An op-ed by Dean Ritter advocating for social sciences funding ran in *The Hill*. Research by Lisa Kaltenegger and Sarah Rugheimer (ASTRONOMY) modeling U-V radiation’s effects on evolving worlds ran in 10 media outlets.

**STATS AT A GLANCE**
- 43 external media stories tracked
- 2 press releases/tip sheets distributed
- 1 studio appearances arranged
- 6 *Cornell Chronicle/Pawprint/Ezra* stories
- 8 *Tumblr* blog entries
- 17 *Tweets*
- 3 *Facebook* posts

**SELECTED STORIES**

**Humanities and Arts**

*Confederate flag flies high after Charleston church shooting. Should it come down?*
*AL*, 6/19/15
Ed Baptist (HISTORY)

*Mellon Foundation gives $275,000 to Cornell* *
*Ithaca Journal*, 6/16/15, *Cornell Chronicle*
Gretchen Ritter, Timothy Murray, Philip Lewis (SOCIETY FOR THE HUMANITIES, ROMANCE STUDIES)

*She didn’t just play the race card — she actually lived it!*
*Miami Herald*, 6/15/15
Carole Boyce-Davies (AFRICANA, ENGLISH)

*Summer Cinema Selections*
*Ithaca Times*, 6/15/15
Mary Fessenden (CORNELL CINEMA, PMA)

*Asian, European languages not so different under the hood*
*Cornell Chronicle*, 6/12/15
John Hale, John Whitman, Jiwon Yun, Ph.D. ‘13, Zhong Chen, Ph.D. ’14, (LINGUISTICS)

*The College Years of Eve Kosofsky Sedgwick, a Founder of Queer Theory* *
**Sciences and Math**

- Could barren worlds someday host alien life? Computer models hope to reveal how Earth-like planets may evolve over time
  *Daily Mail*, 6/18/15, *Cornell Chronicle*, and 9 other media outlets
  Lisa Kaltenegger, Sarah Rugheimer (ASTRONOMY)

- Humans can bug-out to Mars without ruining search for life
  *New Scientist*, 6/18/15
  Alberto Fairen (ASTRONOMY)

- Stanford Engineers Find a Simple Yet Clever Way to Boost Chip Speeds
  *Science Newsline*, 6/17/15 and 1 other media outlet
  Paul McEuen (PHYSICS)

- Atkinson Center grants $1.2 million to sustainable ideas
  *Cornell Chronicle*, 6/18/15
  William Dichtel, Christine Goodale (CHEMISTRY, EEB)

**Social Sciences**

- Cutting social science funding stalls future innovation *
  *The Hill*, 6/16/15
  Gretchen Ritter

*The Tragedy of Kalief Browder is Still Overshadowed by the Willie Horton Effect*

*National Catholic Review*, 6/18/15
Joseph Margulies (GOVERNMENT)

*Malaysia’s opposition coalition is dead*

*New Mandala*, 6/18/15
Thomas Pepinsky (GOVERNMENT)

*Why People Say They Know Made-Up Things*

*Epoch Times*, 6/16/15
David Dunning, graduate student Stav Atir (PSYCHOLOGY)

*Extremist Politics Before and After Charlie Hebdo*

*Global Dialogue*, June 2015
Mabel Berezin (SOCIOLOGY)

*Elementary school students dig archaeology *

*Cornell Chronicle*, 6/18/15
Adam Smith, Lori Khatchadourian (ANTHROPOLOGY, NES)

*Re-examining the ‘first impressions’ adage*
Other Stories and Multiple Departments

A&S alumni join in events to welcome new students. *

College of Arts and Sciences Medium, 5/28/15
Alex Bhak ’89, Camilla Gersh ’07

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