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Goldsmith's work focuses on City and Regional Planning, Urban Studies, Public Policy, Regional Science, Latin American Studies, and International Development. He has consulted on issues of urbanization and development for the Urban Development Commission in New York State, the Ministry of Finance in Mexico, the national Congress in Chile, the Ministry of Cities and other agencies in Brazil, the Chagaramas Development Authority in Trinidad, and the Governor, Government Development Bank, and Planning Board of Puerto Rico. He is an experienced researcher, lecturer, university professor, and administrator.

He has served on the Governing Board of the (US-Canada) Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP), the Faculty Committee of the Cornell Prison Education Program, the Faculty Board of Cornell University Press, and the City of Ithaca's Board of Public Works. Earlier in Ithaca he founded and chaired the board of Tompco Better Housing. He was appointed by the Clinton Administration to the US Environmental Protection Agency's Clean Air Act Advisory Committee, on which he served for a decade. He served on the Fulbright Latin America Selection Committee for faculty. He has been active in university accreditation reviews in Planning.

Now professor emeritus at Cornell University, Goldsmith holds a Ph.D. from Cornell (Regional Planning, with minors in Economic Theory, Economic Development, and Public Administration) and a BS from the University of California, Berkeley (Civil Engineering).

English is his native language, and he has good speaking and reading, limited writing ability in Spanish and Portuguese, and modest abilities in Italian.

Goldsmith began teaching at Cornell's Department of City and Regional Planning in 1967 and has served as visiting professor of planning at the University of California, Berkeley, the University of Puerto Rico, and Los Andes and Javeriana Universities in Bogota. He was visiting professor of economics at the University of Brasília and the Federal University of Ceara (Fortaleza), Brazil, and at La Sapienza University of Rome, Italy. He has researched and lectured frequently overseas, in Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Cuba, Guatemala, India, Italy, Spain, China, and Trinidad-Tobago. At Cornell, Goldsmith chaired the Department of City and Regional Planning for three terms during which the department grew and diversified, and he directed at various times the graduate and

undergraduate degree programs. He founded the campus-wide Program on International Studies in Planning and the Brazil Cities summer program, directed and frequently taught in the semester-long urban studies program in Rome, chaired the board of Cornell's Center for Religion, Ethics, and Social Policy, and was interim director of the full-time study program Cornell in Washington.

Goldsmith taught the introductory CRP core course in urban and regional theory for graduate students from 1969 to 2011 and also the core course, *The American City*, for undergraduate urban studies from the program's founding in 1983 to 2011. He chaired graduate committees for 37 Cornell PhDs, from more than a dozen countries, employed at agencies such as Ford, IBRD, and CIDA; national planning and research ministries; and universities, including, among others -- in the US: Rutgers, Michigan, Minnesota, Illinois, Cornell, and Texas; and abroad: Montreal, Toronto, Paris, Ateneo (Manila), Chulalongkorn (Bangkok), King Saud (Riyad), Capetown, Puerto Rico, Catolica (Chile), Sao Paulo, Brasilia, and Guadalajara. He also chaired 55 masters thesis committees for students from 20-odd countries and served on numerous PhD committees for students in anthropology, sociology, economics, and engineering.

Goldsmith held Fulbright research and teaching awards in Colombia, Brazil, and Italy.

Goldsmith has published numerous scholarly papers, mainly on US cities, segregation, and poverty, and also on international urbanization and regional development. His co-authored book *Separate Societies: Poverty and Inequality in U.S. Cities* won the biennial Davidoff Prize from ACSP in 1993; the second edition was published in 2010 with a foreword by President Bill Clinton. He co-edited *Urban and Regional Planning in an Age of Austerity* in 1980, and his book *Saving Our Cities: A Progressive Plan to Transform Urban America* will appear August 2015 from Cornell University Press.

A list of selected publications follows:

### **Books**

*Saving Our Cities: A Progressive Plan to Transform Urban America* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, August 2016) Winner (Honorable Mention) of the biennial John Friedmann Book Award from the Assoc of Collegiate Schools of Planning, 2016

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