

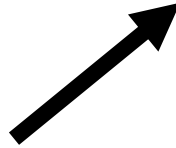
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Analytical framework – Braithwaite and Drahos, Global Business Regulation, 2000

- Forum Shifting
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- Nested Games
- Global Regulatory Ratchets

FTAs require members to sign up to other parts of the IP regime



FTAs create TRIPS plus standards that are multilateralized by TRIPS MFN



WTO TRIPS raises standards + DSU + MFN



Paris and Berne Conventions provide the floor – minimum standards

- Treaty floor, but never a ceiling
- Shift to forums where you can win contests of principles
- Shift to forums that are nested  
Make the game perpetual