

Template for a **Cultural** Analysis

Before completing this template, review the POL 240 Theoretical Perspectives document in the Canvas Important Information module. Additional useful information is contained in *Why Are Some States Wealthy and Some Poor?*

For your examples, include citations from the readings.

The theoretical perspective of culture best explains [*the political events described by reading assignments for the region*]:

I. What is/are the main cultural value(s) responsible for the events described in the readings?

1. Example from readings that supports your claim:

2. Example from readings that supports your claim:

II. Who shares this/these cultural value(s)?

1. Example from readings that supports your claim:

2. Example from readings that supports your claim:

III. How does this/do these cultural value(s) shape the political behavior of those who put this/these value(s) into practice in society?

1. Example from readings that supports your claim:

2. Example from readings that supports your claim: