

Alfred University professor Goodman publishes new book

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ALFRED, NY Robyn Goodman, professor of communication studies at Alfred University, had her second book published earlier this month.

Goodman's second book, *Critical Perspectives on Journalistic Beliefs and Actions: Global Experiences*, co-edited with Eric Freedman (Michigan State University) and Elanie Steyn (University of Oklahoma), was published May 2 by Routledge as part of its research in journalism book series.

The book is a collection of international scholars' research examining the unique influence of journalists' beliefs on their coverage in a wide range of authoritarian, semi-democratic, and democratic systems in the Arab World, Australia, Bangladesh, Bulgaria, China, Denmark, India, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Malaysia, Mexico, Russia, Samoa, South Africa, Taiwan, Turkey, and the United States.

It also examines issues such as journalists' attitudes toward their contributions to society; the impact of industry and technological changes; culture and minority issues in the newsroom and profession; the impact of censorship and self-censorship; and coping with psychological pressures and physical safety dilemmas in national and multinational arenas.

Critical Perspectives on Journalistic Beliefs and Actions: Global Experiences can be purchased on [Amazon](#).

Goodman's previous book, *Global Journalism Education in the 21st Century: Challenges and Innovations*, was published in April 2017. Goodman virtually presented *Global Journalism Education's* findings in Mumbai, India, at a regional International Communication Association (ICA) conference last December on a panel titled "Innovations in Journalism Education: When East meets West."