

Study on Autonomous Communities in Spain

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Abstract: The purpose of this article was to offer a short presentation of the organization of Spanish autonomous communities. The first thing that needs to be mentioned is that their emergence caused the reform of the territorial administration of the state (whose basic layer is the province).

The article refers to the concept of autonomy, its characteristic features and its limitations, the organizational model of the administration of autonomous communities, their basic institutional profile, their principles and resources, as well as the authorities who controls the activity of autonomous communities.