

8th European Development Research Network (EUDN) Workshop for PhD Students

hosted by the Department of Economics, Swedish Business School at Örebro University
Örebro, Sweden

30 August - 1 September 2009

Overall Time Schedule

August 30

18.30-21:30 Informal Gathering and Get Together Buffé

Day 1: August 31

09:00-Welcome

09:15-10:15 Keynote Address: Professor Arne Bigsten

10:15-10:40 Coffee Break

10:40-12:00 Session 1: FDI

12:00-13:00 Lunch 13:00-15:00

Session 2: Health, Children, and Women

15:00-15:15 Coffee Break

15:15-17:15 Session 3: International trade and inequality

18.00 Optional: Informal Gathering

19:00 Conference Dinner

Day 2 September 1

09:00-10:00 Keynote Address: Professor Jean-Philippe Plateau

10:00-10:15 Coffee Break

10:15-12:15 Session 4: Aid, Brain Drain, and Migration

12:15-13:15 Lunch

13:15-15:15 Session 5: Rural

15:15-15:30 Concluding

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Session 1: Relational Contracts and FDI

Chairman: *Patrik Karpaty*

The Value of Relational Contracts: Evidence from a Supply Shock to Kenyan Flower Exports

Rocco Macchiavello & Ameet Morjaria

Discussant: Jörgen Levin

The Characteristics and Determinants of FDI in Ghana

Fabian Barthel, Matthias Busse, and Robert Osei

Discussant: Patrik Karpaty

Session 2: Health, Children, and Women

Chairman: *Daniela Andrén*

Supply Shocks and Gender Bias in Child Health Investments: Evidence from the ICDS Programme in India

Abhishek Chakravarty

Discussant: Mikael Svensson

What determine which children are working? Empirical evidence from Kenya

Elin Vimefall

Discussant: Anthony Addison

What about the Women? Female Headship, Poverty and Vulnerability in Thailand and Vietnam

Stephan Klasen, Tobias Lechtenfeld and Felix Povel

Discussant: Daniela Andrén

Session 3: International trade and inequality

Chairman: *Anthony Addison*

International trade and inequality: evidence from low income countries

Vincenzo Salvucci

Discussant: Fredrik Sjöholm

The impact of agricultural and climatic shocks on households growth performance in rural Madagascar

Anne-Claire Thomas

Discussant: Jörgen Levin

On the characteristics of South-South trade: Evidence from Sub-Saharan Africa and Developing Asia

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Discussant: Anthony Addison

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Session 4: Aid, Brain Drain, and Migration

Chairman: *Jörgen Levin*

Foreign aid, migration and brain drain

Darwin Ugarte and Vincenzo Verardi

Discussant: Fredrik Sjöholm

Can Health Foreign Assistance Break the Medical Brain Drain?

Yasser Moullan

Discussant: Daniela Andrén

Information Distortion in Participatory Development Programs

Vincent Somville and Jean-Philippe Platteau

Discussant: Jörgen Levin

Session 5: Rural

Chairman: *Fredrik Sjöholm*

Why Rural Rich Remain Energy Poor

Bilal Mirza and René Kemp

Discussant: Lars Hultkrantz

A self selection analysis of employed rural-metropolitan migrants in Paraguay

Carlos Villalobos Barría

Discussant: Daniela Andrén

Farm size-productivity relationship under caste differences: A case study of rural Nepal

Jeetendra P. Aryal and Stein T. Holden

Discussant: Fredrik Sjöholm