| | GROWTH WEEK 2013 PROGRAMME |
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| | All events take place in the New Academic Building , corner of Sardinia Street and Lincoln's Inn Fields. |
| | DAY ONE - MONDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER 2013 |
| 8.15 - 9.3 | Coffee and registration (Lower Ground Floor) |
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| 9.30 - 12.30 | Ideas for Growth Session 1 - Urbanisation (Thai Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) |
| | Chair: Enrico Moretti, Professor of Economics, UC Berkeley; IGC Research Programme Director |
| | Speaker: Richard Dobbs, Principal, McKinsey & Company, 'Corporate Headquarters and Employment Growth: Prospects for Developing Economies' |
| | Speaker: Ana Margarida Fernandes, Senior Economist, World Bank, 'Determinants of Clusters in Indian Manufacturing: The Role of Infrastructure, Governance, Education, and Industrial Policy' |
| | Speaker: David Atkin, Assistant Professor, Yale University, 'Spillovers in Technology Adoption: Evidence from a Randomized Experiment in Pakistan' (Video Link) |
| 9.30 - 12.30 | Ideas for Growth Session 2 - Trade (Sheikh Zayed Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) |
| | Chair: Andrés Rodríguez-Clare, Professor of Economics, UC Berkeley; IGC Research Programme Director |
| | Speaker: Nina Pavcnik, Professor of Economics, Dartmouth College, 'Export Markets and Labor Reallocation In a Poor Country' (joint with Brian McCaig) |
| | Speaker: Paula Bustos, Researcher, Center for Research in International Economics, 'Agricultural Productivity and Structural Transformation. Evidence from Brazil' |
| | Speaker: Lorenzo Casaburi, Postdoctoral Fellow at the Stanford Institute for Economic Policy Research (SIEPR), 'Rural Roads and Intermediated Trade: Regression Discontinuity Evidence from Sierra Leone' (co-authored with Tavneet Suri and Rachel Glennerster) |
| 12.30 - 14.00 | Lunch and networking break (Lower Ground Floor) |
| 14.00 - 17.00 | Country Session 1 - Ghana (Alumni Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) |
| 17.00 | Chair: Nii Sowa, Retired Director General of the Securities and Exchange Commission; Country Director, IGC Ghana |
| | Part One: Academic Session |
| | Speaker: Juan Pablo Rud, Senior Lecturer, Royal Holloway, University of London, 'Modern industries, pollution and agricultural productivity: Evidence from Ghana' |
| | Discussant: Doris Dartey, Chair, Graphic Communications Group |
| | Presentation: Greg Fischer, Lecturer in Economics, LSE; IGC Research Programme Director |
| | Discussant: Professor Anthony Qwame Aboagye, University of Ghana |
| | Part Two: Country Strategy Note Session |
| | Discussant: Alhasan Iddrisu, Director, Ministry of Finance and Economic Planning - Macroeconomic Stability |
| | Discussant: Sam Dapaah, Chief Technical Advisor, Ministry of Food and Agriculture - Agriculture |
| | Discussant: Yaw Baah, Deputy Secretary General, Trade Union Organisation - Human Capital |
| | Discussant: John-Hawkins Asiedu, Economist, Ministry of Trade and Industry - Private Sector Develoment |
| | Discussant: Bakari S. Nyari, Consultant - Natural Resource Management |
| | Discussant: Emmanuel Akwetey, Executive Director, Institute for Democratic Governance, 'Key research questions that would help shape policies in Ghana on Governance, Accountability and the Political Economy' |
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| 14.00 - 17.00 | Country Session 2 - Rwanda (NAB 2.13) |
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| | Chair: Richard Newfarmer , Country Director, IGC Rwanda |
| , | Speaker: Lennart Flood, Professor of Econometrics, University of Gothenburg, 'Tax Policy and Reforms in Rwanda' (co-authored with Michele Savini) |
| | Speaker: Jit Bajpai, Adjunct Professor, Earth Institute, Columbia University, New York, 'Sustainable Urbanization in Support of Economic Transformation: A study of Rwanda' (co-authored with Roberto Ottolenghi and Toma Berlanda) |
| | Speaker: Olivier Cadot, Professor of International Economics, Director of the Institute of Applied Economics, University of Lausanne, 'How Do Exporters Adjust to Exchange-Rate Fluctuations? New Evidence from the East African Community' (co-authored with Alan Asprilla, Nicolas Berman, Marguerite Duponchel, and Mélise Jaud) |
| | Discussant: Doreen Kagarama, Strategy and Policy Unit, Presidency of Rwanda |
| | Discussant: Matthew Collin, Research Officer, Centre for the Study of African Economies, Oxford University |
| | Discussant: Nada Eissa, Associate Professor of Public Policy and Economics, Georgetown University, Lead Academic, IGC |
| | Discussant: Andrew Zeitlin, Assistant Professor, Georgetown Public Policy Institute, Lead Academic, IGC, 'Ideas for Future Research in Rwanda' |
| | Discussant: Williams Nkurunziza, Rwanda High Commissioner to the UK (tbc) |
| 14.00 - 17.00 | Country Session 3 - Pakistan (Sheikh Zayed Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) |
| | Chair: Ijaz Nabi, Country Director, IGC Pakistan |
| | Taxes |
| | Speakers: Asim Khwaja, Professor of International Finance and Development, Harvard University; Benjamin Olken, Associate Professor of Economics in the MIT Department of Economics; Adnan Khan, Research and Policy Director, IGC, 'Tax Farming Redux: Experimental Evidence on Incentive Pay for Tax Collectors' |
| | Speaker: Michael Best, PhD student, LSE, 'Overcoming Frictions in the Labour Market: Responses by Firms and Workers to Taxes in Pakistan' |
| | Discussant: Sulaiman Ghani, Consultant Planning and Development, Government of Khyber Pukhtunkhwa |
| | Discussant: Sohail Rajput, Secretary of Finance, Sindh |
| | Discussant: Anjum Nasim, Research Fellow, IDEAS |
| | Garments |
| | Speakers: Ijaz Nabi, Country Director, IGC Pakistan; Naved Hamid, Resident Director, IGC Pakistan, 'Improving the performance of garments industry in Pakistan' |
| | Discussant: Sajid Minhas, MD, Delta Garments |
| | Discussant: Ali Sarfaraz, Head, Punjab Skills Development Fund |
| | Discussant: Turab Hussain, Associate Professor, LUMS |
| | Country Strategy |
| | Speakers: Ijaz Nabi, Country Director, IGC Pakistan; Naved Hamid, Resident Director, IGC Pakistan Discussant: Muhammad Irfan Elahi, Chairman, Planning & Development Department, Government of Punjab |
| | Discussant: Suleman Ghani, Member, PTI |
| | Discussant: Sohail Rajput, Secretary of Finance, Sindh |
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| 14.00 - 17.00 | Country Session 4 - Ethiopia (NAB 2.14) |
| | Chair: Alemayehu Seyoum Taffesse, Senior Research Fellow, International Food Policy Research Institute; Country Director, IGC Ethiopia |
| | PART I: Investment Promotion |
| | Speaker: John Sutton, John Hicks Professor of Economics, LSE, 'The Ethiopian Investment Agency: The Relationship Building Programme' |
| | Discussant: Ato Fitsum Arega, Director-General, Ethiopian Investment Agency (tbc) |
| | Discussant: Ato Shibeshi Bettemariam, Deputy Secretary General, Addis Ababa Chamber of Commerce |
| | PART II: Youth Employment - A Nexus of Processes |
| | Speaker: Doug Gollin, Professor of Development Economics, University of Oxford; Lead Academic, IGC Ethiopia |
| | Speaker: Pramila Krishnan, Senior Lecturer, Cambridge University; Lead Academic, IGC Ethiopia |
| | Speaker: Tsegay Gebrekidan Tekleselassie, PhD student, University of Sussex Discussant: Alemayeru Geda, Professor, Addis Ababa University |
| | Discussant: Alemayehu Geda, Professor, Addis Ababa University PART III: Country Strategy |
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| | Discussant: Ato Newai Gabre-ab, Executive Director, Ethiopian Development Research Institute Discussant: Bart Minten, Program Leader, Ethiopia Strategy Support Program, International Food Policy Research Institute Discussant: Tadele Ferede, Associate Dean for Graduate Programs, College of Business and Economics, Addis Ababa University |

| 14.00 - 17.00 | Country Session 5 - Bangladesh (Thai Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) |
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| 17.00 | Chair: A. Mushfiq Mobarak, Associate Professor of Economics, Yale University; Lead Academic, IGC Bangladesh |
| | PART I: Research Presentations (2 hours) |
| | Speaker: Oriana Bandiera, LSE, 'Can Basic Entrepreneurship Transform the Economic Lives of the Poor?' |
| | Discussant: Mushtaque Chowdhury, Vice Chair of the BRAC Governing Body and Advisor to the Founder and Chairperson of BRAC |
| | Speaker: Mushfiq Mobarak, Yale University, 'Does Development Aid Undermine Political Accountability? Evidence from a Large-Scale |
| | Sanitation Intervention in Bangladesh' |
| | Discussant: Atonu Rabbani, Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Dhaka |
| | Speaker: Erica Field, Associate Professor, Duke University, 'Throwing the Baby out with the Drinking Water: Unintended Consequences of |
| | Arsenic Mitigation Efforts in Bangladesh' |
| | Speaker: Yasuyuki Sawada, Professor of Economics, University of Tokyo; Research Fellow, JICA Research Institute, 'The Impact of Subsidy |
| | on Microfinance Entry and Coverage: A Structural Evaluation' |
| | Discussant: Abul Mansur Md. Faizullah, Joint Secretary, Economic Relations Division, Bangladesh |
| | PART II: Discussion of Country Research Programme Strategy (45 minutes) |
| | Presentation and Discussion of the IGC-NBR Collaboration on the Bangladesh Taxpayer Recognition Program, and the possibility of |
| | replicating such researcher-government agency collaboration |
| | Speaker: Nasiruddin Ahmed, Commissioner, Anti-Corruption Commission, Former Chairman, National Board of Revenue, 'Improving Tax |
| | Compliance in Bangladesh: A Study of Value-Added Tax (VAT)' |
| | Discussant: Md Firoz Shah Alam, Member, VAT-Enforcement and IT, National Board of Revenue |
| | Discussant: Khairuzzaman Mozumder, Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Commerce |
| | Open Floor Discussion |
| 17.00 - 18.00 | Coffee and networking break (Lower Ground Floor) |
| 18.30 - | Launching Ceremony; Public Lecture: Sustaining Inclusive Growth in Africa (Sheikh Zayed Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) - spaces allocated |
| 20.00 | on a first-come first-served basis |
| | Chair: Tim Besley , Professor of Economics and Political Science, LSE |
| | Speaker: Trevor Manuel, Minister in the Presidency in charge of the National Planning Commission, South Africa |
| | Discussant: Francesco Caselli, Norman Sosnow Professor of Economics, LSE |
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| | DAY TWO - TUESDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER 2013 | |
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| 9.30 - 12.00 | Ideas for Growth Session 3 - State Capabilities (Sheikh Zayed Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) | |
| | Chair: Oriana Bandiera , Professor of Economics, LSE; IGC Research Programme Director | |
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| | Speaker: Johannes Spinnewijn, Assistant Professor in Economics, LSE, 'Production vs Revenue Efficiency With Limited Tax Capacity: Theory | |
| | and Evidence From Pakistan' (co-authored with Michael Best, Anne Brockmeyer, Henrik Kleven, and Mazhar Waseem) | |
| 1 | Speaker: Oriana Bandiera, Professor of Economics, LSE; IGC Research Programme Director, State Capabilities, 'Do-gooders or doctors? | |
| | Evidence on selection and performance of health workers in Zambia' (co-authored with Nava Ashraf and Scott Lee) | |
| 1 | Speaker: Imran Rasul, Professor of Economics, UCL, 'Management of Bureaucrats and Public Service Delivery: Evidence from the Nigerian | |
| | Civil Service' (co-authored with Dan Rogger) | |
| 12.00 - | | |
| 14.00 | Lunch and networking break (Lower Ground Floor) | |
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| 14.00 - | Country Session 6 - Sierra Leone and Liberia (Thai Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) | |
| 17.30 | | |
| | Chairs: Ibrahim Stevens , Country Director, IGC Sierra Leone and IGC Liberia; Rachel Glennerster , Executive Director, Abdul Latif Jameel | |
| | Poverty Action Lab, MIT, IGC Lead Academic; Eric Werker , Marvin Bower Fellow, Associate Professor in the Business, Government and the | |
| | International Economy Unit, Harvard Business School, IGC Lead Academic PART I: Institutions/Governance | |
| | Speaker: Katherine Casey, Assistant Professor of Political Economy, Stanford Graduate School of Business, 'Debates: The Impact of Voter | |
| | Knowledge Initiatives in Sierra Leone' (SL) | |
| | Discussant: Ambrose James, Director of Search for Common Ground Sierra Leone | |
| | Speaker: Mounir Siaplay, IGC Country Economist, 'Private Sector Education' (LR) | |
| | Q&A Session | |
| | PART II: Trade and Growth | |
| | Speaker: Eric Werker, Associate Professor in the Business, Government and the International Economy Unit, Marvin Bower Fellow at | |
| | Harvard Business School; IGC Lead Academic, 'Double digit growth' (LR) | |
| | Discussant: Samuel Itam, Chairman and Managing Director, Institute for Technical Analysis and Monitoring (The ITAM Foundation, Freetown, SL) | |
| | Speaker: Jaime de Melo, Senior Fellow, FERDI; Armela Mancellari, IGC Hub Economist, 'Regional and Global Trade Strategies for Liberia' | |
| | (LR) | |
| | Q&A Session | |
| | PART III: Looking ahead - Cross-cutting issues for Liberia and Sierra Leone; IGC Phase II | |
| | Discussant: Emmanuel A. Cleeve, Senior Lecturer, Manchester Metropolitan University | |
| | Speaker: Herbert M'cleod, Mano River Union, 'Natural Resource Cooperation between 3 Countries' (SL and LR) | |
| | Discussant: Robert Conrad, Professor, Duke University | |
| | Open discussion and conclusions for Phase II | |
| | Discussant: Oluniyi Robbin-Coker, Minister of Energy, Republic of Sierra Leone | |
| 14.00 - | | |
| 17.00 | Country Session 7 - India-Bihar (Alumni Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) | |
| | Welcome Speech: Shaibal Gupta, Co-Director IGC India Bihar; Member Secretary ADRI and Director CEPPF | |
| | PART I: Presentations | |
| | Chair: Anjan Mukherji , Professor Emeritus, Jawaharlal Nehru University; Country Director, IGC India Bihar | |
| | Speaker: Maitreesh Ghatak, Professor of Economics, LSE; Lead Academic, IGC Bihar, 'Cash versus In-Kind Transfers' | |
| | Speaker: Rohini Somanathan, Professor, Delhi School of Economics; Lead Academic, IGC Bihar, 'Evaluation of a targeting exercise by the | |
| | Bihar Government' Speaker: Anjini Kochar, Director of the India Programme, Stanford Centre for International Development, 'Using school attendance to | |
| | evaluate the effectiveness of a health programme for children' | |
| | Q&A | |
| | PART II: Strategies for Bihar Growth | |
| | Chair: Robin Burgess, Professor of Economics, LSE; Director, IGC | |
| | Keynote address: Vijay Kumar Chaudhary, Honourable Minister, Water Resources Department, Government of Bihar | |
| | Discussant: Lord Karan Bilimoria, Crossbench Peer, UK House of Lords | |
| | Discussant: Navin Kumar, Chairman, Goods and Services Tax Network; Ex-Chief Secretary, Government of Bihar | |
| | Discussant: Adnan Khan, Research and Policy Director, IGC | |

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| 14.00 - 17.00 | Country Session 8 - Tanzania (NAB 2.13) |
| | Chair: John Page, Senior Fellow, Global Economy and Development, Brookings Institution; Country Director, IGC Tanzania |
| | PART I: Capabilities and Natural Resources: Some Implications of the Enterprise Map |
| | Speaker: John Sutton, Professor, LSE, 'Building Domestic Capabilities through the Gas Industry Supply Chain' |
| | Discussant: Adam Gahhu, Policy Analyst, Tanzania Private Sector Foundation |
| | PART II: Reshaping Monetary Policy in East Africa |
| | Speaker: Stephen O'Connell, Gil and Frank Mustin Professor of Economics, Swarthmore College |
| | Discussant: Johnson Nyella, Manager, International Economics and Trade Department, Bank of Tanzania |
| | PART III: Panel Discussion on Tanzania Strategy |
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| 14.00 - 17.00 | Country Session 9 - Mozambique (Sheikh Zayed Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) |
| | Chair: Claudio Frischtak, Country Director, IGC Mozambique |
| | PART 1: Introducing Mobile Money in Rural Mozambique: Evidence from a Field Experiment |
| | Speakers: Catia Batista, Assistant Professor, Nova School of Business and Economics; Pedro Vicente, Associate Professor, Nova School of Business and Economics |
| | Discussants: Nadean Szafman, Director Carteira Movel; Esselina Macome, Executive Board Member, Bank of Mozambique |
| | PART 2: National Development Strategy and Private Sector Development in Mozambique |
| | Speaker: John Sutton, Professor of Economics, LSE, 'The Enterprise Map for Mozambique: Preliminary Presentation' |
| | Discussant: Augusta Pechisso, Deputy Director, National Directorate of Studies and Policy Analyis, Ministry of Planning and Development |
| | Discussant: Carlos Enrique Guanziroli, Professor of Economics, Universidad Federal Fluminense |
| | Discussant: Hipolito Hamela, Economic Policy Adviser, Confederation of Business Associations |
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| 14.00 - 17.00 | Country Session 10 - Uganda (NAB 2.14) |
| | Chairs: Richard Newfarmer, IGC Country Director, Uganda, Sarah Ssewanyana, Director, Economic Policy Research Centre |
| | Speaker: Robin Burgess, Professor of Economics, LSE; Director, IGC, 'Women's Empowerment in Action: Evidence from a Randomized Trial in Africa' (co-authored with Oriana Bandiera, Niklas Buehren, Markus Goldstein, Selim Gulesci, Imran Rasul and Munshi Sulaiman) |
| | Speaker: Ibrahim Kasirye, EPRC, 'Stakeholder feedback systems and teacher incentives' (co-authored with Jacobus Cilliers, Clare Leaver, Pieter Serneels, and Andrew Zeitlin) |
| | Speaker: Jakob Svensson, Professor of Economics, Institute for International Economic Studies, Stockholm University; Lead Academic, IGC, |
| | 'Why is the Green Revolution so slow in Africa? An Empirical Investigation of the Market for (Fake) Seeds and Fertilizers in Uganda' (co-authored with David Yanagizawa-Drott) |
| | Speaker: John Hassler, Professor of Economics, Institute for International Economic Studies, Stockholm University, 'Ugandan oil a blessing |
| | or a curse?' (co-authored with Per Krusell, Abdulaziz Shifaz, Daniel Spiro) |
| | Discussant: Adam Mugume, Director of Research, Bank of Uganda |
| | Discussant: Albert Musisi, Planning and Economic Development, Ministry of Finance Discussant: Tessa Bold, Chair of Development and International Economics, Goethe University Frankfurt, Lead Academic, IGC |
| | Discussant: Pieter Serneels, Associate Professor, University of East Anglia |
| 17.00 - | |
| 18.00 | Coffee and networking break (Lower Ground Floor) |
| 18.30 - | Public Lecture: Financing Infrastructure Investment in Africa (Sheikh Zayed Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) - spaces allocated on a first- |
| 20.00 | come first-served basis |
| | Chair: Tony Venables , Professor of Economics, Oxford University, Director, Oxford Centre for the Analysis of Resource Rich Economies |
| | Speaker: Paul Collier, Co-Director, Centre for the Study of African Economies, Professor of Economics and Public Policy at the Blavatnik |
| | School of Government; Director, IGC |
| | Discussant: Antonio Estache, Professor of Economics, Université Libre de Bruxelles; Research Fellow, European Center for Advanced |
| | Research in Economics and Statistics |
| | Discussant: Keith Palmer, Chairman and Founding Sponsor of AgDevCo |

| | DAY THREE - WEDNESDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER 2013 | |
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| 8.15 - 9.3 | Coffee and registration (Lower Ground Floor) | |
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| 9.30 - 12.30 | Ideas for Growth Session 4 - Firm Capabilities (Alumni Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) | |
| | Chair: Chris Woodruff, Professor of Economics, University of Warwick; IGC Research Programme Director | |
| | Speaker: Rocco Macchiavello, Assistant Professor, Warwick University; Research Affiliate, Centre for Economic Policy Research; 'Tropical Lending: International Prices, Strategic Default and Credit Constraints among Coffee Washing Stations' (co-authored with Arthur Blouin) | |
| | Speaker: Nick Bloom, Professor of Economics, Stanford University, 'Are developing countries held back by their management practices?' (co-authored with Raffaella Sadun and John van Reenen) | |
| | Speaker: Chris Blattman, Assistant Professor of Political Science & International and Public Affairs, Columbia University, 'More sweatshops for Africa? Preliminary results from the random assignment of factory jobs in Ethiopia' (co-authored with Stefan Dercon) | |
| | Panel Discussion with: John Sutton, Sir John Hicks Professor of Economics, LSE; Khairuzzaman Mozumder, Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Commerce, Bangladesh; Sajid Minhas, Managing Director, Delta Garments, Pakistan | |
| 9.30 - 12.30 | Ideas for Growth Session 5 - Governance, Accountability and Political Economy (Sheikh Zayed Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) | |
| | Chair: Gerard Padró i Miquel , Professor of Economics, LSE; IGC Research Programme Director, Eliana La Ferrara , Professor of Economics, Bocconi University; IGC Research Programme Director | |
| | Decentralization and Fiscal Sharing: A Discussion | |
| | Speaker: Dilip Mookherjee, Professor of Economics, Boston University | |
| | Speaker: Ruben Enikolopov, Assistant Professor of Economics, New Economic School, Moscow | |
| | Speaker: Julio Escolano, Division Chief, Fiscal Policy and Surveillance Division, Fiscal Affairs Department, IMF | |
| | Speaker: Ali Cheema, Senior Research Fellow, Institute of Development and Economic Alternatives, Associate Professor of Economics, Lahore University of Management Sciences | |
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| 9.30 - 12.30 | Ideas for Growth Session 6 - Energy (Thai Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) | |
| | Chair: Michael Greenstone, 3M Professor of Environmental Economics, MIT | |
| | PART I: New Approaches to Regulating Pollution Emissions Due to Energy Consumption in India: Emissions Trading Systems and | |
| | Continuous Emissions Monitoring Systems (CEMS) | |
| | Speaker: Michael Greenstone, 3M Professor of Environmental Economics, MIT | |
| | Speaker: J.S. Kamyotra, Member Secretary, CPCB, Delhi, India | |
| | PART II: Lighting Up Bihar: Increasing Access to Electricity to Sustain Economic Growth | |
| | Speaker: Robin Burgess, Professor of Economics, LSE; Director, IGC | |
| | Discussant: Sandeep Poundrik, Secretary, Department of Energy, Government of Bihar, India | |
| | PART III: Discussion of Energy Access Challenges | |
| | Speaker: Oluniyi Robbin-Coker, Minister of Energy, Sierra Leone | |
| 12.30 - | Lunch and networking break (Lower Ground Floor) | |
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| 17.00 | Country Session 11 - South Sudan (Alumni Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) |
| | Chair: Richard Newfarmer, Country Director, IGC South Sudan |
| | Speaker: Peter Ajak, IGC Deputy Country Director, 'Political Economic Issues Underpinning Recent Development' |
| | Speakers: Nada Eissa, Associate Professor of Public Policy and Economics, Georgetown University; Lead Academic, IGC; Utz Pape, |
| | Economist, World Bank, 'Labor Markets: Integrating Domestic and Foreign Workers' |
| | Speaker: Jaime De Melo, Senior Fellow, FERDI, 'Trade Opportunities and Constraints: Towards a Strategy' |
| | Discussant: Mading Ngor Akec Kwai, Bloomberg News |
| | Discussant: Deng Diar Deng, Chamber of Commerce, South Sudan |
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| 14.00 - | Country Session 12 - India-Central (Sheikh Zayed Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) |
| 17.00 | PART 1: Presentations |
| | Chair: Dilip Mookherjee, Professor of Economics, Boston University |
| | Speaker: Sheetal Sekhri, Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Virginia, 'Prestige matters: Value of connections formed in elite |
| | colleges' |
| | Speaker: Karthik Muralidharan, Assistant Professor of Economics, University of California, San Diego, 'Payments Infrastructure and the |
| | Performance of Public Programs' |
| | Discussant: Sandip Mitra, Researcher, Indian Statistical Institute |
| | Speaker: Michael Greenstone, 3M Professor of Environmental Economics, MIT, 'Making Environmental Regulation Effective: Experimental |
| | Evidence from India' |
| | Discussant: Hardik Shah, Member Secretary, Gujarat Pollution Control Board |
| | Presentation: Dilip Mookherjee, Professor of Economics, Boston University, 'Ideas for India' |
| | PART 2: Policy Panel: Monetary management of the growth-inflation trade off with fiscal constraints |
| | Chair: Vijay Joshi , Emeritus Fellow, Merton College, Oxford |
| | Discussant: Rathin Roy, Director, National Institute of Public Finance and Policy |
| | Discussant: Arvind Mayaram, Secretary, Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance, Government of India (tbc) |
| | Discussant: Sitikanth Pattanaik, Director, Monetary Policy Department, Reserve Bank of India |
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| 14.00 - | Country Session 13 - Zambia (Thai Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) |
| 17.00 | Country Session 13 - Zambia (mai medite, Lower Ground Floor) |
| | Chair: Alan Hirsch, Country Director, IGC Zambia; Director, Graduate School of Development Policy and Practice, UCT; Robert Liebenthal, |
| | Co-Country Director, IGC Zambia; Vice President, Economics Association of Zambia |
| | Speaker: Alan Hirsch, Country Director, IGC Zambia; Director, Graduate School of Development Policy and Practice, UCT |
| | Speaker: Robert Liebenthal, Co-Country Director, IGC Zambia; Vice President, Economics Association of Zambia |
| | Speaker: Felix Masiye, Head, Department of Economics, The University of Zambia; Director, Economic Policy Management Programme, |
| | The University of Zambia |
| | Speaker: Oswald Mungule, Principal Policy Analyst, National Economic Advisory Council, 'Copper and Diversification: are they Kwacha |
| | Fundamentals?' |
| | Speaker: John Weeks, Professor Emeritus, School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London |
| | Discussant: Emmanuel Pamu, Director, Financial Markets, Bank of Zambia (tbc) |
| | Discussant: Bernard Kamphasa, Permanent Secretary, Policy Analysis and Coordination Division, Cabinet Office |
| | Discussant: Michael Gondwe, Governor, Bank of Zambia |
| | Discussant: Kalonde Cynthia Nyati, Business Journalist, Zambia Daily Mail |
| | Discussant: Stephen Chikwanda, Principal Agriculture Economist, Policy and Planning, Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock, Zambia |
| | Discussant: Isaac Ngoma, President, Economics Association of Zambia |
| | Discussant: Ireen Musonda, Principal Economist, Ministry of Finance |

| 14.00 - 17.00 | Country Session 14 - Myanmar (NAB 1.14) |
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| 17.00 | Chair: Robin Burgess, Professor of Economics, LSE; Director, IGC |
| | PART I: Strategic Policy Questions in Myanmar |
| | Speaker: Tin Maung Than, Director, Myanmar Development Resource Institute - Centre for Economic and Social Development, 'Challenges for Myanmar's Public Administration Reform' |
| | Speaker: Robert Conrad, Duke University, 'An Initial Strategy for Tax Reform in Myanmar' |
| | Speaker: Paul Minoletti, Research Coordinator, Myanmar Development Resource Institute-Centre for Economic and Social Development, 'Opportunities for IGC Engagement in the Context of President Thein Sein's Reform Agenda' |
| | PART II: Areas for Future Research and Policy Analysis in Myanmar: Governance, Resource Mobilisation and Structural Transformation |
| | Speaker: Andrea Smurra, IGC Country Economist Myanmar, 'An Overview of the IGC Myanmar Country Strategy Note' |
| | Open Discussion |
| 17.00 - 18.00 | Coffee and networking break (Lower Ground Floor) |
| 18.30 - 20.00 | Public Lecture: Transforming the Economic Lives of the Ultrapoor (Sheikh Zayed Theatre, Lower Ground Floor) - spaces allocated on a first-come first-served basis |
| | Chair: Oriana Bandiera, Professor of Economics, LSE |
| | Speakers: Abhijit Banerjee, Ford Foundation International Professor of Economics, MIT; Robin Burgess, Professor of Economics, LSE |
| | Discussants: Mushtaque Chowdhury, Vice Chair and Adviser to the Founder and Chairperson of BRAC; Professor of Population and Family Health, Mailman School of Public Health, Columbia University; Dean Karlan, Professor of Economics, Yale University |
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