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The Pluriverse of Human Rights - Boaventura de Sousa Santos 2021

"The impasse affecting human rights as a language used to express struggles for dignity reflects the epistemological and political exhaustion which blights the global North. Inspired by struggles from all corners of the world, this book offers a highly conditional response to the prevailing notion of human rights today"--

Human Scale Development - Manfred A. Max-Neef 1991

Presents a people-centred approach to development.

Competences for democratic culture - Council of Europe 2016-04-04

A new Council of Europe reference framework of competences for democratic culture! Contemporary societies within Europe face many challenges, including declining levels of voter turnout in elections, increased distrust of politicians, high levels of hate crime, intolerance and prejudice towards minority ethnic and religious groups, and increasing levels of support for violent extremism. These challenges threaten the legitimacy of democratic institutions and peaceful co-existence within Europe. Formal education is a vital tool that can be used to tackle these challenges. Appropriate educational input and practices can boost democratic engagement, reduce intolerance and prejudice, and decrease support for violent extremism. However, to achieve these goals, educationists need a clear understanding of the democratic competences that should be targeted by the curriculum. This book presents a new conceptual model of the competences which citizens require to participate in democratic culture and live peacefully together with others in culturally diverse societies. The model is the product of intensive work over a two-year period, and has been strongly endorsed in an international consultation with leading educational experts. The book describes the competence model in detail, together with the methods used to develop it. The model provides a robust conceptual foundation for the future development of curricula, pedagogies and assessments in democratic citizenship and human rights education. Its application will enable educational systems to be harnessed effectively for the preparation of students for life as engaged and tolerant democratic citizens. The book forms the first component of a new Council of Europe reference framework of competences for democratic culture. It is vital reading for all educational policy makers and practitioners who work in the fields of education for democratic citizenship, human rights education and intercultural education.

Temas pendientes y nuevas oportunidades en Turismo y Cooperación al Desarrollo - Marta Nel-lo Andreu 2015-12-01

La consideración del turismo como una vía y oportunidad para el desarrollo está cada vez más presente en las políticas socioeconómicas de los países. Algunos hechos que han contribuido a este aumento de protagonismo del turismo son entre otros el consenso alcanzado en reuniones internacionales sobre la capacidad de esta actividad para contribuir al desarrollo y más concretamente al alivio de la pobreza, como se recoge en los Objetivos de Desarrollo del Milenio fijados por las Naciones Unidas. El sector del turismo es una línea estratégica que tiene grandes posibilidades para convertirse en líder de la cooperación turística internacional, pues es considerado una herramienta que, bien gestionada, contribuye a la mejora de la calidad de vida de las poblaciones locales y a la reducción de la pobreza, fomentando la creación de

lugares de trabajo y la conservación del patrimonio natural y cultural. Teóricamente es así, pero en la práctica: ¿Qué está sucediendo? El turismo es un fenómeno dinámico tanto en su crecimiento como en la permanente transformación de sus elementos, de las relaciones entre los mismos o de nuevas expresiones y formas de hacer turismo. Su estudio y seguimiento exige un análisis de las problemáticas aún pendientes, así como requiere responder a las nuevas realidades, ara que el turismo mantenga su fin último, el desarrollo. El II Congreso de la Red Internacional de Investigadores en Turismo, Cooperación y Desarrollo quiere con este encuentro: - Crear un foro de discusión y reflexión, desde una perspectiva académica y de investigación, sobre temas pendientes aún por resolver como el impacto del turismo en las comunidades locales y de abordar "nuevas" realidades y estrategias de desarrollo turístico y cooperación que reclaman nuestra atención. - Sumar conocimientos en el campo de la investigación del turismo como herramienta de cooperación al desarrollo. - Facilitar un espacio para conocernos e impulsar futuras colaboraciones de investigación.

Yearbook of International Organizations - 2011

Beginning in 1983/84 published in 3 vols., with expansion to 6 vols. by 2007/2008: vol. 1--Organization descriptions and cross references; vol. 2--Geographic volume: international organization participation; vol. 3--Subject volume; vol. 4--Bibliography and resources; vol. 5--Statistics, visualizations and patterns; vol. 6--Who's who in international organizations. (From year to year some slight variations in naming of the volumes).

Informe sobre desarrollo humano Perú 2005 - 2005

Rethinking education: towards a global common good? - UNESCO 2015-05-26

Economic growth and the creation of wealth have cut global poverty rates, yet vulnerability, inequality, exclusion and violence have escalated within and across societies throughout the world. Unsustainable patterns of economic production and consumption promote global warming, environmental degradation and an upsurge in natural disasters. Moreover, while we have strengthened international human rights frameworks over the past several decades, implementing and protecting these norms remains a challenge. These changes signal the emergence of a new global context for learning that has vital implications for education. Rethinking the purpose of education and the organization of learning has never been more urgent. This book is inspired by a humanistic vision of education and development, based on respect for life and human dignity, equal rights, social justice, cultural diversity, international solidarity and shared responsibility for a sustainable future. It proposes that we consider education and knowledge as global common goods, in order to reconcile the purpose and organization of education as a collective societal endeavour in a complex world.

Politicians, Bureaucrats and Administrative Reform - B. Guy Peters 2008-08-28

Administrative reform in most western democracies over the past couple of decades has been characterized by bringing in market-based concepts of public-service delivery. This book looks critically at administrative reform in a comparative perspective. The contributors - experts on administrative reform - assess its scope and objectives, and also the ways in which these reforms have impacted on the traditional roles of elective

office and civil servants. This book will be an invaluable resource for students and academics in Politics and Public Administration, as well as for civil servants and experts on administrative reform.

Enciclopedia universal ilustrada europeo-americana - 1995

If God Were a Human Rights Activist - Boaventura de Sousa Santos 2015-04-29

We live in a time when the most appalling social injustices and unjust human sufferings no longer seem to generate the moral indignation and the political will needed both to combat them effectively and to create a more just and fair society. *If God Were a Human Rights Activist* aims to strengthen the organization and the determination of all those who have not given up the struggle for a better society, and specifically those that have done so under the banner of human rights. It discusses the challenges to human rights arising from religious movements and political theologies that claim the presence of religion in the public sphere. Increasingly globalized, such movements and the theologies sustaining them promote discourses of human dignity that rival, and often contradict, the one underlying secular human rights. Conventional or hegemonic human rights thinking lacks the necessary theoretical and analytical tools to position itself in relation to such movements and theologies; even worse, it does not understand the importance of doing so. It applies the same abstract recipe across the board, hoping that thereby the nature of alternative discourses and ideologies will be reduced to local specificities with no impact on the universal canon of human rights. As this strategy proves increasingly lacking, this book aims to demonstrate that only a counter-hegemonic conception of human rights can adequately face such challenges.

Democracy and Education - John Dewey 1916

John Dewey's *Democracy and Education: An Introduction to the Philosophy of Education* seeks to both critique and further the educational philosophies espoused by both Rousseau and Plato. Dewey found that Rousseau's ideas overemphasized the individual, whereas Plato's did the same with the society that the individual lived in. Dewey felt this distinction to be a false one, seeing the formation of our minds as a communal process, like Vygotsky did ...

Monographic Series - Library of Congress 1981

Decentralization and Party Politics in the Dominican Republic - C. Mitchell 2013-11-21

Recently in the Dominican Republic, a pro-municipal social alliance pressed for decentralization and politicians yielded, seeking power in three-party competition. This study examines how electoral, financial, and administrative power has been dispersed and suggests innovative strategies to maintain decentralizing momentum.

Seguimiento de la Sociedad Civil a los compromisos adquiridos en las Cumbres de las Américas - 2009

Diagnóstico del racismo en Guatemala: Prácticas discriminatorias y construcción colectiva de conceptos - Marta Casaús Arzú 2006

Archipiélago - 2001

Education and Social Change in Latin America - S. Motta 2013-12-18

This book examines the multiple relationships between education, pedagogy, and social change in Latin America and beyond through a discussion of critical theory in education and its uses in Latin American society today. An international group of contributors discuss both individual countries and the region as a whole.

Contemporary Spain - Teresa Lawlor 1998

Provides an accessible single volume introduction to the political, economic and social developments in Spain since 1939. The text consists of essays in English and also a selection of texts in Spanish.

Campeño a Campeño - Eric Holt-Giménez 2006

Campeño a Campeño tells the inspiring story of a true grassroots movement: poor peasant farmers teaching one another how to protect their environment while still earning a living. The first book in English

about the farmer-led sustainable agriculture movement in Latin America, *Campeño a Campeño* includes lots of first-person stories and commentary from the farmer-teachers, mixing personal accounts with detailed analysis of the political, socioeconomic, and ecological factors that galvanized the movement. Campeño farmer leading a farmer to farmer training session in Mexico by Eric Holt-Giménez Many years ago, author Eric Holt-Giménez was a volunteer trying to teach sustainable agriculture techniques in the dusty highlands of central Mexico, with little success. Near the end of his tenure, he invited a group of visiting Guatemalan farmers to teach a course in his village. What he saw was like nothing he had known. The Guatemalans used parables, stories, and humor to present agricultural improvement to their Mexican compadres as a logical outcome of clear thinking and compassion; love of farming, of family, of nature, and of community. Rather than try to convince the Mexicans of their innovations, they insisted they experiment new things on a small scale first to see how well they worked. And they saw themselves as students, respecting the Mexicans' deep, lifelong knowledge of their own particular land and climate. All they asked in return was that the Mexicans turn around and share their new knowledge with others--which they did. CAC campo3_photo by Food First This exchange was typical of a grassroots movement called Campeño a Campeño, or Farmer to Farmer, which has grown up in southern Mexico and war-torn Central America over the last three decades. In the book *Campeño a Campeño*, Holt-Giménez writes the first history of the movement, describing the social, political, economic, and environmental circumstances that shape it. The voices and stories of dozens of farmers in the movement are captured, bringing to vivid life this hopeful story of peasant farmers helping one another to farm sustainably, protecting their land, their environment, and their families' future.

Breve diccionario de la cultura nativa en Bolivia - Jédu Antonio Sagárnaga Meneses Sagárnaga M. 2002

The Quality of Democracy - Guillermo O'Donnell 2016-12-15

In 1996, Guillermo O'Donnell taught a seminar at the University of Notre Dame on democratic theory. One of the questions explored in this class was whether it is possible to define and determine the "quality" of democracy. Jorge Vargas Cullell, a student in this course, returned to his native country of Costa Rica, formed a small research team, and secured funding for undertaking a "citizen audit" of the quality of democracy in Costa Rica. This pathbreaking volume contains O'Donnell's qualitative theoretical study of the quality of democracy and Vargas Cullell's description and analysis of the empirical data he gathered on the quality of democracy in Costa Rica. It also includes twelve short, scholarly reflections on the O'Donnell and Cullell essays. The primary goal of this collection is to present the rationale and methodology for implementing a citizen audit of democracy. This book is an expression of a growing concern among policy experts and academics that the recent emergence of numerous democratic regimes, particularly in Latin America, cannot conceal the sobering fact that the efficacy and impact of these new governments vary widely. These variations, which range from acceptable to dismal, have serious consequences for the people of Latin America, many of whom have received few if any benefits from democratization. Attempts to gauge the quality of particular democracies are therefore not only fascinating intellectual exercises but may also be useful practical guides for improving both old and new democracies. This book will make important strides in addressing the increasing practical and academic concerns about the quality of democracy. It will be required reading for political scientists, policy analysts, and Latin Americanists.

Frontiers of Development Economics - Gerald M. Meier 2001

With contributions from 35 leading economists, this forward-looking book explores the future of development economics against the background of the past half-century of development thought and practice. Outstanding representatives of the past two generations of development economists assess development thinking at the turn of the century and look to the unsettled questions confronting the next generation. The volume offers a thorough analysis of the broad range of issues involved in development economics, and it is especially timely in its critique of what is needed in development theory and policy to reduce poverty. An overriding issue is whether in the future 'development economics' is to be regarded simply as applied economics or whether the nature and scope of development economics will constitute a need for a special development theory to supplement general economic theory. 'Frontiers of Development

Economics' is an ideal reference for all those working in the international development community.

Felicidad sostenible - Alberto Zuazua Iriondo 2012-04-02

Frente a los obstáculos que se presentan en la búsqueda de la felicidad, Zuazua plantea que ésta es posible. Basándose en los resultados de distintas investigaciones científicas y en la tradición humanista nos presenta el proyecto de una felicidad «sostenible». Se trata de una felicidad que, vinculada a la humanidad y al planeta, puede ser duradera y alcanzable mediante el máximo desarrollo de lo que significa ser humano.

Papeles de cuestiones internacionales - Centro de Investigación para la Paz (Madrid, Spain)

Subject Catalog - Library of Congress

Revista mexicana de ciencias políticas y sociales - 2013

Cuba and Its Neighbours - Arnold August 2013-01-22

In this groundbreaking book, Arnold August explores Cuba's unique form of democracy, presenting a detailed and balanced analysis of Cuba's electoral process and the state's functioning between elections. By comparing them with practices in the U.S., Venezuela, Bolivia and Ecuador, August shows that people's participation in politics and society is not limited to a singular, U.S.-centric understanding of democracy. Through this deft analysis, August illustrates how the process of democratization in Cuba is continually in motion and argues that a greater understanding of different political systems teaches us to not be satisfied with either blanket condemnations or idealistic political illusions.

Qualitative and Quantitative Models in Socio-Economic Systems and Social Work - José Luis Sarasola Sánchez-Serrano 2019-06-21

The main purpose of this book is not only to present recent studies and advances in the field of social science research, but also to stimulate discussion on related practical issues concerning statistics, mathematics, and economics. Accordingly, a broad range of tools and techniques that can be used to solve problems on these topics are presented in detail in this book, which offers an ideal reference work for all researchers interested in effective quantitative and qualitative tools. The content is divided into three major sections. The first, which is titled "Social work", collects papers on problems related to the social sciences, e.g. social cohesion, health, and digital technologies. Papers in the second part, "Education and teaching issues," address qualitative aspects, education, learning, violence, diversity, disability, and ageing, while the book's final part, "Recent trends in qualitative and quantitative models for socio-economic systems and social work", features contributions on both qualitative and quantitative issues. The book is based on a scientific collaboration, in the social sciences, mathematics, statistics, and economics, among experts from the "Pablo de Olavide" University of Seville (Spain), the "University of Defence" of Brno (Czech Republic), the "G. D'Annunzio" University of Chieti-Pescara (Italy) and "Alexandru Ioan Cuza University" of Iasi (Romania). The contributions, which have been selected using a peer-review process, examine a wide variety of topics related to the social sciences in general, while also highlighting new and intriguing empirical research conducted in various countries. Given its scope, the book will appeal, in equal measure, to sociologists, mathematicians, statisticians and philosophers, and more generally to scholars and specialists in related fields.

A Fair Globalization - World Commission On The Social Dimension Of Globalization 2006

Desarrollo turístico sustentable de la costa bonaerense - Rubén Fernando Guido 2004

Post-Democracy - Colin Crouch 2004-08-13

Post-Democracy is a polemical work that goes beyond current complaints about the failings of our democracy and explores the deeper social and economic forces that account for the current malaise. Colin Crouch argues that the decline of those social classes which had made possible an active and critical mass politics has combined with the rise of global capitalism to produce a self-referential political class more concerned with forging links with wealthy business interests than with pursuing political programmes

which meet the concerns of ordinary people. He shows how, in some respects, politics at the dawn of the twenty-first century returns us to a world familiar well before the start of the twentieth, when politics was a game played among elites. However, Crouch maintains that the experience of the twentieth century remains salient and it reminds us of possibilities for the revival of politics. This engaging book will prove challenging to all those who claim that advanced societies have reached a virtual best of all possible democratic worlds, and will be compelling reading for anyone interested in the shape of twenty-first-century politics.

National Union Catalog -

Includes entries for maps and atlases.

Bolivia - Vicente Fretes Cibils 2006

Bolivia's challenges with regard to policy are multiple, deep and multifaceted, and as such they require integral proposals. The book tries to cover these challenges in their different dimensions and presents options to grow more and better - creating jobs, with benefits for all, and without corruption and with civic participation. The design and implementation of all these options, simultaneously or in the short- and medium-term, is not feasible; and from here blooms options.

Basque Cinema - Rob Stone 2015-09-29

Cinema has always been a vital medium for articulating the Basque region's unique identity and politics. The first definitive study of Basque cinema, this book provides a systematic analysis of the key Basque films, directors and cinematic institutions. Its narrative moves from the romanticised Basque Country travelogues of Pathe to the coded oppositional aesthetics of Franco-era films; from the post-Franco 'new wave' supported by regional government funding to the boom in auteurist cinema during the 1980s and 1990s. It also charts the contemporary impact of the film institute Basque Filmoteca and television channel Euskal Telebista in producing and disseminating Basque-language films. Based on archival research, close readings of films and in-depth interviews with influential figures in the Basque film scene, this book is essential reading for world film scholars and cultural historians.

The Local Alternative - Rafael de la Cruz 2016-04-30

This book offers a step forward in finding out how the new decentralized institutional arrangements affect local economic development. In particular, it analyzes how local governments can use their increasing powers and responsibilities to improve productivity and quality of life in their territories.

Informe sobre el desarrollo humano del Perú - 2005

The Endtimes of Human Rights - Stephen Hopgood 2013-10-04

"We are living through the endtimes of the civilizing mission. The ineffectual International Criminal Court and its disastrous first prosecutor, Luis Moreno-Ocampo, along with the failure in Syria of the Responsibility to Protect are the latest pieces of evidence not of transient misfortunes but of fatal structural defects in international humanism. Whether it is the increase in deadly attacks on aid workers, the torture and 'disappearing' of al-Qaeda suspects by American officials, the flouting of international law by states such as Sri Lanka and Sudan, or the shambles of the Khmer Rouge tribunal in Phnom Penh, the prospect of one world under secular human rights law is receding. What seemed like a dawn is in fact a sunset. The foundations of universal liberal norms and global governance are crumbling."—from *The Endtimes of Human Rights* In a book that is at once passionate and provocative, Stephen Hopgood argues, against the conventional wisdom, that the idea of universal human rights has become not only ill adapted to current realities but also overambitious and unresponsive. A shift in the global balance of power away from the United States further undermines the foundations on which the global human rights regime is based. American decline exposes the contradictions, hypocrisies and weaknesses behind the attempt to enforce this regime around the world and opens the way for resurgent religious and sovereign actors to challenge human rights. Historically, Hopgood writes, universal humanist norms inspired a sense of secular religiosity among the new middle classes of a rapidly modernizing Europe. Human rights were the product of a particular worldview (Western European and Christian) and specific historical moments (humanitarianism in the nineteenth century, the aftermath of the Holocaust). They were an antidote to a troubling contradiction—the coexistence of a belief in progress with horrifying violence and growing inequality. The

obsolescence of that founding purpose in the modern globalized world has, Hopgood asserts, transformed the institutions created to perform it, such as the International Committee of the Red Cross and recently the International Criminal Court, into self-perpetuating structures of intermittent power and authority that mask their lack of democratic legitimacy and systematic ineffectiveness. At their best, they provide relief in extraordinary situations of great distress; otherwise they are serving up a mixture of false hope and unaccountability sustained by “human rights” as a global brand. The Endtimes of Human Rights is sure to be controversial. Hopgood makes a plea for a new understanding of where hope lies for human rights, a plea that mourns the promise but rejects the reality of universalism in favor of a less predictable encounter with the diverse realities of today’s multipolar world.

La cotidianidad de la democracia participativa - Carlos Armando Peralta Varela 2014-06-18

¿La sociedad civil es el motor que puede impulsar la democratización en un país como México? En esta obra se ofrece una investigación sobre la participación de las organizaciones de la sociedad civil (OSC) y

sus representantes en los espacios institucionales creados oficialmente para propiciar el involucramiento de la ciudadanía en el diseño de políticas públicas. A través de un análisis crítico de tres escenarios en un estado pionero como Jalisco, donde se utilizó por primera vez la figura de la iniciativa popular para impulsar una nueva norma legal, el autor busca calibrar las posibilidades de una cogestión por parte de los sectores de la sociedad civil incorporados en los organismos públicos y, a la vez, evidencia los límites intrínsecos de las OSC y su desempeño. Además, ofrece una serie de recomendaciones para quienes integran las OSC para hacer más eficiente su trabajo en los espacios que les cede el gobierno e incidir así en una mayor democratización de la sociedad. (ITESO)

Fichero bibliográfico hispanoamericano - 1989

G.K. Hall Bibliographic Guide to Latin American Studies - Benson Latin American Collection 2000