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# 2021 marks Policy Press' 25th anniversary and 5 years since Bristol University Press' inception.

It is a challenging time to celebrate such milestones, yet in reflecting on our progress we strengthened our determination to support positive social change. Our publishing, culture and practice over 25 years demonstrates our team's values and concerns which I believe are ever-more needed in these difficult times.

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 As a publisher focused on addressing global social challenges, we were early signatories to the recent UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) Publishers Compact, a collaboration between the United Nations and the International Publishers Association to accelerate progress to achieve the SDGs by 2030.

I hope that you find much of interest in this catalogue and I wish you a safe and productive 2021.





ALISON SHAW, CEO

# Welcome

Building on the strengths of our award-winning Policy Press imprint, the Business & Management and Economics & Society lists were established in 2017. Our books are published for both scholarly and non-specialist readers, and we are increasingly focused on interdisciplinary work that engages with the global social challenges agenda.

We are expanding our publishing programme and would be delighted to hear from prospective authors of monographs, edited collections, student textbooks and 'trade' books aimed at the general public. In Business & Management we are particularly interested in organizations, work and responsible business. Our Economics & Society list covers all areas of the discipline and extends into aligned disciplines such as sociology, politics and



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If you would like to discuss ideas for your next book, please contact our senior editor Paul Stevens: **paul.stevens@bristol.ac.uk** 

# The Reformation of Welfare

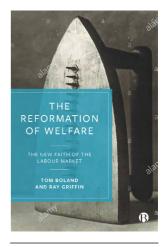
The New Faith of the Labour Market

**Tom Boland**, University College Cork and **Ray Griffin**, Waterford Institute of Technology

"This immensely creative book provokes insights on the salvation rituals of job-seeking on nearly every page. It stands as an outstanding contribution to the theological genealogy of government and economy." MITCHELL DEAN, COPENHAGEN BUSINESS SCHOOL

Western culture has 'faith' in the labour market as a test of the worth of each individual. For those who are out of work, welfare is now less of a support than a means of purification and redemption. Continuously reformed by the left and right in politics, the contemporary welfare state attempts to transform the unemployed into active jobseekers, punishing non-compliance.

Drawing on ideas from economic theology, this provocative book uncovers deep-rooted religious concepts and shows how they continue to influence contemporary views of work and unemployment: Jobcentres resemble Purgatory where the unemployed attempt to redeem themselves, Job-seeking is a form of Pilgrimage in hope of salvation, and the economy appears as Providence, whereby trials and tribulations test each individual. The book will be essential reading for those interested in the sociology and anthropology of modern economic life.



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Mobile Power and Revolution in the 21st Century

Peter Bloom, University of Essex, Owain Smolović Jones and Jamie Woodcock, The Open University

"Politics has been infected, and it has a serious case of Guerrilla democracy. This wide-ranging new study looks at how activists draw on digital technologies to resist neoliberalism and create alternatives." ANDRÉ SPICER, CITY, UNIVERSITY OF LONDON

The liberating promise of big data and social media for creating more responsive democracies and workplaces is overshadowed by a nightmare of election meddling, privacy invasion, fake news and an exploitative gig economy.

Yet, while regressive forces spread disinformation and hate, 'guerrilla democrats' continue to foster hope and connection through digital technologies.

This book offers an in-depth analysis of platform-based radical movements, from the online coalitions of voters and activists to the Deliveroo and Uber strikes. Combining cutting-edge theories with empirical research, it makes an invaluable contribution to the emerging literature on the relationship between technology and society.

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## **Anarchist Cybernetics**

Control and Communication in Radical Politics

Thomas Swann, Loughborough University

"This pioneering study brings cybernetics to bear on anarchism to interrogate the sustainability of radical democracy. The result is a masterclass in organisation theory and strategy which encompasses contemporary movement and social media analysis." **RUTH KINNA, LOUGHBOROUGH UNIVERSITY** 

"Swann's work on cybernetics and anarchism couldn't be more relevant at this moment. It will inspire the design of more radical, democratic and self-organised post-COVID-19 societies and political systems." ANGELA ESPINOSA, UNIVERSITY OF HULL

From Occupy to the Indignados and the Arab Spring, the uprisings that marked the last decade ignited a re-emergence of participatory democracy as a political ideal within organizations.

This pioneering book introduces cybernetic thinking to politics and organizational studies to explore the continuing development of this radical idea. With a focus on communication and how alternative social media platforms present new challenges and opportunities for radical organizing, it sheds new light on the concepts of self-organization, consensus decision making, individual autonomy and collective identity.

Revolutionizing the way in which anarchist activists and theorists think about organizations, this unprecedented investigation makes a major contribution to the larger discussion of direct democracy. Organizations and Activism

Anarchist Cybernetics Control and Communication in Radical Social Movements THOMAS SWANN



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Tackling the Challenges of Global Capitalism

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Today, production processes have become fragmented with a range of activities divided among firms and workers across borders.

These global value chains are being strongly promoted by international organizations such as the World Bank and the World Trade Organization, but social and political backlash is mounting in a growing variety of forms.

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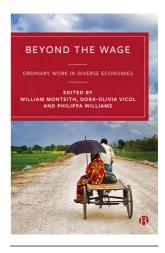
## **Beyond the Wage**

Ordinary Work in Diverse Economies

*Edited by* William Monteith and Philippa Williams, Queen Mary University of London and Dora-Olivia Vicol, Work Rights Centre

Recent developments in the organization of work and production have facilitated the decline of wage employment in many regions of the world. However, the idea of the wage continues to dominate the political imaginations of governments, researchers and activists.

This edited collection revitalizes debates on the future of work by challenging the idea of wage employment as the global norm. Taking theoretical inspiration from the Global South, the authors compare lived experiences of 'ordinary work' across taken-forgranted conceptual and geographical boundaries. Their contributions open up new possibilities for how work, identity and security might be woven together differently. This is an invaluable resource for academics, students and readers interested in alternative and emerging forms of work around the world.



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# The Political Economy of Digital Monopolies

Contradictions and Alternatives to Data Commodification

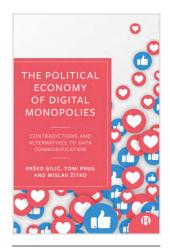
Paško Bilić, Institute for Development and International Relations, Toni Prug, independent researcher and Mislav Žitko, University of Zagreb

"In this thoroughly researched and clearly written book, critical theory confronts the concentration of power in cyber-monopolies to advance our understanding of digital capitalism. The authors skillfully assess proposals for both reform and social transformation." VINCENT MOSCO. AUTHOR OF THE SMART CITY IN A DIGITAL WORLD

At a time when the practices of technology companies continue to attract fierce criticism, this book asks what it actually means to hold a 'monopoly' in the tech world and how it might affect the way in which an organization operates.

Combining new and traditional Marxian perspectives, the authors offer an in-depth analysis of how these technology giants are produced, financialized and regulated.

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A Cross-Cultural Perspective

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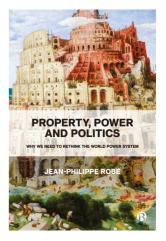
"To say that this work is multidisciplinary does not do it justice. It uniquely integrates the dynamics of state sovereignty, corporate globalization, property rights, and public as well as private law, to illuminate the workings of a multidimensional world power system that needs to be understood before it can be democratically governed."

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### Work and Personality Change

What We Do Makes Who We Are

Ying Lena Wang, RMIT University and Chia-Huei Wu, University of Leeds

"This volume is a must-read for academics and practitioners active in the domains of personality development, coaching and talent acquisition and management."

#### FILIP DE FRUYT, GHENT UNIVERSITY

Can your job change your personality? Traditionally personality has been considered fixed and stable, but recent thinking indicates that this is not the case. Drawing on extensive research in the field, this book provides an overview on how personality can be changed at work by societal, organisational and job-related factors, while considering how individuals can take an active approach in changing their personality at work.



### **Financial Inclusion**

Critique and Alternatives

Rajiv Prabhakar, The Open University

"This engaging and timely book makes a convincing case for bringing together theoretical and applied perspectives on financial inclusion."

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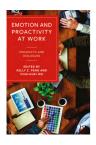
Supporters promote 'financial inclusion' as a way of helping people navigate decisions about money. However, critics fear these policies promote 'financialisation'. Presenting a nuanced, critical analysis of 'financial inclusion', Rajiv Prabhakar brings together the supportive and critical literatures which have, until now, developed in parallel. Addressing the 'poverty premium', financial capability and housing, this essential dialogue advances crucial debates and proposes alternative paths forward. Hardback £40.00 | US \$60.00 ISBN 9781529207552 ePDF £50.00 | US \$70.00 ISBN 9781529207576 ePUB £14.99 | US \$26.00 ISBN 9781529207583 203 x 127 mm 152 pages UK February 2021 US March 2021

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### **Emotion and Proactivity at Work**

Prospects and Dialogues

*Edited by* **Kelly Z. Peng**, Hong Kong Shue Yan University and **Chia-Huei Wu**, University of Leeds

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Individuals' behaviours at work are known to be shaped by cold, or cognitive-motivational, processes as well as hot, or affect-motivational, processes. To date, employee proactivity research has mainly focused on the 'cold' side. But emotion has been proposed to 'energize' employees' proactivity, especially in interdependent and uncertain work environments. Expert scholars offer new thinking on the process by examining how emotion can drive employees' proactivity in the workplace and how, in turn, that proactivity can shape one's emotional experiences.

### **Mapping Good Work**

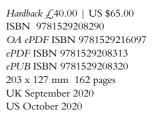
The Quality of Working Life Across the Occupational Structure

Mark Williams, Queen Mary University of London, Ying Zhou, University of Surrey and Min Zou, University of Reading

"An innovative and highly original book. The authors develop a new approach for understanding job quality in the UK." ANDY CHARLWOOD, UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS

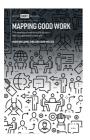
In this illuminating study of working life, leading experts in the sociology of work draw on decades of large-scale survey data to consider various notions of the quality of work in Britain. Exploring data on hundreds of occupations, it charts why some occupations feel more rewarding than others and sets out fresh policies that might generate greater fulfilment at work. Hardback £75.00 | US \$115.00 ISBN 9781529208306 ePUB ISBN 9781529212631 234 x 156 mm 224 pages UK April 2021 US May 2021





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# Working in the Context of Austerity

Challenges and Struggles

*Edited by* **Donna Baines**, University of British Columbia and **Ian Cunningham**, University of Strathclyde

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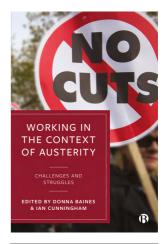
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Austerity was presented as the antidote to sluggish economies, but it has had far-reaching effects on jobs and employment conditions.

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# The Economic History of Colonialism

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"The literature on colonialism is vast, but much of it is marred by generalization from the particular. Unique in its focus on different 'varieties of colonialism', this is an authoritative source of reference."

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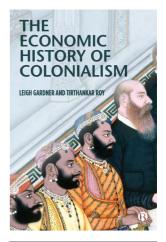
"This is a useful antidote for students against the rather superficial work that tends to blame underdevelopment in Asia and Africa simply on the legacies of colonialism." ANNE BOOTH, SOAS UNIVERSITY OF LONDON

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# **Compassionate Capitalism**

Business and Community in Medieval England

Catherine Casson, University of Manchester, Mark Casson and Katie Phillips, University of Reading and John S. Lee, University of York

"Our knowledge of early capitalism is far from perfect. This book makes an important contribution to redress this situation, while also providing very valuable new information about medieval Cambridge and its territory."

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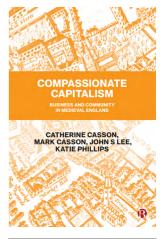
#### NICK MAYHEW, UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

It may seem like a recent trend, but businesses have been practising compassionate capitalism for nearly a thousand years.

Based on the newly discovered historical documents on Cambridge's sophisticated urban property market during the Commercial Revolution in the 13th century, this book explores how successful entrepreneurs employed the wealth they had accumulated to the benefit of the community.

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Gordon Pearson, Keele University

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Ideas for a Grown-Up Economy

Katherine Trebeck, Wellbeing Economy Alliance and Jeremy Williams, writer and campaigner

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What do we want from economic growth? What sort of a society are we aiming for? In everyday economics, there is no such thing as enough, or too much, growth. Yet in the world's most developed countries, growth has already brought unrivalled prosperity: we have 'arrived'. More than that, through debt, inequality, climate change and fractured politics, the fruits of growth may rot before everyone has a chance to enjoy them. It's high time to ask where progress is taking us, and are we nearly there yet? In fact, Trebeck and Williams claim in this groundbreaking book, the challenge is now to make ourselves at home with this wealth, to ensure, in the interests of equality, that everyone is included. They explore the possibility of 'arrival', urging us to move from enlarging the economy to improving it, and the benefits this would bring for all.

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### **Rethinking Britain**

Policy Ideas for the Many

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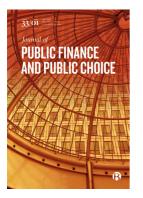
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