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The issue opens with a monographic section, edited and introduced by **Giuseppe Croce** and **Dario Guarascio**, on the topic **“Health and Safety at Work: Empirical Evidence, Structural Dynamics, Policies”**. The essay by **Silvia D’Amario** focuses on the **analysis of data on injury events** as a prerequisite for identifying the areas of risk that require priority action and for managing both longstanding and emerging risks. **Roberto Leombruni** and **Sonia Della Monica** examine **gaps in insurance coverage and injury reporting in Italy**, phenomena that render a significant number of work injuries “invisible” to official statistics. The essay by **Chiara Ardito** provides a non-systematic narrative review of Italian and international empirical evidence to examine the **health, labour market, and distributive consequences of increasing retirement age**. **Annamaria Nese** and **Luigi Aldieri** examine **workplace safety for immigrants and natives in 12 Western European countries**, using data from the 2014 Labour Force Survey (LFS) *ad hoc* module. The contribution by **Marco De Simone** provides a review of the economic and empirical literature on the **relationship between automation technologies – robots and artificial intelligence – and health and safety of workers**. **Annalisa Cristini**, **Massimiliano Barattucci**, **Luca Carollo**, **Marta Pantalone**, and **Antonella Verduci** examine **work-related stress in the academic context**, highlighting the specific macro and micro-level factors that make the university sector particularly exposed to certain psychosocial risks. The essay by **Monica Galizzi**, **Roberto Leombruni**, and **Lia Pacelli** investigates the **determinants of inequality in the outcomes of workplace incidents – specifically in terms of health, employment, and income**. The section concludes with the contribution by **Alessia Marrocco**, **Angelo Castaldo**, **Maria Alessandra Antonelli**, and **Gabriele D’Amore**, which examines **occupational safety and health policy through the ISI funding programme of Italy’s National Institute for Insurance against Accidents at Work (INAIL)**, interpreted as an innovation-oriented public intervention.

The subsequent contribution by **Valerio Gugliotta** examines the **recent anti-poverty policies introduced in Italy** – the Inclusion Allowance (*Assegno di inclusione*, ADI) and the Support for Training and Work (*Supporto per la formazione e il lavoro*, SFL) –, which have been implemented as replacements for the previous measure, the Citizenship Income (*Reddito di cittadinanza*, RdC).

The issue concludes with a contribution by **Francesco Lauria**, which provides a reflection on the **organisational and strategic dimensions of trade unions within the context of the labour market and industrial relations**.

Book Reviews

A. Honneth, *Il lavoratore sovrano. Lavoro e cittadinanza democratica* (by Anna M. Ponzellini and Adele Lebano)

S. Lucarelli, *Il tempo di Ares. Politiche internazionali, “leggi” economiche e guerre* (by Enzo Valentini)