

#### The Conference Board Policy Watch

Recovery and Rebuilding in America: 2021 Agenda

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## Some of the critical questions and issues we will be answering today

- How can the United States contain the pandemic, and reboot the economy from the sharp drop of earlier this year?
- How can the United States build a skilled workforce to remain competitive in the global economy?
- What must the United States do to reduce political divisiveness and restore a sense of cooperation even when we disagree?



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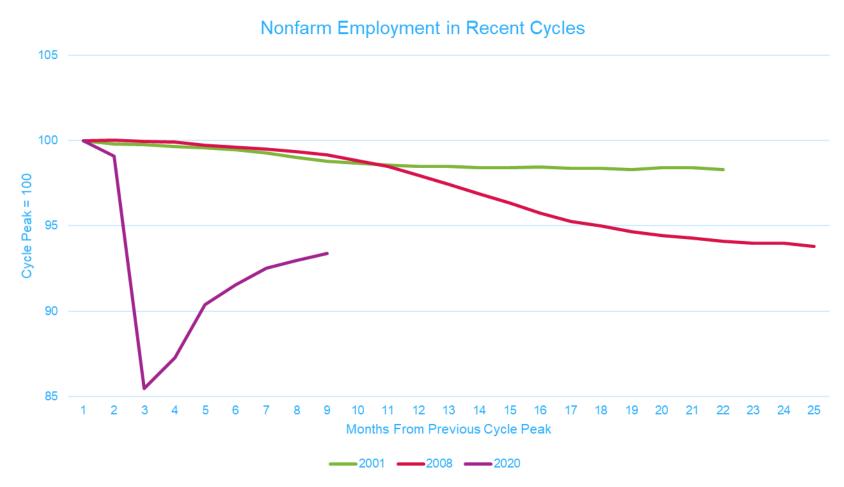
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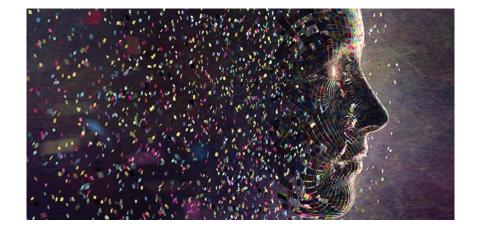
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### The Pandemic Has Caused a Precipitous Drop in Employment This Year







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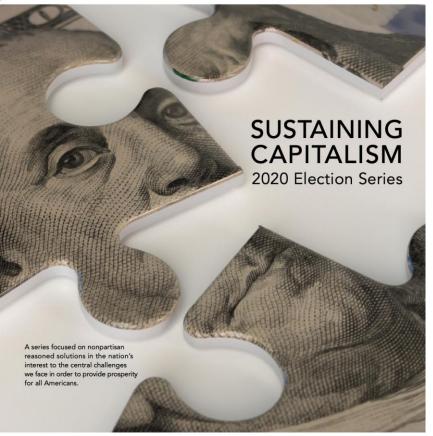
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These are some of the issues for today



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