

Colonial Identities: Go-Betweens Historical Analysis Prep  
Complete and bring to class on Monday, October 2

Name:

***Key Terms to Define***

- *Mestizo* (Spanish) or *Mameluco* (Portuguese)
  
- *Encomienda*
  
- *Kurakas*

***Reading Interpretation & Analysis***

1. In reading Don Melchior Caruarayco's biography, what did you learn about the roles *kurakas* played in the consolidation of Spanish rule?

How did his role as a religious and political leader change?

What primary sources does Dr. Ramírez draw on?  
How does this shape her interpretation?

2. In reading Domingos Fernandes Nobre's biography, what did you learn about the roles gobetweens played in the consolidation of Portuguese rule?

What about Tomacauna attracted the inquisitor's attention? What was the perceived threat he posed?

What primary sources does Dr. Metcalf draw on?  
How does this shape her interpretation?