

IDS DIARY

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.

MAVC Seminar, 'Open Government at the Subnational Level: Innovations in Governance from Bojonegoro'. Suyoto Ngartep Mustajab, Regent of Bojonegoro. 13:00 to 14:30 in the Room 121. All welcome.

IDS Seminar, 'Gender Relations in Contemporary Post-conflict Timor-Leste: Traditions, Grappling With Western Notions of Gender and Complex Impacts of Microfinance for Women's Economic Empowerment'. Sarah Niner, IDS Visiting Fellow. 13:00 to 14:30 in the Room 221. All welcome.

Tuesday 6 December

IDS Seminar, 'Population, Land and Food: Exploring the Basics and a Little bit More on the Future of Agriculture'. Christian Kesteloot, Professor at the Division of Geography and Tourism of the University of Leuven and Senior Lecturer at the University of Brussels. 13:00 to 14:30 in the Room 221. All welcome.

Wednesday 7 December

Members Seminar, 'The Politics of Nutrition in India'. 13:00 to 14:30 in the Room 221. All welcome. Veena S. Rao served in the Indian Administrative Service from the Karnataka Cadre, and retired as Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry for the Development of the North East Region. 13:00 to 14:30 in the IDS Convening Space. All welcome.

Thursday 8 December

CRPD Seminar, 'The Changing Government-Business relationship under the 'New Normal' in China'. Dr. Peng LU is an Associate Professor at the Institute of Sociology, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (CASS). 13:00 to 14:30 in the Room 221. All welcome.

Friday 9 December

IDS Pantomime 2016, 'A Development Carol'. 19:30 in Room 120/121. Tickets £1, available from IDS Reception. All IDS members welcome.

IDS MEMBERS

Stephen Devereux is in New York, from 28 November to 6 December, to participate in an expert group meeting, entitled 'Financing Social Protection Floors' organised by the Financing for Development Office of the UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs and the Social Protection Department of the International Labour Organisation. He will also participate in an Expert Group Meeting on "The Report on the World Social Situation 2017: Promoting Inclusion through Social Protection" organised by the Division of Social Policy and Development of the United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs.

IDS MEMBERS (CONT.)

Caitriona Dowd will be travelling to Oslo, from 11 to 13 December 2016, to participate in a workshop on insurgency in the MENA/North Africa region at the Norwegian Institute of International Affairs.

Duncan Edwards will be in Paris, from 5 to 10 December, for the Open Government Partnership (OGP) Global Summit.

John Gaventa will be in the Hague on 15 December to give a keynote speech on 'Changing Notions of Citizenship' at the ISS Seminar on Citizenship and Contested Statehood(s) in (Post-) Conflict Situations.

Jing Gu was in Brussels on the 1 December, for the EU – China Roundtables on 'The EU and China in Africa – Prospects for Cooperation' organised by the Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung, EU-Asia Centre and European External Action Services. She will chair the major thematic session on Trade and Investment.

Anuradha Joshi is in Paris, from 4 to 10 December, to attend the Open Government Partnerships (OGP) Global Summit.

Jeremy Lind was in Washington D.C, from 30 November to 3 December to present at the African Studies Association of the US conference on 'Perilous prospects: Security and oil exploration after Kenya's devolution'.

Giulia Mascagni was in Kigali, Rwanda, from 26 November to 3 December, to present the findings of the experimental research on tax compliance that the International Centre for Tax and Development carried out in partnership with ATAF and the Rwanda Revenue Authority.

Rosie McGee will be in Paris from 7 to 10 December, for the Open Government Partnership (OGP) Global Summit.

Mick Moore was away from 26 November to 1 December, with Giulia Mascagni to participate in meetings with the Rwanda Revenue Authority in Kigali and then on to Kenya with Jalia Kangave to meet with Kenya Revenue Authority. Both trips are to discuss potential research collaboration with the International Centre for 'Tax and Development'.

Keetie Roelen will be in Cape Town from 10 to 16 December, to participate in a workshop on 'Hunger, social protection and shame in South Africa' at the University of the Western Cape.

Rachel Sabates-Wheeler is in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania, from 26 November to 1 December, to work with WFP on their global approach to social protection.

Jim Sumberg and **Santi Ripoll** were in Mexico City, from 27 to 30 November, at CIMMYT, to finalise a collaborative framing paper on youth.

DETAILS

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Jim Sumberg, Seife Ayele, Hannah Corbett and Carole Smithyes, will be at the University of Ghana Legon from 11 to 17 December, for the second workshop with the Matasa Felloes Network.

PhD student Sophie Valeix is in Melbourne, Australia, from 1 to 16 December, to present a poster, 'The Role of Veterinarians in Integrating Zoonotic Disease Management in Ghana) at the 4th International Congress – One Health.

PLEASE NOTE

Tuesday 6 December

Vanessa Redgrave, a UNICEF Goodwill Ambassador, is launching her latest film, *Sea Sorrow*, about refugees next Tuesday, December 6th at 7:30 in Hammersmith Town Hall in London. Richard Jolly will be taking the chair and will be glad to introduce any IDS member who would like to come to Vanessa. Please inform Richard by email beforehand so he is prepared.

Wednesday 7 December

Also, IDS Alumnus Xiao Pei He He's film on gay 'weddings' in China is being screened at 19:00 at Brighton's Fabrika, 40 Duke Street.

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.

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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.

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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.

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IDS VACANCIES (CONT.)

Monitoring and Evaluation Officer (Ref: 1084)

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Interviews: W/C 19 December.

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NEW IDS PUBLICATIONS

Oosterom, M. and Scott Villiers, P. (2016) Power, Poverty and Inequality *IDS Bulletin* 47.5, Brighton: IDS

<http://www.ids.ac.uk/publication/power-poverty-and-inequality>

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Tuesday 6 December

CIE Open Seminar, 'Fees Must Fall': Decolonisation and higher education in post-apartheid South Africa'. Professor Robbie Van Niekerk and Nimi Hoffmann, Rhodes University, SA and Professor Yusuf Sayed, Sussex. 11:00 to 13:00 in Room G30, Jubilee. All welcome.

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