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issues and in the political and legal frameworks under which they operate. Using examples of good and bad governance, Roche anal