



Who Needs Migrant Workers?: Labour Shortages, Immigration, and Public Policy (Hardback)

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Oxford University Press, United Kingdom, 2010. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 236 x 163 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Are migrant workers needed to do the jobs that locals will not do or are they simply a more exploitable labour force? Do they have a better work ethic or are they less able to complain? Is migrant labour the solution to skills shortages or actually part of the problem? This book provides a comprehensive framework for analysing the demand for migrant workers in high-income countries. It demonstrates how a wide range of government policies, often unrelated to migration, contribute to creating a growing demand for migrant labour. This demand can persist even during economic downturns. The book includes quantitative and qualitative analyses of the changing role of migrants in the UK economy. The empirical chapters include in-depth examinations of the nature of staff shortages and the use of migrant workers in six sectors: health; social care; hospitality; food production; construction; and financial services. The book s conceptual framework and empirical findings are of importance to academic and policy debates about labour immigration in all high-income countries. The final chapter presents a comparative analysis of research and policy approaches to...



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