

Additional Readings on Aboriginal Peoples and Canadian National Rights Issues

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The following list of suggested readings is not intended to be comprehensive. It is a short list of articles, books, book chapters and select videos that serve to complement the articles and their own lists of references in this special issue of the *Native Studies Review*. A few of the more important and interesting references have been annotated.

Balthazar, Louis. "The Faces of Quebec Nationalism." In David Taras and Berverly Rasporich, eds., *A Passion for Identity*, 3rd ed., pp. 65-84. Toronto: ITP Nelson, 1997.

Bertrand, Guy, in collaboration with Angeline Fournier (translated by MarieTherese Blanc). *Enough Is Enough: An Attorney's Struggle for Democracy in Canada*. Toronto: ECW Press, 1996. A founding member of the Parti Québécois, Bertrand became disenchanted with the party, its aims and its leadership. This book is the story of his court challenge to the Quebec referendum laws, which he ultimately "won." Subsequent to the writing of this book, the Supreme Court of Canada agreed with Bertrand, and others, that Quebec does not have the unilateral right to separate from Canada.

Boldt, Menno. *Surviving as Indians: The Challenge of Self-Government*. Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 1993.

Bothwell, Robert. *Canada and Quebec: One Country, Two Histories*. Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press, 1995.

Bourgeault, Ron. "Race, Class and Gender: Colonial Domination of Women." In Jesse Vorst et al., *Race, Class, Gender: Bonds and Barriers*, 2nd ed., pp. 88-117. Toronto: Society for Socialist Studies/Garamond Press, 1991.

Bremer, Katharina, et al. *Achieving Understanding: Discourse in Intercultural Encounters*. London and New York: Longman Groups Ltd., 1996.

- Burrows, John. "Contemporary Traditional Equity: The Effects of the Charter on First Nations Politics." In D. Schneiderman and K. Sutherland, eds., *The Impact of Charter Rights on Law and Politics in Canada*. Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 1997.
- Clark, Bruce. *Native Liberty, Crown Sovereignty: The Existing Aboriginal Rights of Self-Government in Canada*. Montreal: McGill-Queen's University Press, 1990.
- Coon Come, Matthew. "Dishonourable Conduct: The Crown in the Right of Canada and Quebec and the James Bay Cree." In David Taras and Beverly Raspovich, eds., *A Passion for Identity*, 3rd ed., pp. 89–100. Toronto: ITP Nelson, 1997.
- Cullingham, James, Peter Rayment and Kent Martin (producers). *Flooding Job's Garden*. Toronto: Taramac Productions and Montreal: National Film Board of Canada, 1991. Narrated by Boyce Richardson, this video looks at the impact of the James Bay Project on the Northern Cree (Eeyou) of Quebec. Environmental impact, social impact and the struggle of the Eeyou to stop this development are all documented.
- Denis, Wilfrid B. "The Politics of Language," in Peter Li, ed., *Race and Ethnic Relations in Canada*, pp. 148–185. Don Mills: Oxford University Press, 1990. Denis focuses on the importance of language in maintaining the viability of a culture. Although he focuses primarily on French and Francophone culture, he does address First Nations and "minority" language issues.
- Finkel, Alvin. "From the Quiet Revolution to the First Sovereignty Referendum," in A. Finkel, ed., *Our Lives: Canada after 1945*, pp. 176–205. Toronto: James Lorimer & Company Ltd., 1997.
- Finkel, Alvin. "Canada's First People Rebel," in A. Finkel, ed., *Our Lives: Canada after 1945*, pp. 243–259. Toronto: James Lorimer & Company Ltd., 1997.
- Fleras, Augie and Jean Leonard Elliott. *Unequal Relations: An Introduction to Race, Ethnic and Aboriginal Dynamics in Canada*, 2nd ed. Scarborough: Prentice Hall, 1996. In this sociology textbook, Fleras and Elliott provide a comprehensive overview of race and ethnic relations in Canada. The chapters on Aboriginal peoples and French-English relations will be of particular interest.
- Fournier, Marcel, Michael Rosenberg, and Deena White, eds. *Quebec Society: Critical Issues*. Scarborough: Prentice Hall, 1997.

- Frideres, James S., ed. *Aboriginal Peoples in Canada: Contemporary Conflicts*, 5th ed. Scarborough: Prentice Hall Allyn and Bacon Canada, 1998.
- Gibbins, Roger. "Canada Without Quebec: Thinking Through the Unthinkable," in David Taras and Beverly Rasporich, eds., *A Passion for Identity*, 3rd ed., pp. 105–118. Toronto: ITP Nelson, 1997. This article discusses what English Canada needs to consider after Quebec separates. Gibbins suggests that the political structure will have to be rethought if any province, besides Ontario, wants to have any voice in a Quebec-less Canada.
- Gourdeau, Eric. "Quebec and the Aboriginal Question," in Alain-G. Gagnon, ed., *Quebec: State and Society*, 2nd ed., pp. 349–371. Scarborough: Nelson Canada, 1993.
- Grand Council of the Crees (Eeyou Astchee). *Never without Consent: James Bay Crees' Stand Against Forcible Inclusion into an Independent Quebec*. Toronto: ECW Press, 1998. An updated and more "popularized" version of the legalistic *Sovereign Injustice*, this book presents the case of the Eeyou vis-à-vis Quebec sovereignty.
- Grand Council of the Cree (of Quebec). *Sovereign Injustice: Forcible Inclusion of Nemaska*. Nemaska: Grand Council of the Cree, 1995. A detailed, legalistic analysis of why the Eeyou do not want to separate along with Quebec if Quebec separates from Canada, this is a key document in understanding the issues in this edition of *Native Studies Review*. As such, it is worth taking time to read in addition to *Never without Consent*.
- Kymlicka, Will. 1998. *In Finding Our Way: Rethinking Ethnocultural Relations in Canada*. Toronto: Oxford University Press.
- Kymlicka, Will, ed. 1995. *The Rights of Minority Cultures*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Langlois, Simon, et al. 1992. *Recent Social Trends in Quebec, 1960–1990*. Montreal: McGill-Queen's University Press.
- Lévesque, René. *An Option for Quebec*. Toronto: McClelland and Stewart Limited, 1968. Although more than thirty years old, this book formed the basis for the original platform for the Parti Québécois, and is therefore worth reading, if only to compare to the more radical platform of the current Parti Québécois. See National Executive Council of the Parti Québécois (1994).

- Long, J. Anthony, and M. Boldt. eds. *Governments in Conflict? Provinces and Indian Nations in Canada*. Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 1988.
- Mayberry-Lewis, David. *Indigenous Peoples, Ethnic Groups and the State*. Needham, N.J.: Allyn and Bacon, 1997.
- McAlpine, Trevor. *The Partition Principle: Remapping Quebec after Separation*. Toronto: ECW Press, 1996.
- Morse, Bradford, ed. *Aboriginal Peoples and the Law: Indian, Metis and Inuit Rights in Canada*, revised edition. Ottawa: Carleton University Press, 1991.
- Naidu, M.V. *Quebec Separation, Canadian Unity*. Oakville, ON: Multidisciplinary Investigative and Teaching Association, 1995.
- National Executive Council of the Parti Quebecois. (English trans.) *Quebec in a New World: The P.Q.'s Plan for Sovereignty*. Toronto: James Lorimer and Company, 1994. This was the platform that the PQ took to the 1995 referendum and is an interesting comparison to René Lévesque's *An Option for Quebec*.
- Ng, Roxanna. "Sexism, Racism, and Canadian Nationalism." In Jesse Vorst et al., eds., *Race, Class, Gender: Bonds and Barriers*, 2nd ed., pp. 12–26. Toronto: Society for Socialist Studies/Garamond Press, 1991.
- Ponting, J. Rick. *First Nations in Canada: Perspectives on Opportunity, Empowerment and Self-Determination*. Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson Limited, 1997.
- Richardson, Boyce. *People of Terra Nullius: Betrayal and Rebirth in Aboriginal Canada*. Vancouver: Douglas & McIntyre, 1993.
- Schneiderman, David, ed. *The Quebec Decision: Perspectives on the Supreme Court Ruling on Secession*. Toronto: James Lorimer and Company Ltd., 1999.
- Vallee, Jacques (producer). *Riding the Great Whale*. Montreal: National Film Board of Canada, 1995. This video examines the impact of the proposed Great Whale Project on the province of Quebec. Managers from Hydro Quebec, officials from the province of Quebec (including Robert Bourassa) and Aboriginal people are all interviewed and filmed. The discourse is of particular interest because everyone seems to be talking and no one seems to be listening.
- York, Geoffrey, and Lorraine Pinder. *People of the Pines: The Warriors and the Legacy of Oka*. Toronto: Little, Brown, 1991.