GUIDE TO PRIMARY SOURCES: THE EARLY MODERN SPANISH WORLD

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I. Primary Source Readers

This is a list of primary source readers covering colonial Latin America and the Iberian peninsula in the early modern period.


II. Duke University Press Readers

This is a list of Duke University Press readers, which contain both primary and secondary sources. While the majority of them concentrate primarily on the modern period, they do have several sources from the colonial era.


Hutchison, Elizabeth Quay, Thomas Miller Klubock, Nara B. Milanich, and Peter Winn, eds. The


III. Primary Sources in English

This is a list of primary sources in English for the history of the early modern Spanish world. The majority deal with colonial Spanish America, but one will also find sources on the Philippines, the Mariana Islands, colonial Brazil, and the Iberian peninsula. The bibliography is by no means exhaustive, but it is a decent start for various topics ranging from the early period of “conquest” and colonization to the final years of Spanish rule in the early nineteenth century. The topics listed should not be considered exhaustive either, but they offer a good place to begin exploring colonial documents.

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