## Contents

	Introduction	1
	Steffen Hertog	
1.	Minimum Wages in Gulf States – An Economic Analysis	7
	Eberhard Feess	
2.	A Comparative Assessment of Labor Market Nationalization Policies in the GCC	65
	Steffen Hertog	
3.	Labor Market Politics in Bahrain	107
	Hasan Tariq AlHasan	
4.	External Influences on GCC Labor Market Policies	153
	N. Janardhan	
5.	Gulf Women's Participation in the Labor Market: Paid Labor, Care and Social Protection in Patriarchal Systems	183
	Diane Zovighian	
6.	GCC Demography and Immigration: Challenges and Policies	231
	Philippe Fargues and Imco Brouwer	
7.	Higher Education in the GCC States: Reforms and Regulations	265
	Abdulrahman M. Abouammoh	
	About the Contributors	287