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SECURING DEVELOPMENT IN AN UNSTABLE WORLD

Sunday, May 22

- 5:00 pm Pre-registration of participants and welcome drink at the Royal Tropical Institute (KIT), Marble Hall
- 6:00 pm Welcome: **Ian GOLDIN**, Vice President for External Affairs, Communications and United Nations Affairs, The World Bank and **Duco STADIG**, Alderman of the City of Amsterdam
- 6:30 pm Canal boat tour – welcome cocktail offered by the City of Amsterdam

Monday, May 23

- 7:30 am Registration

7:30-8:45 am **BREAKFAST MEETING**

THE EMPLOYMENT CHALLENGE IN THE MIDDLE EAST & NORTH AFRICA: THE NEW SOCIAL CONTRACT (*room: Raadzaal*)

- Organizer: **Eberhard KIENLE**, Institut de Recherches et d'Études sur le Monde Arabe et Musulman, France
- Speakers: **Steven HEYDEMANN**, Georgetown University, USA
Ibrahim AWAD, International Labour Organization (ILO), Egypt
Tarik YOUSEF, Georgetown University, USA

9:00-9:30 am **OPENING SESSION** (*room: Large Hall*)

- Welcome: **Jean-François RISCHARD**, Vice President for Europe, The World Bank
- Opening Address: **Agnes VAN ARDENNE**, Minister for Development Cooperation, The Netherlands

9:30-10:00 am **KEYNOTE ADDRESS** (*room: Large Hall*)

Speaker: **François BOURGUIGNON**, Chief Economist and Senior Vice President,
The World Bank

Chair: **Ad MELKERT**, Executive Director for The Netherlands, The World Bank

10:00-11:15 am **PLENARY SESSION I** (*room: Large Hall*)

MACROECONOMIC VULNERABILITY

Chair: **Norbert MAO**, Member of Parliament, Uganda

Speaker: **Patrick GUILLAUMONT**, President, Center for Study and Research for International
Development (CERDI), University of Clermont Ferrand, France

Discussants: **Duncan GREEN**, Head of Research, Oxfam, United Kingdom

Jorge BRAGA DE MACEDO, President, Tropical Research Institute, Portugal

11:15-11:45 am **KEYNOTE ADDRESS** (*room: Large Hall*)

**DEVELOPMENT IN AN UNSTABLE WORLD: A JAPANESE EXPERIENCE TO PROMOTE
HUMAN SECURITY**

Speaker: **Hisashi OWADA**, Judge, International Court of Justice, and Former Vice Minister for
Foreign Affairs, Japan

Chair: **Jean-Christophe BAS**, Manager, Development Policy Dialogue, The World Bank

11:45-1:00 pm **PARALLEL SESSIONS: FIRST SERIES**

**CHINA AND WORLD ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: A VIEW FROM LATIN AMERICA AND
OTHER EMERGING MARKETS** (*room: Kleine Zaal*)

Organizers: **Researchers Alliance for Development (RAD)**

Javier SANTISO, Chief Economist for Latin America, Banco Bilbao Vizcaya
Argentaria (BBVA), Spain

Chair: **Eliana A. CARDOSO**, Fundação Getúlio Vargas (FGV), Brazil

Speakers: **Alicia GARCIA HERRERO**, Banco de España, Spain

Javier SANTISO, Chief Economist for Latin America, (BBVA), Spain

Discussants: **Bert HOFMAN**, Lead Economist, The World Bank

Helmut REISEN, Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
(OECD)Development Centre

THE FUTURE OF AID BEYOND WASHINGTON CONSENSUS (*room: Mauritszaal*)

Organizer: **Jürgen ZATTLER**, Ministry for Development Cooperation (BMZ), Germany
Chair: **Boris PLESKOVIC**, Research Manager, Development Economics, The World Bank
Speakers: **Arabella FRASER**, OXFAM, United Kingdom
Ann HARRISON, University of California, USA
Discussant: **Jürgen ZATTLER**, Ministry for Development Cooperation (BMZ), Germany

MOVING OUT OF POVERTY (*room: Bestuurskamer*)

Organizer/
Chair: **Xavier GODINOT**, Director, Research and Training Institute, International
Movement ATD Fourth World, France
Speaker: **Claude HEYBERGER**, International Movement ATD Fourth World, France
Patricia HEYBERGER, International Movement ATD Fourth World, France
Sandra SANDVIK, International Movement ATD Fourth World, France
Discussant: **Alexandre KOLEV**, Economist, The World Bank

SYNERGIES BETWEEN PRIVATE INVESTMENT AND FOREIGN AID (*room: Large Hall*)

Organizer: **French Development Agency (AFD)**, France
Chair: **Maggie KIGOZI**, Executive Director, Uganda Investment Authority (UIA), Uganda
Speakers: **Pierre JACQUET**, Executive Director (Strategy) and Chief Economist, French
Development Agency (AFD), France
Michael KLEIN, Vice President for Private Sector Development, The World Bank,
and Chief Economist, International Finance Corporation (IFC)
Discussants: **Masahiro KAWAI**, University of Tokyo, Japan
Michael ROESKAU, Director, Development Cooperation Directorate, Organization for
Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD)

**ACCOUNTABILITY MECHANISMS FOR MULTILATERAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
AND THE PRIVATE SECTOR** (*room: Raadzaal*)

Organizer/
Chair/Speaker: **Maartje VAN PUTTEN**, Former Member Inspection Panel, The World Bank
Discussant: **Luigi LA MARCA**, European Investment Bank, Luxembourg
Noble WADZAH, Friends of the Earth, Ghana
Roberto DUMAS DAMAS, Banco Itau BBA, Brazil

1:00-2:00 pm Lunch (*room: Marble Hall*)

2:15-3:30 pm PLENARY SESSION II (*room: Large Hall*)

VULNERABILITY: A MICRO PERSPECTIVE

Chair: **Isobel FRYE**, National Labor and Economic Development Institute (NALEDI), South
Africa
Speaker: **Stefan DERCON**, Oxford University, United Kingdom
Discussants: **Paul MOSLEY**, Sheffield University, United Kingdom
Richard WILCOX, Special Program Director, World Food Program

3:30-4:15 pm Screening of the film: “Africa: Open for Business” directed by **Carol PINEAU** with comments from **Nathan NABETA**, State Minister for Trade, Uganda
(room: Large Hall)

4:15-4:45 pm **KEYNOTE ADDRESS** (room: Large Hall)

THE OTHER PATH TO DEVELOPMENT: PRIVATE SECTOR DEVELOPMENT

Speaker: **Gerrit ZALM**, Minister of Finance, The Netherlands

Chair: **Michael KLEIN**, Vice President, Private Sector Development, The World Bank, and Chief Economist, International Finance Corporation

5:00-6:30 pm **PARALLEL SESSIONS: SECOND SERIES**

NEW APPROACHES FOR REDUCING MICRO VULNERABILITY (room: Bestuurskamer)

Organizer/ Chair: **Jan Willem GUNNING**, Free University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Speakers: **Imran MATIN**, Bangladesh Rural Advancement Committee (BRAC), Bangladesh
Xavier GINE, Economist, The World Bank

Discussant: **Toon BULLENS**, Interpolis Reinsurance/ Rabobank, The Netherlands

BANKING THE POOR: THE PIVOTAL ROLE OF FINANCIAL SECTOR DEVELOPMENT IN REACHING THE MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS

(room: Raadzaal)

Organizer: **Jacco KNOTNERUS**, Director, Netherlands Financial Sector Development Exchange (NFX), The Netherlands

Chair: **Michael BARTH**, Senior Advisor, Darby Overseas Ltd., USA

Speakers: **Josien SLUIJS**, Senior Project Manager, Rabo International Advisory Services, The Netherlands

Hans BOON, Advisory, ING Postbank, The Netherlands

Discussant: **Marcelo CASTELLANOS**, Former Deputy CEO of Banco de Credito de Bolivia, Bolivia

INFRASTRUCTURE REGULATION, CORRUPTION AND POVERTY**SESSION IN MEMORY OF THE WORK OF J.J. LAFFONT**(room: Mauritszaal)

Organizer/

Chair: **Antonio ESTACHE**, Senior Advisor, Infrastructure Vice Presidency, The World BankSpeakers: **Paul SEABRIGHT**, Institut d'Economie Industrielle, France**Waly WANE**, Economist, The World BankDiscussants: **Anastasia KARTASHEVA**, Georgia State University, USA**Lucia QUESADA**, Wisconsin University, USA**Xinzhu ZHANG**, Beijing University, China**LABOR MARKETS: SECURITY AND SOCIAL PROTECTION IN THE INFORMAL SECTOR**

(room: Large Hall)

Organizer: **Researchers Alliance for Development (RAD)**Chair: **Verena SCHMIDT**, Bureau for Workers' Activities (ACTRAV) / International Labour Organization (ILO)Speakers: **Carmen PAGES**, Senior Labor Market Economist, The World Bank**Stefano SCARPETTA****, Lead Economist, The World BankDiscussants: **Wim DE GROOF**, World Confederation of Labor (CWL), Belgium**Johannes JUETTING**, Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) Development Centre**REGIONAL SESSION: FOCUS ON AFRICA** (room: Kleine Zaal)Organizer: **Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) Development Centre**Chair: **Helmut REISEN**, Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) Development CentreSpeakers: **Nick AMIN**, Commission for Africa Secretariat, United Kingdom**Lucia WEGNER**, Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) Development CentreDiscussants: **Yusuf DODIA**, Private Sector Development Association, Zambia**Leo DE HAAN**, African Studies Center Leiden, The Netherlands**6:30 pm** *Buses will be departing at 6:30 pm for the Award ceremony and Reception***7:00 pm** Award ceremony of the Amsterdam Institute for International Development (AIID) / The World Bank Thesis Competition for best Masters and PhD thesis on development. Awards will be given by **François BOURGUIGNON**, Chief Economist and Senior Vice President, The World Bank
Venue: Singel 411 (corner of Spui), Amsterdam**8:00 pm** Reception at the Hall of the University of Amsterdam, hosted by AIID and The World Bank