Innovation ex-Global South Post-2015: African Agency versus Dependency: from fragile to developmental states?

Comparative regionalism: a field whose time has come? (Acharya, 2012) From 'crises' to rising 'second world' of BRICs/BRICS & developmental states? plus fragile states & informal/illegal economies/TOC?

C21st inter-regionalist reordering as EU eurozone PIIGS in crisis & global South resilient:

emerging markets/donors/economies/powers/states/societies? ...so analysis in flux from Tickner & Waever/Phillips & Weaver via Brown/Harman & Lorenz/Rempe to Khanna/Pieterse/Zakaria et al

African agency as innovation from the global South in second decade of the 21st Century

- Africa Mining Vision
- Eastern Africa energy region from Juba to Maputo
- transparent supply chains for 'conflict minerals' ex- Congo (c/o Dodd-Frank)
- West African Commission on Drugs
- Tripartite-Free Trade Area

NB March 2013: <u>Economist Special Report on 'Emerging Africa</u>: a hopeful continent' (2 March 2013, 16pp) & UNDP <u>Human Development Report 2013</u>: <u>The Rise of the South: human progress in a diverse world</u> (New York, March)

Learning through IPE book series after three second decades? 'Neoliberalism in Crisis' (Overbeek, & Apeldoorn 2012), 'Developmental Politics in Transition' (Kyung-Sup, Fine & Weiss 2012) & 'Africa on the centre stage'? (Modi 2011)

- Varieties of Insights out of Africa: from fragility to renaissance? More developmental than failed states?
- Varieties of Capitalisms
- Varieties of Innovative Sources of Finance
- Varieties of New Regionalisms
- Varieties of 'Transnational' Governance
- Varieties of Natural Resource Governance
- 'New" Security Nexuses: energy/food/land/water...and cyber-space/DNA/TOC
- From N-S Axis to E-S? (NB UNDP <u>HDR</u> March 2013 on 'Rise of the South')
- Onto Varieties of Innovative Analyses/Policies?
- Insights from the juxtaposition of cultural/development/gender/global/ governance/ security/transnational studies? (eg 'state capitalism' ex-<u>Economist</u> special report 21 January 2012)
- NB current contributions from Acharya, AMV, ARC to Regionalisms, BCG, Bevir, Brown, CGD (Radelet), Chatham House, Fioramonti, Hale & Held, McKinsey, NRC, O'Byrne & Hensby, Pieterse, Ponte, Gibbon & Vestergaard, UNECA etc...and Clark & Hoque (NB Dal ABDs)