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Does decentralization enhance
service delivery and poverty

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reduction? The expert contributors to this book address this fundamental question faced by policymakers and scholars in developing and advanced countries. The book illustrates that it is equally important for

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international agencies as well as bilateral donors to provide advice and assistance on decentralization that effectively supports poverty reduction. The volume builds on insights from the recent, political economy

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developments in the intergovernmental literature reviewed in the Handbook of Fiscal Federalism, and presents new empirical evidence on the effects of decentralization in different parts of the world.

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Policy-oriented papers evaluating the effectiveness of decentralized service delivery are presented. The role of institutions and the importance of sequencing of policies in ensuring effective outcomes are

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also considered. The volume presents some insightful empirical studies of the decentralization process from Latin America, Eastern Europe, and Africa. With a detailed empirical analysis of effective

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outcomes of public policies implemented at the sub-national level, and a focus on method, this book will be of great interest to academics specializing in public sector economics and public finance, and to national

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and international policymakers.
This book is an analytical
examination of financing and
public service delivery
challenges in a decentralized
framework. It also provides
critical insights into the

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effectiveness of public expenditure, through benefit incidence analysis of education and healthcare services in India. The benefits of decentralization always come with conflicts and trade-offs. By unpacking the

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process of decentralization, the authors identify that 'unfunded mandates', arising from the asymmetry between finances and functions at local levels, are a major challenge. The analysis is carried out by distilling the

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existing studies in this area, and through an empirical investigation of public finance data at different public sector levels in India, as well as in some selected developing countries. Using the household

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survey statistics of consumption expenditure, an analysis of utilization or benefit incidence of public spending on social sectors in India is achieved, covering education and health sectors.

Research Paper (postgraduate)

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from the year 2019 in the subject
Economics - Monetary theory
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Entrepreneurship, Technology,
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course: Leadership and

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Governance, language: English,
abstract: This study aims at
analyzing the effect of
decentralization frameworks on
service delivery by devolved
governments in Kenya.

Devolution as a system of

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governance was introduced after the promulgation of the new constitution in 2010. Since then, both levels of governments have been working hard in order to implement all the new structures required for the

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operationalization of the new system. The statement of the problem shows that the process of implementation has faced many bottlenecks at the political, administrative and fiscal levels hence curtailing the speed of

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implementation and service delivery as detailed in the literature review. The research objectives have brought out the variables under the study as: to determine the effect of fiscal decentralization framework on

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service delivery by devolved governments in Kenya; to examine the effect of political decentralization framework on service delivery by devolved governments in Kenya; to investigate the effects of

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administrative decentralization
framework on service delivery by
devolved governments in Kenya,
investigate the effects of
economic decentralization
framework on service delivery by
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to establish the moderating influence of regulatory frameworks on political, fiscal and administrative decentralization and service delivery in Kenya. The study will be undertaken in 14 counties

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covering all the main regions of Kenya. Several theories have been explored linked to the various variables considered under the study. These are: The Souffl é theory, The social capital theory, The principal Agent

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theory and finally the
Accountability theory. The
conceptual framework outlines
the independent variables, as
administrative, political and fiscal
decentralization while the
dependent variable is service

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delivery. The moderating variable is the regulatory framework. Data will be collected by the use of a questionnaire. The quantitative data will be captured with the help of a likert scale while the qualitative data

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will be captured with open-ended questions at the end of each variable. Data analysis will be done by both qualitative and quantitative methods, as both types of data will have been collected. Quantitative data will

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be analyzed by use of the statistical package for social sciences (SPSS).

This policy brief reviews the evolution of knowledge-to-policy studies and the emergence of systems perspectives. We

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explore the less well understood issue of how to grow and reinforce knowledge systems in settings where they are weak and underdeveloped. We offer a knowledge systems model that encapsulates current thinking

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and present an example of an effort to strengthen a knowledge system, drawn from a project managed by RTI in Indonesia. We conclude with some recommendations for strengthening knowledge

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systems including promoting debate among a diversity of voices within the knowledge system, providing sustained stakeholder commitment to the systems approach, investing in the components of the

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knowledge system as well as the interaction between components, fostering a balance between government mechanisms and space for civil society perspectives, and exploring how knowledge systems can engage

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the private sector. We conclude with suggestions for applying the knowledge systems model in new country contexts including use of a political economy analysis as well as gauging readiness of government actors,

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research institutes, and media to engage.

Learning Through Experience

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the Delivery of Public Services in
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Explaining Performance
Variation Across Local
Governments in Indonesia
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**sector delivery of health and
education services**

Governance in Developing
Asia is one of the first books
of its kind to provide an
overview of the role that
better governance and

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citizen empowerment can play in improving public service delivery in developing Asia. The World Development Report 2004 se
It is widely assumed that the relationship between

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governance capacity and decentralization determines the success in governance, but how does this relationship function is largely contested. Does decentralization lead to an

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improvement in governance capacities, or are certain capacities preconditioned in order for decentralization to lead better governance?

Relying on an empirical study of Turkish provincial

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municipalities, the book argues success in decentralization is strongly influenced by the socioeconomic conditions in the province and to a lesser extent by the local

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government's capacity. The book provides a novel approach to capacity building practices and decentralization reforms by suggesting that the relationship between

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decentralization and governance capacity should be addressed not only on the organizational but also on the developmental level. In this way, the book proposes asymmetrical

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decentralization according to socio-economic development at subnational level for better governance outcomes.

Over recent decades, decentralization has

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emerged as a key Public Sector Reform strategy in a wide variety of international contexts. Yet, despite its emergence as a ubiquitous activity that cuts across disciplinary lines in

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international development, decentralization is understood and applied in many different ways by parties acting from contrary perspectives. This book offers a fascinating insight

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into theory and practice surrounding decentralization activities in the Public Sectors of developing and transitional countries. In drawing on the expertise of established scholars, the

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book explores the contexts, achievements, progress and challenges of decentralization and local governance. Notably, the contributions contained in this book are genuinely

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international in nature; the chapters explore aspects of decentralization and local governance in contexts as diverse as Ghana, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Morocco,

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Tanzania, Uganda, and Viet Nam. In summary, by examining the subject of decentralization with reference to specific developing and transitional Public Sector contexts in

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which it has been practiced, this book offers an excellent contribution towards a better understanding of the theory and practice of decentralization and local governance in international

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settings. This book was published as a special double issue of the International Journal of Public Administration.

Dissatisfied with centralized approaches to delivering

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Local public services, a large number of countries are decentralizing responsibility for these services to lower-level, locally elected governments. The results have been mixed. The paper

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provides a framework for evaluating the benefits and costs, in terms of service delivery, of different approaches to decentralization, based on relationships of

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accountability between different actors in the delivery chain. Moving from a model of central provision to that of decentralization to local governments introduces a new

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relationship of accountability-
between national and local
policymakers-while altering
existing relationships, such
as that between citizens and
elected politicians. Only by
examining how these

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relationships change can we understand why decentralization can, and sometimes cannot, lead to better service delivery. In particular, the various instruments of

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decentralization-fiscal, administrative, regulatory, market, and financial-can affect the incentives facing service providers, even though they relate only to local policymakers. Likewise,

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and perhaps more significantly, the incentives facing local and national politicians can have a profound effect on the provision of local services. Finally, the process of

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implementing decentralization can be as important as the design of the system in influencing service delivery outcomes. Making Devolution Work for Service Delivery in Kenya

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Dangers of Decentralization
Vulnerability, Public Service
Delivery and Fiscal
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Accountability and
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Participation and Local Public
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***improve public service
delivery? Using a
combination of quantitative
and qualitative methods,
this dissertation examines
varying outcomes of
decentralization policy in***

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Indonesia. It shows that both theoretically and empirically that the performance of newly empowered local governments is deeply rooted in local politics. If

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local political processes are distorted, political and bureaucratic agents face incentives to use the greater fiscal and political independence that comes with decentralization to

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draw private 'rents' and, consequently, these agents often fail to deliver basic services. Conversely, higher accountability increases the political costs of inefficient and

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inadequate public decisions, and public service performance is likely to improve. This requires the interaction of local political institutions, the electoral regime, and a

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***well informed and a
politically active community
able to broadly participate
directly and indirectly in
exacting accountability.
Economists, political
scientists, and practitioners***

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of decentralization and public sector reform in emerging markets will take great interest in this book. The trend toward greater decentralization of governance activities, now

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accepted as commonplace in the West, has become a worldwide movement. This international development—largely a product of globalization and democratization—is

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clearly one of the key factors reshaping economic, political, and social conditions throughout the world. Rather than the top-down, centralized decisionmaking

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***that characterized
communist economies and
Third World dictatorships in
the twentieth century,
today's world demands
flexibility, adaptability, and
the autonomy to bring***

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those qualities to bear. In this thought-provoking book, the first in a new series on Innovations in Governance, experts in government and public management trace the

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***evolution and performance
of decentralization
concepts, from the transfer
of authority within
government to the sharing
of power, authority, and
responsibilities among***

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broader governance institutions. This movement is not limited to national government—it also affects subnational governments, NGOs, private corporations, and even civil associations.

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The contributors assess the emerging concepts of decentralization (e.g., devolution, empowerment, capacity building, and democratic governance). They detail the factors

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***driving the movement,
including political changes
such as the fall of the Iron
Curtain and the ascendance
of democracy; economic
factors such as
globalization and***

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outsourcing; and technological advances (e.g. increased information technology and electronic commerce). Their analysis covers many different contexts and regions. For

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example, William Ascher of Claremont McKenna College chronicles how decentralization concepts are playing out in natural resources policy, while Kadmeil Wekwete (United

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Nations) outlines the specific challenges to decentralizing governance in sub-Saharan Africa. In each case, contributors explore the objectives of a decentralizing strategy as

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well as the benefits and difficulties that will likely result.

This paper reviews efforts to improve the efficiency and responsiveness of urban services delivery in

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developing countries. It argues that failures in urban service delivery are not merely the result of a lack of technical knowledge on the part of local government staff, but also

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***reflect constraints and
perverse incentives
confronting local personnel
and their political
leadership, and these, in
turn, are often the
inadvertent result of***

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problems in the relationship between central and local government. The report views the spread of decentralization as a potentially fortuitous

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phenomenon. The decentralization now occurring is not a carefully designed sequence of reforms aimed at improving the efficiency of public service delivery ; it appears

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to be a reluctant and disorderly series of concessions by central governments attempting to maintain political stability. (Adapté du résumé de l'auteur).

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Decentralization holds a lot of promise, but whether it improves public service delivery depends on the institutional arrangements governing its implementation. Several

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conditions must be met before the full benefits of decentralization can be reaped. First, for decentralization to increase allocative and productive efficiency, local

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governments need to have the authority to respond to local demand as well as adequate mechanisms for accountability. Because granting authority without accountability can lead to

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***corruption and lower
productive efficiency,
decentralization needs to
be accompanied by reforms
that increase the
transparency and
accountability of local***

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government. Second, functions need to be devolved to a low enough level of government for allocative efficiency to increase as a result of decentralization. Low-level

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governments are likely to be aware of local preferences and, if able to do so, are likely to adjust service delivery accordingly. Third, citizens should have channels to

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communicate their preferences and get their voices heard in local governments. But the existence of such channels is not enough. To effectively influence public

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policies and oversee local governments, citizens need to have information about government policies and activities. The media play a crucial role in this area. Governance and Service

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Delivery

Knowledge systems

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the Indian experience

Fiscal Decentralization

Reforms

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Fiscal Decentralization and
the Efficiency of Public
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Achieving Better Service
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***Decentralization in Ethiopia
examines the role
decentralization has played in
the improvement of human
development indicators in
Ethiopia. Ethiopia has made
major strides in improving its
human development***

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indicators in the past 15 years, achieving significant increases in the coverage of basic education and health services in a short period of time. Improvements took place during a period of massive decentralization of

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fiscal resources, to the regions in 1994 and to woredas in 2002-03. The devolution of power and resources from the federal and regional governments to woredas appears to have improved the delivery of basic

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services. Surveys of beneficiaries reveal that they perceive that service coverage and quality have improved. Beneficiary satisfaction has increased markedly in education, and less conspicuously in water and

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health services. In the south, the decentralization to woredas in 2002-03 tended to narrow differences in per capita expenditures on education and health across woredas. Decentralization disproportionately favored

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***woredas that are remote
(more than 50 kilometers
from a zonal capital), food-
insecure, and pastoral,
suggesting that
decentralization has been pro-
poor. Decentralization also
narrowed the gap in***

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***educational outcomes
between disadvantage and
better-off woredas, especially
in the south. Pastoral, food-
insecure, and remote woredas
gained in terms of the
educational outcomes
examined (gross enrollment***

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rates, grade 8 examination pass rates, repetition rates, pupil-teacher ratios, and teacher-section ratios). This book examines the impacts of fiscal decentralization reforms on the efficiency of local

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governments in Central and Eastern European (CEE) countries. By offering a comparative perspective and by applying econometric methods and regression models, it analyses various reform trajectories and their

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effects on individual CEE countries. Furthermore, the book discusses input and output indicators for evaluating the efficiency of municipalities. Readers will learn about the common features of these countries,

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***the impact of path
dependence, and future
prospects for decentralization
reforms. In closing, the book
discusses modern
management and
administration methods,
opportunities for cooperation***

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between municipalities, co-creative service delivery, and other measures that could improve the efficiency of public service provision. This thesis seeks to understand the relationship between decentralized service

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delivery arrangements and the institutional performance of local government in Pakistan. This is achieved by examining the structures and processes associated with local governance, and situating public sector organizations in

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their wider context. The key aim of this thesis was to empirically evaluate the relationship between decentralization and institutional performance. The thesis contends that problem of service delivery

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can only be understood by examining the whole system of service delivery. Although, the focus of the research was on public sector management, however, it is argued that public sector organizations cannot be separated from

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***their political environment.
To address this concern, the
thesis developed a conceptual
framework based on three
theoretical perspectives; the
economic, political and New
Public Management. Each
perspective focused on a***

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different level of analysis and identified a different way of explaining the phenomenon of decentralization and its impact on institutional performance. The study utilised a comprehensive research methodology to

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study the link between decentralization and performance through a multiple case study approach. The main empirical elements of the research were a community survey of two communities in two local

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authorities, an organizational survey of two sectors - education and water and sanitation. Detailed semi-structured interviews were undertaken with multiple stakeholders at various levels of service delivery. The

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research findings indicate that there is a relationship between decentralization and institutional performance; however the contextual environment plays a significant role in affecting the performance of service

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provision. The empirical findings indicate that decentralization reforms in developing countries remain focused on structural decentralization and need strong political and bureaucratic commitment for

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real autonomy to be transferred down the hierarchy. One implication of this research is that it provided a comprehensive assessment of the decentralized service delivery model in Pakistan and

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identified the nature of reforms developing countries are taking up and the constraints on public sector organizations, and hence contributed to the emerging literature on public management reforms in

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developing countries

*(McCourt 2008, McCourt,
Martin 2001).*

*Abstract: This book analyzes
the impact of decentralization
on service delivery using
Indonesia as a case study.
Indonesia, one of the largest*

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economies and most populated countries in the world, has been decentralized fiscally, administratively, and politically since 2001. Applying a unique approach, this book assesses the impact of the decentralization

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reforms and their impact on the quality of local governance and local public service delivery at different stages of the service delivery process. It is the first single-country study on the impact of decentralization on service

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delivery that analyses the input, output, and process of decentralization in more than one decentralized sectors concurrently. The analysis is based on systematic empirical evidence using a panel dataset covering more than

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***ten years and more than 400
local governments.***

***Indonesia's large size, socio-
economic variation at the
local level, and geopolitical
importance as the biggest
country in Southeast Asia
along with its comprehensive***

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***decentralization reform will
make lessons learnt from this
study relevant for the
international community
Social Sector in a
Decentralized Economy
Decentralization in Latin
America***

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***Decentralization and Its
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Principles and Practices

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***Practical Applications of
Social Accountability Across
Sectors***

This report states that the future of East Asian countries depends on the capacity and

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performance of local and provincial governments.

Decentralization has unleashed local initiative and energy, with new ways to deliver services to people, with potential for continued

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improvement. The report, which focuses on six countries, notes the differences in the approach to decentralizing government in Cambodia, China, Indonesia, the Philippines, Thailand, and

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World Bank Discussion Paper
No. 359. Oil and energy
markets have experienced
dramatic changes over the
past two decades--steep
price increases in the 1970s

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and 1980s followed by a decrease in 1986 and large declines in demand in the former Soviet Union and Eastern Europe. But despite considerable uncertainty about future developments in

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the world oil market, this paper finds that demand is set to rise in all main regions, particularly in developing countries, led by increasing incomes, population, industrialization, investment,

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and trade. This study examines the growth in demand for eight major oil products for 37 developing countries over the 1971-93 period, analyzing the relationships and changes

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over time for income, population, and demand for energy and oil products for each country. It also examines some of the important phenomena that affect oil demand and

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calculates income and price elasticities for each product in all countries.

In an effort to reduce poverty and improve nutrition, this Bank operation assisted the Indian program Operation

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Flood to develop the dairy industry in India. This study examines the policy changes instituted to support the aid flow to the dairy sector and discusses the lessons learned and benefits realized through

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improved dairy production. It also presents suggestions for improvement. This program differs from other Bank efforts in that it focuses on a single commodity to alleviate poverty and raise living

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"This book adds empirical evidence to these debates and suggests that in practice they cannot be separated. Based on research in three sectors in three states in

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India, the authors' findings indicate that the design of and support for local organizations are often little more than rudimentary, resulting in less than adequate performance and

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raising serious sustainability concerns. The study further indicates that sector-specific configurations of a plural organizational landscape, in which government, non-government, and private

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organizations are an integral part, are required for effective and sustainable development." --BOOK JACKET.

A Western Concept on its Way through South Sudan

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Planning and Decentralization

Decentralisation and Local
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**RTI International has extensive
experience implementing**

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international donor-funded programs and projects, including single-sector and multisector policy and service-delivery improvement efforts, as well as governance and public management reforms. Drawing on that experience, this

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**collection examines six recent RTI
International projects, funded
mostly by the United States Agency
for International Development, that
pursued several different paths to
integrating service delivery and
governance through engaging**

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citizens, public officials, and service providers on issues related to accountability and sectoral services. The six cases illustrate the multiple ways in which citizen participation in accountability, called social accountability, can lead to positive

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effects on governance, citizen empowerment, and service delivery. The analysis focuses on both the intended and actual effects, and unpacks the influence of context on implementation and the outcomes achieved.

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Kenya adopted a new Constitution and began the process of devolution in 2010. The new Constitution was the institutional response to longstanding grievances over the centralization of state powers and public sector resources, and regional

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disparities in service delivery and development outcomes. This radical restructuring of the Kenyan state has three main objectives: decentralizing political power, public sector functions, and public finances; ensuring a more equitable

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spatial distribution of resources between regions; and promoting more accountable, participatory, and responsive government at all levels. The first elections under the new Constitution were held in 2013. Alongside the national government,

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47 new county governments were established. Each county government is made up of a County Executive, headed by an elected Governor and works under the oversight of an elected County Assembly. Seven years after the "devolution train"

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and attempts to impose a particular
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