Tentative Title: Rescuing America – Strategies and Policies against Neoliberalism

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Contributors:
12-15 distinguished economists and social and political scientists mainly from the USA (outside the mainstream schools of thought).

Chapter Reviewers:
The 3 editors with possible assistance from the authors.

Publisher:
Routledge Publ. (UK and USA) Advances in Heterodox Economics.

Length:
Around 300-320 pages

Chapters:
Between 12-15 Chapters (average length 5,000 words each) covering a number of key areas.

Sections:
The book may comprise 3 main parts as follows:
PART I: Macroeconomic Policy Analysis
PART II: Holistic Development Issues
PART III: Other (social, political, institutional, cultural, etc.) Issues

Main Objective:
This multidisciplinary volume seeks to thoroughly examine at theoretical and, especially, policy levels the current state of the US economy, society and polity. With important contributions by known heterodox economists and radical social and political scientists, the manuscript seeks to
criticize the failed neoclassical/neoliberal perspectives and to offer alternative strategies and policies to the country’s socioeconomic impasse and misery.

**Target Readership (Market and Competition):**
The book is intended to serve as an important text for multidisciplinary policy-oriented courses in Social and Economic Studies at undergraduate and graduate levels. Therefore, universities and colleges are expected to be an important segment of the market. In addition, the manuscript can be of great assistance to academics, government agencies, executives, policy makers, politicians, diplomats, consultants and the general public.

It has to be mentioned here that: 1. there are no competitors since there are no multidisciplinary books of this type related to the contemporary USA; and 2. the edited volume discusses a wide range of very challenging and thought-provoking theoretical and policy issues, and offers much-needed pragmatic recommendations. The above two, and perhaps other, are significant strengths of this project.

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- Submission of chapters by the authors: 15 August 2011
- Reviewing of chapters: 30 September 2011
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- Book launch: Fall 2012

**GUIDELINES FOR CONTRIBUTORS TO THE BOOK**

The paper with an abstract to be submitted to the editors on or before 28 February 2011 to the e-mail addresses: karagiannisni@wssu.edu, sadjadizm@wssu.edu, sens@wssu.edu.

- Title, name, position, organization and a short biography of each author to be submitted along with the paper.
- The paper should cover recent research related to the main theme of the book. Joint papers written by scientists and executives are welcome.
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- The length of the paper to be between 5,000 – 5,500 words (25 – 30 double-spaced, typed pages).