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The paper shows that the new structure of the Russian Federation in the form of education has not prevented the federal districts from growing the gap in social and economic development of the regions, which poses a threat to the integrity of the Russian Federation. Globalization of the world economy is not only a federation of domestic phenomenon, but also it acquires an interstate scale (for example, the creation of the EU). The main problem of the federalization process is uneven regional development, which requires the development of new approaches to the interaction of government agencies at various levels. One alternative could be the direction, synthesizing principles of the concept of cooperative and competitive federalism.

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