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Abstract:

In the last three decades, the political project of Hindutva (or Hinduness, a particular form of Hindu nationalism) has experienced a massive revival. This paper discusses the integral role of economic growth and neoliberal policies in the rise of religious Hindu extremism in India.

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