

Peer Review

Review of: "Economics Research in the Twenty-First Century — 25 Years of Scientific Breakthroughs"

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The article offers a detailed overview of the main topics addressed in contemporary economics, covering everything from classical topics, such as economic growth and public policies, to emerging issues, such as inequality, climate change, and the digitalization of the economy. Furthermore, it reveals how new topics have been gaining ground, such as behavioral economics, the impact of artificial intelligence, and the relationship between economics and politics. The text also highlights the sensitivity of economic research to global events, such as the 2008 financial crisis and the COVID-19 pandemic.

I particularly appreciated the part of the article that points out that areas such as tourism and sports receive little attention from economic research, despite their significant impact on global development. As I am a researcher in the field of tourism, I share this perception. This analysis of the research reinforces the importance of studying these topics.

The article is a valuable contribution to understanding the evolution of economics as a scientific discipline. It provides a solid foundation for researchers interested in keeping up with the main trends in the field and reflecting on the future direction of economic research.

However, I missed a clearer methodology, with greater detail regarding the process of data search and analysis. What were the criteria for selecting the keywords? Was any software used for the data analysis? Were there inclusion and exclusion criteria for the articles found? ... This information would be fundamental to reinforce the clarity of the research.

Declarations

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