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# TURN ON FEDERALISM

## Discussing the Shades of Federalism

### *DECENTRALIZATION AND INEQUALITY IN ARGENTINA*

#### Topics

Argentina's federal system is still struggling to find a functioning modus vivendi. After decades of decentralization, interprovincial inequalities in Argentina continue to be high, which is evidenced by the differences in socioeconomic indicators, and an absence of long-term policies, given the different investment provinces have been making on key social policies such as health, education and housing. The constitutional reform of 1994 and subsequent changes were not capable of correcting these vertical and horizontal imbalances in the federation; on the contrary, the basic institutional characteristics of the Argentine political system facilitate opportunistic and clientelist behaviour of actors involved, which translates in a lack of intergovernmental coordination.

The discussion will analyse the intergovernmental coordination between the federal level and the provincial levels in the management (design, implementation and financing) of public health, housing and education policies in Argentina in the period 2003-2018. In doing so, it discusses the operation of the vertical IGRs in the management of three selected social policies: health, education and housing policies.

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CENTRAL EUROPEAN  
(GMT+2)

**9:30 A.M.**  
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