

IDS DIARY

Wednesday 8 June

IDS Seminar, 'Social Welfare Benefits and Their Impacts on Labour Market Participation Among Men and Women in Mongolia', Franziska Gassmann, Professor in Poverty and Social Protection at Bonn-Rhein-Sieg University of Applied Science, and Professorial Fellow/Senior Researcher at UNU-Merit/MGSOG. 13:00 to 14:30 in Room 221. All welcome.

Monday 13 June

IDS, University of Brighton and RSA present, 'Learning from the Global South'. How can Innovations from Countries like Brazil, India, South Africa and Argentina Help the UK in Addressing Social Challenges and Inequalities? A group of academics and practitioners discuss and share case studies, reflections, and lessons learnt from other parts of the world. Board Room, 58-67 Grand Parade, Brighton, BN2 0JY. All welcome. Register at: <http://www.ids.ac.uk/events/learning-from-the-global-south>

Tuesday 5 July to Wednesday 6 July

IDS 50th Conference – States, Markets and Society. This high profile conference will bring cutting-edge thinking, experience and reflection on 'States, markets and society in a reconfigured world: Defining a new era for development'. Speakers include:

- Luka Biong Deng, Director, University of Juba, South Sudan
- Evelina Dagnino, Professor of Political Science, University of Campinas, Brazil
- Michael Edwards, Senior Fellow, Demos New York

Register now (last few places left) at:

www.ids.ac.uk/50conference

Tuesday 5 July

IDS Annual Lecture with James Ferguson. Professor James Ferguson from Stanford University will deliver the inaugural IDS Annual Lecture titled 'Not Working: Rethinking Production and Distribution in the Jobless City'. Followed by a drinks reception. It is a public lecture and all are welcome to attend. 17:00 to 18:30 in Jubilee Lecture Theatre, University of Sussex. Register now: <http://www.ids.ac.uk/annual-lecture>

IDS MEMBERS

Shilpi Srivastava was in London from 27 to 29 May to participate in the conference on Anthropology, Weather and Climate Change at the British Museum. She is also in India from 4 June to 4 July, to work on the Uncertainty, Climate Change and Transformation project.

Linda Waldman will be in Tanzania to work on the SEEDZ Zoonoses project from 29 May to 6 June. She will be working in the project's rural field sites, and meeting local field researchers on the HAZEL project.

Thea Shahrokh is in Cape Town from 1 June to 1 November, working with the Sustainable Livelihoods Foundation on a collaborative film-making process to support accountability for community safety.

IDS MEMBERS (CONT.)

John Thompson was in the Netherlands, from 1 to 3 June, to participate in a Review and Strategy Workshop with colleagues at the Wageningen Centre for Development Innovation and the Royal Tropical Institute on the 'Integrated Seed Sector Development in Africa' project.

IDS VACANCIES

Director of Teaching and Learning (ref 726)

Hours per week: 35 (1.0 FTE).

Contract type: Permanent.

Salary: IDS grade 10C £82,820 to £91,910 per annum, pro rata, depending on experience.

We are seeking a new Director of Teaching and Learning (DTL) to provide strategic leadership and help us further develop and expand our world-renowned suite of distinctive and innovative Teaching and Learning (T&L) programmes. These include MA degrees, Doctoral studies, Professional Short Courses, Learning Partnerships and E-learning initiatives. The DTL is responsible for overall development and fulfilment of the T&L strategy, working with IDS colleagues, partners, participants and other stakeholders. Postgraduate teaching and research are delivered with the support of the Teaching Office and Teaching Management Group, in liaison with University of Sussex teaching committees, quality controls and validation processes. An exciting range of Short Courses, Learning Partnerships and E-learning are currently hosted in a more decentralised manner by our research clusters, knowledge units and engagement hubs. We are currently bringing our diverse teaching and learning efforts closer together with the launch of a new Centre for Development Learning, which the DTL will direct.

The DTL is one of the Institute's most important senior roles. S/he reports to the Director, and is a member of the Institute's Strategic Leadership Group. S/he will take the lead in achieving the ambitions in the current T&L Strategy while working closely with the Director to align T&L with the Institute's broader strategic directions. The successful applicant will have a Post Graduate level qualification and extensive knowledge of delivery of taught programmes in the UK higher education context. S/he will also have demonstrable knowledge and understanding of current developments in UK Higher Education, particularly funding and quality assurance as well as substantial experience of teaching, developing, innovating and leading postgraduate teaching programmes and supervision. S/he will understand issues relevant to international development, and bring exemplary strategic, business and people management skills, along with enthusiasm and an entrepreneurial approach. This is a superb opportunity for an experienced, highly skilled educational specialist who is looking to step up to a broader, key leadership role in an organisation with a long track record of work and substantial commitment to social change, inclusion and sustainability, and exciting future plans.

Closing date: Wednesday 29 June at 10:00 UK time.

Interview date: TBC, aiming for mid July.

Reporting to: The Director.

DETAILS

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For further information on IDS vacancies only, please contact the IDS HR Department. Details can be found in the relevant section.

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IDS VACANCIES (CONT.)

Research Officer (725)

Hours per week: 35 (1.0 FTE)

Contract type: Permanent

Reporting to: Digital & Technology Cluster Leader

Salary: IDS grade 6 band, £24,788 to £37,024 per annum, pro rata. Please note we are aiming to appoint around the middle of the grade band, between 6.3 (£27,546) and 6.5 (£30,081) depending on experience.

The Digital and Technology cluster are looking to recruit a Research Officer that will strengthen and expand our areas of research. The cluster has four broad thematic areas of focus in line with the broader IDS strategy.

These are: digital economy, digital government and service delivery, digital citizenship and rights, and digital sustainability and resilience. Cutting across all of these thematic areas are key questions of power, politics and practices, and how these influence the contribution of digital technologies to development goals.

Current programmes include Making All Voices Count, a Grand Challenge on technology for transparency and accountability; work on real-time data in development. We are interested in how the digital revolution can be harnessed to address issues of inequality, inclusive societies and more sustainable development gains.

The individual will have a master's degree related to digital technology in an international development context. They will work on, support and develop cutting-edge research that will help to advance knowledge, shape policy and inspire practice around the possibilities and limitations offered by an increasingly digital world.

The work of the Digital and Technology cluster is firmly aligned with the core IDS strategic themes of curbing inequalities, accelerating sustainability, and building inclusive and secure societies. It is essential that the successful candidate have demonstrable understanding and experience of research and analysis of digital technologies in relation to one or more of these themes.

Closing date: Friday 24 June at 10:00 UK time

Interview date: TBC.

Application forms for these two IDS jobs can be accessed at:

<http://www.ids.ac.uk/about-us/working-for-us/jobs>

IDS PUBLICATIONS

Tadros, M. and Selby, J. (2016) *Ruptures and Ripple Effects in the Middle East and Beyond*, IDS Bulletin 47.3, Brighton: IDS
<http://bulletin.ids.ac.uk/idsbo/issue/view/217>

Carey, R. and Li, X. (2016) *Understanding the BRICS Evolving Influence and Role in Global Governance and Development*, IDS Policy Briefing 119, Brighton: IDS
<http://www.ids.ac.uk/publication/understanding-the-brics-evolving-influence-and-role-in-global-governance-and-development>

McGranahan, G. (2016) *The Role of Cities and Urbanisation in Achieving Development Goals*, IDS Evidence Report 192, Brighton: IDS
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EXTERNAL VACANCIES

CARE is looking for a Principal Investigator (consultant) to conduct a baseline assessment for the Southern Africa Nutrition Initiative project funded by Global Affairs Canada. The Principal Investigator will manage an assessment team working across Mozambique, Zambia and Malawi. Full terms of reference should be requested by email, geoffrey.kumwenda@care.org Closing date: 17 June.

The Ford Foundation vacancies:

- **CEG Program Officer (United States)** to inform work on expanding participation—promoting increased and greater representation in elections and agendas which reflect the public interest-- particularly to develop a body of work focused on promoting voting rights and other aspects of non-partisan democratic practice in the US—registering voters, increased participation/debate in primaries, connecting voting to issues people care about -- and contributing to efforts on to reduce the undue influence of money in politics; and develop/test/demonstrate models of powerful civic engagement with governments in the US.
- **CEG Program Officer (Global)** to inform work on encouraging development of more progressive tax and budget systems; advancing fairer frameworks/specific proposals for reducing global tax avoidance; and building legitimacy of civil society in communities globally and testing models of powerful civic engagement with government. The Global CEG Program Officer will also help link the CEG work of Ford's eleven offices globally and engage in relevant global platforms in a manner which draws in voices and perspectives from the Global South.

Full details at: www.fordfoundation.org/careers Closing date: 8 July.

Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC) have eight new vacancies for their **Advisory Committee**. Further details, including vacancy specifications and application forms are currently available on at: <http://www.esrc.ac.uk/about-us/governance-and-structure/advisory-committees/> For further information, please contact: Committeerecruitment@esrc.ac.uk Closing date: 27 June.

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