

Il Costituzionalismo: un'analisi critica

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La grammatica del costituzionalismo: una riflessione su alcune sfide del modello liberal democratico al vaglio della realtà

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Liberal-Democracies Facing Reality: The Normative Relevance of Constitutionalism

Abstract: In this short essay I investigate the tense relationships between important normative concepts that constitute some of the building blocks of constitutionalism. My analysis has been prompted by the reading of *Grammatica del costituzionalismo*, an edited book that provides an interesting analysis of fundamental concepts of constitutionalism, providing both a genealogy and a reflection over the contemporary challenges to constitutionalism as a general paradigm. Specifically, I look at the theoretical debate over the intrinsic tension concerning the universal-particular dichotomy and discuss the justifiable limits to the principle of inclusivity when applied to overtly unconstitutional opinions.

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