

Contents

Series Editor's Preface	xi
Prologue	xiii
Acknowledgments	xv
Editors	xvii
Contributors	xix
1. Introduction: The Relationship of the Informal Economy to Corruption, Fraud, and Organized Crime	1
<i>Maximilian Edelbacher, Bojan Dobovšek, and Peter C. Kratcoski</i>	
2. The Informal Economy and Organized Crime	7
<i>Bojan Dobovšek and Boštjan Slak</i>	
3. Financial Flow of Organized Crime and Tax Fraud in Developed Countries: An Empirical Investigation	19
<i>Friedrich Schneider</i>	
4. Organized Crime and the Mafia between Violence and the Informal Economy	37
<i>Arije Antinori</i>	
5. The Informal Economy: The Connection to Organized Crime, White Collar Crime, and Corruption	53
<i>Peter C. Kratcoski</i>	
6. The Insurance Industry and the Informal Economy	65
<i>Michael Theil</i>	
7. The Role of Lawyers as Defenders of White Collar Criminals	71
<i>Petter Gottschalk</i>	
8. Falsified Prospect Theory in the Context of Corruption and Foreign Direct Investment	81
<i>Benjamin Potz, Dominik Sporer, Christian Zirgoi, and Briget Burbeck</i>	
9. "Construction Mafia?" Social Fraud and Organized Crime—The Austrian Perspective	91
<i>Martin Meissnitzer</i>	
10. Organized Crime and the Informal Economy: The Austrian Perspective	97
<i>Maximilian Edelbacher</i>	

11.	Symbiosis of Politics, the Shadow Economy, Corruption, and Organized Crime in the Territory of the Western Balkans: The Case of the Republic of Serbia	111
	<i>Branislav Simonović and Goran Bošković</i>	
12.	The Relationship of the Shadow Economy and Corruption in China	125
	<i>Li Xiangxia</i>	
13.	A Change in Activities of Japanese Organized Criminal Gangs: From Conventional Illegal Activities to Erosion to a Legal Economy	135
	<i>Minoru Yokoyama</i>	
14.	An Analysis Regarding the Roma Community from Romania	147
	<i>Soria-Maria Cofan</i>	
15.	Hells Angels in the Shadow Economy.	159
	<i>Petter Gottschalk</i>	
16.	A Discourse on the Gray Economy, Corruption, and Organized Crime in Slovenia	167
	<i>Katja Eman, Tine Furdi, Rok Hacin, and Bojan Dobovšek</i>	
17.	The Informal Economy in the United States: Size, Determinants, and Comparisons	181
	<i>David G. Baker</i>	
18.	Human Factors and Compliance: A Depth-Psychological Perspective on White and Blue Collar Crimes	187
	<i>Christian Felsenreich</i>	
19.	Conclusion and Future Perspectives	197
	<i>Maximilian Edelbacher, Peter C. Kratcoski, and Bojan Dobovšek</i>	
	Index	207