

THE HISTORY OF POLITICAL THOUGHT

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Required Reading

Thucydides: The Peloponnesian War (Modern Library)
Bk. I; Bk. II, sections 34-40; Bk. III s.s. 36-51, 82-83;
Bk. V s.s. 84-116.

Plato: Apology and Crito (Last Days of Socrates, Penguin)
Republic (tr. by Cornford)
Statesman (tr. by Skemp, Library of Liberal Arts)
Laws, Bks. 1, 5, 6 & 12
or
The Collected Dialogues, ed. by E. Hamilton and H. Cairns.

Graduate Students should also read:

Protagoras and Gorgias (Penguin)

Aristotle;: Nichomachean Ethics, Bks. 1, 5 & 10
Politics (tr. by E. Barker)
Constitution of Athens

Plutarch: Lives: Lycurgus- Numa and Solon - Publicola (Loeb Classics
vol. I or Modern Library)

Polybius: The Histories, Bk. 6 (Loeb Classics, vol. III)

Cicero: On the Republic, Bks. 1-3 (Loeb)
On the Laws, Bks. 1 & 2

St Augustine

C.H. McIlwain: The Growth of Political Thought in the West, Ch. IV,
pp. 102-148

B. Tierney: The Crisis of Church and State 1050-1300, Part II, pp. 33-95
and Part IV, pp. 172-210.

John of Salisbury: The Statesman's Book, ed. by J. Dickinson
Introduction; Bk. IV, chs. 1-3; Bk. V, chs. 2-5;
Bk. VI, chs. 1-2, 5-6, 8, 10, 20, 25-26; Bk. VII,
ch. 25; Bk. VIII, chs. 17-18, 20-21.

Aquinas: Selected Political Writings, ed. by A.P. d'Entrèves, pp. 3-187.

Dante: On Monarchy

Marsilius of Padua: The Defensor Pacis, Vol. II, ed. & tr. by A. Gewirth,
"Discourse I," pp. 99-187.

W. Ullmann: A History of Political Thought: The Middle Ages (Penguin).

GOVERNMENT 106b READING LIST

- Hooker Laws of the Ecclesiastical Polity, Everyman's ed. I
147-201
- *Machiavelli The Prince (entire); The Discourses, Bk. I, introduction and chapters 1-7, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18, 25, 26, 34, 37, 46, 55, 58; Bk. II, introduction and chapters 2, 13, 19, 27, 31; Bk. III, chapters 1, 6, 9, 25. (Modern Library ed.)
- *Luther Selections, Anchor ed., pp. 52-85; 326-350; 363-402; 406-417; 432-485.
- *Hobbes Leviathan, Parts I & II (Collier ed.)
- *Locke Second Treatise of Government (entire; Mentor ed.)
Letter on Toleration (entire; Library of Liberal Arts ed.)
- *Bentham Fragment on Government and Principles of Morals and Legislation (Blackwell ed., pages to be announced)
- *Rousseau Discourse on the Origin of Inequality; Social Contract (entire; Everyman's ed.)
- Rousseau Considerations on the Government of Poland (in Political Writings, ed. Watkins) and Letter to D'Alembert on the Theater (in Politics and Art, ed. Bloom)
- *Mill On Liberty, "Bentham"; "M. de Tocqueville on Democracy in America" (Modern Library: The Philosophy of J.S. Mill)
- *Kant The Philosophy of Kant, Modern Library ed., pages to be announced. pp. xi-xiv; 116-208; 412-476
- Hegel The Philosophy of Hegel, Modern Library ed., pages to be announced.
- *Marx Early Writings, McEraw-Hill paperback, entire;
Basic Writings on Politics and Philosophy, Anchor ed. pp. 1-47; 68-111; 133-167; 246-266; 318-391; 395-413; 481-485.

Starred books are recommended for purchase; all books will be on reserve.