

Educational Systems, Intergenerational Mobility and Social Segmentation

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Abstract: *We provide a stylised framework that makes it possible to model the intergenerational impacts of the education systems in advanced countries. This framework can be declined so as to portray rather different educational systems that result in different social segmentations at the steady state. We determine the tools that permit to reduce this segmentation and the human capital differences between them. We finally utilise this framework to analyse the divergences in the existing educational systems and their impacts on social segmentation.*

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