

Vol. 15 No. 4  
November 1973

# JOURNAL OF INTERAMERICAN STUDIES



and  
WORLD AFFAIRS

A Publication of the Center for Advanced International Studies,  
The University of Miami

 SAGE PUBLICATIONS

<https://doi.org/10.1017/S0022193716001130> Published online by Cambridge University Press

*Journal of INTERAMERICAN STUDIES*  
*and WORLD AFFAIRS*

**EDITORIAL STAFF:**

John P. Harrison—Editor  
Jan Peter Wogart—Associate Editor  
Laura Ferrisi—Editorial Assistant

**BOARD OF EDITORS:\***

Orlando Albornoz, Instituto Societas, Venezuela  
D. A. Brading, Cambridge University  
Tom E. Davis, Cornell University  
Malcolm Deas, St. Antony's College, Oxford, England  
Mose Harvey, University of Miami  
Isaac Kerstenetzky, Instituto Brasileiro de Geografia e Estatística,  
Brazil  
James J. Parsons, University of California, Berkeley  
Clark Reynolds, Stanford University  
Richard Schaedel, University of Texas, Austin  
Hanns-Albert Steger, Universität Bielefeld, Germany  
Alfred Stepan, Yale University  
Ione Wright, University of Miami, Emeritus

**SAGE Publications:**

Sara Miller McCune, Publisher  
Constance U. Greaser, Editorial Director  
Betsy Schmidt, Journals Editor  
Rhoda Blecker, Production Editor

\*It is expected that additional individuals soon will be added to this new Board of Editors to achieve more complete disciplinary and area coverage.—JPH, Ed.



## CONTENTS

- Obstacles to Change in the Church: Lessons from Four  
Brazilian Dioceses*  
THOMAS C. BRUNEAU 395
- Problems of Innovation in Higher Education: The University of  
Brasília, 1961-1964*  
CHARLES O'NEIL 415
- The Demand for International Reserves: A Cross-Sectional  
Study of a Group of Latin American Countries*  
LANNY E. STREETER  
RAMON PABLO GUERRERO ORTIZ 432
- Did the United States Plan an Invasion of Mexico in 1927?*  
JAMES J. HORN 454
- The Whorehouse and the Whore in Spanish American Fiction  
of the 1960s*  
KESSEL SCHWARTZ 472
- The Hidden Indian in Cortazar's "Axolotl"*  
THOMAS J. KNIGHT  
ALICE H. KRULL 488
- Review Essays
- Peasant Economy and Politics in Latin America*  
DAVID GUILLET  
RICHARD P. SCHAEDEL 494
- What Is Important in Latin American Economic History*  
SHANE HUNT 500
- New Perspectives on Cuba*  
EDWARD GONZALEZ 511



**POLICY: THE JOURNAL OF INTERAMERICAN STUDIES AND WORLD AFFAIRS** reflects the interests of the scholarly community and interested public concerned with the social, economic, political, and cultural aspects of life in Latin America (including the Caribbean); particularly in those instances where the subject is of concern to more than one of the traditional disciplines. As these concerns change, so will the content of the journal.

**ARTICLES** which have special relevance for interrelationships between American nations and of those nations with the rest of the world will be given special consideration. An effort will be made to include occasional articles that state an unusual or even discordant position on a subject of broad interest to be supplemented by critical comments of authorities representing differing positions on the topic. The editors continue to welcome articles by scholars from all parts of the world.

**MANUSCRIPTS** should be submitted in duplicate to: Editor, JOURNAL OF INTERAMERICAN STUDIES AND WORLD AFFAIRS, Box 8134, University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida 33124.

**CORRESPONDENCE** regarding book reviews should be sent directly to: Book Review Editor, JOURNAL OF INTERAMERICAN STUDIES AND WORLD AFFAIRS, Box 8123, University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida 33124.

---

**JOURNAL OF INTERAMERICAN STUDIES AND WORLD AFFAIRS** is published four times annually—in February, May, August, and November. Copyright ©1973 by Sage Publications, Inc. All rights reserved. No portion of the contents may be reproduced in any form without written permission of the publisher.

**Subscriptions:** Regular institutional rate \$20.00 per year. Professionals and teachers may subscribe at a one-year rate of \$12.00; full-time college and university students may subscribe at \$9.00 per year. Add \$1.00 per year for subscriptions outside the U.S., Canada and Latin America. No student discounts outside the U.S., Canada and Latin America. Orders from U.K., Europe, the Middle East, and Africa may be placed at £7.00 annually (£4.70 to individuals), and should be sent to the London office (address below). Non-institutional orders must be paid by personal check.

Second-class postage paid at Beverly Hills, California.

**Inquiries:** Address all correspondence and permissions requests to SAGE PUBLICATIONS, INC., 275 South Beverly Drive, Beverly Hills, California 90212. Inquiries and subscriptions from U.K., Europe, the Middle East, and Africa should be sent to SAGE PUBLICATIONS LTD, St George's House, 44 Hatton Garden, London EC1N 8ER. Other orders should be sent to the Beverly Hills office.

**Exclusive Advertising Representatives:** R. K. Armstrong & Associates, Inc., 11661 San Vicente Boulevard, Suite 210, Los Angeles, California 90049.

This journal is abstracted in **ABC POL SCI**, **Poverty and Human Resources Abstracts**, **Sage Urban Studies Abstracts**, and **International Political Science Abstracts**. It is indexed in **Public Affairs Information Service**, **Current Contents**, and **Social Sciences Citation Index**.

**Back Issues:** Information about availability and prices of back issues may be obtained from the publisher's Order Dept. (address above). Single-issue orders for 10 copies or more will receive special 50 percent adoption discount. Write to London office for sterling prices.

**Claims for undelivered copies** must be made no later than three months following month of publication. The publisher will supply missing copies when losses have been sustained in transit and where the reserve stock will permit.

---

**Change of Address:** Six weeks' advance notice must be given when notifying of change of address. Please send old address label along with the new address to insure proper identification. Please specify name of journal.

---