

**Krueger, Anne O. Struggling with success: challenges facing the international economy. World Scientific, 2012. 304p bibl indexes ISBN 9789814374323, \$77.00; ISBN 978981437432 pbk, \$38.00; ISBN 9789814374330 e-book \$100.00**

In *Struggling with Success*, well-known and respected economist (and policy official) Krueger has combined 14 largely stand-alone chapters (plus a short postscript) under sections titled "Successes of Globalization," "Economic Policy Reform," "Sovereign Debt Restructuring," "Multilateralism for the Twenty-First Century," and "Looking Forward." For the most part, this material has appeared in print in economics journals or as book chapters, or represents revisions of conference addresses the author has given in recent years. The papers are formal and academic in approach, presentation, and content; thus, their appeal and value will be limited to scholars and professionals who deal with contemporary international problems and policies. In terms of viewpoint, Krueger is an unabashed proponent of the benefits of globalization and is positive in her conviction that its challenges in the years and decades ahead are manageable. Learning from experiences and anticipating, and then responding better to, future crises is the thrust of these well-reasoned, well-written essays. Solid references and indexes. Summing Up: Recommended. Upper-division undergraduate students through professionals. -- A. R. Sanderson, University of Chicago