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**Compendio historico del los indios de Peru**

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## Summary

**Creator:** Atienza, Lope de, 1537-1596? -- Compendio historial del estado de los indios del Perú

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**Abstract:** A historical compendium of the state of Indians in Peru, including documentation of their rites, customs, and inclinations, as well as warnings for those who live among them. Composed by Spanish Jesuit missionary Lope de Atienza, with the assistance of Juan de Ovando, President of the Council of the Indies. 19th century transcript. In Spanish.

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## Scope and Content Note

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## **Key Terms**

### **Subjects**

Indians of South America -- Missions -- Peru  
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### **Geographic Names**

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### **Names**

Ovando, Juan de