## City Diplomacy in Galicia: An approach from denationalization Antonio Alejo

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## **Abstract**

Contemporary cities are central nodes to process current global agendas. Given the need to explore the capacities of cities to play that global role, this research uses the analytical strategy of denationalization to study the global within a nation-state. The research question is How does a denationalization process operate in a small-scale city in the south of Europe? the main finding of the study is the usefulness of the "micro" as a scale to capture the global in the city. The empirical basis of my research is the internationalization strategy of A Coruña and Santiago de Compostela in Galicia.