Youth and work transitions in changing social landscapes


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Abstract: This book examines the changing array of risk and opportunity that young people face in transitions from school to work. The contributions consider how social, psychological, economic and cultural factors affect young people's attempts to control their lives, respond to opportunities and manage the consequences of their choices, in the context of global, social and economic changes in labour markets. International in its scope and including a range of disciplinary, multi-disciplinary, methodological and theoretical perspectives, the book combines case studies from Europe with studies...

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