Institute of Development Studies

# YELLOW MONDAY

WEEK BEGINNING 19 SEPTEMBER 2011

## IDS DIARY

**Monday 19 September**
**DPhil work in progress seminar,** 'Interplay of Urban Land Tenurial Systems and its Effects on Residents: A Case of Manzini in Swaziland', Hloniphile Simelane. 13.00 in Room 120. All welcome.

**IDS at the Party Political Conferences, 'Is Business the new Aid'**

- **Monday 19 September**
  **IDS at Liberal Democrat Party Conference.** 13.00 to 14.00 in Room 107, Jurys Inn, 245 Broad Street, Birmingham.
- **Monday 26 September**
  **IDS at Labour Party Conference.** 19.30 to 21.00 in the Grace Suite 2, Hilton Hotel, Liverpool.
- **Tuesday 3 October**
  **IDS at the Conservative Party Conference.** 19.30 to 21.00, Exchange 4 & 5, Manchester Central, Manchester.

**Friday 6 October**
**KNOTS Seminar,** 'Five Steps Backward: How Women Become Second-rate Citizens of Globalisation', Laura María Agustín, (PhD, Open University). 13.00 to 14.30 in the KNOTS meeting area. All welcome.

## IDS MEMBERS

Many congratulations to **Stephen Greenberg** on having been awarded the DPhil degree. Thesis title: *Land Reform, Space and Power in Makhado Municipality, Limpopo, South Africa.*

**Terry Cannon** will be in York for the annual meeting of the DSA (with EADI) from 19 to 20 September, then to The Hague for a Partners for Resilience workshop to present SCR from 21 to 23 September. On the 26 to 27 September he will be in Geneva meeting with International Federation of Red Cross to wrap up a report on Vulnerability and climate change.

**Julie Brittain** and **Siobhan Duvigneau** will be in Cairo, from 25 to 28 September. This is a scoping visit with GDNet to develop a series of modules to build the search skills of researchers in Africa and the Middle East.

**Robert Chambers** is in New Delhi from 9 to 22 September, to facilitate workshops for Praxis and undertake CLTS fieldwork.

**Mark Davies, Rachel Sabates-Wheeler, Stephen Devereux, Keetie Roelen** and **Robert Nurick** will be in Addis Ababa from 26 September to 7 October to present a Training of Trainers course and a Social Protection course on behalf of the World Food Programme.

**Richard Jolly** will be joining others for the opening day of the DSA/EADI triennial conference in York. Richard will chair the Dudley Seers Memorial lecture and introduce Edgar Morin, the distinguished French philosopher who will give the lecture. Dudley was the first President of EADI from 1975-78.

## IDS MEMBERS (CONT.)

**Akshay Khanna** was in Lithuania to undertake meetings with a number of human rights and LGBT organisations, followed by meetings with HIVOS in Amsterdam from 8 to 17 September.

**Marjoke Oosterom** will be in the Hague from 14 to 16 September at a Hivos conference on global rights and needs.

**Ian Scoones** will be in Harare, from 27 September to 8 October, to continue his work on Zimbabwe's land reform.

**Alex Shankland** will be attending the Oslo Governance Forum from 2 to 5 October 2. He will then be in São Paulo and Brasília from 6 to 18 October to facilitate a Bellagio Global Consultation event and to carry out research on Brazilian engagements in African agriculture for the Future Agricultures Consortium.

**Alan Stanley** is in York, from 18 to 22 September, attending the DSA/EADI Conference.

**Mariz Tadros** was in Amman from 8 to 11 September, to pursue avenues of cooperation with local partners and in Cairo from 11 to 16 September convening a writeshop on the Arab Uprising.

## NEW WORK IN PRINT

Hammill, A. and Tanner T.M. (2011) *Harmonising Climate Risk Management: Adaptation Screening and Assessment Tools for Development Co-operation, OECD Environment Working Paper* 36, ENV/WKP (2011) 6. OECD, Paris. www.oecd-ilibrary.org/environment/harmonising-climate-risk-management_5kg706918zvl-en

Urban, F. Nordensvärd, J. Wang, Y. Khatri, D. and Mohan, C. (2011) *China and the African Oil Sector: Channels of Engagement, Motives, Actors and Impacts, IDS Working Paper* 374, Brighton: IDS

Nordensvärd, J. and Urban, F. (2011) *The Ambiguous Role of Corporations in Climate Change Mitigation: An Explorative Appraisal of Corporations in China,* Malaysia and the US', *IDS Working Paper* 373, Brighton: IDS

Urban, F. Mohan, G. and Zhang, Y. (2011) *The Understanding and Practice of Development in China and the European Union, IDS Working Paper* 372, Brighton: IDS

Roelen, K. (2011) *Stopping Child Poverty in its Tracks: The Role for Social Protection in Vietnam, IDS Working Paper* 371, Brighton: IDS

## DETAILS

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**Christian Aid – Haiti** are looking for a **Deputy Country Manager (Emergencies).** Candidates will be proven leaders and strategic managers to head up a team of emergency programme and disaster risk reduction professionals, developing and coordinating CA's humanitarian response in Haiti. For detailed job description and instructions on how to apply, please visit: www.oxfordhr.co.uk **Closing date: 23 September.**

**Comic Relief** is looking to engage an M&E and learning consultancy to support an ongoing evaluation of its devolved grantmaking initiative to African grantmakers 2011 to 2014, and to generate evidence on the role that African grant makers play in supporting local civil society to tackle poverty and injustice in Africa. Full details from Joanna Monaghan at: j.monaghan@comicrelief.com or on 00 4420 7820 2744.
**Closing date: 30 September.**

**The HIV Aids Alliance** are looking for a **Programme Assistant – Africa Regional Programmes**. The Programme Assistant will be responsible for providing administrative, logistical and programmatic support to the Africa Regional Programmes. The role focuses on the delivery and reporting of regional programmes as well as supporting the geographical team.
For more details visit: www.aidsalliance.org **Closing date: 27 September.**

**The International Budget Partnership (IBP)** is looking for a **Consultant** to provide technical assistance to civil society partners collaborating on a Budget Transparency Assessment Project targeting sub-national levels of governments. Total consultant effort is estimated at 100 days between September 2011 and August 2013. Full details at: www.internationalbudget.org.

**Research Assistant Consultancy** opportunity with the International Initiative for 3ie for a short-term position with its systematic review programme. Degree in social science, excellent writing skills and attention to detail required. To apply, please submit cover letter, CV, and the names and contact information of two references to: Ms. Ami Bhavsar, at abhavsar@3ieimpact.org More information available at: www.3ieimpact.org/userfiles/doc/ToR_RA_FFS_3ie.pdf
**Closing date: 26 September.**

**Save the Children UK's Advocacy Department** is currently advertising a 12-month contract for the role of **Advocacy Adviser, Health (Ref: 6690)**. The candidate will have prior experience in a NGO, public policy or similar environment, preferably with a health background and/or experience in health research or health financing. The post-holder will be responsible for contributing to the effectiveness of our global advocacy; identifying targets and processes to influence policy formulation; and designing, managing and implementing advocacy strategies focused around child survival (the organisation's largest single strategic priority over the next decade).
Full details at: www.savethechildren.org.uk **Closing date: 28 September.**

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