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South Asia

TWENTY YEARS AGO, intercommunal riots in India's western state of Gujarat left more than 1,000 people dead, mostly Muslims, in what was widely described as a pogrom. The state government, led at the time by Narendra Modi, did little to stop the violence. Since Modi became India's prime minister in 2014, his party's Hindu nationalist ideology has taken an increasingly hostile stance toward minorities. How much remains of the multicultural fabric of Indian democracy? *Current History's* April issue will address that question and more trends across the region. Topics scheduled to appear include:

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Atreyee Sen, University of Copenhagen
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Renu Addlakha, Centre for Women's Development Studies
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Sanjay K. Nepal, University of Waterloo
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Wazhmah Osman, Temple University
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Ashvin Immanuel Devasundaram, Queen Mary University of London
- **Precarious Karachi**
Nichola Khan, University of Brighton

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