

Review of: "From International to Subnational: A Contribution to the Insertion of Subnational Governments in Northeastern Brazil in the Internationalization of Public Policies."

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The article's proposal to provoke reflection on public policies in regional contexts is quite relevant.

Assuming that Brazil lacks the effective implementation of public policies at the national level, it is possible that regional policies are therefore also weakened.

In addition, by proposing to analyze the state of the art of the dissemination of public policies in the country, the article can contribute to highlight such deficiencies and weaknesses.

The text has research problems, hypotheses and objective, well-defined and adequate, allowing easy understanding of the fundamental elements of the article. It also presents updated bibliographic reference.

With regard to methodological design section that explain in more depth the development of the snowball technique and interviews.

With regard to the systematic literature review, I suggest that in addition to conducting the search in SCiELO Brazil and in the portal of theses and dissertations of CAPES, the research is also carried out in databases of international coverage, such as the Scopus and Web of Science databases as sources of research, giving greater depth in the coverage of scientific production in the theme.

In general, the text has scientific merit and brings the possibility of important reflections in the field of public policies and their respective impact on regional development.