

THE AMERICAS IN TRANSITION

The Contours of Regionalism

Gordon Mace, Louis Bélanger,
and contributors



BOULDER
LONDON

Contents

<i>Acknowledgments</i>	ix
1 Hemispheric Regionalism in Perspective <i>Gordon Mace and Louis Bélanger</i>	1
Part 1 The Regionalist Project and Its Environment	
2 The Origins, Nature, and Scope of the Hemispheric Project <i>Gordon Mace</i>	19
X 3 The Structural Contexts of Hemispheric Regionalism: Power, Trade, Political Culture, and Economic Development <i>Gordon Mace and Louis Bélanger</i>	37
4 NAFTA and Mercosur: Two Competing Models? <i>Ivan Bernier and Martin Roy</i>	69
Part 2 Actors' Strategies	
5 U.S. Foreign Policy and the Regionalist Option in the Americas <i>Louis Bélanger</i>	95

6	From Warmth to Coolness: The U.S. Congress and the Free Trade Issue in the Americas, 1988–1996 <i>Bernard Lemelin</i>	111
7	Brazil's Alternative Vision <i>Maria Regina Soares de Lima</i>	133
8	Building Role and Region: Middle States and Regionalism in the Americas <i>Louis Bélanger and Gordon Mace</i>	153
9	The Organization of American States and Hemispheric Regionalism <i>Guy Gosselin and Jean-Philippe Thérien</i>	175
10	Business and Integration in the Americas: Competing Points of View <i>Klaus Peter Fischer</i>	195
11	Social Movements in the Americas: Regionalism from Below? <i>André C. Drainville</i>	219

Part 3 Conclusion

12	A Provisional Assessment <i>Gordon Mace and Louis Bélanger</i>	241
	<i>List of Acronyms and Abbreviations</i>	255
	<i>Bibliography</i>	257
	<i>The Contributors</i>	281
	<i>Index</i>	285
	<i>About the Book</i>	299