Women Quotas and Politics: A Global Perspective

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This book examines the impact of women's quotas on political representation and gender equality worldwide.



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Quotas are a form of affirmative action that reserve a certain number of seats in elected bodies for women. They have been adopted in over 100 countries, and have been shown to increase the number of women in politics.

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The number of women in elected office

- The quality of representation
- The policies that are enacted
- Public attitudes towards women in politics

This book is a valuable resource for scholars, policymakers, and activists working to promote women's political participation.

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