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This study was a follow up on the 1991 six nation study carried out by the University of Pittsburgh Central American Public Opinion Project. In 1995, the University of Pittsburgh, in a collaborative effort with the Friedrich Ebert Foundation and the Instituto de Estudios Nicaraguenses (IEN), replicated its survey in Nicaragua.

In 1995, Mitchell Seligson and Ricardo Córdova Macias, Executive Director of the Fundación Guillermo Ungo of El Salvador, carried out a national study of political attitudes in El Salvador. The Friedrich Ebert Foundation wished to replicate such a study in Nicaragua, and thus funded the national survey. A National Probability sample was collected from 1,200 respondents from every department in Nicaragua except Zelaya and Rio San Juan because of their low population density and remoteness. The fieldwork was conducted by the Instituto de Estudios Nicaraguenses (IEN), under the general coordination of Rodolfo Delgado Romero, Executive Director.

The complete report, *Political Culture in Nicaragua: Transitions 1991-1995*, by Mitchell A. Seligson, can be found at the LAPOP website in both English and Spanish, <https://www.vanderbilt.edu/lapop/nicaragua.php>.