# Comparative Political Analysis PSC 671—Spring 2018

Department of Political Science Syracuse University

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## **Course Overview**

This seminar surveys the major substantive topics in comparative politics. Topics include: democratization, state formation, political institutions, political violence, identity politics (especially ethnic politics), representation, political parties and party systems, and comparative political economy. We will not focus on any particular world region. As we review each of the substantive topics, we will also discuss and evaluate the theoretical and methodological approaches that scholars have used to shed light on them.

## **Course Expectations and Requirements**

### **Response Papers**

Each student will complete two written critiques of the readings, 5-6 pages each (or 1250-1500 words). Each paper should be distributed to all class members via email by 12:30 pm the Monday before class. These response papers will be the starting point for our discussion each week and the authors are expected to help lead the discussion. To ensure even coverage, we will coordinate response papers during the first session.

I expect the papers to be analytical response papers, not simply restatements of the main arguments. Rather than summaries, you should focus on the strengths and weaknesses of the readings, including addressing any debates between the readings as well as any interesting unanswered research questions raised by the authors. Do not feel obliged to address each article from the week. Rather, you may want to focus on one issue or debate and follow it through several pieces. The supplementary readings provide additional resources for this purpose and you are welcome to incorporate them.

### **Book Review**

In addition, students will write one book review on a work in the Supplementary Readings, 800 - 1200 words. You may propose a book not on the syllabus that is pertinent to the topics of a

class section, but each book may be reviewed only once. Similar to the response papers, the better reviews will not simply describe the main argument but focus on evaluating the theory and empirics. Issues to address include: central question(s) and its relevance in the scholarly literature and/or the policy world, the clarity and validity of the theory, and the quality of the key evidence. Book reviews are to be circulated to me and your peers no later than 24 hours before the appropriate class session, i.e., by 12:30 pm on Monday. Book reviews will be distributed on a first-come first-serve basis, so notify me when you select a book.

### Discussant

Each student will choose two articles from the main readings to discuss. The discussant will present the paper, key findings, and some criticism to jump-start the discussion. In addition, the discussant should explain how the article connects to the literature and, especially, to the week's theme. Beyond presenting and summarizing the paper itself, discussants should provide comments and criticisms similar to the Political Science Research Workshop format. Comments should be between 10 - 20 minutes.

### Mock comprehensive exam

Students will take a mock comprehensive exam. The exam will have several questions, from which students will choose two. Students will have 24 hours to complete the open note, open book exam.

### Participation

As a graduate seminar, each participant will be expected to attend class and be prepared to discuss the assigned readings. Active student participation is essential to a successful seminar.

### Evaluation

Response Papers $(2)$	20%
Book review	10%
Discussant	20%
Exam	30%
Participation	20%

### Readings

All books will be available for purchase from the Syracuse University bookstore. Other readings will be available on-line in blackboard (marked [BB]).

Students are advised to obtain copies of the following books, or as many as you can.

- Almond, Gabriel, and Sidney Verba. 1963. *The Civic Culture*. Newbury Park, CA: Sage Publications.
- Bates, Robert. 1981. Markets and States in Subtropical Africa. Berkeley, CA: University of California Press.
- Dahl, Robert. 1971. Polyarchy. New Haven, CT: Yale University Press.
- Downs, Anthony. 1957. An Economic Theory of Democracy. Harper and Row.
- Hirschman, Albert O. 1970. *Exit, Voice, and Loyalty.* Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press.
- Horowitz, Donald. 1985. *Ethnic Groups in Conflict*. Berkeley, CA: University of California Press.
- Huntington, Samuel P. 1968. *Political Order in Changing Societies*. New Haven: Yale University Press.
- Marx, Karl and Friedrich Engels. [1848]. The Communist Manifesto.
- Moore, Barrington. 1966. Social Origins of Dictatorship and Democracy. Beacon Press.
- North, Douglass. 1990. Institutions, Institutional Change and Economic Performance. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- O'Donnell, Guillermo, and Phillippe Schmitter. 1986. *Transitions from Authoritarian Rule.*. Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press.
- Olson, Mancur. 1971. *The Logic of Collective Action*. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press.
- Przeworski, Adam. 1991. *Democracy and the Market*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Putnam, Robert. 1993. Making Democracy Work. Princeton: Princeton University Press.
- Skocpol, Theda. 1979. *States and Social Revolutions*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Weber, Max. [1905]. The Protestant Ethic and the Spirit of Capitalism.

Among newer books, we will spend some time with the following books.

- Acemoglu, Daron and James A. Robinson. 2006. *Economic Origins of Dictatorship and Democracy*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Adams, James F., Samuel Merrill III, and Bernard Grofman. 2005. A Unified Theory of Party Competition. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Boix, Carles. 2003. Democracy and Redistribution. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Hall, Peter A. and David Soskice, eds. 2001. Varieties of Capitalism: The Institutional Foundations of Comparative Advantage. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Vachudova, Milada Anna. 2005. Europe Undivided. Democracy, Leverage & Integration After Communism. New York: Oxford University Press.

## Weekly Class Schedule

- Session 1: State of the Discipline (23 January)
- Session 2: Institutions and Institutionalism (30 January)
- Session 3: State Theory and State Formation (6 February)
- Session 4: Capitalist Development and Democracy (13 February)
- Session 5: Democratization (20 February)
- Session 6: Institutional Change (27 February)
- Session 7: Political Culture (6 March)
- Session 8: Ethnic Identities and Violence (20 March)
- Session 9: Democratic Institutions (27 March)
- Session 10: Party Politics (3 April)
- Session 11: Political Behavior and Public Opinion (10 April)
- Session 12: CPE of Development (17 April)
- Session 13: CPE of Advanced Industrial Democracies (24 April)
- Session 14: International and Domestic Politics (1 May)

### **Class Schedule**

### Session 1: State of the Discipline and Methodology (23 January)

#### **Required Readings: State of the Discipline**

- Laitin, David D. 2002. "Comparative Politics: The State of the Subdiscipline." In *Political Science: The State of the Discipline*, eds. Ira Katznelson and Helen V. Milner. W. W. Norton Co. Inc., pp. 630–659. [BB]
- Various Authors. 2008. "Symposium: Big Unanswered Questions in Comparative Politics." APSA-CP Newsletter, pp. 6–16. [Blackboard as "CP Symposium"]
- Boix, Carles, and Susan Stokes. 2007. "Introduction." In *The Oxford Handbook of Comparative Politics*, eds. Carles Boix and Susan Stokes. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 3–23. [BB]

#### **Required Readings: Methodology in Comparative Politics**

- King, Gary, Robert O. Keohane, and Sidney Verba. 1994. Designing Social Inquiry: Scientific Inference in Qualitative Research. Princeton: Princeton University Press, Ch. 1 (pp. 3–33). [BB]
- Bates, Robert. 2007. "From Case Studies to Social Science: A Strategy for Political Research." In *The Oxford Handbook of Comparative Politics*, eds. Carles Boix and Susan Stokes. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 172–185. [BB]
- Gerring, John. 2007. "The Case Study: What it is and What it Does." In *The Oxford Handbook* of *Comparative Politics*, eds. Carles Boix and Susan Stokes. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 90–122. [BB]
- Ragin, Charles C. 1987. The Comparative Method. Berkeley: University of California Press, pp. vii–xii, 1–18. [BB]

- Bates, Johnson, Lustick. "Controversy in the Discipline: Area Studies and Comparative Politics." *PS: Political Science and Politics* 30.2: 166–79.
- Boix, Carles, and Susan C. Stokes. 2009. *The Oxford Handbook of Comparative Politics*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Brady, Henry, and David Collier. *Rethinking Social Inquiry: Diverse Tools, Shared Standards*. Rowman & Littlefield Publishers.
- Collier, David and Steven Levitsky. 1997. "Democracy with Adjectives. Conceptual Innovation in Comparative Research." World Politics 49.3: 130–151.
- Collier, David, and James Mahoney. 1996. "Insights and Pitfalls: Selection Bias in Qualitative Research." *World Politics* 49 (October): 56–91.
- Geddes, Barbara. 2003. Paradigms and Sand Castles: Theory Building and Research Design in Comparative Politics. Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press.

- George, Alexander, and Andrew Bennett. 2005. Case Studies and Theory Development in the Social Sciences. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press.
- Gerring, John. 2007. Case Study Research. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Gerring, John. 2011. Social Science Methodology. A Criterial Framework. 2nd edition. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Goertz, Gary. 2006. Social Science Concepts. Princeton: Princeton University Press.
- Katznelson, Ira, and Helen V. Milner. 2002. The State of the Discipline. W. W. Norton & Company, various chapters.
- Lijphart, Arend. 1971. "Comparative Politics and the Comparative Method." American Political Science Review 65 (September): 682–693.
- Mahoney, James, and Dietrich Rueschemeyer, eds. *Comparative Historical Analysis in the Social Sciences*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Rogowski, Ronald. 1993. "Comparative Politics." In *Political Science: the State of the Discipline II*, ed. Ada W. Finifter. Washington, D.C.: APSA.
- Sartori, Giovanni. 1970. "Concept Misformation in Comparative Politics." American Political Science Review 64.4 (December): 1033–1053.
- Wood, Elisabeth. 2007. "Field Research." In Carles Boix and Susan Stokes, eds., Oxford Handbook of Comparative Politics. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 123–146.

#### **Recommended: Marx and Weber**

- Marx, Karl. [1977]. "Preface to A Critique of Political Economy." In Karl Marx: Selected Writings, ed. David McLellan, pp. 388–391.
- Marx, Karl and Friedrich Engels. [1848]. The Communist Manifesto.
- Weber, Max. [1958]. The Protestant Ethic and the Spirit of Capitalism.
- Weber, Max. [1946]. "Politics as a Vocation." In *From Max Weber: Essays in Sociology*, ed. H.H. Gerth and C. Wright Mills, pp. 77–128.

### Session 2: Institutions and Institutionalism (30 January)

#### **Required Readings**

- Hall, Peter A. and Rosemary C.R. Taylor. 1996. "Political Science and the Three New Institutionalisms." *Political Studies* XLIV: 936–957. [BB]
- Hirschman, Albert O. 1970. Exit, Voice, and Loyalty: Responses to Decline in Firms, Organizations, and States. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, esp. Chs. 1–4, 6, 8.
- Moe, Terry. 2005. "Power and Political Institutions." Perspectives on Politics 3:2: 215–233. [BB]
- North, Douglass. 1990. Institutions, Institutional Change and Economic Performance. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, esp. chs. 1–6. (Recommended Chs. 9 and 12).
- Olson, Mancur. 1971 [1965]. The Logic of Collective Action: Public Goods and the Theory of Groups. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, Ch. 1.

Przeworski, Adam. 2004. "Institutions matter?" Government and Opposition 39:4: 527-540. [BB]

Thelen, Kathleen. 1999. "Historical Institutionalism in Comparative Politics." Annual Review of Political Science 2: 369–404. [BB]

- Diermeier, Daniel and Keith Krehbiel. 2003. "Institutionalism as a Methodology." Journal of Theoretical Politics 15.2: 123–144.
- March, James G., and Johan P. Olson. 1984. "The New Institutionalism: Organizational Factors in Political Life." American Political Science Review 78.3: 734–749.
- Ostrom, Elinor. 1990. Governing the Commons: The Evolution of Institutions for Collective Action. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

#### Session 3: State Theory and State Formation (6 February)

#### **Required Readings**

- Olson, Mancur. 1993. "Dictatorship, Democracy, and Development." American Political Science Review 87 (Sept): 567–576. [BB]
- Skocpol, Theda. 1985. "Bringing the State Back In: Strategies of Analysis in Current Research." In Peter B. Evans, Dietrich Rueschemeyer, and Theda Skocpol, eds. Bringing the State Back In. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 3–37. [BB]
- Taylor, Brian. 2001. "Russia's Passive Army: Rethinking Military Coups." Comparative Political Studies 34.8 (October): 924–952. [BB]
- Tilly, Charles. 1985. "War Making and State Making as Organized Crime." In Peter B. Evans, Dietrich Rueschemeyer, and Theda Skocpol, eds. *Bringing the State Back In.* Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 169–191. [BB]
- Tilly, Charles. 1990. Coercion, Capital, and European States, AD 990-1990. Wiley-Blackwell, esp. Ch. 1. [BB]
- Taylor, Brian, and Roxana Botea. 2008. "Tilly Tally: War-Making and State-Making in the Contemporary Third World." *International Studies Review* 10.1: 27–56. [BB]
- Huntington, Samuel P. 1968. *Political Order in Changing Societies*. New Haven: Yale University Press, read at least pp. 1–32.

- Bates, Robert. 2009. Prosperity and Violence. 2nd edition. W. W. Norton.
- Gellner, Ernest. 1983. Nations and Nationalism. Ithaca: Cornell University Press.
- Ghandi, Jennifer. 2008. *Political Institutions Under Dictatorship*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Herbst, Jeffrey. 2000. States and Power in Africa: Comparative Lessons in Authority and Control. Princeton: Princeton University Press, pp. 12-31.
- Hooghe, Liesbet and Gary Marks. 2001. Multi-Level Governance and European Integration. Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, Inc.
- Hooghe, Liesbet and Gary Marks. 2003. "Unraveling the Central State, but How? Types of Multi-level Governance." American Political Science Review 97.2 (May): 233–43.
- Levi, Margaret. 2003. "The State of the Study of the State." In Political Science: The State of the Discipline, eds. Ira Katznelson and Helen V. Milner. W. W. Norton & Company, pp. 33–55.
- North, Douglas. 1986. "A Neoclassical Theory of the State." In Jon Elster, ed. *Rational Choice*. New York: New York University Press, esp. pp. 248–261.
- Olson, Mancur. 1982. The Rise and Decline of Nations. New Haven: Yale University Press.
- Sorens, Jason. 2012. Secessionism: Identity, Interest, and Strategy. McGill-Queen's University

Press.

- Weber, Eugen. 1976. Peasants into Frenchmen: the Modernization of Rural France 1870–1914. Stanford: Stanford University Press.
- Ziblatt, Daniel. 2008. Structuring the State: The Formation of Italy and Germany and the Puzzle of Federalism. Princeton: Princeton University Press.

### Session 4: Capitalist Development and Democracy (13 February)

#### **Required Readings**

- Acemoglu, Daron, and James A. Robinson. 2006. Economic Origins of Dictatorship and Democracy. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, Chs. 2–3.
- Dahl, Robert. 1971. Polyarchy, New Haven: Yale University Press, esp. Chs. 1-6.
- Moore, Barrington. 1966. Social Origins of Dictatorship and Democracy. Beacon Press, Ch. 7 (Chs. 1–2 recommended).

#### Session 5: Democratization (20 February)

#### **Required Readings**

- Geddes, Barbara. 1999. "What Do We Know about Democratization after Twenty Years?" Annual Review of Political Science 2: 115–144. [BB]
- Boix, Carles. 2003. *Democracy and Redistribution*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, Chs. 1–3 and 7.
- Cheibub, Jose Antonio, and Fernando Limongi. 2002. "Democratic Institutions and Regime Survival: Parliamentary and Presidential Democracies Reconsidered." Annual Review of Political Science 5: 151–79. [BB]
- Kuran, Timur. 1991. "Now out of Never: The Element of Surprise in the East European Revolution of 1989." World Politics 44.1: 7–48. [BB]
- O'Donnell, Guillermo and Philippe Schmitter. 1986. Transitions from Authoritarian Rule: Tentative Conclusions about Uncertain Democracies. Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press.
- Przeworski, Adam, and Fernando Limongi. 1997. "Modernization: Theories and Facts." World Politics 49.2: 155–183. [BB]
- Ross, Michael. 2001. "Does Oil Hinder Democracy?" World Politics 53 (April): 325–361. [BB]

#### **Democratization Supplementary Readings**

- Boix, Carles, and Susan Stokes. 2003. "Endogenous Democratization." World Politics 55.4: 517–549.
- Cleary, Matthew. 2010. The Sources of Democratic Responsiveness in Mexico. South Bend: Notre Dame University Press.
- Haber, Stephen and Victor Menalso. 2011. "Do Natural Resources Fuel Authoritarianism? A Reappraisal of the Resource Curse." American Political Science Review 105.1 (February): 1–26.
- Huntington, Samuel. 1991. The Third Wave: The Democratization in the Late-20th Century. Norman: University of Oklahoma Press.
- Linz, Juan, and Alfred Stepan. 1996. Problems of Democratic Transition and Consolidation.

Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press.

- Lipset, Seymour Martin. 1959. "Some Social Requisites of Democracy: Economic Development and Political Legitimacy." *American Political Science Review* 53.1: 69–105.
- Luebbert, Gregory M. 1987. "Social Foundations of Political Order in Interwar Europe." World Politics 39:4: 449–478.
- Pepinsky, Thomas B. 2009. "Economic Crises and the Breakdown of Authoritarian Regimes: Indonesia and Malaysia in Comparative Perspective." Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Przeworski, Adam, Michael E. Alvarez, Jose Antonion Cheibub, and Fernando Limongi. 2000. Democracy and Development: Political Institutions and Well-Being in the World, 1950–1990. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

### Session 6: Institutional Change and Stability (27 February)

#### **Required Readings**

- Pierson, Paul. 2000. "Increasing Returns, Path Dependence, and the Study of Politics." American Political Science Review 94.2 (June): 251–267. [BB]
- Przeworski, Adam. 1991. *Democracy and the Market*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 10–99.
- Huntington, Samuel P. 1968. *Political Order in Changing Societies*. New Haven: Yale University Press, Ch. 1, esp. 1–32 (Chs. 2–4 and 7 also recommended).
- Skocpol, Theda. 1979. States and Social Revolutions. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 3–173 and 284–293.

- Bunce, Valerie. 1999. Subversive Institutions: The Design and Destruction of Socialism and the State. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Cusack, Thomas, Torben Iversen and David Soskice. 2007. "Economic Interests and the Origins of Electoral Systems." American Political Science Review 101.3 (August): 373–391.
- Diamond, Larry. 1999. Developing Democracy: Toward Consolidation. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press.
- Geddes, Barbara. 1990. "How the Questions You Choose Affect the Answers You Get." *Political Analysis* 2: 131–149.
- Greif, Avner, and David Laitin. 2004. "A Theory of Endogenous Institutional Change." American Political Science Review 98.4 (November): 633–652.
- Linz, Juan and Alfred Stepan, eds. 1978. *The Breakdown of Democratic Regimes*. Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press.
- Linz, Juan and Alfred Stepan, eds. 1996. Problems of Democratic Transition and Consolidation. Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press.
- Mahoney, James, and Kathleen Thelen. 2010. "A Theory of Gradual Institutional Change." In Mahoney and Thelen, eds. Explaining Institutional Change: Ambiguity, Agency, and Power. New York: Cambridge University Press, pp. 1–37.
- Slater, Dan. 2010. Ordering Power: Contentious Politics and Authoritarian Leviathans in Southeast Asia. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Thelen, Kathleen. 2004. How Institutions Evolve. The Political Economy of Skills in Germany, Britain, the United States, and Japan. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Wood, Elisabeth. 2000. Forging Democracy from Below: Insurgent Transitions in South Africa and El Salvador. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

### Session 7: Political Culture (6 March)

#### **Required Readings**

- Almond, Gabriel and Sidney Verba. 1963. *The Civic Culture*. Princeton: Princeton University Press, Chs. 1 and 13. (Recommended to skim a few other chapters).
- Eckstein, Harry. 1996. "Culture as a Foundation Concept for the Social Sciences." Journal of Theoretical Politics 8: 471–497. [BB]
- Inglehart, Ronald. 1988. "The Renaissance of Political Culture." American Political Science Review 82.4: 1203–30. [BB]
- Putnam, Robert. 1993. Making Democracy Work. Princeton: Princeton University Press.
- Tarrow, Sidney. 1996. "Making Social Science Work Across Space and Time: A Critical Reflection on Robert Putnam's Making Democracy Work." American Political Science Review 90.2: 389– 97. [BB]
- Wedeen, Lisa. 2002. "Conceptualizing Culture. Possibilities for Political Science." American Political Science Review 96.4: 713–28. [BB]

- Almond, Gabriel and Sidney Verba. 1982. The Civic Culture Revisited. Boston: Little Brown.
- Berman, Sheri. 1997. "Civil Society and the Collapse of the Weimar Republic." *World Politics* 49: 401–439.
- Blaydes, Lisa, and Drew Linzer. 2008. "The Political Economy of Women's Support for Fundamentalist Islam." World Politics 60: 576–609.
- Cleary, Matt and Susan Stokes. 2009. Democracy and the Culture of Skepticism: Political Trust in Argentina and Mexico. Russell Sage Foundation Series on Trust.
- Dalton, Russell. 2000. "Citizen Attitudes and Political Behavior." Comparative Political Studies 33 (August-September): 912–940.
- Elkins, David J., and Richard E. B. Simeon. 1979. "A Cause in Search of Its Effect, or What Does Political Culture Explain?" *Comparative Politics* 11 (January): 127–146.
- Geertz, Clifford. 1973. The Interpretation of Cultures: Selected Essays. New York: Basic Books, esp. the chapter on "Thick Description."
- Inglehart, Roland. 1989. Culture Shift in Advanced Industrial Society. Princeton: Princeton University Press.
- Inglehart, Ronald. 1997. Modernization and Postmodernization. Princeton: Princeton University Press.
- Kuran, Timur. 2010. The Long Divergence: How Islamic Law Held Back the Middle East. Princeton: Princeton University Press.
- Lipset, Seymour Martin. 1959. "Some Social Requisites of Democracy: Economic Development

and Political Legitimacy." American Political Science Review 53.1: 69-105.

- Muller, Edward N., and Mitchell A. Seligson. 1994. "Civic Culture and Democracy: The Question of Causal Relationships." *American Political Science Review* 88.3: 635–652.
- Schwindt-Bayer, Leslie A, ed. 2018. *Gender and Representation in Latin America*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Sezgin, Yüksel. 2013. Human Rights under State-Enforced Religious Family Laws in Israel, Egypt and India. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Weber, Max. [1905]. The Protestant Ethic and the Spirit of Capitalism.

No Class — Spring Break (13 March)

### Session 8: Ethnic Identities and Violence (20 March)

#### **Required Readings**

- Chandra, Kanchan. 2006. "What is Ethnic Identity and Does it Matter?" Annual Review of Political Science 9: 397–424. [BB]
- Davenport, Christian. 2007. "State Repression and Political Order." Annual Review of Political Science 10: 1–23. [BB]
- Fearon, James D. and David D. Laitin. 1996. "Explaining Interethnic Cooperation." American Political Science Review 90.4: 715–735. [BB]
- Habyarimana, James, MacCartan Humphreys, Daniel N. Posner, and Jeremy M. Weinstein. 2007.
  "Why Does Ethnic Diversity Undermine Public Goods Provision?" American Political Science Review 101.4: 709–25. [BB]
- Horowitz, Donald. 2000 [1985]. *Ethnic Groups in Conflict.* 2nd edition. Berkeley: University of California Press.
  - parts of Ch. 1 "Dimensions of Ethnic Conflict" pp. 3–12 and 41–54
  - Ch. 2 "A Family Resemblance"
  - Ch. 4 "Group Comparison and the Sources of Ethnic Conflict"
  - Ch. 15 "The Structural Techniques to Reduce Ethnic Conflict", esp. 628–652
- Lijphart, Arend. 1977. *Democracy in Plural Societies*. New Haven: Yale University Press, Ch. 1 (Ch. 2 recommended).
- Posner, Daniel. 2004. "The Political Salience of Cultural Differences: Why Chewas and Tumbukas are Allies in Zambia and Adversaries in Malawi." *American Political Science Review* 98.4 (November): 529–545. [BB]

- Adida, Claire L., David D. Laitin, and Marie-Anne Valfort. 2016. Why Muslim Integration Fails in Christian-Heritage Societies. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press.
- Anderson, Benedict. 1991. Imagined Communities. 2nd edition. London: Verso.
- Chandra, Kanchan. 2004. Why Ethnic Parties Succeed. Patronage and Ethnic Headcount in India. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Connor, Walter. 1994. *Ethnonationalism: The Quest for Understanding*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press.
- Esman, Milton. 1994. Ethnic Politics. Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press.
- Gurr, Ted. 1993. Minorities at Risk. United States Institute of Peace.
- Hale, Henry. 2008. The Foundations of Ethnic Politics. Separatisms of States and Nations in the Eurasia and the World. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Hardin, Russell. 1995. One for All. Princeton: Princeton University Press.

- Hechter, Michael. 2000. Nationalism and Rationality. Studies in Comparative International Development 35.1: 3–19.
- Hechter, Michael. 2000. Containing Nationalism. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Hobsbawm, Eric J. 1992. Nations and Nationalism since 1780: Programme, Myth, Reality. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Horowitz, Donald. 2001. The Deadly Ethnic Riot. Berkeley: University of California Press.
- Laitin, David D. 1986. *Hegemony and Culture: Politics and Change among the Yoruba*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press.
- Laitin, David. 1999. Identity in Formation. The Russian-Speaking Populations of the Near Abroad. Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press.
- McAdam, Doug. 1999. Political Process and the Development of Black Insurgency, 1930–1970. Chicago: University Of Chicago Press.
- Olzak, Susan. 1992. The Dynamics of Ethnic Competition and Conflict. Stanford: Stanford University Press.
- Posen, Barry. 1993. "The Security Dilemma and Ethnic Conflict." Survival 35.1 (Spring): 27–47.
- Posner, Daniel. 2005. Institutions and Ethnic Politics in Africa. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Straus, Scott. 2006. The Order of Genocide: Race, Power, And War in Rwanda. Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press.
- Tilly, Charles, and Sidney Tarrow. 2007. Contentious Politics. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Wilkinson, Steven I. 2004. Voices and Violence. Electoral Competition and Ethnic Riots in India. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Varshney, Ashutosh. 2002. Ethnic Conflict and Civic Life. Hinus and Muslims in India. New Haven: Yale University Press.
- Varshney, Ashutosh. 2001. "Ethnic Conflict and Civil Society: India and Beyond." World Politics 53.3: 362–98.

### Session 9: Democratic Institutions (27 March)

#### **Required Readings**

- Lijphart, Arend. 1999. Patterns of Democracy. GOvernment Forms and Performance in Thirty-Six Countries. New Haven: Yale University Press, Chs. 1–3 and 5–12.
- Cleary, Matt. 2007. "Electoral Competition, Participation, and Government Responsiveness in Mexico." American Journal of Political Science 51.2: 283–299. [BB]
- Goodman, Sara Wallace. 2010. "Integration Requirements for Integration's Sake? Identifying, Categorising and Comparing Civic Integration Policies." Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies 36.5: 753–772. [BB]
- Krook, Mona Lena. 2007. "Candidate Gender Quotas: A Framework for Analysis." European Journal of Political Research 46: 367–394. [BB]
- Mainwaring, Scott and Matthew S. Shugart. 1997. "Juan Linz, Presidentialism, and Democracy: A Critical Appraisal." *Comparative Politics* 29.4: 449–471. [BB]
- Rodden, Jonathan. 2004. "Comparative Federalism and Decentralization. On Meaning and Measurement." *Comparative Politics* 36.4 (July): 481–500. [BB]
- Slater, Dan. 2008. "Can Leviathan be a Democrat? Competitive Elections, Robust Mass Politics, and State Infrastructural Power." Studies in Comparative International Development 43:4 (December): 252–272. [BB]
- Tsebelis, George. 1995. "Decision Making in Political Systems: Veto Players in Presidentialism, Parliamentarism, Multicameralism and Multipartyism." British Journal of Political Science 25.3: 289–325. [BB]

- Benoit, Kenneth. 2007. "Electoral laws as Political Consequences. Explaining the Origins and Change of Electoral Institutions." Annual Review of Political Science 10: 363–90.
- Buchanan, James M., and Gordon Tullock. 1962. The Calculus of Consent: Logical Foundations of Constitutional Democracy. Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press.
- Calvo, Ernesto. 2009. "The Competitive Road to Proportional Representation Partisan Biases and Electoral Regime Change under Increasing Party Competition." *World Politics* 61.2 (April): 254-295.
- Dahl, Robert A. 1963. A Preface to Democratic Theory: How Does Popular Sovereignty Function in America? Chicago: University Of Chicago Press.
- Goodman, Sara Wallace. 2014. Immigration and Membership Politics in Western Europe. New York: Cambridge University Press.
- Grzymala-Busse, Anna. 2008. "The Discreet Charm of Formal Institutions: Postcommunist Party Competition and State Oversight." *Comparative Political Studies* 39.3: 271–300.
- Haggard, Stephan, and Matthew D. McCubbins. 2001. Presidents, Parliaments, and Policy.

Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

- Hobolt, Sara. 2009. Europe in Question: Referendums on European Integration. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Kreuzer, Marcus. 2010. "Historical Knowledge and Quantitative Analysis: The Case of the Origins of Proportional Representation." American Political Science Review 104.2: 369–392.
- Laver, Michael and Norman Schofield. 1990. *Multiparty Government*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Liphart, Arend. 1999. Patterns of Democracy. New Haven: Yale University Press.
- Mainwaring, Scott and Matthew S. Shugart, eds. 1997. *Presidentialism and Democracy in Latin America*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
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## Session 13: Comparative Political Economy of Advanced Industrial Democracies (24 April)

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### Session 14: International and Domestic Politics (1 May)

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## Questions for the readings

- What is the central argument?
  - Could you diagram the causal argument?
  - What are the key variables (dependent and explanatory)?
  - Does the operationalization make sense? Or, does the measure match the theory?
- What are the major strengths and weakness of the argument?
  - Does the argument make intuitive sense? Is it clear?
  - Are alternative theories discussed and considered fairly?
  - Are there variables or plausible alternative theories ignored?
  - If there are flaws, are they fatal, or could it be fixed?
- How does this argument fit into the broader literature?
- How do they test the theory, and how would you?
  - Is this a hard or easy test?
  - Can the theory be usefully extended to other cases, regions, time periods?
- Is this an important work?

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