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VOLUME INTRODUCTION

Volume 38B of *Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology* features a symposium on the variety of experiences of professional economists who lived and worked in different authoritarian regimes in the twentieth century. The symposium is guest-edited by Federico D'Onofrio and Gerardo Serra, two authorities on the subject, and features contributions from several experts on the history of economics as practiced in particular regimes. José Luís Cardoso writes about economists under the Salazar regime in Portugal; Nicolas Brisset and Raphaël Fèvre consider Francois Perroux's work in Vichy France; Till Düppe and Sarah Joly-Simard discuss Stalin's surprising pluralism about economic thought and how it served as cover for his dictatorial tyranny; and Doriana Matraku Dervishi and Marianne Johnson write about the concept of isolation in the economics of Enver Hoxha's Albania. Tinashe Nyamunda considers the African context in his paper on the work of economist Jan L. Sadie in Southern Rhodesia in the 1960s. Turning to South America, Elisa Grandi discusses the World Bank's role in Gustavo Rojas Pinilla's post-coup government in Colombia, while Alexandre Andrada and Mauro Boianovsky address the income distribution controversy that arose during Brazil's military dictatorship in the 1970s.

The volume also features a new general-research essay by Reinhard Schumacher and our own Scott Scheall that discusses Karl Menger's partial and incomplete biography of his father, and provides new, previously unknown, details concerning Carl Menger's life.

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