

IDS DIARY

Wednesday 30 November

IDS Seminar, 'Frontline Workers: on/at the State-society Boundary in India'. Speakers:

- Devanshi Chanchani, University of East Anglia
- Aparna John, Doctoral Candidate, Health and Nutrition Cluster, IDS
- Shilpa Deshpande, Doctoral Candidate, Health and Nutrition Cluster, IDS

10:00 to 12:30 in the IDS Convening Space. All welcome.

Wednesday 30 November

IDS Members Seminar, 'Reflections upon Social and Political Power'. Mark Haugaard, Professor of Political Science and Sociology at the National University of Ireland. 13:00 to 14:30 in Room 221. All welcome.

Thursday 1 December

Film Screening, 'Revolutions in Rojava and Beyond'. In the Rojava region of Syria, close to the border with Turkey, citizens are experimenting with 'democratic confederalism' and ideas from feminism and ecology as part of an ambitious project of radical democracy and social justice. Come along for a screening of two short activist-produced films, introduced by Amber Huff. 12:30 to 14:00 in Room 220. All welcome.

Thursday 1 December

IDS Seminar, 'Community Led Development'. John Coonrod, Executive Vice President of The Hunger Project. 12:30 to 14:00 in Room 221. All welcome.

Monday 5 December

Conversations about Conflict series, 'Stabilisation: Over 10 years of Policy and Practice'. Philippa Brown, Louise Perrota and Alastair Scott-Villiers. 13:00 to 14:30 in the IDS Convening Space. All welcome.

IDS MEMBERS

Seife Ayele and **Jodie Thorpe** will be in the Netherlands from 29 to 30 November to meet with Professor Laurens Klerkx and colleagues at Wageningen University (Knowledge, Technology and Innovations/KEI Group). The meeting is aimed at fostering research collaboration between KTI and IDS' Business Markets and the State Cluster. Seife will give a presentation on 'Agricultural Commercialisation Clusters in Africa: Understanding Pathways to Inclusive and Sustainable Development'.

PhD student **Violet Barasa** is travelling to Melbourne, Australia, from 1 to 8 December, to present a poster at the 4th International One Health Congress.

Danny Burns was in Copenhagen from 22 to 24 November, as keynote speaker for the Danish Action Research Network.

Naomi Hossain was in Oslo, Norway, from 23 to 26 November, to attend the Norwegian Association for Development Research Annual Conference.

IDS MEMBERS (CONT.)

Lars Otto Naess will be in Oslo, Norway, from 1 to 2 December, attending the International Conference on Humanitarian Policy and Practice in a Changing Climate.

Ana Pueyo was in Cuernavaca, Mexico, from 19 to 27 November, for the second meeting of the research network 'Red SUMAS', at the Universidad Autónoma del Estado de Morelos.

Patrick Schroeder is in Abuja, Nigeria, from 21 to 28 November, attending the workshop 'Value from waste: Stakeholder engagement on lead-acid battery waste management in Nigeria', organized by the Heinrich Boell Stiftung Nigeria.

Ian Scoones is in Zimbabwe, (Harare, Mvurwi, Bulawayo/Maphisa-Kezi, Masvingo) from the 22 November to 9 December to help set up the APRA Zimbabwe work on agricultural commercialisation, and continue his work on Zimbabwe's land reform.

Carol Smithyes will be in Accra, Ghana, from 10 to 17 December, to support the Matasa Fellows Network policy engagement activities.

Jean-Pierre Tranchant will be in Bamako, between 27 November and 2 December to work with WFP on the evaluation of their interventions to reduce malnutrition in conflict-affected areas. He will also participate in the training of the enumerators for the quantitative data collection.

Dirk Willenbockel will be in Accra, from 28 November to 1 December, to co-create knowledge with partners at the Institute of Statistical, Social and Economic Research, University of Ghana.

NEW PUBLICATIONS

Tadros, T. (2016) 'Challenging Reified Masculinities: Men as Survivors of Politically Motivated Sexual Assault in Egypt', *Journal of Middle East Women's Studies*, 12.3: 323–42; doi:10.1215/15525864-3637543

Oosterhoff, P., Gilder, L. and Mueller, C. (2016) Is Porn the New Sex Education? *IDS Rapid Response Briefing 15*, Brighton: IDS

<http://www.ids.ac.uk/publication/is-porn-the-new-sex-education>

te Lintelo, D.J.H., Nisbett, N. and Pittore, K. (2016) Multi-level Advocacy for Nutrition, *IDS Evidence Report 211*, Brighton: IDS

<http://www.ids.ac.uk/publication/multi-level-advocacy-for-nutrition>

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<https://opendocs.ids.ac.uk/opendocs/handle/123456789/12641>

DETAILS

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IDS VACANCIES

Project Administrators (Ref: 1091)

Full-time, 35 hours per week

2 Permanent posts and one fixed-term post until 30 June 2016

The Project and Engagement Hubs at IDS are teams of professionals providing our Research Clusters & Knowledge Units with Project Management, Communications, Finance and Administration support. We are currently seeking to recruit three Project Administrators.

The role of the Project Administrator is to provide administration support directly to our research clusters and work with project and engagement hub colleagues who are leading and supporting elements of research projects. The post holder will ensure effective co-ordination of administration and communication at the cluster level in support of the Cluster Leader and act as central point of information for the cluster on administrative matters.

This role requires excellent communication, time management, a positive and pragmatic outlook and the ability to work autonomously and as part of a team. Applicants will have administrative experience within a professional, service driven environment and be proficient in Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint.

IDS' vision is a world in which poverty does not exist, social justice prevails and the voices of all people are heard in national and international institutions. We believe that generating, mobilising and sharing knowledge, through research, teaching and communications plays a key part in realising this vision.

Salary: Initial appointment will be between £20,745 to £23,880 per annum, (depending on experience), in the IDS scale 4 range.

Closing date: Monday, 05 December, 10am

Interviews: Week commencing 12 December.

If you are a non-EU National then please refer to the UK Border Agency website, www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk for information regarding your eligibility to work in the UK.

IT Helpdesk Analyst (Ref: 749)

35 hours per week (part time hours over 28 hours per week may be considered)

Fixed-term for 12 months to cover maternity leave

We have an opportunity in our Computer and Technical Services (CATS) Team for an experienced IT Analyst. The successful candidate will work on front line support services to Institute members (80% of role)

Duties to include

- Attending to user needs at their work space
- working through a helpdesk allocation system
- prioritising a varied and busy workload, building PCs and laptops using imaging tools from prepared image templates.
- repairs to computer hardware or as appropriate arranging for a repair contractor to be called on site
- loading application software on PCs and laptops
- diagnosing software and hardware faults and rectifying these faults
- creating, modifying and deleting Microsoft Active Directory user accounts according to specified requirements
- proactively supporting user queries, requests and problems, and providing ad hoc training on basic Microsoft Office features
- Creating training materials and training users as required

The role will also incorporate providing administrative support services to the Computer and Technical Services section (20% of role).

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Candidates should have excellent knowledge of Windows 7/8 operating systems and Microsoft Office suite as well as User management in a Microsoft Active Directory and Exchange environment for at least one year. Additionally, candidates should have an extensive proven track record of supporting Windows operating systems, Microsoft Office and printers in a large 50 users plus site, and practical experience in hardware and software procurement.

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Salary: Initial appointment will be £25,060, in the IDS Grade 5 salary range (£25,060 to £30,412)

Closing date: 28 November, 10am

Interview date: 12 December.

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EXTERNAL VACANCIES

Free the Slaves is looking for a **Asia Regional Director**, based in Bangkok, Thailand. The principal role is to lead the development and expansion of Free the Slaves' slavery eradication program in Asia. This is a new position at Free the Slaves. FTS currently has programs in India and Nepal, which are overseen by the South Asia regional programs manager, who is based in Washington, D.C. Details at:

<http://smrtr.io/4URmzA>

UOS DIARY

Monday 28 November

Special SPRU seminar to launch The UNIDO Industrial Development Report 2016. Chair: Professor Maria Savona, SPRU. Guest speaker: Nicola Cantore, Industrial Development Officer, UNIDO. Discussants: Professor Carlota Perez, apes Honorary Professor, SPRU; Professor Raphie Kaplinsky, Honorary Professorial Fellow, SPRU. 13:00 until 14:00 in Jubilee 118, University of Sussex. Register at: www.sussex.ac.uk/spru/newsandevents/events?id=37971

Thursday 1 December

CIE Research Cafe, 'Roma students' experiences in European Higher Education: Exploring gender, identity, and marginalisation'. Dr Tamsin Hinton-Smith, Senior Lecturer in Higher Education, School of Education and Social Work, University of Sussex. 13:00 to 14:00 in Essex House Ground Floor Meeting Room.