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CAPITALISM

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# Preface

Work on this book began in March 1974 when I was asked by John Bennington, then Director of the Coventry Community Development Project and now a member of Coventry Workshop, to carry out a study of the links between the industrial structure of Coventry and the socio-economic characteristics of Hillfields – Coventry C.D.P.'s project area. Though the study was completed in December 1974, my association with the Coventry C.D.P. and then Coventry Workshop has continued to influence my work. I am especially grateful to John Bennington for the stimulation and encouragement which he has given me as the manuscript progressed through many stages of revision and enlargement.

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