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The rise of income inequality, the emergence of the gig economy, and the global COVID-19 pandemic's impact on the prevalence of remote or home-based work are but a few of changes occurring in labor markets across the globe. This Special Issue of *Sustainability* aims to provide a collection of high-quality studies covering various aspects of labor economics and sustainability, including but not limited to the durability and efficacy of public policy directed toward labor markets (minimum wage laws, workplace safety standards, etc.), the role of human capital investment in the employment process, income inequality, aspects of gender and racial discrimination in hiring and retention practices, the importance of workplace awards in motivating discretionary effort, the evolution of the gig economy, changing norms associated with remote work and employment, green jobs, and the impact of economic transition on traditional labor economics theories and models. We welcome original papers relating to these and other aspects of labor economics and sustainability.

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