

## **Preface**

In an era initially characterized by the Great Moderation, economic discourse primarily centered around competitiveness. However, following the 2008 global crisis, the notion of resilience has taken center stage. The disruptions in global value chains during the Covid-19 pandemic underscored the critical importance of resilience and adaptability. The pandemic highlighted that security concerns often supersede considerations of profit maximization or competitiveness.

Events such as the war in Ukraine and the unfolding East-West decoupling have pushed us further away from the traditional economic concept of globalization. Moreover, the energy crisis triggered by the war adds another layer of complexity, making it even more challenging to address the pressing issues of climate change and achieve sustainable development.

This volume, "Insights for the Green and Digital Transition," captures the evolving dynamics of our economic landscape and offers diverse perspectives on navigating the intersections of green and digital transitions, resilience, and the changing paradigms of global economic relations.

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