray for decades](#)**

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Popular Science and 5 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Sturt Manning , Rebecca Gerdes, Ph.D. '24

**Related Department or Program:** Classics, Archaeology Program

**[Women-Led Startup Wins \\$500K for Real-Food Calcium Supplement Innovation](#)**

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Fox 40

**Related People:** Adrienne Bitar

**Related Department or Program:** American Studies Program

## Your December 2025 Reads

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Cornellians

**Related People:** Multiple alumni

**Related Department or Program:** Literatures in English, History, American Studies Program

## Nick Salvatore, 'one of our foremost historians,' dies at 82

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Cornell Chronicle

**Related People:** Nick Salvatore, Glenn Altschuler

**Related Department or Program:** American Studies Program

## **Humanities and Arts**

## Tech elites are starting their own for-profit cities

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Financial Times and 4 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Raymond B. Craib

**Related Department or Program:** History

## Campana wins MLA's Scaglione Prize for book on Japanese poetry

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**Related People:** Andrew Campana

**Related Department or Program:** Asian Studies

## Doctoral Alumna Selected for CGS/ProQuest Distinguished Dissertation Award

12/08/2025

Graduate School

**Related People:** Dusti Cheyenne Bridges, Ph.D. '25

**Related Department or Program:** Archaeology Program, Anthropology

## [At Age 90, a Singer, Collector, and Scholar of Folk Music Goes Digital](#)

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Cornellians

**Related People:** Ellen Stekert '57

**Related Department or Program:** Philosophy

## [Ask a puzzlemaker \(audio, starts 2:28\)](#)

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WAMU and 556 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Anna Shechtman

**Related Department or Program:** Literatures in English

## [Undergrads launch magazine featuring in-depth stories](#)

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**Related People:** Henry Fernandez '27

**Related Department or Program:** Literatures in English

## [German author researching climate change wins Moth Nature Writing Prize 2025](#)

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Irish Times

**Related People:** Ishion Hutchinson

**Related Department or Program:** Literatures in English

## [Bigger than me](#)

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This American Life and 499 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Judith A. Byfield

**Related Department or Program:** History

## **Sciences and Math**

### [Scientists sent a menstrual cup to space. This is how it went](#)

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Space.com and 1 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Ligia Coelho

**Related Department or Program:** Astronomy, Carl Sagan Institute

### [Your Dog May Be Looking More Like Your Cat—And Science Explains Why](#)

12/08/2025

Indian Defense Review and 2 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Abby Grace Drake

**Related Department or Program:** Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

### [Electrons stay put in layers of mismatched 'quantum Legos'](#)

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Phys.org and 2 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Tomás Arias , Drake Niedzielski , graduate student

**Related Department or Program:** Physics

### [Cornell University student named Navy/Marine Corps Student of the Year](#)

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My Twin Tiers

**Related People:** Kylie Williamson '26

**Related Department or Program:** Physics

### [Math Major Wins Silver in an Unlikely Sport: Chessboxing](#)

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Cornellians

**Related People:** Will MacLeod '26

**Related Department or Program:** Mathematics

### [Cake-pan telescope searches the sky for fast radio bursts](#)

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Cornell Chronicle

**Related People:** Shami Chatterjee, James M. Cordes, Sashabaw Niedbalski , graduate student

**Related Department or Program:** Astronomy, Carl Sagan Institute

### **Boosting Sleep Ripples Helps Preserve Memories Normally Forgotten**

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Neuroscience News and 2 other media outlet(s)

**Related People:** Azahara Oliva , Antonio Fernandez-Ruiz , Heath Robinson, Ralitsa Todorova

**Related Department or Program:** Neurobiology and Behavior

### **Brain stimulation during sleep boosts weak memories in mice**

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Cornell Chronicle

**Related People:** Azahara Oliva , Antonio Fernandez-Ruiz , Heath Robinson, Ralitsa Todorova

**Related Department or Program:** Neurobiology and Behavior

## **Humanities and Arts, Sciences and Math, Social Sciences**

### **Celebrating the journey with our December A&S grads**

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**Related People:** Multiple students

**Related Department or Program:** Cognitive Science Program, Economics, Government, Milstein Program in Technology & Humanity, Psychology

## **Humanities and Arts, Sciences and Math**

### **From Milstein Scholar to Design Tech Pioneer**

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Cornell Tech

**Related People:** Julia Beitel '24

**Related Department or Program:** Milstein Program in Technology & Humanity