POL2700 COMPARATIVE POLITICS
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Format:
This seminar is reading and discussion intensive. All students are expected to have covered the required readings for each session. The recommended readings listed complement the required readings and the expectation is that, together, the required and recommended readings will provide a foundation for students preparing for field examinations.

Requirements:
The course has six required texts and a course pack. Student participation, both in the form of individual seminar presentations and active discussion in all sessions, is essential. Students will be asked to lead the discussion each week on specific readings. Class participation is worth 22% of the final grade.

All students are required to write six essay responses to a question that is given to students one week in advance of the due date. The essays are to be no more than 10 pages of double-spaced text. No outside sources or references are required. The instructors are interested in your own ideas, thoughts and reactions. No late papers will be accepted without a physician's note. Papers will be worth 78% of the final grade (each worth 13%).

Assignment Due Dates:

Sept. 25
Nov. 6
Jan 8.
Jan. 22
Feb. 5
March 12

Readings:
Reading packets will be made available to students. They can be purchased at: Alicos

Digital Print and Copy Centre (203A College Street: Southeast corner of St. George and College, next to Starbucks). Tel: (416) 599-2342.

In addition to the packet, students are advised to purchase the following books from the U of T bookstore.

Texts for assignments:

Anderson, Benedict. 1991. *Imagined Communities: Reflections on the Origin and Spread of Nationalism*, Revised ed. New York: Verso.

Skocpol, Theda. 1979. *States and Social Revolutions*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Olson, Mancur. 1965. *The Logic of Collective Action*. Cambridge: Harvard University Press.

Putman, Robert. 1993. *Making Democracy Work.* Princeton: Princeton University Press.

Moore, Barrington. 1966. *The Social Origins of Dictatorship and Democracy*. Boston: Beacon Press.

Katzenstein, Peter J. 1985. *Small States in World Markets: industrial policy in Europe*, Ithaca, N.Y.: Cornell University Press.

These texts are also available from the bookstore. They are required reading:

Robert Dahl, *Polyarchy: Participation and Opposition* (New Haven: Yale University Press, 1971)

Tarrow, S. 1994. *Power in Movement: social movements, collective action and politics.* Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Huntington, Samuel. 1991. *The Third Wave: democratization in the late twentieth century*. Norman, OK: University of Oklahoma Press.

Horowitz, Donald L. 1985. *Ethnic Groups in Conflict*. Berkeley: University of California Press.

Syllabus Legend:

***** designates a required book available at the book store

@ designates an online reading available on the POL2700 blackboard page.

© designates a coursepack reading.

® designates a reading available at the course reserves desk at Robarts Library 4th floor.

FIRST TERM

Sept. 11 Introduction to the course (JB and RH)

--No readings--

Sept. 18 Comparative Politics: Field or Method (JB)

Required Readings:
® © Przeworski, Adam and Henry Teune. 1970. *The Logic of Comparative Social Inquiry*. New York: Wiley. Introduction and Chapter 1, pp. 3-30.

@ Lijphart, Arend. 1971. "Comparative Politics and the Comparative Method." *American Political Science Review* 65: 682-693.

® Peter Hall, "Aligning Ontology and Methodology in Comparative Politics," (Chap. 11, pp. 373-406), in Mahoney, James and Dietrich Rueschemeyer. 2003. *Comparative Historical Analysis in the Social Sciences.* Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. Chap. 1, pp. 3-40, , Chap. 12, pp. 407-428.

Recommended Readings:
Geddes, Barbara. 1990. "How the Cases You Choose Determines the Answers You Get." *Political Analysis* vol. 2, no.1: 131-150.

Sartori, Giovanni. 1991. "Comparing and Miscomparing." *Journal of Theoretical Politics* Vol.3, No.3: 243-257.

Dunning. Thad. 2008. "Improving Causal Inference: The Strengths and Limitations of Natural Experiments." *Political Research Quarterly* vol.61, no.2: 282-293.

Seawright, Jason and John Gerring. 2008. "Case Selection Techniques in Case Study Research: A Menu of Qualitative and Quantitative Options." *Political Research Quarterly* vol.61 no.2: 294-308.

Tetlock, Philip E. and Aaron Belkin. 1996. "Counterfactual Thought Experiments in World Politics: Logical, Methodological and Psychological Perspectives" in *Counterfactual Thought Experiments in World Politics*, Philip E. Tetlock and Aaron Belkin (eds.), Princeton: Princeton University Press: 1-38.

Sept. 25 Rational Choice (RH) * Assignment Due

Required Readings:
*® Olson, Mancur. 1965. *The Logic of Collective Action*. Cambridge: Harvard University Press.

Recommended Readings:
Popkin, Samuel. 1979. *The Rational Peasant: The Political Economy of Rural Society in Vietnam.* Berkley: University of California Press.

Ostrom, Elinor. 1991. "Rational Choice Theory and Institutional Analysis: Toward Complementarity." *American Political Science Review* vol.85, no.1: 237-243.

Hirschman, Albert O. 1970. *Exit, Voice and Loyalty.* Cambridge: Harvard University Press.

Tsebelis, George. 1990. *Nested Games.* Berkley: University of California Press.

Chong, Dennis. 1991. *Collective Action and the Civil Rights Movement.* Chicago: Chicago University Press. Esp. Chapters 1-5.

Rogowski, Ronald. 1974. *Rational Legitimacy: A Theory of Political Science.* Princeton: Princeton University Press: 24-34.

Rogowski, Ronald. 1989. *Commerce and Coalitions: How Trade Affects Political Alignments.* Princeton: Princeton University Press.

Bates, Robert. 1983. *Essays on the Political Economy of Rural Africa.* New York: Cambridge University Press.

Barry, Brian. 1978. *Sociologists, Economists and Democracy.* Chicago: University of Chicago Press.

Shapiro, Ian and Donald Green. 1994. *Pathologies of Rational Choice Theory.* Yale UP.

Oct. 2 Institutionalism (JB)

Required Readings:

©Samuel Huntington, *Political Order in Changing Societies* (New Haven: Yale University Press, 1968), pp. 1-32

@Thelen, Kathleen. 1999. "Historical Institutionalism in Comparative Politics," *Annual Review of Political Science,* 2: 369-404.

@ Hall, Peter and Rosemary Taylor. 1996. "Political Science and the Three New Institutionalisms." *Political Studies* vol.44, no.5: 936-957.

@ Gretchen Helmke and Steven Levitsky, "Informal Institutions and Comparative Politics: A Research Agenda." *Perspectives on Politics* 2, No. 4 (2004): 725-740.

Recommended Readings:

Thelen, Kathleen and Sven Steinmo. 1992. *Structuring Politics: Historical Institutionalism in Comparative Perspective.* New York: Cambridge University Press. Chap. 1, pp. 1-32.

Thelen, Kathleen "How Institutions Evolve: Insights from Comparative Historical Analysis, Chapter 6 in Mahoney, James and Dietrich Rueschemeyer. 2003. *Comparative Historical Analysis in the Social Sciences.* Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 208-235

Arend Lijphart, "Constitutional Choices for New Democracies," *Journal of Democracy* (Winter 1991).

Jonathan Rodden, "Back to the Future: Endogenous Institutions and Comparative Politics," in Mark I. Lichbach and Alan S. Zuckerman, eds. *Comparative Politics: Rationality, Culture, and Structure* (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2009), pp. 333-357.

Douglass C. North and Barry R. Weingast, "Constitutions and Commitment: The Evolution of Institutions Governing Public Choice in Seventeenth Century England," *Journal of Economic History* 49, No 4 (December 1989): 803-832.

Pierson, Paul. 2000. "Increasing Returns, Path Dependence, and the Study of Politics." *American Political Science Review*, vol.94, no.2: 251-267.

Immergut, Ellen M. 1998. "The Theoretical Core of the New Institutionalism" *Politics and Society*, vol.26, no.1: 5-34.

Tilly, Charles. 1984. *Big, Structures, Large Processes, Huge Comparisons.* New York: Russell Sage Foundation.

Mahoney, James. 2000. “Path Dependence in Historical Sociology.” *Theory and Society* vol.29, no.4: 507-548.

Rueschemeyer, Dietrich, and John D. Stephens. 1997. "Comparing Historical Sequences: A Powerful Tool for Causal Analysis." *Comparative Social Research* 16: 55-72.

North, Douglass. 1990. *Institutions, Institutional Change and Economic Performance* Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Pontusson, Jonas. 1995. “Putting Political Institutions in Their Place and Taking Interests Seriously.” *Comparative Political Studies,* vol.28, no.1: 117-148.

Pierson, Paul. 2004. *Politics in Time: History, Institutions and Social Analysis* Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 79-132.

Oct. 9 Ideas and Politics (RH)

Required Reading:

Mark Blyth. 1997. “‘Any More Bright Ideas?’ The Ideational Turn in Comparative Political Economy.” *Comparative Politics* 29(2): 229-250.

Mark Blyth. 2002. *Great Transformations: Economic Ideas and Political Change in the Twentieth Century*, Introduction.

Peter Hall, ed. 1989. *The Political Power of Economic Ideas*, Introduction.

Randall Hansen and Desmond King. 2001. “Eugenic Ideas, Political Interests and Policy Variance: Immigration and Sterilization Policy in Britain and the US.” *World Politics* 53(2): 237-263.

Shari Berman. 1998. *“Ideas, Norms, and Culture in Political Analysis,” Comparative Politics, 33,* 2, January 2001.

Recommended Reading (focusing on framing, discourse, and constructivist approaches)

Erik Bleich. 2002. “Integrating Ideas into Policymaking Analysis: Frames and Race Policies in Britain and France.” *Comparative Political Studies* 35(9): 1054-1076.

Murray Edelman. 1971. *Politics as Symbolic Action*.

Frank Fischer and John Forester, eds. 1993. *The Argumentative Turn in Policy Analysis and Planning*.

Giandomenico Majone, 1989. *Evidence, Argument and Persuasion in the Policy Process*.

Oct. 16 Political Culture (JB)

Required Readings:

©Almond, G. and S. Verba. 1965. *The Civic Culture: Political Attitudes and Democracy in Five Nations.* Little Brown. Chap. 1, pp. 1-44

@Inglehart, Ron. 1988. "The Renaissance of Political Culture." *American Political Science Review,* 82 (4): 1203-1230

©James C. Scott "The Moral Economy of the Peasant: Rebellion and Subsistence in Southeast Asia," chap. 6, pp. 157-192.

@Lisa Wedeen "Conceptualizing Culture: Possibilities for Political Science**",**
The American Political Science Review, Vol. 96, No. 4. (Dec., 2002), pp. 713-728.

Recommended Readings:

Almond, G. and S. Verba. 1980. *The Civil Culture Revisited.* Little Brown.

Barry, Brian. 1978. *Sociologist, Economists and Democracy.* University of Chicago Press.

Coleman, J. S. 1990. *Foundations of Social Theory*. Harvard University Press.

Geertz, Clifford. "Thick Description: Toward an Interpretive Theory of Culture". In The *Interpretation of Cultures: Selected Essays*. New York: Basic Books, 1973. 3-30

Van Deth, Jan W. and Elinor Scarbrough. 1995. *The Impact of Values (Beliefs in Government, Vol. 4)*. Oxford University Press. 123-159.

Dalton, Russell J. 2000. "Citizen Attitudes and Political Behaviour." *Comparative Political Studies,* vol.33, no.7: 912-940.

Banfield, E. 1958. *The Moral Basis of a Backward Society*. Free Press.

Oct 23 Voting (Guest: Neil Nevitte)

Required Reading:

Required:
Niemi, R., & Weisberg, H. (1993). What Determines the Vote. In R. Niemi & H.

Weisberg (Eds.), *Classics in Voting Behaviour* (pp. 93-105). Washington: Congressional Quarterly.
Campbell, A., Converse, P.E., Miller, W.E., & Stokes, D.E. (1993). The Impact and Development of Party Identification. In R. Niemi & H. Weisberg (Eds.), *Classics in Voting Behaviour* (pp. 224-233). Washington: Congressional Quarterly.
Dalton, R. (1984). Cognitive Mobilization and Partisan Dealignment in Advanced Industrial Democracies. *Journal of Politics, 46*, 264-284.
Lewis-Beck, M., & Paldam, M. Economic Voting: An Introduction. *Electoral Studies, 19*, 113-121.

Recommended:

Downs, A. (1957). *An Economic Theory of Democracy* (Chapters 1 and 14). New York: Harper and Row.
Miller, W.E., & Shanks, J.M. (1996). *The New American Voter*. Cambridge: Harvard University Press.
Inglehart, R. (1971). The Silent Revolution in Europe. *American Political Science Review, 65*(4), 991-1017.
Barnes, S.H., Kaase, M., et al. (1971). *Political Action: Mass Participation in Five Western Democracies.* Beverly Hills: Sage Publications.
Verba, S., Nie, N., & Kim, J. (1978). *Participation and Political Equality*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
Gidengil, E., Nevitte, N., Blais, A., et al. (2012). *Dominance and Decline: Making Sense of Recent Canadian Elections*. Toronto: University of Toronto Press.
Fiorina, M. (1981). *Retrospective Voting in American National Elections.* New Haven: Yale University Press.
Angus, C., Converse, P., Miller, W., & Stokes, D. (`1960). *The American Voter*. New York: Wiley.
Lupia, A., McCubbins, M., & Popkin, S. (2000). *Elements of Reason: Cognition, Choice and The Bounds of Rationality*. London: Cambridge University Press.

Oct. 30 Political Parties (RH)

Required Readings:

© LaPalombara, Joseph and Myron Weiner. 1966. "The Origins and Development of Political Parties." In Joseph LaPalombara and Myron Weiner (eds.), *Political Parties and Political Development*. Princeton: Princeton University Press.

© Lipset, Seymour Martin and Stein Rokkan. 1967. "Cleavage Structures, Party Systems, and Voter Alignments." In Seymour Lipset and Stein Rokkan (eds.), *Party Systems and Voter Alignments: Cross-National Perspectives*. New York: Free Press.

© Sartori, Giovanni. 1976. “Parties and Party Systems: A Framework for Analysis.” In Richard Katz and Peter Mair (eds.), *How Parties Organize: Change and Adaptation in Western Democracies.* London: Cambridge University Press, pp. 71-106.

@Kitschelt, Herbert. 2000. “Linkages between Citizens and Politicians in Democratic Polities.” *Comparative Political Studies* vo.33, no.6-7: 845-879.

Peter Mair. 1996. “Party systems and Structures of Competition.” In *Comparing Democracies: Elections and Voting in a Global Perspective*, pp. 83-106.

Maurice Duverger. 1972. *Party Politics and Pressure Groups: A Comparative Introduction,* Chapter 1.

Recommended Readings:
Sartori, Giovanni. 1976. “Parties and Party Systems: A Framework for Analysis.” In Richard Katz and Peter Mair (eds.), *How Parties Organize: Change and Adaptation in Western Democracies.* London: Cambridge University Press, pp. 119-129, 174-200, 273-292, 324-350.

Downs, Anthony. 1957. *An Economic Theory of Democracy*. New York: Harper & Row

Duverger, Maurice. 1972. *Party Politics and Pressure Groups: A Comparative Introduction.* New York: Crowell. Chapter 1.

Michels, Robert. 1978. *Political Parties: A Sociological Study of the Oligarchical Tendency of Modern Democracy.* Gloucester: Peter Smith.

Kitschelt, Herbert. 1989. *The Logics of Party Formation*. Ithaca: Cornell University Press. Chapter 2.

Mair, Peter. 1996. “Party systems and Structures of Competition.” In LeDuc, Niemi and Norris (eds.), *Comparing Democracies: Elections and Voting in a Global Perspective*, Thousand Parks: Sage Publications.

Schmitter, Philippe. 2001. “Parties are not What They Once Were.” In L. Diamond and R. Gunther (eds.), *Political Parties and Democracy*. Baltimore: John Hopkins University Press: p. 67-89.

Nov. 6 Barrington Moore (JB) * Assignment Due

Required Readings:
*® Moore, Barrington. 1966. *The Social Origins of Dictatorship and Democracy*. Boston: Beacon. Whole book.

Suggested Reading:

Skocpol, Theda. (1973) "A Critical Review of Barrington Moore's Social Origins of Dictatorship and Democracy. "*Politics & Society*, 4(1), pp. 1-34.

Nov. 13 **November Break**

Nov. 20 Democratization I: Classical Approaches (JB)

Required Reading

® Robert Dahl, *Polyarchy: Participation and Opposition* (New Haven: Yale University Press, 1971), ch 1 (pp. 1-16), chapters 3-6 (pp. 33-104).

@ Seymour Martin Lipset, "Some Social Requisites of Democracy." *American Political Science Review* 53, no. 1 (1959): pp. 69-105.

© Carles Boix, *Democracy and Redistribution* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2003), pp. 1-59.

@ Dankwart Rustow, "Transitions to Democracy: Toward a Dynamic Model," *Comparative Politics*, 2 (April 1970), pp. 337-364.

Suggested Reading:

Adam Przeworski and Fernando Limongi, "Modernization: Theories and Facts," *World Politics*, 49 (January 1997), pp. 155-183.

Collier, Ruth. 1999. *Paths Toward Democracy*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Darden, Keith and Anna Grzymala Busse, "The Great Divide: Literacy, Nationalism, and Communist Collapse" *World Politics* 59 (1), 83-115.

Rueschemeyer, Dietrich, Evelyne Huber Stephens, and John D. Stephens, *Capitalist Development and Democracy* (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1992), pp. 12-78.

Daron Acemoglu and James A. Robinson, *Economic Origins of Dictatorship and Democracy* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2006), chapters 2-3 (pp. 15-87)

Nov. 27 Democratization II: Democracy after the Cold War (JB)

® O'Donnell, Guillermo and Philippe Schmitter. 1986. *Transitions from Authoritarian Rule*. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, pp. 3-72.

©Huntington, Samuel P., *The Third Wave: Democratization in the Late Twentieth Century* (Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 1991), pp. 13-46.

@ Barbara Geddes, "What Do We Know about Democratization after Twenty Years?" *Annual Review of Political Science* 2 (1999): 115-144.

Recommended Readings:

O'Donnell, Guillermo and Philippe Schmitter. 1986. *Transitions from Authoritarian Rule*. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, pp. 3-72.

Elisabeth Wood, "An Insurgent Path to Democracy: Popular Mobilization, Economic Interests and Regime Transition in South Africa and El Salvador." *Comparative Political Studies* 34, No. 8 (October 2001): 862-888.

Linz, Juan and Alfred Stepan. 1996. *Problems of Democratic Transition and Consolidation: Southern Europe, South America, and post-communist Europe.* Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, pp. 3-83.

O'Donnell, Nodia, Wollack, Hyman, and Carothers. 2002. "Debating the Transition Paradigm." *Journal of Democracy*, vol.13, no.3: 6-38.

Rueschemeyer, Dietrich, Evelyne Huber-Stephens and John Stephens. 1992. *Capitalist Development and Democracy*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, pp. 40-78.

Munck, Gerardo. 1994. "Democratic Transition in Comparative Perspectives." *Comparative Politics*, vol. 26, no.3: 355-375.

Encarnacion, Omar. 2000. "Beyond Transitions: the Politics of Democratic Consolidation." *Comparative Politics,* vol.32, no.4: 479-497.

Lijphart, Arend et al. (eds.). 1996. *Institutional Design in New Democracies: Eastern Europe and Latin America*. Boulder: Westview Press, pp. 1-42.

Linz, Juan. 1994. "Presidential or Parliamentary Democracy: Does It Make a Difference? In Juan Linz and Arturo Valenzuela (eds.), *The Failure of Presidential Government*. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, 1994. 3-74.

Cheibub, José Antonio and Fernando Limongi. 2002. **"**Democratic Institutions and Regime Survival: Parliamentary and Presidential Democracies Reconsidered." *Annual Review of Political Science,* 5: 151-179.

Shin, Doh Chull. 1994. "On the Third Wave of Democratization: A Synthesis and Evaluation of Recent Theory and Research." *World Politics*, vol.47, no.1: 135-17.

Gunther, Richard. 1995. *The Politics of Democratic Consolidation: Southern Europe in Comparative Perspective*. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press.

Bratton, Michael and Nicholas Van De Walle. 1997. *Democratic Experiments in Africa: Regime Transitions in Comparative Perspective*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Michael McFaul. "The Fourth Wave of Democracy and Dictatorship: Noncooperative Transitions in the Postcommunist World." *World Politics* 54, no.2 (January 2002): 212-244.

Dec. 4 Authoritarianism (Guest: Jeffrey Kopstein)

Daron Acemoglu and James A. Robinson, *Economic Origins of Dictatorship and Democracy* (Cambridge University Press, 2006), pp.15-47.

Gregory Luebbert, "Social Foundations of Political Order in Interwar Europe," *World Politics,* Vol.39 issue 4, 1987, pp.449-478.

Mancur Olson, "Dictatorship, Democracy, and Development," *American Political Science Review*, vol.87, no.3, 1993, pp.567-576.

Jeffrey Kopstein and Jason Wittenberg, "Beyond Dictatorship and Democracy: Rethinking National Minority Inclusion and Regime Type in Interwar Eastern Europe," *Comparative Political Studies,* Vol.43, no.8, August 2010.

Steven Levitsky and Lucan Way, "The Rise of Competitive Authoritarianism,*" Journal of Democracy* vol.13, no.2, 2002, pp.51-65.

Recommended readings

Norman Cohn, The Pursuit of the Milllenium (Secker and Warburg, 1957)

Erich Fromm, Escape from Freedom (Avon Books, 1964)

Mark Lilla, "The Lure of Syracuse" New York Review of Books, vol.48, issue 14, Sept.2001

Carl Friedrich and Zbigniew Brzezinski, Totalitarian Dictatorship and Autocracy, (Harvard University Press, 1956)

Barbara Geddes and John Zaller, "Sources of Popular Support for Authoritarian Regimes," American Journal of Political Science, vol.33, no.2, May 1989, pp.319-347.

Michel Foucault, "Docile Bodies," in Paul Rabinow, ed. The Foucault reader (Pantheon, 1984).

SECOND TERM

Jan 8* Nationalism (JB)

Required Readings:
*® @ Anderson, Benedict. 1991. *Imagined Communities: Reflections on the Origin and Spread of Nationalism*, Revised ed. New York: Verso. Entire book.

Recommended Readings:
Gellner, Ernest. 1983. *Nations and Nationalism*. Ithaca and London: Cornell University Press. Chaps. 1 (p. 1-7), chap. 4 (pp. 39-53), chap. 5 (53-62).

Smith, Anthony D. 1998. *The Ethnic Origins of Nations*. Oxford: Blackwell Publishers. Introduction, Chap. 1, Chap. 2 (pp. 1-46), Chap. 6, (pp. 129-152).

Greenfeld, Liah. 1992. *Nationalism: Five Roads to Modernity*, Cambridge: Harvard University Press. Introduction, pp. 1-26.

Hobsbawm, Eric. 1992. *Nations and Nationalism Since 1780: Programme, Myth, Reality*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Hutchinson, John and Anthony Smith, eds. 1994. *Nationalism*, Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Smith, Anthony D. 1998. *Nationalism and Modernism: A Critical Survey of Recent Theories of Nations and Nationalism*. London; New York: Routledge

Jan. 15 Ethnicity Identity and Violence (JB)

Required Readings:
® Horowitz, Donald L. 1985. *Ethnic Groups in Conflict*. Berkeley: University of California Press. Chap. 1-5 pp. 3-228.

@ Fearon, James, and David Laitin. 1996. “Explaining Interethnic Cooperation.” *American Political Science Review*, 90: 715-735.

@ Brubaker, R., and D. Laitin. 1998. “Ethnic and Nationalist Violence. *Annual Review of Sociology*, 24: 423–52.

Recommended Readings:
Gurr TR. 1993a. Minorities at Risk: A Global View of Ethnopolitical Conflicts. Washington, DC: US Inst. Peace

Geertz, Clifford. 1973. “The Integrative Revolution: Primordial Sentiments and Civil Politics in the New States.” In Clifford Geertz (ed.), *The Interpretation of Cultures*. New York: Basic Books.

Hechter, Michael. 1999. *Internal Colonialism: The Celtic Fringe in British National Development*. New Brunswick, NJ: Transaction Publishers

Young, Crawford. 1976. *The Politics of Cultural Pluralism*. Madison: University of Wisconsin Press.

Young, Crawford. 1983. “The Temple of Ethnicity.” *World Politics*, 35: 652-662.

Snyder, Jack L. 2000. *From Voting to Violence: Democratization and Nationalist Conflict.* New York; London: Norton.

Fearon, James. 1998. “Commitment Problems and the Spread of Ethnic Conflict.” In David A. Lake and Donald Rothchild (eds.), *The International Spread of Ethnic Conflict.* Princeton: Princeton University Press. 107-126.

Varshney, Ashutosh, 2001. “Ethnic Conflict and Civil Society: India and Beyond,” *World Politics* 53: 362-398.

Brass, Paul. 1991. *Ethnicity and Nationalism: Theory and Comparison*. Newbury Park: Sage Publications.

Linz, Juan and Alfred Stepan. 1992. “Political Identities and Electoral Sequences: Spain, the Soviet Union, and Yugoslavia.” *Daedalus*, 121: 123-139.

Rabshka, Alvin and Kenneth A. Shepsle. 1972. *Politics in Plural Societies: A Theory of Democratic Instability*. Columbus: Merrill.

Rustow, Dankwart. 1967. *A World of Nations: Problems of Political Modernization* Washington: Brookings Institution.

Bates R. 1983. “Modernization, Ethnic Competition, and the Rationality of Politics in Contemporary Africa.” In D Rothchild (ed.), *States versus Ethnic Claims: African Policy Dilemmas.* Boulder: Westview Press.

Horowitz D. 2001. *Deadly Ethnic Riot*. Berkley: University of California Press.

Hardin R. 1992. *One for All: the Logic of Group Conflict*. Princeton: Princeton University Press.

Olzak, S. 1992. *The Dynamics of Ethnic Competition and Conflict*. Stanford: Stanford University Press.

Daniel Posner *Institutions and Ethnic Politics in Africa* (New York, Cambridge University Press, 2005), introduction

Lijphart, Arend. 1977. *Democracy in Plural Societies: A Comparative Exploration*. New Haven: Yale University Press.

Mamdani, Mahmood. 2001. *When Victims Become Killers: Colonialism, Nativism and Genocide in Rwanda*. Princeton: Princeton University Press.

Vail, Leroy (ed.). 1989. *The Creation of Tribalism in Southern Africa*. Berkeley: University of California Press.

Jan. 22 Revolution (JB) * Assignment Due

Required Readings:
*® Skocpol, Theda. 1979. *States and Social Revolutions*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Recommended Readings:
Hobsbawm, E. J. 1962. *The Age of Revolution, Europe 1789-1848*. London: Weidenfeld and Nicolson.

Goldstone, Jack. 1980. "Theories of Revolution: The Third Generation," *World Politics* vol.32, no.3: 425-443.

Taylor, Michael. 1988. "Rationality and Revolutionary Collective Action," in Michael Taylor (ed.) *Rationality and Revolution*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press: pp. 63-97.

Goodwin, Jeff. 2001. *No Other Way Out: States and Revolutionary Movements, 1945-1991*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Migdal, Joel. 1974. *Peasants, Politics and Revolution: Pressures toward Political and Social Change in the Third World*. Princeton, N.J.: Princeton University Press: pp. 226-256.

Goldstone, Jack and Ted Robert Gurr and Farrokh Moshiri (eds.). 1992. *Revolutions of the Late Twentieth Century*. Boulder: Westview Press.

Goldstone, Jack A. 1991. *Revolution and Rebellion in the Early Modern World*. Berkeley: University of California Press.

Goldstone, Jack A. 2001. "Toward a fourth generation of revolutionary theory," *Annual Review of Political Science*, vol.4: 139-187.

Lichback, Mark I. 1994. "What Makes Rational Peasants Revolutionary? Dilemma, Paradox, and Iron in Peasant Collective Action," *World Politics*, vol.46, no.3: 383-418.

Paige, Jeffrey. 1975. *Agrarian Revolution: Social Movements and Export Agriculture in the Underdeveloped World.* New York: Free Press.

MacIntyre, Alasdair. 1973. "Ideology, social Science and Revolution" *Comparative Politics* vol.5, no.3: 321-342.

Wolf, Eric R. 1973. *Peasant Wars of the Twentieth Century.* New York: Harper & Row.

Bunce, Valerie. 1999. *Subversive Institutions: the Design and the Destruction of Socialism and the Stat*e. Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press.

Halliday, F. 1999. *Revolution and World Poli-tic*s. London: Macmillan.

Wickham-Crowley T. 1992. *Guerrillas and Revolution in Latin Americ*a. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press.

Jan 29 Social Movements (RH)

Required Readings:

© Dalton, Russel J., Manfred Kuechler and Wilhelm Burklin. 1990. "The Challenge of New Movements." In Dalton and Kuechler (eds.), *Challenging the Political Order.* Oxford University Press. 3-22.

® Tarrow, Sydney. 1994. *Power in Movement: Social Movements Collective Action and Politics.* Cambridge University Press.

Recommended Readings:

Offe, C. 1987. "Challenging the Boundaries of Institutional Politics: Social Movements since the 1960s." In C. Maier (ed.), *Changing Boundaries of the Political: Essays on the Evolving Balance between the State and Society, Public and Private in Europe.* Cambridge University Press. 63-105.

McAdam, Doug, Sidney Tarrow and Charles Tilly. 1997. "Towards an Integrated Perspective on Social Movements and Revolution." In Mark Lichbach and Alan Zuckerman (eds.), *Comparative Politics: Rationality, Culture and Structure.* Cambridge University Press.

Kitschelt, Herbert. 1993. "Social Movements, Political Parties, Democratic Theory". *The ANNALS of the American Academy of Political and Social Science*, vol.528, no.1: 13-29.

Kaase, M. 1990. "Social Movements and Political Innovation." In Dalton and Kuechler

(eds.) *Challenging the Political Order.* Oxford University Press. 84-104.

Inglehart, R. 1990. *Culture Shift*. Princeton University Press. Chapters 9, 10.

Nevitte, Neil. 1996. *The Decline of Deference.* Broadview Press. Chapter 4.

Lichbach, Mark and Alan Zuckerman (eds.). 1997. *Comparative Politics: Rationality, Culture and Structure.* Cambridge University Press.

Rucht, Dieter. 1991. *Research on Social Movements: The State of the Art in Western Europe and the U.S.A.* Westview Press, 17-46, 323-347, 348-391.

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Feb 19 Reading Week

Feb 26 Immigration policy (RH)

Martin Baldwin-Edwards, *Migration in the Middle East and Mediterranean* [PDF from instructor].

Will Kymlicka and Baogang He, *Multiculturalism in Asia* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2005)

Virginie Guiraudon. 1998. "Citizenship Rights for non-citizens." In C*hallenges to the Nation State*. Christian Joppke, ed.

Erin Aeran Chung, Immigration and Citizenship in Japan (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2011).

Christian Joppke. 1998. "Introduction." In *Challenges to the Nation-State.* Christian Joppke, ed.

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Gary Freeman. 1995. "Modes of immigration politics in liberal democratic states." *International Migration Review* 29: 881-902.

Anthony Messina. 2007. *The Logics and Politics of Post-WWI Migration to Western Europe*, Chapters 1-2, 8.

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March 5 States and Markets (Antoinette Handley)

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David Soskice and Peter Hall. 2001. *Varieties of Capitalism*: *the Institutional Foundations of Comparative Advantage*.

Mark Zachary Taylor. 2004. "Empirical Evidence Against Varieties of Capitalism's Theory of Technological Innovation." *International Organization* 58: 601-631.

Recommended Reading:

Nahee King. “A Critique of the VOC Approach.” [Copy available from instructor]

March 26 Designing Research (RH)

Designing Social Inquiry: Scientific Inference in Qualitative Research [Paperback]
Gary King (Author), Robert O. Keohane (Author), Sidney Verba (Author)

April 2. Wrap-up Session.