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Institutions and Organizations Written Qualifying Examination Core Reading List

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General Institutions and Organizations


Durkheim, Emile. 1893. The Division of Labor in Society


Parsons, Talcott. 1985. Talcott Parsons on Institutions and Social Evolution: Selected Writings Edited by Leon H. Mayhew

Weber, Max. 1922. Economy and Society


Education


**Family**


Coontz, Stephanie. 1992. *The Way We Never Were*


Parsons, Talcott and Robert Freed Bales. 1956. *Family Socialization and Interaction Process*


**Religion**

Abrutyn, Seth. 2013. *Revisiting Institutionalism in Sociology: Putting the Institution back in Institutional Analysis*


Bellah, Robert. 2011. *Religion in Human Evolution from the Paleolithic to the Axial Age*


Durkheim, Emile. *Emile Durkheim on Morality and Society* edited by Robert N. Bellah


Karl, Marx. 1844. Contribution to the Critique of Hegel’s Philosophy of Right


Weber, Max. 1905. The Protestant Ethic and the Spirit of Capitalism


Political


Lipset, S.M., 1959. Political man: The social bases of politics


Michels, Roberto 1915 Political parties; a sociological study of the oligarchical tendencies of modern democracy New York, Dover Publications


Tilly, C. and Ardant, G. 1975 The formation of national states in Western Europe Princeton Univ Pr.

Weber, Max. 1922. Economy and Society


Economy

Acker, Joan. 1992. “Gendering Organizational Theory”

Bonacich, Edna and Jake Wilson, *Getting the Goods: Ports, Labor and the Logistics Revolution*


Durkheim, Emile. 1893. *The Division of Labor in Society*


Marx, Karl and Engels Friedrich. 1848. *The Communist Manifesto*


Marx, Karl *Capital*, Volume 1, Part 1, Chapter 1, Section 4, “The fetishism of commodities and the secret thereof”

Parsons, Talcott. 1985. Talcott Parsons on Institutions and Social Evolution: Selected Writings Edited by Leon H. Mayhew

Parsons, Talcott. 1971. The System of Modern Societies


Polanyi, Karl The Great Transformation

Smith, Adam. 1776. The Wealth of Nations


Weber, Max. 1922. Economy and Society


Weber, Max General Economic History


Wilson, George and David Maume. 2014. “Men’s Mobility into Management from Blue Collar and White Collar Jobs: Race Differences Across the Early Work-Career.” Social Science Research 48:117-129
