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POLICY PROBLEMS AND POLICY DESIGN HANDBOOK ON POLICY, PROCESS AND GOVERNING THE PUBLIC POLICY PRIMER UNDERSTANDING PUBLIC POLICY PUBLIC POLICY MAKING MAKING POLICIES WORK AN INTRODUCTION TO THE POLICY PROCESS DESIGNING PUBLIC POLICIES MAKING AND IMPLEMENTING PUBLIC POLICY SOCIAL POLICY THE PUBLIC POLICY PROCESS DESIGNING FOR POLICY EFFECTIVENESS BASIC METHODS OF POLICY ANALYSIS AND PLANNING THE OXFORD HANDBOOK OF PUBLIC POLICY COMPARING PUBLIC POLICIES: ISSUES AND CHOICES IN SIX INDUSTRIALIZED COUNTRIES PUBLIC POLICY IMPLEMENTING PUBLIC POLICY A COMPARATIVE APPROACH TO POLICY ANALYSIS PUBLIC POLICY IN ACTION DISMANTLING PUBLIC POLICY EDUCATIONAL POLICY-MAKING IMPLEMENTING PUBLIC POLICY HANDBOOK OF POLICY FORMULATION LEARNING AND DOING POLICY ANALYSIS IN EDUCATION EFFECTIVE POLICY IMPLEMENTATION LANGUAGE POLICIES IN EDUCATION POLICIES AND PROCEDURES MANUAL POLICY CAPACITY AND GOVERNANCE HUMAN RESOURCE POLICY THE PUBLIC POLICY PROCESS THE HEALTH CARE POLICY PROCESS HEALTH CARE AND PUBLIC POLICY CONTEMPORARY APPROACHES TO PUBLIC POLICY COMPARATIVE POLICY STUDIES POLICY ALIENATION AND THE POWER OF PROFESSIONALS CREDIBILITY OF POLICIES VERSUS CREDIBILITY OF POLICYMAKERS DEALING WITH LOSERS BUSINESS AND PUBLIC POLICY GLOBAL EDUCATION POLICY AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT POLICY

POLICY PROBLEMS AND POLICY DESIGN

2018-07-27

PUBLIC POLICY CAN BE CONSIDERED A DESIGN SCIENCE IT INVOLVES IDENTIFYING RELEVANT PROBLEMS SELECTING INSTRUMENTS TO ADDRESS THE PROBLEM DEVELOPING INSTITUTIONS FOR MANAGING THE INTERVENTION AND CREATING MEANS OF ASSESSING THE DESIGN POLICY DESIGN HAS BECOME AN INCREASINGLY CHALLENGING TASK GIVEN THE EMERGENCE OF NUMEROUS WICKED AND COMPLEX PROBLEMS MUCH OF POLICY DESIGN HAS ADOPTED A TECHNOCRATIC AND ENGINEERING APPROACH BUT THERE IS AN EMERGING LITERATURE THAT BUILDS ON A MORE COLLABORATIVE AND PROSPECTIVE APPROACH TO DESIGN THIS BOOK WILL DISCUSS THESE ISSUES IN POLICY DESIGN AND PRESENT ALTERNATIVE APPROACHES TO DESIGN

HANDBOOK ON POLICY, PROCESS AND GOVERNING

2018-12-28

THIS HANDBOOK COVERS THE ACCOUNTS BY PRACTITIONERS AND OBSERVERS OF THE WAYS IN WHICH POLICY IS FORMED AROUND PROBLEMS HOW THESE PROBLEMS ARE RECOGNIZED AND UNDERSTOOD AND HOW DIVERSE PARTICIPANTS COME TO BE INVOLVED IN ADDRESSING THEM H K COLEBATCH AND ROBERT HOPPE DRAW TOGETHER A RANGE OF ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTIONS FROM EXPERTS IN THE FIELD TO ILLUMINATE THE WAYS IN WHICH POLICIES ARE FORMED AND HOW THEY SHAPE THE PROCESS OF GOVERNING

THE PUBLIC POLICY PRIMER

2017-09-14

FULLY REVISED FOR A SECOND EDITION THIS ESSENTIAL GUIDE PROVIDES A CONCISE AND ACCESSIBLE OVERVIEW OF THE PUBLIC POLICY PROCESS AGENDA SETTING POLICY FORMULATION DECISION MAKING IMPLEMENTATION AND EVALUATION THE BOOK PROVIDES AN INTRODUCTION TO THE KEY POLICY FUNCTIONS THE CHALLENGES THEY ENTAIL AND HOW THE CHALLENGES MAY BE ADDRESSED BY POLICY ACTORS WRITTEN FROM A COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVE THE AUTHORS INCLUDE EXAMPLES FROM A DIVERSE RANGE OF COUNTRIES AT DIFFERENT STAGES OF DEVELOPMENT HIGHLIGHTING KEY PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES THROUGH WHICH POLICY ACTORS CAN EFFECTIVELY MANAGE THEIR POLICY PROCESSES AND OUTCOMES KEY FEATURES OF THE SECOND EDITION FULLY UPDATED AND REVISED CONTENT THROUGHOUT EXPANDED REFERENCES AND FURTHER READING MORE GUIDANCE TOWARDS UNDERSTANDING THE KEY CONCEPTS IN PUBLIC POLICY THIS IMPORTANT TOOL OFFERS STUDENTS OF PUBLIC POLICY AND POLICY PRACTITIONERS GUIDANCE ON HOW TO MAKE IMPLEMENT AND EVALUATE PUBLIC POLICIES IN WAYS THAT IMPROVE CITIZENS LIVES

UNDERSTANDING PUBLIC POLICY

1981

THIS LEADING INTRODUCTION TO PUBLIC POLICY IS DESIGNED TO PROVIDE LEARNERS WITH CONCRETE TOOLS FOR NOT ONLY UNDERSTANDING PUBLIC POLICY IN GENERAL BUT FOR ANALYZING SPECIFIC PUBLIC POLICIES IT FOCUSES ON WHAT POLICIES GOVERNMENTS PURSUE WHY GOVERNMENTS PURSUE THE POLICIES THEY DO AND WHAT THE CONSEQUENCES OF THESE POLICIES ARE VERY CONTEMPORARY IN PERSPECTIVE IT INTRODUCES EIGHT ANALYTICAL MODELS CURRENTLY USED BY POLITICAL SCIENTISTS TO DESCRIBE AND EXPLAIN POLITICAL LIFE AND THEN USING THESE VARIOUS ANALYTICAL MODELS SINGLY AND IN COMBINATION EXPLORES SPECIFIC PUBLIC POLICIES IN A VARIETY OF KEY DOMESTIC POLICY AREAS FOR INDIVIDUALS INTERESTED IN A SUMMARY OF CURRENT PUBLIC POLICY IN A VARIETY OF AREAS

PUBLIC POLICY MAKING

2015-05-18

THIS BRIEF TEXT IDENTIFIES THE ISSUES RESOURCES ACTORS AND INSTITUTIONS INVOLVED IN PUBLIC POLICY MAKING AND TRACES THE DYNAMICS OF THE POLICYMAKING PROCESS INCLUDING THE TRIGGERING OF ISSUE AWARENESS THE EMERGENCE OF AN ISSUE ON THE PUBLIC AGENDA THE FORMATION OF A POLICY COMMITMENT AND THE IMPLEMENTATION PROCESS THAT TRANSLATES POLICY INTO PRACTICE THROUGHOUT THE TEXT WHICH HAS BEEN REVISED AND UPDATED GERSTON BRINGS HIS ANALYSIS TO LIFE WITH ABUNDANT EXAMPLES FROM THE MOST RECENT AND EMBLEMATIC CASES OF PUBLIC POLICY MAKING AT THE SAME TIME WITH WELL CHOSEN REFERENCES HE PLACES POLICY ANALYSIS IN THE CONTEXT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE AND DEFTLY ORIENTS READERS TO THE CLASSICS OF PUBLIC POLICY STUDIES EACH CHAPTER ENDS WITH DISCUSSION QUESTIONS AND SUGGESTIONS FOR FURTHER READING

MAKING POLICIES WORK

2019

POLICY DESIGN EFFORTS ARE HAMPERED BY INADEQUATE UNDERSTANDING OF HOW POLICY TOOLS AND ACTIONS PROMOTE EFFECTIVE POLICIES THE OBJECTIVE OF THIS BOOK IS TO ADDRESS THIS GAP IN UNDERSTANDING BY PROPOSING A CAUSAL THEORY OF THE LINKAGES BETWEEN POLICY ACTIONS AND POLICY EFFECTS ADOPTING A MECHANISTIC PERSPECTIVE THE BOOK IDENTIFIES THE CAUSAL PROCESSES THAT ACTIVATE EFFECTS AND HELP ACHIEVE GOALS IT THUS OFFERS A POWERFUL ANALYTICAL TOOL TO BOTH SCHOLARS AND PRACTITIONERS OF PUBLIC POLICY SEEKING TO DESIGN EFFECTIVE POLICIES

AN INTRODUCTION TO THE POLICY PROCESS

2019

NOW IN A THOROUGHLY REVISED 5TH EDITION AN INTRODUCTION TO THE POLICY PROCESS PROVIDES STUDENTS AT ALL LEVELS WITH AN ACCESSIBLE READABLE AND AFFORDABLE INTRODUCTION TO THE FIELD OF PUBLIC POLICY IN KEEPING WITH PRIOR EDITIONS AUTHOR TOM BIRKLAND CONVEYS THE BEST CURRENT THINKING ON THE POLICY PROCESS IN A CLEAR CONVERSATIONAL STYLE DESIGNED TO ADDRESS NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN BOTH POLICY THEORY AND

POLICY MAKING THIS 5TH EDITION INCLUDES EXAMINATIONS OF THE BREXIT REFERENDUM RESULTS AND ITS EFFECTS ON THE UK EU AND WORLD POLITICS AS WELL AS THE 2016 ELECTION OF DONALD TRUMP AS PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE WAYS IN WHICH THESE EVENTS HAVE CAUSED VOTERS AND POLICY MAKERS TO RETHINK THEIR ASSUMPTIONS CHANGES TO THE MEDIA ENVIRONMENT INCLUDING THE DECLINE OF NEWSPAPERS AND TELEVISION NEWS THE GROWTH OF SOCIAL MEDIA AND THE EMERGENCE OF FAKE NEWS NEW POLICY THEORY DEVELOPMENTS LIKE THE EMERGENCE OF THE NARRATIVE POLICY FRAMEWORK NPF AND CONTINUED AND NEWER APPLICATIONS OF EXISTING THEORIES OF POLICY PROCESS LIKE ADVOCACY COALITIONS MULTIPLE STREAMS PUNCTUATED EQUILIBRIUM AND INSTITUTIONAL ANALYSIS AND DEVELOPMENT ALL NEW WHAT DOES THE RESEARCH SAY BOXES TO ILLUSTRATE CONCEPTS OUTLINED IN THE BOOK DEMONSTRATE THE WAYS IN WHICH THE MATERIAL IS APPLICABLE TO A RANGE OF POLICY PROBLEMS AND ENCOURAGE STUDENTS TO FURTHER STUDY THE POLICY PROCESS AND SUBSTANTIVE POLICY MATTERS IN WHICH THEY ARE INTERESTED ALL NEW AND UPDATED CHAPTER AT A GLANCE OUTLINES DEFINITIONS OF KEY TERMS PROVOCATIVE REVIEW QUESTIONS RECOMMENDED READING VISUAL AIDS AND CASE STUDIES THEORETICAL LITERATURE AND POWERPOINT SLIDES AND TEST BANKS TO MAKE TEACHING FROM THE BOOK EASIER THAN EVER FIRMLY GROUNDED IN BOTH SOCIAL SCIENCE AND POLITICAL SCIENCE AN INTRODUCTION TO THE POLICY PROCESS PROVIDES THE MOST UP TO DATE AND THOROUGH OVERVIEW OF THE THEORY AND PRACTICE OF THE POLICY PROCESS IDEAL FOR UPPER LEVEL UNDERGRADUATE AND INTRODUCTORY GRADUATE COURSES IN PUBLIC POLICY PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND POLITICAL SCIENCE PROGRAMS

DESIGNING PUBLIC POLICIES

2023-12-22

THE THIRD EDITION OF THIS HIGHLY REGARDED BOOK PROVIDES A CONCISE AND ACCESSIBLE INTRODUCTION TO THE PRINCIPLES AND ELEMENTS OF POLICY DESIGN IN CONTEMPORARY GOVERNANCE IT EXAMINES IN DETAIL THE RANGE OF SUBSTANTIVE AND PROCEDURAL POLICY INSTRUMENTS THAT TOGETHER COMPRISE THE TOOLBOX FROM WHICH GOVERNMENTS CHOOSE TOOLS TO RESOLVE POLICY PROBLEMS AND THE PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES THAT LEAD TO THEIR USE GUIDING READERS THROUGH THE STUDY OF THE MANY DIFFERENT KINDS OF INSTRUMENTS USED BY GOVERNMENTS IN CARRYING OUT THEIR TASKS ADAPTING TO AND ALTERING THEIR ENVIRONMENTS THIS BOOK CONSIDERS THE PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES BEHIND THE SELECTION AND USE OF SPECIFIC TYPES OF INSTRUMENTS IN CONTEMPORARY GOVERNMENT AND ARRANGEMENTS OF POLICY TOOLS ESP PROCEDURAL TOOLS AND POLICY PORTFOLIOS EVALUATES IN DETAIL THE MERITS DEMERITS AND RATIONALES FOR THE USE OF SPECIFIC ORGANIZATION REGULATORY FINANCIAL AND INFORMATION BASED TOOLS AND THE TRENDS VISIBLE IN THEIR USE EXAMINES KEY ISSUES SUCH AS POLICY SUCCESS AND FAILURE AND THE ROLE OF DESIGN IN IT POLICY VOLATILITY AND RISK MANAGEMENT THROUGH POLICY DESIGN HOW BEHAVIOURAL RESEARCH CAN CONTRIBUTE TO BETTER POLICY DESIGNS AND THE MICRO CALIBRATIONS OF POLICIES AND THEIR IMPORTANCE IN DESIGNS AND OUTCOMES ADDRESSES THE ISSUES NOT ONLY SURROUNDING INDIVIDUAL TOOLS BUT ALSO CONCERNING THE EVOLUTION AND DEVELOPMENT OF INSTRUMENT MIXES THEIR RELATIONSHIP TO POLICY STYLES AND THE CHALLENGES INVOLVED IN THEIR RE DESIGN AS WELL AS THE DISTINCTION BETWEEN DESIGN AND NON DESIGN PROVIDING A COMPREHENSIVE OVERVIEW OF THIS ESSENTIAL COMPONENT OF MODERN GOVERNANCE AND FEATURING HELPFUL DEFINITIONS OF KEY CONCEPTS AND FURTHER READING THIS BOOK IS ESSENTIAL READING FOR ALL STUDENTS OF PUBLIC POLICY ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT

MAKING AND IMPLEMENTING PUBLIC POLICY

2017-10-11

THIS BRAND NEW TEXT EXAMINES POWER AND INEQUALITIES AND HOW THESE ARE CENTRAL TO OUR UNDERSTANDING OF HOW POLICIES ARE MADE AND IMPLEMENTED IT INTRODUCES THE CONCEPTS AND THEORETICAL APPROACHES THAT UNDERPIN THE STUDY OF THE POLICY PROCESS REFLECTS UPON KEY DEVELOPMENTS AND APPLIES THESE THE PRACTICE OF POLICY FORMULATION AND IMPLEMENTATION

SOCIAL POLICY

1998

SOCIAL POLICY AN INTRODUCTION IS A COMPREHENSIVE READABLE AND THOUGHT PROVOKING OVERVIEW OF CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS IN SOCIAL POLICY AND WELFARE IT REPRESENTS AN IDEAL ENTRY POINT FOR STUDENTS AT DEGREE AND PRE DEGREE LEVEL WHO ARE BEGINNING STUDIES IN SOCIAL POLICY IT ALSO INCLUDES SOME IN DEPTH DISCUSSION OF KEY POLICY QUESTIONS WHICH WILL BE OF INTEREST TO PROFESSIONALS AND PRACTITIONERS IN SUCH FIELDS AS HEALTH MEDICINE AND NURSING SOCIAL SERVICES EDUCATION LAW AND POLICING THIS IS THE FIRST INTRODUCTORY TEXT IN SOCIAL POLICY TO COMBINE DISCUSSION OF KEY POLICY MAKING THEMES POWER AND DECISION MAKING PAYING FOR WELFARE SOCIAL CONTROL THE ROLE OF THE PROFESSIONS WITH PARTICULAR AREAS OF SOCIAL POLICY THERE ARE SEPARATE CHAPTERS ON SOCIAL SECURITY EDUCATION HEALTH HOUSING AND ENVIRONMENT AND COMMUNITY CARE AS WELL AS ON THE HISTORY AND PRINCIPLES OF BRITISH SOCIAL POLICY READERS WILL GAIN A PERSPECTIVE ON THE FRAMEWORK OF SOCIAL POLICY IN BRITAIN TODAY AND ALSO ON WHY AND HOW POLICIES HAVE DEVELOPED IN THE WAY THEY HAVE IN ORDER TO CONSOLIDATE LEARNING AND TO DEVELOP A CRITICAL APPROACH EACH CHAPTER IS CONCLUDED WITH FURTHER QUESTIONS AND SUGGESTIONS FOR RESEARCH AND READING THE BOOK IS COMPLETED WITH A GLOSSARY OF KEY TERMS IN SOCIAL POLICY

THE PUBLIC POLICY PROCESS

2014-05-12

THE PUBLIC POLICY PROCESS IS ESSENTIAL READING FOR ANYONE TRYING TO UNDERSTAND THE PROCESS BY WHICH PUBLIC POLICY IS MADE EXPLAINING CLEARLY THE IMPORTANCE OF THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THEORETICAL AND PRACTICAL ASPECTS OF POLICY MAKING THE BOOK GIVES A THOROUGH OVERVIEW OF THE PEOPLE AND ORGANISATIONS INVOLVED IN THE PROCESS FULLY REVISED AND UPDATED FOR A SIXTH EDITION THE PUBLIC POLICY PROCESS PROVIDES

DESIGNING FOR POLICY EFFECTIVENESS

2018-03-22

ARGUES THAT THE CENTRAL GOAL OF POLICY DESIGN IS EFFECTIVENESS

BASIC METHODS OF POLICY ANALYSIS AND PLANNING

1986

THE BOOK FOCUSES ON BASIC QUICKLY APPLIED POLICY ANALYSIS METHODS THAT CAN BE USED TO RESOLVE POLICY PROBLEMS THERE ARE RELEVANT REAL LIFE EXAMPLES USED THROUGHOUT

THE OXFORD HANDBOOK OF PUBLIC POLICY

2006

PUBLISHER DESCRIPTION

COMPARING PUBLIC POLICIES: ISSUES AND CHOICES IN SIX INDUSTRIALIZED COUNTRIES

2001

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PUBLIC POLICY

2010

NOW IN ITS FOURTH EDITION PUBLIC POLICY PERSPECTIVES AND CHOICES SUCCESSFULLY COMBINES A CLEAR EXPLANATION OF THE BASIC CONCEPTS AND METHODS OF THE POLICYMAKING PROCESS WITH A KEEN FOCUS ON HOW VALUES INFLUENCE POLICY CHOICES THE AUTHORS FIRST COVER THE FUNDAMENTALS HOW DO ISSUES REACH THE POLICY AGENDA HOW ARE POLICIES CRAFTED AND IMPLEMENTED WHO PAYS AND WHO BENEFITS HOW IS THE EFFECTIVENESS OF A POLICY DETERMINED THEY THEN APPLY THIS FOUNDATION TO A RANGE OF POLICY AREAS THE ECONOMY WELFARE EDUCATION CRIME HEALTH CARE HOUSING THE ENVIRONMENT FOREIGN POLICY AND DOMESTIC SECURITY

IMPLEMENTING PUBLIC POLICY

2002

AUTHORS HILL SOCIAL POLICY EMERITUS U OF NEWCASTLE AND HUPE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION ERASMUS U ROTTERDAM THE NETHERLANDS PROVIDE AN ACCESSIBLE ACCOUNT OF THE DEVELOPMENT OF IMPLEMENTATION STUDIES THEY REVIEW THE LITERATURE ON THE SUBJECT RELATING IT TO CONTEMPORARY DEVELOPMENTS IN THINKING ABOUT GOVERNANCE STRESSING THE CONTINUING IMPORTANCE OF A FOCUS UPON IMPLEMENTATION PROCESSES THROUGHOUT STRATEGIES FOR FUTURE RESEARCH ON IMPLEMENTATION AND FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF IMPLEMENTATION PROCESSES ARE STRESSED ANNOTATION COPYRIGHTED BY BOOK NEWS INC PORTLAND OR

A COMPARATIVE APPROACH TO POLICY ANALYSIS

1979-10-31

THIS BOOK PROVIDES A FRAMEWORK FOR EXPLAINING WHY GOVERNMENTS ADOPT THE POLICIES THEY DO IN ADDITION IT ESTABLISHES A BASIS FOR COMPARING POLITICAL SYSTEMS IN TERMS OF THEIR PUBLIC POLICIES RATHER THAN THEIR INSTITUTIONS OR POLITICAL PROCESSES THE BOOK BEGINS BY PLACING IN A HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVE THE WORLDWIDE ROLE OF THE STATE AS A MAJOR PROVIDER OF GOODS AND SERVICES FOLLOWING THIS GENERAL BACKGROUND IS AN ACCOUNTING SCHEME THAT BRINGS SOME SEMBLANCE OF ORDER TO THE SEEMINGLY INFINITE VARIETY OF POLICY RELEVANT VARIABLES AND MAKES THE COMPARATIVE STUDY OF PUBLIC POLICY MORE MANAGEABLE IT IS SUGGESTED THAT ANY NATION S PUBLIC POLICIES CAN BE EXPLAINED IN

TERMS OF SITUATIONAL STRUCTURAL ENVIRONMENTAL AND CULTURAL FACTORS THE SECOND PART OF THE BOOK APPLIES THE ACCOUNTING SCHEME TO AN INCREASINGLY SPECIFIC AND NARROW RANGE OF PUBLIC POLICIES THE AUTHOR EXAMINES ONE CRUCIAL AREA OF PUBLIC POLICY HEALTH CARE AND THE EVOLUTION OF THAT POLICY IN FOUR DIVERSE NATIONS GERMANY GREAT BRITAIN THE SOVIET UNION AND JAPAN THE BOOK CONCLUDES WITH AN ASSESSMENT OF THE PROSPECTS FOR AN AMERICAN NATIONAL HEALTH CARE PROGRAMME IN THE LIGHT OF THE EXPERIENCES OF THESE OTHER NATIONS

PUBLIC POLICY IN ACTION

2017-09-29

THIS COMPREHENSIVE TEXTBOOK EXPLORES THE POLICY PROCESS FROM A MULTITUDE OF PERSPECTIVES INCLUDING RATIONALISM CULTURALISM INSTITUTIONALISM AND FROM A POLITICAL POINT OF VIEW THIS ALLOWS STUDENTS TO DISCOVER KEY CONCEPTS FROM THE POLICY SCIENCE LITERATURE AND GAIN A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF HOW PUBLIC POLICY IS DISCUSSED ACADEMICALLY AND SHAPED EMPIRICALLY PUBLIC POLICY IN ACTION GIVES A DETAILED BREAKDOWN OF ALL STAGES OF THE POLICY PROCESS BY DISCUSSING THE EMERGENCE OF POLICY PROBLEMS AFFECTING THE AGENDA THE FORMULATION OF POLICY ALTERNATIVES THE DECISION MAKING PROCESS THE IMPLEMENTATION OF POLICIES AND THE PROGRESSION TO EVALUATION LEARNING AND POLICY CHANGE THE AUTHORS ALSO OUTLINE THE SETS OF FACTORS WHICH INFLUENCE THE STEPS OF THE POLICY PROCESS INTERNALLY AND EXTERNALLY THE BOOK IS SUPPORTED BY A WIDE VARIETY OF CASE STUDIES FROM A NUMBER OF NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL CONTEXTS OF RELEVANCE TO AN INTERNATIONAL AUDIENCE KEY FEATURES INCLUDE UP TO DATE REVIEW OF THE LITERATURE ON THE POLICY PROCESS COVERAGE ON ALL KEY ELEMENTS OF THE POLICY CYCLE INSIGHT INTO THE COMPLEXITY OF POLICY MAKING IN PRACTICE MULTIPLE PERSPECTIVES OF THE POLICY PROCESS CRITICAL REFLECTIONS ON THE ROLES OF POLICY ANALYSTS MULTIPLE CASE STUDIES INCLUDING WATER MANAGEMENT MIGRATION AND SOCIAL POLICIES THIS EXTENSIVE AND DETAILED TEXTBOOK WILL BE AN INVALUABLE RESOURCE FOR UNDERGRADUATE AND MASTERS STUDENTS OF PUBLIC POLICY POLICY ANALYSIS AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION BY PROVIDING AN INSIGHT INTO THE COMPLEXITY OF POLICY MAKING IN THE REAL WORLD

DISMANTLING PUBLIC POLICY

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DISMANTLING PUBLIC POLICY SEEKS TO DEVELOP A COMPARATIVE APPROACH TO UNDERSTANDING POLICY DISMANTLING IT LOOKS AT THE CUTTING REDUCTION DIMINUTION OR COMPLETE REMOVAL OF EXISTING POLICIES

EDUCATIONAL POLICY-MAKING

2018-05-11

ORIGINALLY PUBLISHED IN 1975 THIS MASTERLY STUDY OF POLICIES AND POLICY MAKERS IN EDUCATION OPENS UP A MAJOR AND FASCINATING AREA OF PUBLIC POLICY TO ANALYSIS IN THIS BOOK PROFESSOR KOGAN DRAWS TOGETHER MANY OF HIS PREVIOUS FINDINGS TO PROVIDE A SEARCHING EXAMINATION AND OVERVIEW OF EDUCATION AND ITS RELATIONSHIP BOTH TO GOVERNMENT AND TO INDIVIDUALS AND GROUPS WITHIN THE SYSTEM THE RESULT IS NOT ONLY A DEFINITIVE STATEMENT ON THE MAKING OF EDUCATIONAL POLICY BUT A STUDY OF PRESSURE GROUPS AND IN BROADER TERMS IT IS A COMMENTARY ON THE DEMOCRATIC EFFICIENCY OF THE BRITISH POLICYMAKING PROCESS BOTH INSIDE AND OUTSIDE PARLIAMENT THE CORE OF THE BOOK IS AN ANALYSIS OF THE MAIN POLICIES WHICH WERE THE MAJOR CONCERNS OF EDUCATIONAL GOVERNMENT BETWEEN 1960 AND 1974 THIS SHOWS HOW THE VARIOUS INTEREST GROUPS IN EDUCATION DIFFER IN THEIR ATTITUDES AND THEIR WAYS OF WORKING AND PROVIDES BOTH AN INTRIGUING INSIGHT INTO THE HISTORICAL DEVELOPMENT OF EDUCATION OVER THIS KEY PERIOD AND A VARIETY OF PERSONAL VIEWS FROM THE INDIVIDUALS WHO HELPED TO SHAPE THIS DEVELOPMENT

IMPLEMENTING PUBLIC POLICY

1980

ABSTRACT COMMUNICATION RESOURCES DISPOSITIONS AND BUREAUCRATIC STRUCTURE CONTRIBUTE TO OR LIMIT IMPLEMENTATION OF PUBLIC POLICY TRANSMISSION OF ACCURATE COMMUNICATIONS IS ESSENTIAL LACK OF CLARITY AND CONSISTENCY CAUSE PROBLEMS IN IMPLEMENTATION STAFF INFORMATION AUTHORITY AND EQUIPMENT RESOURCES ARE CRITICAL TO POLICY IMPLEMENTATION EFFECTS OF THE ATTITUDES OR DISPOSITIONS OF LAW MAKERS ARE EXPLORED ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE MAY ASSIST OR HAMPER IMPLEMENTORS ADVANTAGES AND DISADVANTAGES OF STRUCTURAL TYPES ARE INCLUDED TYPES OF POLICIES THAT HAVE EXPERIENCED PROBLEMS IN IMPLEMENTATION ARE DESCRIBED PROSPECTS FOR IMPROVING IMPLEMENTATION E G FOLLOW UP LEGISLATIVE POWER ARE EXAMINED CASE STUDIES OF US POLICY ILLUSTRATE KEY CONCEPTS RM

HANDBOOK OF POLICY FORMULATION

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POLICY FORMULATION RELIES UPON THE INTERPLAY OF KNOWLEDGE BASED ANALYSIS OF ISSUES WITH POWER BASED CONSIDERATIONS SUCH AS THE POLITICAL ASSESSMENT OF THE COSTS AND BENEFITS OF PROPOSED ACTIONS AND ITS EFFECTS ON THE PARTISAN AND ELECTORAL CONCERNS OF GOVERNMENTS POLICY SCHOLARS HAVE LONG BEEN INTERESTED IN HOW GOVERNMENTS SUCCESSFULLY CREATE DEPLOY AND UTILISE POLICY INSTRUMENTS BUT THE LITERATURE ON POLICY FORMULATION HAS UNTIL NOW REMAINED FRAGMENTED THIS COMPREHENSIVE HANDBOOK UNITES ORIGINAL SCHOLARSHIP ON POLICY TOOLS AND DESIGN WITH CONTRIBUTIONS EXAMINING POLICY ACTORS AND THE ROLES THEY PLAY IN THE FORMULATION PROCESS

LEARNING AND DOING POLICY ANALYSIS IN EDUCATION

2012

THE BOOK IS DESIGNED FOR FACULTY AND DOCTORAL STUDENTS IN EDUCATION WHO ARE INTERESTED IN UNDERSTANDING DIVERSE FRAMEWORKS FOR POLICY ANALYSIS AND FOR THOSE IN THE GENERAL PUBLIC WHO ARE INTERESTED IN THE POLICIES WE ANALYZE HERE THIS BOOK ORIGINATED IN A POLICY ANALYSIS CLASS AT MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY TAUGHT DURING 2010 USING PROFESSOR TATTO S UNIQUE APPROACH TO TEACHING POLICY ANALYSIS THE

PROFESSOR AND STUDENTS AGREED TO CONSTRUCT A CLASS THAT REPRESENTED A REFLECTIVE AND GROUNDED EXPERIENCE IN THE POLICY ANALYSIS OF A CURRENT AND RELEVANT ISSUE WITH GLOBAL RAMIFICATIONS WE BEGAN EXPLORING POLICIES THAT WERE DEVELOPED AT THE GLOBAL LEVEL AND THAT WERE IMPLEMENTED LOCALLY WE INVESTIGATED THE SURGE OF GLOBALLY DEVELOPED STANDARDS AND REGULATIONS IN AN EFFORT TO IMPROVE EDUCATION OUR GOAL WAS TO LEARN CROSS NATIONALLY ABOUT POLICIES THAT SEEK TO REFORM CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION UNDER EFFICIENCY AND GLOBAL COMPETITIVENESS ARGUMENTS SUCH AS EDUCATION FOR ALL EFA AND ITS USA COUSIN NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND NCLB WE KNEW OUR WORK WOULD BE BOUNDED BY THE TIME AVAILABLE IN A ONE SEMESTER CLASS AND BY RESOURCE CONSTRAINTS WE DID EXPLORATORY INQUIRY SUPPORTED BY LITERATURE REVIEWS REPORTS ON RIGOROUS RESEARCH STUDIES AND IN ONE CASE AN EXPLORATORY CASE STUDY THE POLICIES WE CHOSE TO EXPLORE SUCH AS EFA AND NCLB OFFERED US THE OPPORTUNITY TO EXAMINE CURRENT REFORM TENDENCIES THAT ARE INTENDED TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO QUALITY EDUCATION FOR ALL CHILDREN THE PREPARATION OF TEACHERS TO SUPPORT DIVERSE POPULATIONS THE ORGANIZATION OF SCHOOLS TO ACCOMMODATE THESE CHILDREN IN RESPONSE TO VAGUE POLICY MANDATES AND POWER ISSUES AFFECTING THE DIFFERENT CONSTITUENCIES AND STAKEHOLDERS THE EFFECTS OF THESE AND OTHER POLICIES WERE DIFFICULT TO TRACK BECAUSE RESEARCH IS SCANT AND DECISIONS ARE FREQUENTLY MADE BASED ON IDEOLOGY OR POLITICAL PERSUASION OUR PURPOSE WAS TO EXPLORE THE CRITICAL ISSUES THAT ORIGINATED SUCH POLICIES AND TO SEARCH FOR DOCUMENTED EVIDENCE REGARDING POLICY IMPLEMENTATION AND EFFECTIVENESS WE INVESTIGATED THE FACTORS THAT SEEMED TO INTERFERE WITH SUCCESSFUL IMPLEMENTATION FROM CONCEPTUAL THEORETICAL AND METHODOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVES IN THIS CLASS WE LEARNED THAT THERE ARE NOT READY SET FRAMEWORKS FOR POLICY ANALYSIS BUT RATHER THAT THESE HAVE TO BE CONSTRUCTED ACCORDING TO THE ISSUES THAT EMERGE AS POLICIES ARE CONCEPTUALIZED AND IMPLEMENTED TO FIT LOCAL CONTEXTS AND NEEDS THE BOOK PAYS PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO THE CONTEXTS OF POLICY INCLUDING THE EVOLVING CONCEPTUALIZATION OF GLOBAL AND LOCAL SYSTEMS OF GOVERNANCE KNOWLEDGE REGIMES AND POLICY SPACES

EFFECTIVE POLICY IMPLEMENTATION

1981

HOW DO LANGUAGE POLICIES IN EDUCATION SERVE THE INTERESTS OF DOMINANT GROUPS WITHIN SOCIETIES HOW DO POLICIES MARGINALIZE SOME STUDENTS WHILE GRANTING PRIVILEGE TO OTHERS HOW DO LANGUAGE POLICIES IN SCHOOLS CREATE INEQUALITIES AMONG LEARNERS HOW CAN SCHOOLS FURTHER THE EDUCATIONAL SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC INTERESTS OF LINGUISTIC MINORITIES THESE QUESTIONS THE FOCUS OF THE CHAPTERS IN THIS BOOK ARE AT THE HEART OF FUNDAMENTAL DEBATES ABOUT THE ROLE OF SCHOOLS IN SOCIETY THE LINKS BETWEEN LANGUAGE POLICIES AND INEQUALITIES OF CLASS REGION AND ETHNICITY NATIONALITY AND CONFLICTS BETWEEN LINGUISTIC MINORITIES AND MAINSTREAM POPULATIONS THE CONNECTIONS BETWEEN LANGUAGE POLICIES AND INEQUALITY ARE EXAMINED AS WELL AS SUCCESSFUL EFFORTS TO USE LANGUAGE POLICIES IN EDUCATION TO ASSERT THE SOCIAL AND LINGUISTIC RIGHTS OF LANGUAGE MINORITIES ALL OF THE CHAPTERS ARE ORIGINAL AND SUBSTANTIAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STUDY OF LANGUAGE POLICY AND EXEMPLIFY MAJOR THEORIES AND RESEARCH METHODS IN THE FIELD THE CASE STUDIES ARE INTERNATIONAL IN SCOPE INCLUDING CUTTING EDGE ANALYSES OF IMPORTANT LANGUAGE POLICY DEBATES IN NORTH AMERICA AUSTRALIA EASTERN EUROPE AFRICA EAST ASIA SOUTH ASIA AND THE PACIFIC THE MULTIPLE MEANINGS OF CRITICAL LANGUAGE POLICY STUDY ARE HIGHLIGHTED FIRST THE TERM REFERS TO THE FIELD OF CRITICAL LINGUISTICS SECOND THE BOOK SEEKS TO DEVELOP READERS ABILITY TO CRITICALLY READ LANGUAGE POLICIES THAT IS TO UNDERSTAND THE SOCIAL AND POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS OF PARTICULAR POLICIES ADOPTED IN SPECIFIC HISTORICAL CONTEXTS THIRD IT FEATURES CHAPTERS THAT ARE CRITICAL OF TRADITIONAL ANALYSES THAT FAIL TO CAPTURE THE FULL SOCIAL AND POLITICAL CONTEXT OF LANGUAGE POLICIES AND TOO OFTEN ACCEPT UNCRITICALLY THE CLAIMS OF POLICY SECTIONS ARE INCLUDED ON THEORETICAL ISSUES IN LANGUAGE POLICIES THE USE OF LANGUAGE POLICY FOR GOVERNANCE THE ROLE OF LANGUAGE POLICY IN MANAGING ETHNIC CONFLICT THE LINK BETWEEN LANGUAGE AND GLOBALIZATION AND THE IMPACT OF CRITICAL PEDAGOGY ON SOCIAL CHANGE THIS VOLUME IS INTENDED FOR SCHOLARS AND OTHER SPECIALISTS IN LANGUAGE POLICY EDUCATION APPLIED LINGUISTICS CRITICAL LINGUISTICS AND LANGUAGE TEACHING IT IS DESIGNED FOR USE AS A TEXTBOOK IN GRADUATE AND ADVANCED UNDERGRADUATE COURSES ON LANGUAGE POLICY AND LANGUAGE EDUCATION

LANGUAGE POLICIES IN EDUCATION

2002

A COMPLETE SET OF POLICIES AND PROCEDURES WITH DOWNLOADABLE FILES INCLUDED FOR YOUR ORGANIZATION WHETHER YOU RE JUST STARTING OUT OR NEED TO ADD SOME CONTROL TO YOUR EXISTING OPERATIONS POLICIES AND PROCEDURES ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF ELIMINATING FRAUD REDUCING OPERATIONAL ERRORS AND REDUCING INEFFICIENCIES THE COMPLETE SET INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES CORPORATE AND GENERAL POLICY REVIEW ETHICS POLICY SEGREGATION OF DUTIES ACCOUNT RECONCILIATION POLICY INTERNAL CONTROL OVER SPREADSHEETS RELATIONSHIP WITH EXTERNAL AUDITORS STANDARD DOCUMENT RETENTION POLICY PHYSICAL AND DATA SECURITY FACILITY ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION HUMAN RESOURCES EMPLOYEE STANDARDS OF CONDUCT BUSINESS EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT POLICY COMPANY CAR AND CAR ALLOWANCE POLICY EMPLOYEE TRAINING POLICY MISAPPROPRIATION OF ASSETS AND OTHER DISHONEST ACTS EMPLOYEE DRESS CODE VIRTUAL OR REMOTE WORK POLICY FLEXIBLE WORK SCHEDULE POLICY PERSONAL LEAVE VACATION POLICY LEAVE OF ABSENCE WITH PAY LEAVE OF ABSENCE WITHOUT PAY CASH AND BANKING CASH BANK ACCOUNTS BANK ACCOUNT RECONCILIATION PETTY CASH FUNDS EMPLOYEE ADVANCES UNCLAIMED PROPERTY CREDIT CARD POLICY ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE CUSTOMER ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE CUSTOMER CREDIT PROCEDURES WRITE OFF OF UNCOLLECTIBLE RECEIVABLES BAD DEBT CASH DISCOUNT AND UNSALEABLE ALLOWANCES ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE RECONCILIATION INTERCOMPANY ACCOUNTS INVENTORY INVENTORY ACCOUNTING AND CONTROL INVENTORY RESERVES CYCLE COUNTING PHYSICAL INVENTORIES FIXED ASSETS FIXED ASSET ACCOUNTING POLICIES CAPITAL PROJECT REQUESTS ADDITIONAL CAPITAL REQUEST CAPITAL POST COMPLETION REVIEW DISPOSAL OR IMPAIRMENT OF PROPERTY DEPRECIATION AND USEFUL LIFE ACCOUNTING FOR LEASES OTHER ASSETS PREPAID EXPENSES OTHER ASSETS GOODWILL AND TRADEMARKS LIABILITIES ACCOUNTS PAYABLE POLICY VENDOR INVOICE APPROVAL MATERIAL RETURNED TO VENDORS CUSTOMER CREDITS ISSUED SALES AND USE TAX ON PURCHASES PAYROLL ACCRUAL LIABILITY ACCRUALS EXPENSE INVENTORY AND CAPITAL RECOGNITION BONUS AWARDS INCENTIVES AWARDS SALES COMMISSIONS INCOME STATEMENT REVENUE RECOGNITION OF SHIPMENTS REVENUE RECOGNITION OF SERVICES INVENTORY COSTING AND VALUATION CONTROL OF TRADE MARKETING PROGRAMS MEMBERSHIP ASSOCIATION FEES INTEREST AND OTHER INCOME NON RECURRING AND UNUSUAL GAINS AND LOSSES PROFIT OR LOSS ON SALE OF ASSETS KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS COMPUTER INFORMATION SYSTEMS DISASTER RECOVERY POLICY AND PROCEDURE BACKUP REQUIREMENTS SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE AND LICENSING POLICY COMPUTER SYSTEM USE RESPONSIBLE USE OF COMPANY EMAIL USE OF COMPANY INTERNET COMPANY PRINTER POLICY ACCESS CONTROL POLICY COMPUTER ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT DISPOSAL PASSWORD POLICY OVERVIEWSO YOU VE CREATED A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS INVESTING COUNTLESS HOURS VOLUMES OF ENERGY AND SWEAT AND MAYBE EVEN A FEW TEARS NOW IT S TIME TO PROTECT THAT BUSINESS FROM LOST PROFITS ERRORS AND EVEN FRAUD A SOLID SET OF POLICIES AND PROCEDURES CAN PROVIDE A FOUNDATION FOR A STRONG AND SUCCESSFUL OPERATION RESULTING IN INCREASED EFFICIENCIES INCREASED PROFIT AND REDUCED RISK OF ERROR AND FRAUD THIS COMPLETE SET OF POLICIES IS A SIMPLE STEP IN IMPLEMENTING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES IN YOUR ORGANIZATION THE INFORMATION PRESENTED PROVIDES A BUILDING BLOCK TO CREATE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES THAT FIT YOUR UNIQUE ORGANIZATION

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES MANUAL

2017-03-23

THIS BOOK PROVIDES UNIQUE INSIGHTS INTO THE ROLE OF POLICY CAPACITY IN POLICYMAKING AND POLICY CHANGE AS IT IS BEING UNCOVERED AT THE RESEARCH FRONTIER IN CONTEMPORARY POLICY STUDIES THE BOOK IS STRUCTURED INTO A SERIES OF SECTIONS ON POLICY CAPACITY IN THEORY AND PRACTICE EACH FOCUSING ON A SPECIFIC ASPECT OF POLICY CAPACITY AND ITS INFLUENCE ON POLICY FORMULATION DECISION MAKING IMPLEMENTATION AND EVALUATION IN ADDITION TO MAKING A SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTION TO THE BODY OF LITERATURE ON THE THEORETICAL APPROACHES TO RESEARCHING THE ROLE OF CAPACITY IN POLICYMAKING IT ALSO PROVIDES PRACTICAL EXAMPLES OF THE APPLICATION OF THESE APPROACHES THROUGH A VARIETY OF NATIONAL AND SECTORAL CASE STUDIES INCLUDING CONTRIBUTIONS FROM AUTHORS WORKING IN A WIDE VARIETY OF DISCIPLINES THE BOOK DEMONSTRATES ACROSS THE VARIOUS TOPICS INVESTIGATED MANY COMMONALITIES AND CONSISTENCIES IN RELATION TO THE STUDY OF POLICY CAPACITY AND POLICY MAKING THIS WORK HAS INTERDISCIPLINARY APPEAL AND WILL ENGAGE SCHOLARS IN FIELDS RANGING FROM GEOGRAPHY TO COMMUNICATIONS HEALTH SOCIAL WORK AND POLITICAL SCIENCE AMONGST OTHERS WITH AN INTEREST IN PUBLIC POLICY

POLICY CAPACITY AND GOVERNANCE

2017-09-29

HUMAN RESOURCE POLICY DESCRIBES HOW POLICIES ANCHOR HR PRACTICE AND CONNECT HR TO ORGANISATIONAL STRATEGY IT REAFFIRMS THE IMPORTANCE OF POLICY AND THE NEED FOR PRACTITIONERS TO POSSESS SKILLS IN THE RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT WRITING AND IMPLEMENTATION OF HR POLICIES THE BOOK ALSO EXAMINES 16 IMPORTANT POLICY AREAS AND DISCUSSES THE VARIOUS POLICY OPTIONS THAT MIGHT APPLY DEPENDING ON THE ORGANISATION S NATURE THE LEGAL FRAMEWORK THAT APPLIES TO IT AND ITS STRATEGIC NEEDS

HUMAN RESOURCE POLICY

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THE PUBLIC POLICY PROCESS IS ESSENTIAL READING FOR ANYONE TRYING TO UNDERSTAND THE PROCESS BY WHICH PUBLIC POLICY IS MADE EXPLAINING CLEARLY THE IMPORTANCE OF THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THEORETICAL AND PRACTICAL ASPECTS OF POLICY MAKING THE BOOK GIVES A THOROUGH OVERVIEW OF THE PEOPLE AND ORGANISATIONS INVOLVED IN THE PROCESS FULLY REVISED AND UPDATED FOR A 7TH EDITION THE PUBLIC POLICY PROCESS PROVIDES CLEAR EXPLORATION USING MANY ILLUSTRATIONS OF HOW POLICY IS MADE AND IMPLEMENTED A NEW CHAPTER ON COMPARATIVE THEORY AND METHODS NEW MATERIAL ON STUDYING ADVOCACY COALITIONS POLICY CHANGES GOVERNANCE AND EVALUATION MORE EUROPEAN AND INTERNATIONAL EXAMPLES THIS EDITION APPEARS AT A TIME WHEN ITS CONCERN TO EMPHASISE THE COMPLEX IMPLICATIONS OF MODERN GOVERNANCE AND THE WAY IN WHICH THE ULTIMATE OUTCOME OF A NEW POLICY INITIATIVE WILL DEPEND ON POLICY FORMULATION AND IMPLEMENTATION PROCESSES IS PARTICULARLY RELEVANT TO THE UK GOVERNMENT S EFFORTS TO LEAVE THE EUROPEAN UNION

THE PUBLIC POLICY PROCESS

2016-10-18

THE HEALTH CARE POLICY PROCESS ENABLES THE READER TO DEVELOP A CLEAR UNDERSTANDING OF THE SCOPE AND OBJECTIVES OF HEALTH POLICY STUDIES TO ANALYZE THE EXTENT TO WHICH POLICIES CAN BE CHANGED OR INFLUENCED BY THOSE INVOLVED AT THE DIFFERENT STAGES OF THE POLICY PROCESS AND TO ASSESS BOTH THE NEED AND THE SCOPE FOR CHANGE THE AUTHOR CONSIDERS THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN PLANNING AND POLICY LOOKS AT KEY CONCEPTS IN ANALYZING HEALTH CARE ISSUES AND EXAMINES SOME OF THE DEBATES OVERSHADOWING TODAY S HEALTH POLICY AGENDA

THE HEALTH CARE POLICY PROCESS

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HEALTH CARE AND PUBLIC POLICY

2010

THIS BOOK CONSIDERS A RANGE OF CONTEMPORARY APPROACHES TO PUBLIC POLICY STUDIES THESE APPROACHES ARE BASED ON A NUMBER OF THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVES ON DECISION MAKING AS WELL AS ALTERNATIVE PERSPECTIVES ON POLICY INSTRUMENTS AND IMPLEMENTATION THE RANGE OF APPROACHES COVERED IN THE VOLUME INCLUDES PUNCTUATED EQUILIBRIUM MODELS THE ADVOCACY COALITION FRAMEWORK MULTIPLE STREAMS APPROACHES INSTITUTIONAL ANALYSES CONSTRUCTIVIST APPROACHES BEHAVIOURAL MODELS AND THE USE OF INSTRUMENTS AS AN APPROACH TO PUBLIC POLICY THE VOLUME CONCLUDES WITH A DISCUSSION OF FUNDAMENTAL ISSUES OF DEMOCRACY IN PUBLIC POLICY

CONTEMPORARY APPROACHES TO PUBLIC POLICY

2016-05-25

THE ROLE OF COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS IN POLICY STUDIES HAS GAINED INCREASING IMPORTANCE IN RECENT YEARS COMPARATIVE POLICY STUDIES AIMS AT COMPARING AND CONTRASTING PUBLIC POLICY MAKING ACROSS SECTORAL REGIONAL AND NATIONAL BOUNDARIES IN ORDER TO OVERCOME CHALLENGES IN THE FORMULATION IMPLEMENTATION AND EVALUATION OF PUBLIC POLICY THIS BOOK IS THE FIRST IN ITS FIELD TO PROVIDE SCHOLARS AND POLICY MAKERS WITH BOTH COMPELLING COMPARATIVE RESEARCH DESIGN AND METHODOLOGY IN ONE PLACE IN CONTRAST TO GENERAL MANUALS ON COMPARATIVE METHODOLOGY THIS BOOK SPECIFICALLY ADDRESSES KEY RESEARCH DESIGN AND METHODOLOGICAL CHALLENGES THAT COMPARATIVE POLICY STUDIES TYPICALLY FACES AND

DRAWS ON RICH EMPIRICAL ILLUSTRATIONS WRITTEN BY AN OUTSTANDING CAST OF CONTRIBUTORS THIS VOLUME IS ESSENTIAL READING FOR SCHOLARS AND STUDENTS OF COMPARATIVE PUBLIC POLICY

COMPARATIVE POLICY STUDIES

2014-05-16

TUMMERS BOOK RESURFACES ALIENATION AS AN ESTABLISHED AND USEFUL CONCEPT BUT ALSO AS A FORGOTTEN AND IGNORED REALITY SHIFTS IN POLICIES AFFECT THE MEANING OF THESE POLICIES AND REFORMS AFFECT POWER BALANCES THE ANALYSES IN THIS BOOK ARE CRUCIAL TO HELP UNDERSTAND WHY POLICIES FAIL AND WHY THERE IS RESISTANCE TO CHANGE TUMMERS COINS POLICY ALIENATION AS AN INCREASINGLY INDISPENSABLE CONCEPT REFORMS WOULD HAVE BEEN DIFFERENT IF TUMMERS ANALYSIS ON POWERLESSNESS AND MEANINGLESSNESS WAS MORE TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT GEERT BOUCKAERT KATHOLIEKE UNIVERSITEIT LEUVEN BELGIUM AND FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE EUROPEAN GROUP FOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION LARS TUMMERS HAS WRITTEN A MUST READ BOOK WHILE SYSTEMIC CHANGES USHERED IN BY MARKET ORIENTED REFORMS HAVE RECEIVED ATTENTION LITTLE IS KNOWN ABOUT THE PLIGHT OF THE INDIVIDUAL IN MODERN BUREAUCRACIES TUMMERS PRESENTS A MASTERFUL AND AUTHORITATIVE ACCOUNT OF POLICY ALIENATION THAT PUBLIC SERVICE PROFESSIONALS EXPERIENCE THE BREADTH AND DEPTH OF TUMMERS S SCHOLARSHIP IS IMPRESSIVE THIS BOOK HAS SOMETHING OF VALUE FOR EVERYONE FROM THE CASUAL READER TO PUBLIC MANAGEMENT SCHOLAR SANJAY K PANDEY THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW JERSEY US WHY DO PUBLIC SECTOR PROFESSIONALS RESIST CHANGE TUMMERS OFFERS A COMPELLING ACCOUNT OF THE ALIENATION OF PROFESSIONALS FOLLOWING NEW PUBLIC MANAGEMENT REFORMS THIS TIMELY AND METHODOLOGICALLY INNOVATIVE BOOK SHOWS PUBLIC MANAGERS HOW TO IMPLEMENT ORGANISATIONAL CHANGE AND PROVIDES SCHOLARS WITH A SET OF NEW MEASUREMENT SCALES POLICY ALIENATION AND THE POWER OF PROFESSIONALS IS A MUST READ FOR ANYONE WHO WANTS TO UNDERSTAND HOW PROFESSIONAL ORGANISATIONS OPERATE AND WHY PROFESSIONALS RESIST SOME CHANGES WHILE EMBRACING OTHERS STEVEN VAN DE WALLE ERASMUS UNIVERSITY ROTTERDAM THE NETHERLANDS PROFESSIONALS OFTEN HAVE PROBLEMS WITH GOVERNMENTAL POLICIES THEY HAVE TO IMPLEMENT THIS RANGES FROM ISRAELI TEACHERS STRIKING AGAINST SCHOOL REFORMS VIA BRITISH CIVIL SERVANTS QUITTING THEIR JOBS AS THEY HAVE PROBLEMS WITH NEW PUBLIC MANAGEMENT REFORMS FOCUSED ON COST CUTTING TO US HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS FEELING OVERWHELMED BY A CONSTANT FLOW OF POLICY CHANGES RESULTING IN TENSIONS CONFLICTS AND BURN OUTS THIS ELOQUENT BOOK BY LARS TUMMERS DEVELOPS A FRAMEWORK TO UNDERSTAND THESE IMPORTANT ISSUES WITH POLICY IMPLEMENTATION USING THE INNOVATIVE CONCEPT OF POLICY ALIENATION POLICIES IN HEALTHCARE SOCIAL SECURITY AND EDUCATION ARE ANALYZED THE CONCLUSIONS CHALLENGE THE COMMON ASSERTIONS REGARDING THE REASONS WHY PROFESSIONALS RESIST POLICIES FOR INSTANCE THE IMPACT OF PROFESSIONAL INFLUENCE OFTEN VIEWED AS AN END IN ITSELF IS NUANCED LARS TUMMERS REVEALS THAT IT IS FAR MORE IMPORTANT FOR PROFESSIONALS THAT A POLICY IS MEANINGFUL FOR SOCIETY AND FOR THEIR CLIENTS THAN THEY HAVE AN INFLUENCE IN ITS SHAPING POLICY ALIENATION AND THE POWER OF PROFESSIONALS IS ESSENTIAL FOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION SCHOLARS POLICYMAKERS CHANGE MANAGERS AND PROFESSIONALS TO IMPROVE ITS ACADEMIC AND PRACTICAL SIGNIFICANCE A POLICY ALIENATION QUESTIONNAIRE IS DEVELOPED TO MEASURE THE DEGREE OF POLICY ALIENATION FELT BY IMPLEMENTERS THIS INSTRUMENT CAN BE USED TO FIRST UNDERSTAND AND THEN IMPROVE POLICY PERFORMANCE IN VARIOUS SETTINGS

POLICY ALIENATION AND THE POWER OF PROFESSIONALS

2013

STANDARD MODELS OF POLICY CREDIBILITY DEFINED AS THE EXPECTATION THAT AN ANNOUNCED POLICY WILL BE CARRIED OUT EMPHASIZE THE PREFERENCES OF THE POLICYMAKER AND THE ROLE OF TOUGH POLICIES IN SIGNALLING TOUGHNESS AND RAISING CREDIBILITY WHETHER A POLICY IS CARRIED OUT HOWEVER WILL ALSO REFLECT THE STATE OF THE ECONOMY WE PRESENT A MODEL IN WHICH A POLICYMAKER MAINTAINS A FIXED PARITY IN GOOD TIMES BUT DEVALUES IF THE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE GETS TOO HIGH OUR MAIN CONCLUSION IS THAT IF THERE IS PERSISTENCE IN UNEMPLOYMENT OBSERVING A TOUGH POLICY IN A GIVEN PERIOD MAY LOWER RATHER THAN RAISE THE CREDIBILITY OF A NO DEVALUATION PLEDGE IN SUBSEQUENT PERIODS WE TEST THIS IMPLICATION ON DATA FOR THE INTEREST RATE DIFFERENTIAL BETWEEN FRANCE AND GERMANY AND FIND SUPPORT FOR OUR HYPOTHESIS

CREDIBILITY OF POLICIES VERSUS CREDIBILITY OF POLICYMAKERS

1994-05-01

WHENEVER GOVERNMENTS CHANGE POLICIES THERE WILL TYPICALLY BE LOSERS THESE LOSERS WILL HAVE MADE INVESTMENTS OF ONE KIND OR ANOTHER PREDICATED ON OR EVEN DELIBERATELY BY THE PRE REFORM SET OF POLICIES VERY FEW POLICY CHANGES MAKE EVERYBODY BETTER OFF BUT RATHER RE ALLOCATE SOCIAL BENEFITS AND COSTS IN DIFFERENT WAYS THE ISSUE OF WHETHER AND WHEN TO MITIGATE THE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH POLICY CHANGES IS UBIQUITOUS ACROSS THE POLICY LANDSCAPE THIS BOOK EXPLORES BOTH NORMATIVE AND POSITIVE RATIONALES FOR TRANSITION COST MITIGATION STRATEGIES

DEALING WITH LOSERS

2014

IT IS INCREASINGLY COMMON FOR BUSINESSES TO FACE PUBLIC POLICIES AND GOVERNMENT REGULATION THAT DEMAND SOME FORM OF ENVIRONMENTAL OR SOCIAL PROTECTION THESE PROTECTIVE PUBLIC POLICIES HAVE GROWN IN NUMBER COMPLEXITY AND STRINGENCY OVER THE LAST FEW DECADES NOT ONLY IN INDUSTRIALIZED COUNTRIES BUT ALSO IN THE DEVELOPING WORLD IN THIS BOOK JORGE RIVERA PRESENTS A NEW THEORETICAL FRAMEWORK FOR UNDERSTANDING THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN PROTECTIVE PUBLIC POLICIES AND BUSINESS COMPLIANCE THIS FRAMEWORK EXPLAINS DIFFERENT LEVELS OF BUSINESS COMPLIANCE IN TERMS OF THREE DIFFERENT FACTORS THE LINK BETWEEN THE STAGES OF PROTECTIVE PUBLIC POLICIES AND DIFFERENT LEVELS OF BUSINESS RESISTANCE THE EFFECT OF COUNTRY CONTEXT AND THE EFFECT OF FIRM LEVEL CHARACTERISTICS THE SECOND PART OF THE BOOK SUPPORTS AND ELABORATES ON THIS FRAMEWORK BY PRESENTING EMPIRICAL STUDIES THAT EXAMINE TWO VOLUNTARY ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS THE US SKI INDUSTRY S SUSTAINABLE SLOPES PROGRAM AND THE CERTIFICATION FOR SUSTAINABLE TOURISM IN COSTA RICA

BUSINESS AND PUBLIC POLICY

2012-07-12

DRAWING ON INTERNATIONAL CASE STUDIES AND A RANGE OF THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVES LEADING SCHOLARS SURVEY THE IMPACT OF GLOBALIZATION ON LOCAL EDUCATION POLICY IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES

GLOBAL EDUCATION POLICY AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

2012-11-15

PREPARED UNDER THE AEGIS OF THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS FAO THIS TEXT PRESENTS A FRESH AND COMPREHENSIVE LOOK AT AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT POLICY IT PROVIDES A CLEAR SYSTEMATIC REVIEW OF IMPORTANT CLASSES OF POLICY ISSUES IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES AND DISCUSSES THE EMERGING INTERNATIONAL CONSENSUS ON VIABLE APPROACHES TO THE ISSUES THE TEXT IS UNIQUE IN ITS COVERAGE AND DEPTH AND IT SUMMARISES HUNDREDS OF REFERENCES ON AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT POLICIES CITES POLICY EXPERIENCES AND APPLIED STUDIES IN MORE THAN 70 COUNTRIES PROVIDES GUIDANCE FOR POLICY MAKERS GIVING EXAMPLES OF SUCCESSES AND FAILURES REVIEWS ISSUES RELATED TO THE FORMULATION OF STRATEGIES AND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR MAKING THEM SUCCESSFUL DEVELOPS THE CONCEPTUAL FOUNDATIONS AND ILLUSTRATES POLICIES THAT HAVE WORKED AND SOME THAT HAVE NOT WITH EXPLANATIONS TOPICS COVERED INCLUDE AGRICULTURE S ROLE IN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT THE OBJECTIVES AND STRATEGIES OF AGRICULTURAL POLICY LINKAGES BETWEEN MACROECONOMIC AND AGRICULTURAL POLICY POLICIES FOR THE AGRICULTURAL FINANCIAL SYSTEM AND AGRICULTURAL TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT UPPER LEVEL UNDERGRADUATES TAKING COURSES IN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND GRADUATES TAKING COURSES IN AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT INTERNATIONAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AND SPECIALISED TOPICS IN AGRICULTURE WILL FIND THIS TEXT OF GREAT INTEREST IT ALSO SERVES AS A REFERENCE FOR PROFESSIONALS AND RESEARCHERS IN THE FIELD OF INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT POLICY

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