Chinese Politics in Comparative Perspective

Learning Journal



Overview

- Read a published peer-review article in leading political science and comparative politics journals and answer two questions using up to 1,000 words (max)
- ▶ The key idea is to reflect on how China is researched and compared
 - Choose an article from the list of journals (the article needs to be published after 2010 and explicitly comapares China to one or more countries in the world)
 - Bring the article to Week 6 class to share with everyone
 - Read the article and answer the questions



- American Political Science Review
- British Journal of Political Science
- Comparative Politics
- Comparative Political Studies
- International Political Science Review
- ► Japanese Journal of Political Science
- Journal of Chinese Political Science
- Journal of East Asian Studies
- Journal of Politics
- ► Political Research Quarterly
- Political Studies
- ▶ Studies in Comparative International Development
- World Politics



In your words, explain why the author(s) think China can be compared with the country (or countries) included in the article. Can you identify a different country that can be included using the same comparative logic? Do you agree with such a comparison? Discuss.



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- ▶ Utilize Google Scholar to explore how other scholars have cited the article you select. What are some common themes among these articles? Is the article you choose predominantly cited by scholars who specialize in China, or has it also garnered attention from scholars who do not focus on China? Do you believe that the article, while centered on China, holds broader implications for scholars who study countries other than China? Discuss.



Reminders

- ► Answer the questions
- Attach the coversheet
- ▶ Enter your student ID in the field of **Submission Title**
- Submit your work by Midday, 7 April 2024



