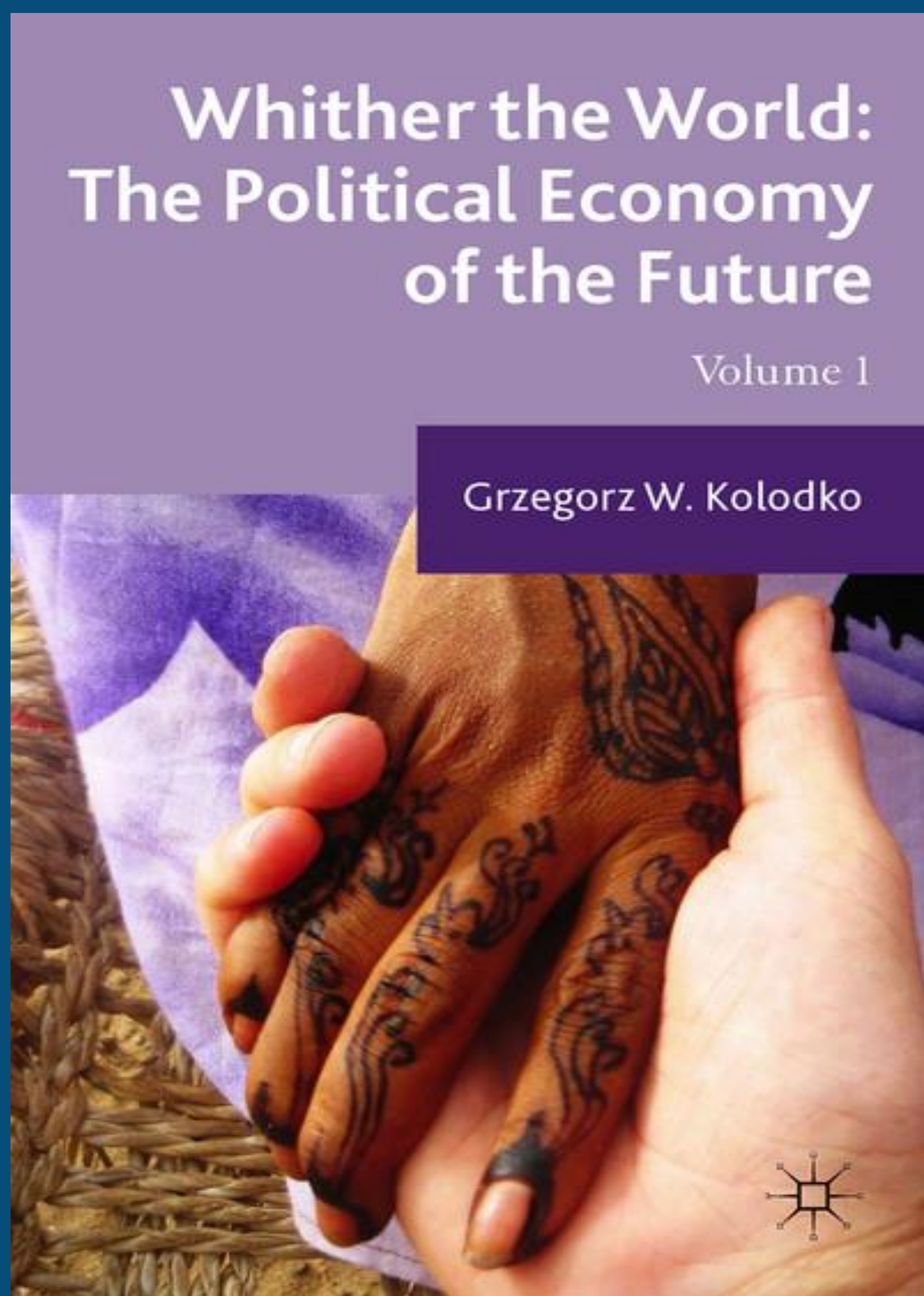


Book Talk

Whither the World: The Political Economy of the Future

With author **Grzegorz W. Kolodko**

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Whither the World: The Political Economy of the Future addresses the challenging questions of mankind's long-term future and the global economy. It employs a holistic approach in answering fundamental questions about the threats and opportunities ahead and proposes strategies for ways to move forward.

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