

## Thematic fields

### TEN YEARS OF TRANSITION IN THE BALKANS: AN ASSESSMENT

- ✍ National or comparative analysis of macroeconomic indicators
- ✍ National or comparative analysis of economic performance and structure
- ✍ National or comparative analysis of trade relations and FDI flows
- ✍ Evaluation of the main characteristics of the transition process
- ✍ Sectoral and regional trends
- ✍ Political instability, ethnic tensions, fragmentation, conflict and performance
- ✍ Comparisons with Central Europe
- ✍ Future prospects

### POLICIES OF REGIONAL COOPERATION AND INTEGRATION

- ✍ Intra- regional trade and Investment: evolution, sectoral composition and prospects
- ✍ Cross-border cooperation: the experience of Phare CBC and Interreg Programs
- ✍ The conditions in the border regions: activities, infrastructure and interaction
- ✍ Initiatives for regional cooperation and integration: an assessment
- ✍ Regional cooperation, stability and development
- ✍ Strategies for regional integration
- ✍ Regional economic institutions

### EUROPEAN AND INTERNATIONAL POLICIES OF RESTRUCTURING AND DEVELOPMENT

- ✍ The International Organizations' understanding of the condition in the Balkans before and after the Kosovo crisis
- ✍ The importance and structure of European policies before and after the Kosovo crisis
- ✍ The Stability Pact and the other initiatives: a critical assessment
- ✍ The Association Agreements: first and second generation
- ✍ Towards a comprehensive European policy for the region
- ✍ The prospects for membership

### DOMESTIC POLICIES OF RESTRUCTURING AND DEVELOPMENT

- ✍ Stabilization, restructuring and privatization policies: an evaluation of available experience
- ✍ Policy success and policy failure under transition in the Balkans: case studies and contributing factors
- ✍ Future prospects: will the second decade be better than the first?