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| Sommario/riassunto | In The Inter-American Human Rights System as a Safeguard for Justice in National Transitions , Annelen Micus analyzes the importance of the Inter-American Human Rights System for transitional justice processes in Latin America, with a focus on Argentina, Chile and Peru. She examines which factors influence a country's approach in confronting its past and addressing impunity. The emphasis is placed on the way countries may overcome amnesty laws with the support of international |

law in order to hold perpetrators of grave human rights violations to account. The book's main focus is on the Inter-American Court of Human Rights, and the impact of its jurisprudence on legal proceedings and political decisions within the national transitional justice processes in the three countries.
