

Curriculum Vitae

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Education:

Ph. D. Political Science, University of Notre Dame, 1998
M. A. Political Science, University of Notre Dame, 1997
B. A. Philosophy, University of Notre Dame, 1980

Examination Fields: Comparative Politics, Political Theory
Area of Interest: Latin America

Dissertation:

Title: Institutionalized Instability? Questions for Democracy from Peru,
1980-1992

Committee: Guillermo O'Donnell, Chair; Scott Mainwaring, Michael Coppedge,
Robert Fishman, Timothy Scully

Professional Experience:

Associate Professor of Latin American and Comparative Politics, University of Oklahoma,
2004-present

Visiting Professor, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú, 2000

Assistant Professor of Latin American and Comparative Politics, University of Oklahoma,
1998-2004

Acting Assistant Professor, University of Oklahoma, 1997-1998

Instructor, University of Notre Dame, *Democracies Throughout the World* course, 1996-97

Research Assistant for Scott Mainwaring, University of Notre Dame, 1992-96

Research Associate, *Parliamentary Elites of Latin America Project*, Lima, Peru, 1995

Teaching Assistant for Timothy Scully and A. James McAdams, *Introduction to Comparative
Politics*, University of Notre Dame, 1994-95

Teaching Assistant for Edward Goerner, *Introduction to Political Theory*, University of Notre
Dame, 1993

Research Associate, Instituto Bartolomé de las Casas, Lima, Peru, 1985-1991

Teaching and Research Interests:

Comparative Politics	Political Institutions
Latin American Politics	Constitutional Design
Latin American International Relations	Electoral Systems
Politics in Developing Countries	Political Parties and Party Systems
Democratization	Executive-Legislative Relations
Breakdown of Democratic Regimes	Political Violence
Democratic Theory	Political Theory
Authoritarianism	Ethics and Politics
Human Rights	Transitional Justice

Publications

Books:

Kenney, Charles D. (2004). *Fujimori's Coup and the Breakdown of Democracy in Latin America*. Notre Dame: University of Notre Dame Press, 379 pp.

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles:

Kenney, Charles D. (2003). "The Death and Rebirth of a Party System, Peru 1978-2001." *Comparative Political Studies* 36(10): 1210-39.

Kenney, Charles D. (1998). "Outsider and Anti-Party Politicians in Power: New Conceptual Strategies and Empirical Evidence from Peru." *Party Politics* 4, no. 1: 57-75.

Book Chapters:

Kenney, Charles D. "Horizontal Accountability: Concepts and Conflicts." In *Democratic Accountability in Latin America*, ed. Scott Mainwaring and Christopher Welna, 55-76. New York: Oxford University Press, 2003.

Kenney, Charles D. "¿Por Qué El Autogolpe? Fujimori y el Congreso, 1990-1992." In *Los Enigmas del Poder: Fujimori 1990-1996*, ed. Fernando Tuesta Soldevilla, 75-104. Lima: Fundación Frederick Ebert, 1996.

Other Articles:

Kenney, Charles D. (2004). "Muerte y renacimiento de un sistema de partidos, Perú 1978-2001." *Elecciones* 4: 237-291.

Kenney, Charles D. (2001). "Las Elecciones Peruanas de 2001: Un Breve Comentario Sobre la Primera Vuelta." *Conjuntura Política* 25.

Kenney, Charles D. (1998). "¿Por Qué El Autogolpe? Fujimori y el Congreso, 1990-1992." *PostData*, no. 3-4: 329-357.

Frank, Volker, and Charles D. Kenney. (1994). "Democracy in the Americas: Approaching the Year 2000. A Rapporteurs' Report," 43 pp. Helen Kellogg Institute for International Studies, University of Notre Dame.

Kenney, Charles D. (1991). "Lenguaje y Mundo: Dos Perspectivas Contemporáneas sobre la Tarea y los Límites de la Filosofía." *Estudios de Filosofía*, no. 2: 1-14.

Kenney, Charles D. (1991). "Habermas y el Concepto de Poder en la Obra de Arendt." *Areté* 3, no. 2: 233-252.

Kenney, Charles D. (1990). "La Vida Humana, Una Perspectiva Filosófica: Una Reflexión sobre el Pensamiento de Hannah Arendt." *Páginas* 15, no. 102 (1990): 25-34.

Kenney, Charles D. (1988). "Violencia y Poder." *Páginas* 13, no. 91 (1988): 27-41.

Conference Papers and Invited Lectures:

Kenney, Charles D. and Dean Spears. "Truth and Consequences: Do Truth Commissions Promote Democratization?" (*American Political Science Association*, Washington, September 2005).

Kenney, Charles D. "The Consequences of Transitional Justice for Democracy" (*Latin American Studies Association*, Las Vegas, October 2004).

Kenney, Charles D. "The Democratization of Competitive Authoritarian Regimes in Latin America" (*American Political Science Association*, Chicago, September 2004).

Kenney, Charles D. "La democratización de regímenes autoritarios competitivos: la transición peruana en perspectiva comparativa" (*Instituto de Estudios Peruanos*, Lima, July 2004).

Kenney, Charles D. "Semi-Democracy, Electoral Authoritarianism, and Competitive Authoritarian Regimes" (*Southern Political Science Association*, New Orleans, January 2004).

Kenney, Charles D. "Economic Reform and Democratization in Peru, 1980-2002" (*Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University*, Evanston, January 2003).

Kenney, Charles D. "How Institutions Matter: Peru's Electoral Systems and Changes in the Party System, 1963-2001" (*Southern Political Science Association*, Atlanta, November 2001).

Kenney, Charles D. "Guess Who's Coming to Dinner: the Death and Rebirth of Traditional Party Politicians in Peru, 1978-2001" (*Latin American Studies Association*, Washington, September 2001).

Kenney, Charles D. "Peru's Post-Fujimori Foreign Policy" (U.S. Department of State and the National Intelligence Council, Washington, June 2001).

- Kenney, Charles D. "Horizontal Accountability and Democratic Breakdown in Latin America" (*Oklahoma Political Science Association*, Oklahoma City, November 2000).
- Kenney, Charles D. "The Collapse of the Fujimori Regime: Why Fujimori Did What He Did" (*Center for International Development/David Rockefeller Center for Latin American Studies, Harvard University*, Cambridge, November 2000).
- Kenney, Charles D. "Votes, Lies, and Videotape: A Report on Elections and Regime in Peru" (*Centre of Latin American Studies, Cambridge University*, Cambridge, November 2000).
- Kenney, Charles D. "Elections and Regime Type: Democracy, Hybrid Regimes, and Authoritarianism" (*American Political Science Association*, Washington, September 2000).
- Kenney, Charles D. "Roundtable on Horizontal Accountability" (*American Political Science Association*, Washington, September 2000).
- Kenney, Charles D. "Reflections on Horizontal Accountability: Democratic Legitimacy, Majority Parties, and Democratic Stability in Latin America" (*Kellogg Institute for International Studies, University of Notre Dame*, May 2000).
- Kenney, Charles D. "Presidents, Parties, and Horizontal Accountability in Latin America" (*Latin American Studies Association*, Miami, March 2000).
- Kenney, Charles D. "The Collapse of the Peruvian Party System: Cleavages, Institutionalization, and Performance Failure" (*American Political Science Association*, Atlanta, September 1999).
- Kenney, Charles D. "The Second Round of the Majority Runoff Debate: Classification, Evidence, and Analysis" (*Latin American Studies Association*, Chicago, September 1998).
- Kenney, Charles D. "The Powers of the Peruvian Presidency and Fujimori's Critical Options" (*American Political Science Association*, Boston, September 1998).
- Kenney, Charles D. "Blackballing Ballotage? A Reexamination of the Effects of Presidential Majority Runoff in Latin America" (*Latin American Studies Association*, Guadalajara, April 1997).
- Kenney, Charles D. "Anti-politicians, Outsiders and Democratic Politics: New Conceptual Strategies and Empirical Evidence from Peru" (*European Congress of Latin American Studies*, Salamanca, June 1996).
- Kenney, Charles D. "Outsiders on the Inside: Preliminary Results from the Parliamentary Elites of Latin America Survey in Peru" (*Midwest Political Science Association*, Chicago, April 1996).
- Kenney, Charles D. "The Politics of Fujimori's Self-Coup and the Implications for Democracy in Peru" (*Latin American Studies Association*, Washington, September 1995).

Other Conference Participation:

Discussant: “The Evolution of Parties and Party Systems in Latin America,” papers by Barbara Geddes and Michael Allison; *Southern Political Science Association*, New Orleans, January 2004.

Discussant: “The Quality of Democracy in Contemporary Latin America,” papers by Jonathan Hartlyn, Jennifer McCoy, Andreas Schedler, Gretchen Helmke, Laurence Whitehead, Cynthia McClintock, James Lebovic, Jorge Vargas-Cullell; *Latin American Studies Association*, Dallas, March 2003.

Organizer and Chair: “Explaining Regime Change: The Fall of Fujimorismo and the Transition to Democracy,” papers by Moisés Arce, David Goldberg, Stephanie McNulty, Gregory Schmidt; *Latin American Studies Association*, Dallas, March 2003.

Chair: “Mexico & the U.S. Partners for the Future,” presentations by Andrew Wood, G.W. Metcalfe, Campbell Cooke, Laurence Kerr; *Oklahoma, Mexico & The New Century*, Tulsa, May 2002.

Chair: “Comparative Perspectives on Ideology, Participation, and Representation,” papers by Charles L. Davis, Elizabeth Zechmeister, Myunghye Kim, Saika Uno, Maria Alejandra Armesto; *Southern Political Science Association*, Atlanta, November 2001.

Organizer and Chair: “Elections and Political Regime in Peru,” papers by Julio Cotler, Carlos Iván Degregori, Francisco Durand, Charles Kenney, Catalina Romero, Gregory Schmidt; *Latin American Studies Association*, Washington, September 2001.

Discussant and Chair: “Seminario sobre elecciones libres y limpias,” presentations by Luis Jaime Cisneros, James Rudolph, Thomas Geiger, Martín Tanaka, Alberto Bustamante, Lourdes Flores Nano, Gregory Schmidt, Andreas Schedler, Michael Zarin, Rudecindo Vega, Jennifer McCoy, Gerardo Le Chevallier, Catherine Conaghan, Cynthia McClintock, Rafael Roncagliolo, Felipe MacGregor, Ambassador John Hamilton; *Transparencia*, Lima, February 2000.

Major External Grants:

Fulbright Fellowship, Peru—Council for the International Exchange of Scholars, Institute of International Education, United States Department of State, 2000.

Internal Grants:

Presidential International Travel Fellowship—Office of International Relations, University of Oklahoma, 2004.

Junior Faculty Research Award—College of Arts and Sciences, University of Oklahoma, 2001.
Presidential International Travel Fellowship—Office of International Relations, University of Oklahoma, 2001.

Junior Faculty Research Award—Research Council, Graduate College, University of Oklahoma, 1999.

Graduate Teaching Fellowship—Graduate School, University of Notre Dame, 1996-1997.

Dissertation Year Fellowship—Kellogg Institute for International Studies, University of Notre Dame, 1995-1996.

Zahm Research Travel Grant—Graduate School, University of Notre Dame, 1995.

Seed Money Research Grant—Kellogg Institute for International Studies, University of Notre Dame, 1994.

Summer Research Grants—Department of Government and International Studies, University of Notre Dame, 1994, 1995, 1996.

Courses Taught or Scheduled to be Taught at the University of Oklahoma

HON 3993	International Human Rights
IAS 3313	Latin American International Relations
PSC 2603	Introduction to Comparative Politics-Governments around the World
PSC 3600	Constitutional Engineering: A Comparative Analysis of Political Institutions
PSC 3643	Democracies and Democratization: A Comparative Inquiry
PSC 3653	Government and Politics of Latin America
PSC 3970	Honors Comparative Politics Seminar
PSC 4633	Senior Capstone Seminar in Comparative Politics
PSC 5600	Graduate—Seminar on Comparative Democratization
PSC 5663	Graduate—Comparative Political Analysis
PSC 5683	Graduate—Seminar on Politics in Latin America
PSC 5732	Graduate—Contemporary Political Theory

PhD and MA Committees

During 2005 I was a member of seventeen PhD and MA committees, three of which I chaired.

Teaching Awards

Award for Best Teaching Assistant in the Political Science Department, University of Notre Dame, 1994-95.

Professional Activity and Memberships

Editorial Board Member for the journal *Elecciones*, Peru, 2002-present

Latin American Studies Association

Peru Section—Chair, 2001-2003; Officer, 2000-2001, 2003-2004

Political Institutions Section—Member

American Political Science Association
Comparative Politics Section—Member
Comparative Democratization Section—Member

Manuscript reviews for:

Comparative Political Studies
Comparative Politics
Latin American Politics and Society
Journal of Latin American Studies
Journal of Politics
Oxford University Press
Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú
University of Miami North-South Center Press
University of Notre Dame Press
University of Oklahoma Press

International Election Observer, *Latin American Studies Association*, Peru 2000.
International Election Observer, *National Democratic Institute and the Carter Center*, Peru 2001.

Departmental and University Service

Committee A, Political Science Department, University of Oklahoma, 2004-present
Committee on Latin American and Hispanic Exchanges, Office of International Relations,
University of Oklahoma, 1997-present
Renaissance Project Planning Committee, “Religion and Democracy,” 2005-present
Faculty Appeals Board, University of Oklahoma, 2004-present
Faculty Advisor to the Graduate Students in Political Science organization, 2004-present
Honors College Liaison, Political Science Department, University of Oklahoma, 1998-present.
Latin American Studies Committee, University of Oklahoma, 2002-present
Rhodes and Marshall Scholarship Selection Committee, University of Oklahoma, 2001-present
Symposium on Latin America Organizing Committee, University of Oklahoma, 1998-1999;
2002-2003
Undergraduate Studies Committee, Political Science Department, University of Oklahoma,
1997- present; Chair 2004-present
Undergraduate Awards Committee, Political Science Department, University of Oklahoma,
1998-1999, 2001-2004

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