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The issue opens with a **monographic section**, introduced by **Beáta Farkas**, consisting of four papers providing in-depth analysis on several aspects of the **development of Central and Eastern European (CEE) economies**. The essay by **Fabiano Compagnucci, Andrea Gentili, Enzo Valentini, and Mauro Gallegati** provides empirical evidence about the structural change and the effect of the robotisation process that are affecting the economies of the so-called “**Visegrád countries**”. The contribution by **Anita Pelle, Magdolna Sass, and Gabriella Tabajdi** focuses on the automotive industry with a view to examining **how location advantages of CEE countries evolved** and were affected by European integration. **Andra Miculescu** and **Maria Oșil** consider **human capital and investment in human capital**, particularly in education, as **key determinants of economic growth**, linking their development to the Fourth Industrial Revolution. Finally, **Kadri Ukrainski** outlines the **challenges faced by CEE countries' governments**.

Next is the contribution by **Anna M. Ponzellini**, who carries out an in-depth analysis of some of the increasingly popular **innovative patterns of space and time redefinition of work**.

Tiziana Canal, Francesco Manente, and Rosario Murdica focus on the **social climate of Italian workplaces** in order to outline the differences between a healthy and welcoming workplace, on the one hand, and a hostile and discriminating one, on the other.

The essay by **Carla Morrone** and **Massimo Angrisani** sets out to highlight the **limitations, in terms of information provided, related to statutory financial statements of pension funds** established in accordance with Italian Legislative Decree No. 509/1994.

Following is the speech delivered by **Mario Tiberi** on the occasion of the **Ninth Meeting of the Caffè Working Group “The dignity of work” (Gruppo Caffè “La dignità del lavoro”)**, held in Rome at LUMSA on 23 October 2019.

The article by **Andrea Panaccione** examines the issues and the results of the **research project implemented by Fondazione Giacomo Brodolini about *The Cultures of Italian Socialism 1957-1976***.

The issue ends with **Vittorio Valli**'s review-article about *Un miracolo non basta. Alle origini della crisi italiana tra economia e politica* by Francesco Silva and Augusto Ninni.

Book Reviews

A. Accetturo, G. De Blasio, *Morire di aiuti* (by Raffaele Brancati)

A. Pescarolo, *Il lavoro delle donne nell'Italia contemporanea* (by Stefano Musso)