

IDS TRAINING

Monday 15 to Friday 19 January 2018

IDS Professional Short Course, 'Development Economics for Non-Economists'. This unique course offers a stimulating, interactive, and entertaining introduction to the world of development economics. Full details and apply at: <http://www.ids.ac.uk/events/development-economics-for-non-economists>

Monday 22 to Friday 26 January 2018

IDS Professional Short Course, 'Integrating Disaster Risk Reduction and Climate Change Adaptation'. This course equips policymakers and practitioners with the knowledge and skills to more effectively integrate disaster risk reduction with adaptation to climate change, in the context of development and poverty reduction. Full details and apply at: <http://www.ids.ac.uk/events/integrating-disaster-risk-reduction-and-climate-change-adaptation>

Monday 22 to 26 January 2018

IDS Professional Short Course, 'Using Participatory Action Research to Improve Development Practice'. This five-day course on Participatory Action Research (PAR) will provide participants with the conceptual and practical tools to design and carry out PAR. They will learn about a range of methods and develop their ideas into a detailed plan that they will be able to put into action on returning to their organisation. Full details and apply at: <http://www.ids.ac.uk/events/using-participatory-action-research-to-improve-development-practice2>

IDS MEMBERS

Anu Joshi and Miguel Loureiro will be in Bern and Basel from 11 to 13 September, for meetings with the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation's Democratisation, Decentralisation and Local Governance (DDLG) thematic unit, as well as with partners at the Basel Institute on Governance and X-Impulse.

Rhiannon McCluskey will be attending the African Tax Research Network Congress in Madagascar (4 to 6 September) and then the launch of the Nigerian Tax Research Network in Abuja (12 to 15 September).

Jessica Meeker will be in Bern from 5 to 9 September, for the International conference on research for development.

Giel Ton will be travelling from 3 to 19 September, to attend the 'Pest Management Coalition' in Bonn. He will then be at the DSA Conference in Bradford from 6 to 8 September. Finally he will be at the PACT grant fund evaluation in Kathmandu from 9 to 19 September.

Simon Rees, Mick Moore and Rhiannon McCluskey will be in Nigeria, from 10 to 17 September, launching the Nigerian Tax Research Network (NTRN) at the Hilton Hotel in Abuja.

IDS MEMBERS (CONT.)

Keetie Roelen will be in Cape Town from 5 to 8 September to present a paper on shame and social protection at the annual HDCA conference.

IDS PUBLICATIONS

Mutahi, P. and Kimari, B. (2017) 'The Impact of Social Media and Digital Technology on Electoral Violence in Kenya', *IDS Working Paper 493*, Brighton: IDS <http://www.ids.ac.uk/publication/the-impact-of-social-media-and-digital-technology-on-electoral-violence-in-kenya>

Roberts, T. and Marchais, G. (2017) Assessing the Role of Social Media and Digital Technology in Violence Reporting, *IDS Working Paper 492*, Brighton: IDS <http://www.ids.ac.uk/publication/assessing-the-role-of-social-media-and-digital-technology-in-violence-reporting>

IDS VACANCIES

Research Officer

Hours per week: 35 (1.0 FTE)

Contract type: Fixed term for 9 months

We are seeking to recruit a highly-motivated Research Officer to join the core 'Health and Nutrition' team. The successful candidate will support the evolving programme of research and policy engagement work being carried out by both IDS-based and overseas partner researchers under the 'Social, Economic and Environmental Drivers of Zoonoses in Tanzania (or SEEDZ)' Project. This BBSRC-funded research project examines changes in livestock-keeping practices and zoonotic disease risk and the Research Officer will work on one specific aspect of this research, namely zoonotic disease framings and policy processes.

Working as a member of a supportive team, the postholder will have the ability and initiative to work autonomously, sometimes with minimal supervision, to play a key role in developing 'SEEDZ publications and events and to facilitate effective communication with researchers based in the partner countries as well as with the wider programme network.

Applicants will have a social science Masters or PhD on Zoonotic Diseases and Policy Interventions along with excellent in-depth and theoretical knowledge on: Zoonosis, disease/'one health', Policy processes and livelihoods. The role requires excellent analytical and synthesis skills and demonstrable ability to undertake skilled, nuanced and careful academic writing.

Salary: £25,486 to £38,068 per annum, (depending on skills and experience) in the IDS grade 6 range.

Closing date: Monday 2 October at 10am

Interview date: Monday 9 October.

Full details: www.ids.ac.uk/about-us/working-for-us

DETAILS

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IDS VACANCIES (CONT.)

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PERSONAL ADVERTS

Furnished one bedroom flat in Seven Dials, available early or late September to January 2018 or July 2018. Dates negotiable. Perfect for a single person or couple. Wi-fi, television, dishwasher, bedroom with double bed overlooking rose garden below, additional sofa bed. Great natural light and very central location. Nine minutes walk to Brighton Station. Shops, restaurants, and cafes nearby. Email: aa76@duke.edu. £1000 p.c.m. includes rent, council tax, gas, electricity, water, high-speed internet, and TV license. If you agree to have me stay on sofa bed two nights/week whilst on campus, rent will be lowered, cost negotiable.

Beautiful two bedroom house with small garden by the sea in Hove. Perfect for a small family. My house is available between 21 August and 1 September. Dates can be bit flexible. Price £800 all included. It will also be available first half of October and first half of December. For photos and details please see Airbnb, https://www.airbnb.co.uk/rooms/11470949?preview_for_ml Contact: Jennifer Grant: 07817 215476.

A Syrian woman, now settled in Sweden, is looking for accommodation while she completes an MA at Sussex University. She needs a single room from around September 15th for up to one year. She is able to pay up to GBP 75 per week, and is willing to offer some help in the house or with children fitting around her studies. Contact: j.harris@ids.ac.uk for more information.

Couple (both PhD students at the University of Sussex) is looking for a fully furnished one-bedroom flat in Brighton or Hove, starting from October 2017 (for a minimum lease of six months and possibly a full year). Budget around £1000 pcm. The flat should ideally be centrally located, with good transport links to Sussex campus, and have good natural light. Please email: D.Tuyloglu@sussex.ac.uk.

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