

# 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 paper is an important contribution to the internationalization of public policies study. Discussing different cases of internationalization modalities is both a strength and a challenge. In the first case, the research's accomplishments lie in contextualization and specificity of the cases presented as import or export of policies examples. In the second case, presenting different examples inhibits possibilities for more deep treatment; this makes the research made fall into the situation that the authors themselves maintain as a need for the field and that they used as an argument of their study relevance. That is why the sections are a little disjointed; maybe each of these can represent a study by itself.

Another research quality consists in implying different information sources, whether live or documentary, and making them coincide through the different stages.

Finally, I believe that the paper requires grammatical adjustments.