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Abstract:
In recent years, attention to universal social policy has intensified in Latin America and other parts of the periphery. Definitions of universal social policy have traditionally varied between a minimalist approach focused on broad coverage and a maximalist approach focused on generous, citizen-based programs funded exclusively with general taxes. Unfortunately the former is too narrow and the latter relies on over-ambitious policy instruments, hardly attainable in the periphery. Instead, we propose a definition focused on policy goals: universal social policies are those that reach the entire population with similarly generous transfers and high quality services. In the second part of the paper, we review the advantages of universal policies, which can be more redistributive, create less stigma and be easier to manage than means tested programs and can also have positive effects on social cohesion and economic growth. The paper concludes with a discussion of different types of fragmentation as significant threats towards the expansion of universal social policies in Latin America and beyond.

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Freie Schlagwörter:
In all societies, relations between people are regulated by prescriptive laws. Some of them are customs – that is, informal rules of social and moral behaviour. Some are rules we accept if we belong to particular social institutions, such as religious, educational and cultural groups. And some laws are made by nations and enforced against all citizens within their power. The rules of social institutions are more formal than customs. They carry penalties for those who break them. They are not, however, enforceable by any political authority. Customs need not be made by governments, and they nee 11. After Uncle Mose had gone, Miss Lydia had a good cry (O. Henry) 12. At 2 o'clock he was taking his usual afternoon nap on the veranda. 13. In Germany vacation time is transferable. 14. He was reluctant to go home. 15. If you blend all American workers together, we average around two weeks. 16. She gave him a surreptitious look behind the old man's back. Point out the most frequent mistakes in the use of number made by Russian speakers of English. Comment on the cause of these mistakes. 4. Define the grammatical category of case. Point out the disputable problems in the analysis of this category. Give evidence to support your point of view. Analyze the opposition “Common case:: Possessive Case”. It is aimed at simplifying and harmonizing temporary admission procedures. It entered into force on 27 November 1993. PUBLIC POLICY: You are the leader of your country. Create a list of rules and instructions on additional measures assisting the treaty execution in your country. GRAMMAR REVISION. Ex.1. GRAMMAR TENSES MIX: Fill the gaps with verbs in correct tenses. It has already started off a powerful process globally and we are very confident that it is going to continue to do so and it is going to prove itself as a very effective public health tool to really curb this unacceptable burden of disease and death.” The tobacco industry has been accused of targeting groups like young people, women, and ethnic minorities: “We don't smoke that shit. We just sell it.