



2024 PPI YEAR IN REVIEW

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MESSAGE FROM THE PPI MANAGERS



2024 was another eventful year for the PPIs! While changes in election outcomes shifted the focus of our work in some areas, the demand for data-driven insights in prosecution remains as strong as ever.

This year, we launched new dashboards in Santa Clara, CA, and Frederick County, MD, and added three new sites to our network, with several more queued up for 2025. We've been expanding our efforts in the Midwest, intentionally partnering with smaller and rural jurisdictions. These offices represent the majority of prosecutors' offices in the U.S., and we see tremendous opportunities to make a meaningful impact in these communities.

We were honored to share our work at the National Academy of Sciences and delivered four presentations at the American Society of Criminology Conference. We also had the unique opportunity to host prosecutors from Georgia and Tajikistan to exchange ideas about global transparency efforts.

Our commitment to community engagement remained strong. In collaboration with the Broward County State Attorney's Office and South Florida People of Color, we co-hosted two powerful events: an "Awkward Brunch" and "Empowerment by the Numbers." These gatherings brought together community leaders and activists to discuss the Broward PPI dashboard, leading to valuable insights for State Attorney Harold Pryor on potential policy changes.

On a personal note, we extend our heartfelt congratulations to Laurie Garduque as she retires from her role at the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation. Laurie has been one of our earliest champions and a steadfast supporter of our work. We wish her all the best in this exciting new chapter of her life!



Top: Besiki presenting at the National Academies of Sciences on the PPI work | Middle: Data got the Maryland partners excited! | Bottom: Melba presenting at National Academies, Building Partnerships with Communities



Rebecca Dunlea, Melba Pearson, Don Stemen, Besiki Kutateladze

2023 BY THE NUMBERS:

2

2 New dashboards Santa Clara, CA & Frederick County, MD

3

New sites - Polk County, IA; Hancock, IN; and Winnebago County, WI.

68

Hate crimes interviews were completed

1

Forthcoming article in America Bar Association Magazine

2

Hosted 2 international prosecutorial delegations at FIU

4

Presentations at the American Society of Criminology Conference

3

Community events – Awkward Brunch and Empowerment by the Numbers with State Attorney Harold Pryor

2

Events in collaboration with Morgan State University, one of our partner HBCUs in Maryland

FEATURED INDICATOR

LEADERSHIP AND LINE PROSECUTOR DIVERSITY (PPI 1.3)

In a forthcoming report, we explore the connection between the race of the elected prosecutor and the level of diversity among the line staff. Stay tuned!



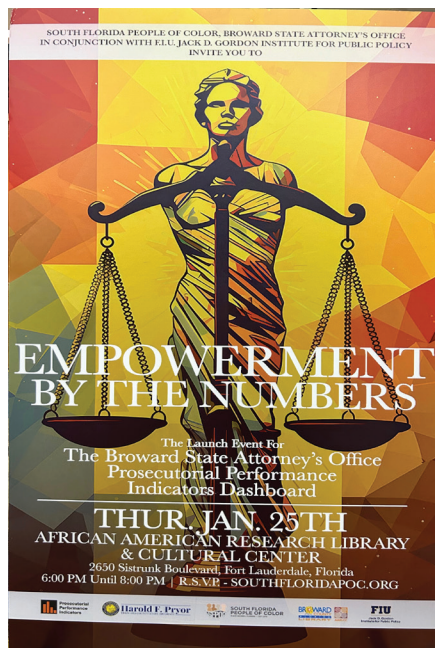
Community cohosts of "Awkward Brunch" from South Florida People of Color



2 New dashboards Santa Clara, CA & Frederick, MD



Broward community engagement event with South Florida People of Color and Broward State Attorney Harold Pryor



The PPI Team hosted prosecutors from Tajikistan to discuss transparency and reform efforts globally

WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2025:

Insightful outlook for the new year!

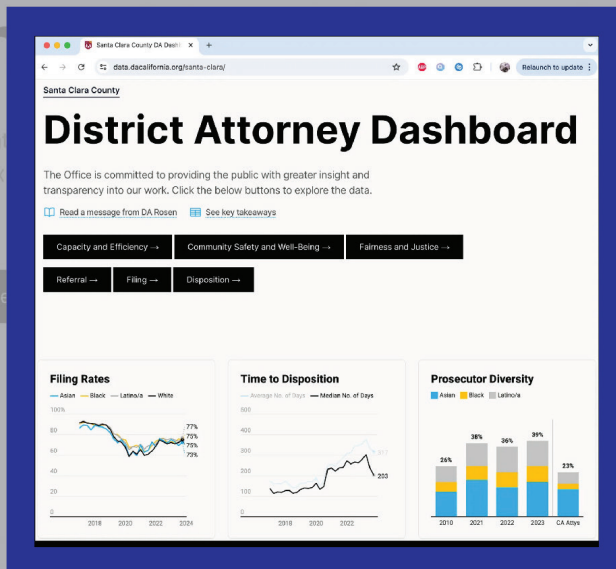
District Attorney

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[Read a message from DA Rosen](#) [See key takeaways](#)

Dashboard in Baltimore, Maryland; Hancock County, Indiana; and Polk County, Iowa.

3 NEW DASHBOARDS



Filing Rates

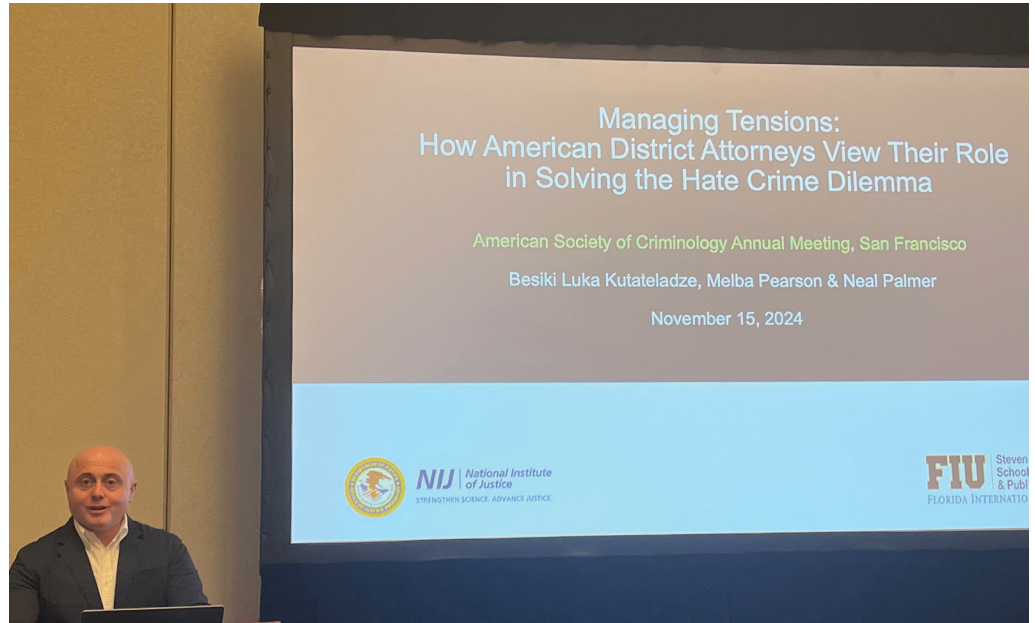
Time to Disposition

Prosecutor Diversity



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We are especially thankful to our funders who have supported us in the work of transforming the prosecutorial data space – John D and Catherine T MacArthur Foundation, Schusterman Family Philanthropies, Microsoft Justice Reform Initiative, and the National Institute of Justice.



L|M: State Attorney Harold Pryor speaking with community activists at Awkward Brunch | M: Community engagement event at Morgan State University in Baltimore

CHEERS TO 2025!

2024 PPI Convening in Chicago





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