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Full conference programme

Venue: Stockholm University, Frescati, Stockholm
(For location of specific venues, see maps at the end)

Monday August 22nd 2016

11:00-12:45  Registration – Aula Magna
13:00-14:00  Opening session – Aula Magna
   Speakers: Astrid Söderbergh Widding, Vice-Chancellor, Stockholm University
   Sven Stafström, Director General, Swedish Research Council
   Charlotte Petri Gornitzka, Director General, Sida
   Ilda Lindell, Chair of the Organizing Committee
14:00-15:30  Keynote lecture – Aula Magna
   ‘Addressing Discrimination on the Basis of Gender: Towards a More Just and Equal World for All.’ Professor Andrea Cornwall, University of Sussex.
   Chair: Seema Arora-Jonsson, Swedish Univ. Agric. Sciences
15:30-16:00  Coffee – Geo-Science Building, houses Y & U
16:00-17:30  Parallel sessions – Geo-Science Building, houses Y & U
   Panels 1a, 2, 5, 6, 11, 20a, 21, 28, 36, 37
18:30-      Conference dinner, Lantis Rest. (for pre-paid participants)

Tuesday August 23rd 2016

09:00-10:30  Keynote lecture – Aula Magna
   Chair: Steve Lyon, Stockholm University
10:30-11:00  Coffee – houses Y & U (Reception/registration desk moves to house Y, lobby)
11:00-12:30  Parallel sessions – houses Y & U: Panels 1b, 7a, 10, 20b, 27a, 29a, 31, 33, 42
12:30-14:00  Lunch break
14:00-15:30  Parallel sessions – houses Y & U: Panels 7b, 8, 9a, 12a, 26, 27b, 29b, 35, 39
15:30-16:00  Coffee – houses Y & U
16:00-17:30  Parallel sessions – houses Y & U: Panels 9b, 12b, 13, 16, 24, 25, 29c, 30, 40

Wednesday August 24th 2016

09:00-10:30  Parallel sessions – houses Y & U: Panels 3/15, 17, 23, 32, 34, 41, 43, 45, 46
10:30-10:45  Coffee – houses Y & U
11:00-12:30  Final plenary rountable – G-salen, Svante Arrhenius väg 20C (see campus map).
   ‘What role for research in the new policy context?’
12:30-14:00  Lunch break
14:00-15:00  Networking Events – houses Y & U
Welcome to the Development Research Conference 2016


The conference aims to provide a multi-disciplinary forum for networking and intellectual exchange among scholars who conduct research in and of relevance to low-income countries and/or engage in capacity-building collaborations. The conference also intends to offer a platform for interaction between development researchers, policy makers, practitioners and other non-academic actors.

Development visions have gained momentum with the setting up of a new global agenda. While significant international consensus was attained around a set of normative goals (the SDG’s), their materialization calls for serious reflection. One critical set of challenges relates to bridging global goals and visions, on the one hand, and local practices, realities and conditions, on the other. Ultimately, the outcomes of this global agenda depend upon the processes through which it is implemented and embedded in concrete settings. Global visions are modified by local contexts, producing a range of unintended and diverse outcomes. Local settings are characterized by an immense diversity in modes of life, physical environments and technical systems, which invites a consideration of a diversity of paths towards improved futures. Actors at the local level may embrace, appropriate or resist global agendas. Opportunities and risks for marginalized and vulnerable groups – the key targets of the new global agenda – are of particular concern. Also important is how their own innovations and everyday practices in a wide range of spheres (environmental, health, social and other practices) can be harnessed, their capacities and knowledges mobilized and how they can influence strategies and interventions seeking to materialize global development goals.

An emphasis on the encounter between current global visions and local contexts does not, however, entail that the great global-local challenges of our time can be solved at one specific scale. It rather actualizes long-standing questions about processes, structures and relations at multiple scales that work against, or alternatively open new avenues towards more just and sustainable futures.

There is an acute need for reflection concerning the role of knowledge production in the new policy context. How can the competences of a broad and diverse Swedish academic community be mobilized and shape Swedish global policies and interventions? Can opportunities for critical independent research be secured? Researchers may contribute to the development of indicators, to the assessment of opportunities, risks and impacts relating to the new global agenda, but they may also reflect upon the assumptions and notions of progress underlying their own work and the new agenda and its implementation.

Ilda Lindell
Chair of the Organizing Committee
Keynote lectures (see speakers’ bios on conference webpage)

‘Addressing Discrimination on the Basis of Gender: Towards a More Just and Equal World for All’. Professor Andrea Cornwall, University of Sussex.
Time and venue: 22nd August 2016, 14:00-15:30, Aula Magna

In this presentation, I will reflect on the contribution that SDG5 can make to creating a more just and equal world for all. I will look at the way in which women’s empowerment is framed in the language and targets of the goal, drawing on the findings of the Pathways of Women’s Empowerment research programme which, over the last decade, has sought to understand what works in achieving women’s economic, political and sexual empowerment. I will analyse what SDG5 adds to previous commitments, such as MDG Goal 3, and will identify what’s missing - and why that matters. I will suggest that the concept of “gender equality” has contributed to making more visible the need to see changing power structures and relations as vital. But, I will suggest, the way in which questions of gender have been taken up by development agencies places limits on their capacity to address the injustices and inequalities that arise from the effects of multiple and intersecting forms of discrimination, including discrimination on the basis of gender.

Time and venue: 23rd August 2016, 9:00-10:30, Aula Magna

There is great concern today over how to guide our responses to global challenges like climate change, urbanization, trans-boundary resource sharing and social inequalities. International conventions, institutions and conceptual frameworks are proliferating, all sharing a common objective: to bring ever larger groups of people together to agree on upon a set of goals and pathways to change. The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) need to be seen as part of that wider endeavour to tackle the grand challenges of our time with a global response. These conventions, institutions and frameworks cannot be taken as simply positive developments in international development cooperation, however. Rather, they reflect a set of unacknowledged assumptions about the scale at which problems should be conceived and addressed, (the global scale), and the actors who should be guiding our responses, (those who travel in global circles). This emphasis on the international and the global is leading to a politics of rescaling. The agenda for change is increasingly being taken out of the hands of small groups of people, of local authorities and even nation-states and placed within global conventions and institutions. This paper probes some of the implications of this politics of rescaling. It takes the case of climate change adaptation and mitigation development programs in Nepal and east Africa and explores how they reshape the institutions, actors and logics that underpin governance of resources. It argues that while on the one hand we need to embrace global cooperation. On the other hand, we also need to be attentive to the implications for democracy, participation and smaller scale innovation that such a rescaling of governance entails.
**Plenary roundtable** – 24th August, 11:00–12:30, G-salen

*What role for research in the new policy context?*

The panel addresses the prospects for and obstacles to developing fruitful arenas for interaction between research and policy. There is an acute need for reflection about the role of knowledge production in a new policy context – a context dominated by discussions about the Agenda 2030 and the Swedish global development policy framework now in progress. Critical questions include: What should the role of research be? Through what means can the relation between research and policy be strengthened (and what stands in the way)? How can a greater diversity of perspectives and competences in the academic community participate in policy debates? How can the role of universities and university-based research as important sources of knowledge for development policy and practice be strengthened? These questions relate to rising pressures for “useful” or “relevant” research and “research impacts” as well as to growing expectations for “knowledge-based policy” - and related assumptions.

Speakers from both research and policy circles will make short interventions on these questions. This will be followed by general discussion and contributions from the audience.

Convener: Ilda Lindell, Stockholm University.
Chair: Thomas Rosswall, Chair of Sida’s Research Council.
Speakers: Kerstin Sahlin, The Swedish Research Council; Ebrima Sall, CODESRIA; Johan Lindquist, Stockholm University; Anna-Maria Oltorp, Sida; Måns Nilsson, SEI; Stefan Isaksson, Swedish Ministry for Foreign Affairs; Gun-Britt Andersson, Expert Group for Aid Studies.

**Events & exhibitions**

**Networking events** – 24th August, 14:00–15:00

- International agricultural research for sustainability: Future development of Swedish collaboration with CGIAR. Venue: De Geer lecture hall, house Y.
- Psychologists without Borders. Venue: Högbom lecture hall, house U.

**Photographic exhibition** – 22nd to 24th August. Room Y10.
"Work and Leisure in Africa". By Jorge Coelho Ferreira. Details on the conference webpage.

**Publisher exhibition** – 22nd to 24th August. House Y, 2nd floor.

**Poster exhibition** – 22nd to 24th August. Room Y21 (list below)
Panels by date

22 AUG. 16:00-17:30

PANEL 1A: Starting from the local: avoiding, accommodating and/or overcoming global visions for science and development.

PANEL 2: Where are we now? The past and the future of Swedish development research collaboration.

PANEL 5: Infrastructure and the political ordering of development.

PANEL 6: Antibiotic resistance and measures to control its consequences – need for a multidisciplinary approach.

PANEL 11: From the failures of anti-politics to the promise of cash transfer: James Ferguson and the development encounter.

PANEL 20A: Air quality and climate effects in low income countries: from observations to policy in a post-COP21 world.

PANEL 21: Ecosystem services and disservices from a farmer’s perspective in agro-ecological landscapes.

PANEL 28: Seeking assistance: inequalities in accountability and service provision.

PANEL 36: Food and water security via viable business models.

PANEL 37: Culture & media for development.

23 AUG. 11:00-12:30

PANEL 1B: Starting from the local: avoiding, accommodating and/or overcoming global visions for science and development.

PANEL 7A: Contested urban visions in the Global South.

PANEL 10: Establishing participatory processes in ecosystem-based agricultural management strategies.

PANEL 20B: Air quality and climate effects in low income countries: from observations to policy in a post-COP21 world.

PANEL 27A: Democracy and development revisited.

PANEL 29A: Food security and improved nutrition for the poor – a multidisciplinary research task.

PANEL 31: Global challenges for development research: lessons from North-South collaborations.

PANEL 33: Climate information for food security in developing countries.

PANEL 42: Disaster and health.

23 AUG. 14:00-15:30

PANEL 7B: Contested urban visions in the Global South.
PANEL 8: Land and resource tenure rights in the context of new global development agendas.

PANEL 9A: The sustainable development goals: from global to local governance.

PANEL 12A: The donor-recipient relationship: national ownership and extensive donor presence.

PANEL 26: Understanding behaviour and choice in context: accessing local knowledge to enhance energy access and sanitation interventions.

PANEL 27B: Democracy and development revisited.

PANEL 29B: Food security and improved nutrition for the poor – a multidisciplinary research task.

PANEL 35: Air quality and well-being in cities.

PANEL 39: One health.

23 AUG. 16:00-17:30

PANEL 9B: The sustainable development goals: from global to local governance.

PANEL 12B: The donor-recipient relationship: national ownership and extensive donor presence.

PANEL 13: Looking for opportunities and creating new urbanism in the developing countries: local dynamics and policy implications.

PANEL 16: Pneumonia in children below the age of five and their mothers.

PANEL 24: The rural household – an energy and food security nexus of global importance.

PANEL 25: Violence as a threat to mental health, economic growth and social stability, with intergenerational effects.

PANEL 29C: Food security and improved nutrition for the poor – a multidisciplinary research task.

PANEL 30: Peacebuilding amidst violence – localizing the security-development nexus.

PANEL 40: Sheltering and development.

24 AUG. 09:00-10:30

PANEL 3/15: Environmental migration and governance in Africa.

PANEL 17: Transformation of knowledge to enhance local capacity for sustainable water development.

PANEL 23: The politics of hybridity in everyday Africa: informalization and security and development.

PANEL 32: Aid in local contexts.

PANEL 34: Bridging the gap between water, sanitation and food production for improved food and nutrition security.

PANEL 41: Prediction and preparedness against emerging zoonotic infections.
PANEL 43: Improving school education outcomes: evidence, knowledge gaps, and policy implications.

PANEL 45: Transdisciplinary co-production: innovative methodologies for just urban transformations.

PANEL 46: Knowledge production, regional research organizations and the bridging of the local–global chasm in development cooperation.

NOTE: Panel and paper abstracts, list of participants and their institutional affiliations are available on the conference webpage.

Panels by number

PANEL 1: Starting from the local: avoiding, accommodating and/or overcoming global visions for science and development. Conveners: Eren Zink, Uppsala University (UU).

Session A: 22 Aug., 16:00-17:30, De Geer lecture hall, house U

- **International science partners and local scientific ambitions: A comparative study of scientists in Vietnam, Uganda and Ghana.** Eren Zink, UU.
- **How to be modern? The social negotiation of ‘good food’ in contemporary China.** Joy Zhang, Univ. of Kent.
- **Will Adapting Universal Solutions To Local Context Fill The Bottle? Insights from Female Genital Modification Patterns in Uganda.** Chris C. Opesen, Makerere Univ.
- **Exploring grounded architectural practice to support transitions toward sustainable urbanism in Cape Town.** Rudolf Perold, Cape Peninsula Univ. of Technology.

Session B: 23 Aug., 11:00-12:30, De Geer lecture hall, house U

- **Brokers, smallholders’ weapons to bridge the gap between local reality and the national and the global: the impact of bureaucracy and the role of brokers in a community based forest management project in the Brazilian Amazon.** Örjan Bartholdson, The Swedish Univ. of Agricultural Sciences (SLU).
- **Transformation of Small-scale Fisheries – Critical Transdisciplinary Challenges and Possibilities.** Gloria L. Gallardo Fernández, UU and Fred Saunders, Södertörn Univ.
- **Illegal livelihoods in African borderlands.** Eria Olowo Onyango, Makerere Univ.
- **Harmonizing the governance of food security and biodiversity: a multi-level stakeholder network analysis in Ethiopia.** Tolera Senbeto Jiren, Ine Dorresteijn, Julia Leventon, Arvid Bergsten and Joern Fischer, Leuphana Univ.

PANEL 2: Where are we now? The past and the future of Swedish development research collaboration. Conveners: David Nilsson and Sverker Sörlin, Royal Inst. Technology (KTH).

Time and Venue: 22 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Nordenskiöld lecture hall, house U

- **Research Aid Revisited: Understanding Swedish research aid in the current state of world development through a historically grounded analysis.** Sverker Sörlin and David Nilsson, KTH.
- **Aiding science? Past and present discourses of Swedish research aid policy.** Veronica Brodén Gyberg, Linköping Univ.
- **International agricultural research - the past, present and future of Sweden’s engagement in the CGIAR.** Johanna Lindahl, International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI), Kenya/SLU and Mats Lannerstad, ILRI, Kenya.
- **The donor-recipient relationship: national ownership and extensive donor presence.** Måns Fellesson, Swedish Ministry for Foreign Affairs/ Linköping Univ.
Time and Venue: 24 Aug., 09:00-10:30, Room U26

- **Revisiting drivers for Environmental Migration in Africa.** Gunilla A. Olsson, UG.
- **The dynamics of internal migration – the case of Shashemene, Ethiopia, 1973-2008.** Gunilla Bjerén, Stockholm Univ..
- **Exploring the role of droughts in human migration in Ethiopia. A case study in South Wollo, northern Ethiopia.** Lisa Garbe, Helmholtz Centre for Environmental Research (UFZ).
- **Labour migration, rural-urban linkages and food security in India.** Chetan Choithani, University of Sydney; Nabeela Ahmed and Priya Deshingkar, Univ. of Sussex.
- **The effects of international migration on human development in the countries of origin: evidence from Cameroon.** Kouogueng Yeyouomo, Min. Econ., Planning and Regional Development, Cameroon / Inst. for Demographic Training and Research (IFORD).

PANEL 5: Infrastructure and the political ordering of development. Conveners: Jan Bachmann, Univ. Gothenburg (UG); Jan A Scholte, UG and Peer Schouten, Danish Institute of International Studies (DIIS). Time and Venue: 22 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Högbom lecture hall, house U

- **Political engineering: exploring the co-production of infrastructure, security and political order in Western statebuilding efforts in Africa.** Jan Bachmann, UG and Peer Schouten, DIIS.
- **Infrastructure for (Under)Development: The Global South in Global Internet Governance.** Jan Aart Scholte, UG.
- **State-Driven Large-Scale Irrigation Scheme and Smallholder Farmers in the Lake Tana Basin, Ethiopia.** Atakilte Beyene, The Nordic Africa Institute.
- **China’s Export of Infrastructure-led Growth: Here Comes Noah’s Arc?** Yang Jiang, DIIS.

Time and Venue: 22 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Room Y22

- **Addressing Antimicrobial Resistance to attain the Sustainable Development Goals: What role should aid play?** Maria-Teresa Bejarano, Sida / KI.
- **Antibacterial Drug Resistance in Uganda, the way forward.** Freddie Bwanga, Makerere University.
- **Antibiotic Resistance in Nigeria: Causes and Possible Solutions.** Chiamaka Lucymary Okechukwu, formerly Abia State Univ.
- **Levels and trends of antibiotic resistance among clinical bacterial isolates in the district of Nashik, India in the period 2004-2014.** Ingvild Odsbu, KI.

PANEL 7: Contested urban visions in the Global South. Conveners: Ilda Lindell, Stockholm University (SU); Onyanta Adama, SU and Andrew Byerley, University of Gothenburg (UG). 
Session A: 23 Aug., 11:00-12:30, Högbom Lecture Hall, house U

- **Colliding aspirations of a “colonial” town.** Heidi Moksnes, SU.
- **Contesting the formalization of urban livelihoods.** Ana Maria Vargas Falla, Lund Univ./Univ. of Milan.
- **Small enterprises in urban areas between formalization policies and social protection needs. A discussion on the Ethiopian case.** Davide Chinigò, Stellenbosch Univ. and Cecilia Navarra, Univ. Torino.

Session B: 23 Aug., 14:00-15:30, Högbom Lecture Hall, house U

- **Who can claim the city? ‘Beirutis’ as a form of urban identity politics.** Leila Kabalan, American Univ. Beirut.
- **Strategy of informal housing development in Setif, Algeria.** Abderrahmane Diafat and Said Madani, Université F. A. Sétif 1, Algeria.
• **Housing markets dynamics in metropolitan Cochabamba: An apparently not too big, not too fragile, bubble.** Jorge M. Veizaga R., Univ. Mayor de San Simón, Bolivia.

• **The co-constitution of inequality in a fragile global city.** The case of Jakarta. Marie Thynell, UG.

**PANEL 8: Land and resource tenure rights in the context of new global development agendas.** Conveners: Robin Biddulph, Margareta Espling and Lasse Krantz, Univ. of Gothenburg (UG).

  **Time and Venue:** 23 Aug., 14:00-15:30, Room U26

  • **Community rights to land and forest, influencing conditions for climate adaptation in the uplands of Thailand and Vietnam.** Malin Beckman, Swedish Univ. of Agriculture Sciences (SLU).
  
  • **Implementing community-based tenure in practice: experiences from Mozambique.** Lasse Krantz, UG.
  
  • **How has the Tanzanian state coped with the demands of the Village Land Act? A literature review.** Robin Biddulph, UG.
  
  • **Climate change adaptation and mitigation through improved tenure security for small-scale agricultural producers.** Jesper Karlsson, FAO and Matthew Fielding, SEI.

**PANEL 9: The sustainable development goals: from global to local governance.** Conveners: Kristina Jönsson and Magdalena Bexell, Lund Univ. (LU).

  **Session A:** 23 Aug., 14:00-15:30, De Geer lecture hall, house U

  • **Legitimation of the Sustainable Development Goals: a conceptual framework.** Kristina Jönsson and Magdalena Bexell, LU.
  
  • **The United Nations Organization, SDGs, and National Development aspirations in Papua New Guinea.** Graham Hassall, Victoria University of Wellington.
  
  • **National and local public private partnerships for development (PPPD). A way to achieve the SDGs?** Virginia Rodriguez Nuño de la Rosa, University of Madrid.
  
  • **Toward a Conceptual Expansion of Ownership and Post-2015 Global Development Policy: Illustrations from the Jamaican Experience.** Vaughn F. Graham, University of the West Indies.

  **Session B:** 23 Aug., 16:00-17:30, De Geer lecture hall, house U

  • **Tackling the sanitation enigma: addressing barriers to change sanitation practices and hygiene behaviors in sub-Saharan Africa.** Nelson Ekane, Royal Institute of Technology (KTH); Marianne Kjellén, Stockholm International Water Institute and Hans Westlund, KTH.
  
  • **Global efforts towards quality education for all: Evidence and reflections from an international and comparative educational perspective.** Vinayagum Chinapah, Stockholm University.
  
  
  • **Eco-social work for poverty alleviation in coastal areas of Mauritius: from research to practice.** Komalsingh Rambaree, University of Gävle.


  **Time and Venue:** 23 Aug., 11:00-12:30, Room U26

  • **Enabling participatory environmental management strategies with monitoring and assessment.** Kevin Bishop, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (SLU).
  
  • **A participatory modelling approach to support integrated river basin management.** Orn-uma Polpanich, Uppsala Univ. (UU) and Steve W. Lyon, UU/SU.
  
  • **Forest to the People: Does Co-management ensure improved forest health in Bangladesh forest ecosystems?** Mohammad Belal Uddin, Shahjalal Univ. of Science and Technology.
  
  • **Community-based vulnerability assessment and measures to deal with the changing aquaculture ecosystem in the Philippines: a case of Magallanes, Sorsogon.** Rocelyn C. De Vera, Univ. Philippines.
• **Consequences and challenges of tourism and seaweed farming: a narrative on a coastal community in Zanzibar.** Eva Tobisson, Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Sweden.

**PANEL 11: From the failures of anti-politics to the promise of cash transfer: James Ferguson and the development encounter.** Conveners: Bengt G. Karlsson and Staffan Löfving, Stockholm Univ. (SU). **Time and Venue:** 22 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Y23

• **Unpacking the anti-politics of cash transfer: Latin American studies and the anthropology of James Ferguson.** Staffan Löfving, SU.

• **The function of Saami consultation processes in the governance of renewable energy development in Sweden.** Annett Sasvari, Uppsala University.

• **Seeing like a transnational state? Investigating Ferguson’s critique of Scott’s relevance in times of global capitalism.** Linda Engström, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (SLU).

• **From critiques of development interventions to the potentials of cash transfers – the similar trajectories of rural development debates and James Ferguson’s work.** Stefan Granlund and Flora Hajdu, SLU.

**PANEL 12: The donor-recipient relationship: national ownership and extensive donor presence.** Conveners: Malin Hasselskog and Isabell Schierenbeck, Univ. Gothenburg (UG).

**Session A:** 23 Aug., 14:00-15:30, Nordenskiöld lecture hall, house U

• **Putting Paris into practice: Foreign aid, national ownership and donor alignment in Mali and Ghana.** Stephen Brown, Univ. of Ottawa.

• **Development of health financing policies in Cambodia: Where is national ownership situated in the relationships between Development Partners and national counterparts?** Keovathanak Khim, Univ. of Health Sciences.

• **Aiding Regionalism in Africa from Outside: The Perils of Donor Control.** Fredrik Söderbaum, UG.

• **East Asian donor countries: More ownership and less interference?** Sabine Burghart, Univ. of Vienna.

**Session B:** 23 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Nordenskiöld lecture hall, house U

• **Decision making in aid dependent countries and the challenge for democracy, the case of Tanzania.** Jonas Ewald, Linnæus Univ.

• **Development relations and the results agenda – examples from Swedish development cooperation with Mozambique.** Therese Brolin, UG.

• **Doing good or looking good? The paradoxical function of international development communication abroad and at home.** Florencia Enghel, Stockholm Univ.

**PANEL 13: Looking for opportunities and creating new urbanism in the developing countries: local dynamics and policy implications.** Conveners: Patience Mususa, Cristina Rodrigues, Cristiano Lanzano, The Nordic Africa Institute. **Time and Venue:** 23 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Högbom lecture hall, house U

• **Towards resolving competing and conflicting interests for land in the peri-urban areas of Ethiopia in the era of rapid urbanization.** Achamyeleh Gashu Adam, Bahir Dar Univ.

• **The challenges of urbanization in a constantly evolving context. The constraints of urban management in the context of Djibouti.** Pascal Rey, ADESS Laboratory.

• **Planned city extensions as a response to rapid urbanization in the Philippines.** Carmeli Marie C. Chaves, Univ. of the Philippines.

• **Rapid assessment tool for traditional Indian neighbourhoods: a case study of Alwar walled city in Rajasthan.** Mani Dhirg, Indian Inst. of Technology.
PANEL 16: Pneumonia in children below the age of five and their mothers.
Convener: Rune Andersson, Univ. Gothenburg (UG). Time and Venue: 23 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Room Y11
- The burden of pathogenic microbes in Congolese children. Susann Skovbjerg, UG.
- Effectiveness of biogas in reducing household air pollution and child pneumonia in Nepal. Sharat C Verma, Univ. of California.
- Effects of household air pollution on airway symptoms in women cooks in Ethiopia. Mona Lärstad, UG.
- High antibiotic use and increasing rates of penicillin non-susceptible pneumococci in Tanzanian children after the vaccine introduction. Matilda Emgård, UG.

PANEL 17: Transformation of knowledge to enhance local capacity for sustainable water development.
Convener: Prosun Bhattacharya, Royal Institute of Technology (KTH). Time and Venue: 24 Aug., 09:00-10:30, Room U29
- Drinking water manganese and fetal and child health and development. Syed Moshfiqur Rahman, Uppsala Univ. (UU)/ICDDR; Maria Kippler, Karolinska Institutet (KI); Fahmida Tofail, ICDDR; Jena Derakhshani Hamadani, ICDDR; Shams El Arifeen, ICDDR; Lars-Åke Persson,UU; Eva-Charlotte Ekström, UU and Marie Vahter, KI.
- Understanding the extent of geogenic fluoride and arsenic in groundwaters of Tanzania-meeting the challenges for drinking water. Felix Mtalo, University of Dar es Salaam (UDS); Fanuel Ligate, Fina Lesafi, Regina Filemon and Julian Ijumulana UDS/KTH; and Prosun Bhattacharya, KTH.
- Groundwater contamination by arsenic and heavy metals in the Bolivian Altiplano - Outcomes of development research for enhancing local capacity for sustainable water development. Mauricio O. Muñoz and Israel Q. Lima, Univ. Mayor de San Andrés (UMSA)/KTH; Oswaldo Ramos and Jorge Quintanilla, UMSA; and Prosun Bhattacharya, KTH.
- Groundwater as resource for sustainable development- Understanding context for global development agenda and knowledge. Prosun Bhattacharya and Jochen Bundschuh, KTH/Univ. Southern Queensland.

PANEL 20: Air quality and climate effects in low income countries: from observations to policy in a post-COP21 world. Conveners: Örjan Gustafsson and August Andersson, Stockholm University (SU). Session A: 22 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Room Y11
- Air Pollution: Time For Phase-Out Has Finally Arrived. Veerabhadran Ramanathan, Univ. California.
- Air Pollution in Kenya: Knowledge Contribution by INST and Experienced Challenges. Michael J. Gatari Gichuru, Univ. of Nairobi.
- Remote tropical troposphere aerosol properties observed at high altitude stations in Venezuela and Bolivia, South America. Radovan Krejci, SU; Tina Schmeisser, Leibniz Inst. for Tropospheric Research (LITR); Johan Ström, SU; Alfred Wiedensohler, LITR; Thomas Hamburger, Norwegian Inst. Air Research; Silvia Calderon, Univ. Los Andes; Paolo Laj, Univ. Grenoble; Marcos Andrade, Fernando Velarde and Isabel Moreno, Univ. Mayor San Andres.
• **PM2.5 fine aerosol particles from long-range transport vs local sources over northern Indian Ocean: the Maldives.** Hameed Zahid, Maldives Meteorol. Service (MMS); August Andersson, SU; Krishnakant Budhavant, Maldives Climate Observatory at Hanimaadhoo (MCOH) and Örjan Gustafsson, SU.

**Session B:** 23 Aug., 11:00-12:30, Room Y11

• **Air pollution: a major environmental and societal problem in Nepal.** Maheswar Rupakheti, Inst. for Advanced Sustainability Studies.

• **Sources, transformations and sinks of black carbon aerosols at two South Asian receptor observatories.** K. B. Budhavant, MCOH; A. Andersson, SU; P. S. P. Rao and P. D. Safai, Indian Inst. of Tropical Meteorology; C. Leck and Ö. Gustafsson, SU.

• **Long-term record of connections between aerosols and weather at Hanimaadhoo, Maldives.** J, Kesti, E. Asmi, E. J. O’Connor and H. Lihavainen, Finnish Meteor. Inst.; Ö. Gustafsson, SU & K. Budhavant, MCOH.

• **Brown Clouds over South and East Asia: scientific needs with an emphasis on credible verification of both emission inventories and claims of mitigated emissions.** Örjan Gustafsson, August Andersson, Srinivas Bikkina, Wenzheng Fang, Sanjeev Dasari and Henry Holmstrand, Stockholm Univ.; Abdus Salam, and Imdad Shovon, Univ. of Dhaka; Krishnakant Budhvant, MCO and Hameed Zahid, MMS.

**PANEL 21: Ecosystem services and disservices from a farmer’s perspective in agro-ecological landscapes.** Conveners: Kristoffer Hylander, Ayco Tack and Lowe Börjeson, Stockholm Univ (SU). **Time and Venue:** 22 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Room U26

• **Integrating ecosystem services and disservices in cultural landscapes: a case study from southwest Ethiopia.** Ine Dorresteijn, Jannik Schultner, Neil Collier, Kristoffer Hylander, Feyera Senbeta, Joern Fischer, Leuphana Univ. Lueneburg.

• **The abundance and diversity of bees and pollination services in relation to forest cover in southwestern Ethiopia.** Ulrika Samnegård, SU.

• **Drivers and patterns of forest cover change since the late 1950s in southwest Ethiopia- deforestation, agricultural expansion, and coffee production.** Tola G. Ango, Kristoffer Hylander, Lowe Börjeson, SU.

• **On the use of evolutionary thought when managing agro-ecological landscapes.** Ayco Tack, SU.

**PANEL 23: The politics of hybridity in everyday Africa: informalization and security and development.** Convener: Susan T. Jackson, Stockholm Univ. (SU) and Stephen Marr, Malmö Högskola. **Time and Venue:** 24 Aug., 09:00-10:30, Ahlmann lecture hall, house U

• **Climate citizenship, inequality and infrastructure.** Stephen Marr, Malmö Univ..

• **Social media and performing informal security.** Susan T. Jackson, SU.

• **Women’s empowerment and business.** Catia Gregoratti and Katherine Allison, Lund Univ..

• **Child labor and informal weaving sector.** Garedew Yilma Desta, Lund Univ..

• **Community courts and truth telling.** Fabio Provenzano, Univ. of Copenhagen.

**PANEL 24: The rural household – an energy and food security nexus of global importance.** Convener: Erik Karlton, Swedish Univ. Agricultural Sciences (SLU). **Time and Venue:** 23 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Room U29.

• **An LCA-based evaluation of climate impact of biochar and charcoal in Kenyan smallholder farming households.** Petra Sieber, (SLU) and Cecilia Sundberg, Royal Inst. of Technology (KTH).

• **Potential socio-economic impacts of biochar use on smallholder farmers in Kenya.** Yahia Mahmoud, Lund Univ.; Kristina Röing de Nowina, IITA; Cecilia Sundberg, KTH and Mary Njenga, ICRAF.

• **Synergies and trade-off among SDGs for energy, clean water and sanitation, poverty alleviation, food security and sustainable agriculture.** Brijesh Mainali, KTH; Jari Kaivo-oja, Univ. of Turku; Yliopistonkatu; Semida Silveira, KTH and Jyrki Luukkanen, Univ. Turku.
Biochar as a component of climate-smart agriculture in small-holder farming systems in Kenya. Erik Karltun, SLU; Kristina R. de Nowina, IITA; Geoffrey Kimutai, IITA; Dries Roobroeck, IITA; Gert Nyberg, SLU and Thomas Kätterer, SLU.

PANEL 25: Violence as a threat to mental health, economic growth and social stability, with intergenerational effects.

Convener: Gunilla Kranz, University of Gothenburg (UG).

Time and Venue: 23 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Room Y22.

- Effect of domestic violence on Babcock university high school students Ogun state, Nigeria. Onyinyechi Nancy Nwaolikpe, Babcock University.
- Sexual harassment at higher education institution in Cambodia: perception and ethics through narrative inquiry. Phina So, Cambodia Development Resource Inst..
- Prevalence of intimate partner violence during pregnancy in Rwanda and its association with antenatal care services utilization. Andrew Akashi Rurangirwa, Univ. of Rwanda.
- Prevalence rates of IPV from two different population-based samples and self-reported symptoms of depression among women in Sweden. Solveig Lövestad, UG; Gunilla Krantz, UG/Västra Götaland Region Competence Centre on Intimate Partner Violence and Lotta Nyberg, Karolinska Institutet.

PANEL 26: Understanding behaviour and choice in context: accessing local knowledge to enhance energy access and sanitation interventions.

Conveners: Marie Jürisoo, SEI.

Time and Venue: 23 Aug., 14:00-15:30, Room U29

- Sanitation uptake at a community level: Exploring the role of social capital and leadership in Burkina Faso. Sarah Dickin, SEI.
- Sanitation and hygiene practices and performances of households in rural and peri urban settings: From policy making to implementation and social change. Amans Ntakarutimana, Univ. of Rwanda and Nelson Ekane, Royal Inst. of Technology (KTH).

PANEL 27: Democracy and development revisited.

Conveners: Staffan I. Lindberg and Valeriya Mechkova, Univ. of Gothenburg (UG).

Session A: 23 Aug., 11:00-12:30, Ahlmann lecture hall, house U

- State first, then democracy: using cadastral records to explain governmental performance in public goods provision. Michelle D’Arcy, Trinity College Dublin and Marina Nistotskaya, UG.
- Is accountability developmental? Anna Lührmann, Kyle L. Marquardt and Valeriya Mechkova, UG.
- Democracy, Civic Engagement and Obstacles to Development: Evidence from Indonesia. Mohammad Iqbal Ahnaf, Gadjah Mada Univ..

Session B: 23 Aug., 14:00-15:30, Ahlmann lecture hall, house U

- Political Conditions for Effective Democracy Assistance. Anna Lührmann, Kelly McMann, Carolien van Ham, UG.
- The democracy and development thesis: a dissenting view from Ghana’s experience for reclaiming the African development project. Dan-Bright S. Dzorgbo, Univ. of Ghana.
PANEL 28: Seeking assistance: inequalities in accountability and service provision.
Convener: Ellen Lust, Univ. of Gothenburg (UG). Time and Venue: 22 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Room U29

- Determinants of Local Service Provision in Africa: Evidence from Malawi. Adam Harris & Ellen Lust, UG.
- Citizen Engagement: Political Participation and Assistance-Seeking in Malawi. Pierre Landry & Ellen Lust, UG.
- The Effect of Election Laws on Ethnic Favoritism in Service Provision: Evidence from Jordan. Kristen Kao, UG.
- Unfreedoms of Poverty and Disability: Special Education as a Traditional Assistance. Liya Kalinnikova Magnusson, Uppsala Univ./Univ. of Gävle.

PANEL 29: Food security and improved nutrition for the poor – a multidisciplinary research task. Convener: Ulf Magnusson, Swedish Univ. of Agricultural Sciences (SLU).
Session A: 23 Aug., 11:00-12:30, William-Olsson lecture hall, house Y

- Food security and vulnerability in developing countries: empirical findings from a household survey. Asad K. Ghalib, Liverpool Hope Univ./Univ. of Manchester.
- Links and Relations between BMI data in two Ugandan Cities with Individual Characteristics, and the Household’s Food Environment, Health Situation and Agricultural Engagement. Heather Mackay, Umeå Univ.
- Impact of Rising Maize Prices on Welfare when allowing for price heterogeneity. Jörgen Levin and Elin Vimefall, Örebro Univ..
- Mothers’ intra-household decision making autonomy and its associations with the dietary diversity of 6-24 month old children in Majune, Mozambique: a cross-sectional study. Patricia Kasarigilak, Uppsala Univ..

Session B: 23 Aug., 14:00-15:30, William-Olsson lecture hall, house Y

- Linking household capital assets, livelihood strategies, and food security. Aisa O. Manlosa, Jannik Schultner, Ine Dorresteijn, Jan Hanspach, Trola Senbeto Jiren, and Joern Fischer, Leuphana Univ..
- Food Security, Nutrition and Commercialization in sub-Saharan Africa – a synthesis of Afrint findings. Agnes Andersson Djurfeldt, Lund Univ..
- The importance of including soil constraints in crop suitability modelling – as case study in Tanzania. Kristin Piikki, Intern. Center for Tropical Agric. (CIAT)/SLU; Leigh Winowiecki and Tor-Gunnar Vågen, World Agroforestry Centre; Julian Ramirez-Villegas, CIAT/Univ. Leeds/CAFS and Mats Söderström, CIAT/SLU.
- The role of livestock and crop production in national food security and nutrition - projections and historical trends for eight developing countries. D. Enahoro, M. Lannerstad & C. Pfeifer, Intern. Livestock Research Inst..

Session C: 23 Aug., 16:00-17:30, William-Olsson lecture hall, house Y

- Hidden hunger and livestock-keeping small-holders: different purposes and gendered responsibilities. Gunilla Ström, Kristina Osbjer, Sokerya Seng, Sofia Boqvist, Agnes Djurfeldt and Ulf Magnusson, SLU.
• To empower farmers with information and communication technology tools that will increase their productivity and incomes as well as protect their food security and livelihoods. Mannan Mridha and Björn-Erik Erlandsson, KTH.

• The dynamics of rural household livelihood diversification in Senegal and Kenya: Evidence from panel data. Alobo Sarah Loison, Lund Univ.

• The slash-and-burn agricultural system in Southern of Brazil: characteristics, food production and constraints. Edivaldo L. Thomaz and Maikeli M. Kerniski, Univ. Estadual do Centro-Oeste; and Staffan Rosell, Univ. of Gothenburg.


Time and Venue: 23 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Ahlmann lecture hall, house U

• Peace and Development: Nebulous connections, desirable confluences? Maria Stern and Joakim Öjendal, UG.

• Implementing the security-development nexus: an analysis of the state level in the example of reconstruction in Colombia. Manuela Nilsson, LiU.


• Local peace work in the context of Buddhist radicalization in Sri Lanka and Burma. Camilla Orjuela, UG.

PANEL 31: Global challenges for development research: lessons from North-South collaborations. Convener: Kevin Noone, Stockholm University. Time and Venue: 23 Aug., 11:00-12:30, Nordenskiöld lecture hall, house U

• Time as an issue of power in development research. Helena Kraff, Univ. of Gothenburg.

• Sustainable tax governance in developing countries through global tax transparency – DeStaT. Fredrik Zimmer, Univ. of Oslo.

• University collaboration on solar energy for cooking: technology development and social adaptation studies. Ole Jorgen Nydal, Norwegian Univ. of Science and Technology.

• Training and research activities of the Eastern African universities mathematics programme (EAUMP) and international science programme (ISP): collaborations, challenges and successes. Patrick Weke, Univ. Nairobi.

• Research beyond cultures? Challenges, opportunities and stories of PhD students from the global South in Uppsala. Stefanie Mallow.

• Research Collaboration in and with Africa: The case of NORGLOBAL. Henning Melber, Dag Hammarskjöld Found./The Nordic Africa Inst..

PANEL 32: Aid in local contexts. Convener: Jan Pettersson, Eva Mineur, Expert Group for Aid Studies. Time and Venue: 24 Aug., 09:00-10:30, Nordenskiöld lecture hall, house U

• International Science Programme – over 50 years of experience of local research capacity building in developing countries. Rebecca Andersson, Uppsala Univ.
• **Organizational infrastructure in Northern Uganda: Implications for the effectiveness of aid and governance.** Suzanne Fustukian, Freddie Ssengooba and Justine Namakula, Queen Margaret Univ./Makerere Univ.

• **Local capacities and international aid: Experience from decentralization reforms in Cambodia.** Netra Eng, Cambodia Development Resource Inst..

**PANEL 33: Climate information for food security in developing countries.** Conveners: Abubakr Salih & Abdel Hannachi, Stockholm Univ.. **Time and Venue:** 23 Aug., 11:00-12:30, Room U29

• **Empirical statistical modeling of March-May rainfall prediction over southern nations, nationalities and people’s region of Ethiopia.** Wondimu T. Hailesilassie and Gizaw M. Tsidu, Botswana Int. Univ.

• **Improved seasonal prediction of rainfall over EastAfrica for food security forecasting: statistical downscaling of CFSv2 and GFDL-FLOR-Part I.** Oliver Kipkogei, IGAD Climate Prediction & Applic. Centre.

• **Nepalese farmers’ adaptation strategies to climate change.** Nandakaji Budhathoki, Nepal Econ. Assoc.

• **Exploring the potential of water harvesting and its impact on the rural livelihoods in Amhara region, Ethiopia.** Staffan Rosell, Univ. of Gothenburg.

• **Use of Geonetcast near real time Earth Observation data and open tools for weather and climate observation and early warning.** Chris M. Mannaerts, Ben H. P. Maathuis, and V. Retsios, Univ. Twente.

**PANEL 34: Bridging the gap between water, sanitation and food production for improved food and nutrition security.** Conveners: Helfrid Schulte-Herbrüggen, Royal Inst. Technology (KTH); Ngolia Kimanzu, Salvation Army Intern. Development; Björn Schulte-Herbrüggen, Stockholm Resilience Centre. **Time and Venue:** 24 Aug., 09:00-10:30, William-Olsson lecture hall, house Y

• **Health risks associated with emerging drinking water pollutants in the Andean highlands.** Florencia Harari, Karolinska Institutet (KI); Esperanza Casimiro, Hospital Dr. Nicolás C Pagano and Marie Vahter, KI.

• **Sustaining the sustainable – potentials and challenges of productive sanitation systems.** Kim Andersson, SEI.

• **Closing the loop in Bamako, Mali.** Sanata Traoré, Univ. de Bamako and Gunnar Jacks, KTH.

• **Benefits of early-life selenium status for cognitive function in childhood – evidence from rural Bangladesh.** Helena Skröder Löveborn, Maria Kippler and Marie Vahter, KI.

• **Human fertilizer and the productivity of farming households.** Jan Pettersson & Johan Wikström, Uppsala Univ..

**PANEL 35: Air quality and well being in cities.** Conveners: Marie Thynell and Johan Boman, Univ. Gothenburg (UG). **Time and Venue:** 23 Aug., 14:00-15:30, Room Y11


• **An integrated approach to sustainability and resilience in polluted and vulnerable informal settlements in Nairobi.** Johan Boman and Marie Thynell, UG.

• **Maternal and infant health in sub-Saharan Africa - the role of air pollution.** Christina Isaxon, Ebba Malmqvist, Christopher Redman, Stefan Hansson, Åsa Näävä, Per Björkman and Niclas Winqvist, Lund Univ./Oxford Univ..

• **Air, health and economic growth: an estimate of burden of diseases due to air pollution in urban India.** Amrita Ghatak, Debasish Nandy and Suddhasil Siddhanta, Gokhale Inst. Politics and Economics, Pune.

- **Application of rhizobacteria for improving agricultural water productivity.** Diriba Muleta, Addis Ababa Univ.; Sunny Felix, Ahmadu Bello Univ.; Lawrence Behers, Novawest Tech. & Communic. AZ; Salme Timmusk, SLU.
- **Farmers field school training model.** Apollo B. Orodro, Farmers Assoc. Agronomy for Just Earth, Kenya.
- **Farmers field school training in Uganda.** Herbert Nsubuga, The Kingdom of Kooki, Uganda.
- **Magnetic adsorbents for complex water cleaning and remediation.** Gulaim A. Seisenbaeva, SLU.
- **Agro-biodiversity: the key link for ensuring food and water security.** Rodomiro Ortiz, SLU.
- **Food and water security in Kenya: untapped potential of youth.** Anthony Muraya, Nyakahura Secondary school, Kenya.
- **Favourable policy environment and user centred design for food and water security in Uganda.** Consodyne Mukama Buzabo and Julia Muthoni Macharia, Centre for Development & Outreach (SOHA).

PANEL 37: Culture & media for development. Conveners: Paula Uimonen, Stockholm University (SU) and Ylva Ekström, Uppsala University (UU). Time and Venue: 22 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Ahlmann lecture hall, house U

- **Tuseme: supporting youth towards quality education and gender equality.** Vicensia Shule, Univ. Dar es Salaam.
- **Media in Islamic Revolution and Trial to Create a New Culture.** Abolfazl Agha Baba, Sanjesh Organization, Iran and Shahriar Khonsari, Malmö Univ..
- **The House of Culture. Tanzanian Youth and Social Engagement at the Intersection of Arts, Cultural Heritage and New Media.** Ylva Ekström, UU and Anders Høg Hansen and Anders Høg Hansen, Malmö Univ..
- **Film: Chanjo ya Rushwa. An ethnographic roadmovie.** (27 minutes). Presenter: Paula Uimonen, SU.


- **Are aflatoxins a one health issue? Results and insights from studies on aflatoxins in the East African dairy value chains.** Johanna Lindahl, Intern. Livestock Research Institute (ILRI)/SLU; Daniel Mugangai, ILRI/Univ. Nairobi; Gideon Mwangi, Mount Kenya Univ.; Anima Sirma, Christine Atherstone and Delia Grace, ILRI.
- **Emerging zoonoses situation in Bangladesh and one health approach.** Mohammed A Kalam, Siam Health Care.
- **Capacity building to combat zoonotic diseases in Bangladesh through integrated education and research training programme: A One Health Approach.** Muhammad Asaduzzaman and Sultan Mahmood, Inst. of Epidemiology / Massey Univ..
- **A one health perspective on influenza A and campylobacter in rural Cambodia.** Kristina Osbjer, SLU; Sofia Boqvist, SLU; Kannarath Chheng, Nat. Inst. Public Health, Cambodia; Sorn San and Holl Davun, Nat. Veterinary Research Inst., Cambodia; Seng Sokerya, Centre for Livestock and Agriculture Develop., Cambodia; Siamak Zohari, Nat. Veterinary Inst. (SVA), Sweden; Eva Tano, Patrik Ellström and Hilpi Rautelin, Uppsala Univ.; Mikael Berg and Ulf Magnusson, SLU.
**Panel 40: Sheltering and Development.** Conveners: Johnny Åstrand and Ivette Arroyo, Lund Univ. (LU). **Time and Venue:** 23 Aug., 16:00-17:30, Room U26

- *Collective engagement its role in the Typhoon Haiyan rebuilding.* Theresa Esteban, Erasmus Univ. Rotterdam.
- *Users involvement in post-disaster housing reconstruction.* Ivette Arroyo, LU.

**Panel 41: Prediction and preparedness against emerging zoonotic infections.** Conveners: Magnus Evander, Umeå Univ. (UmU). **Time and Venue:** 24 Aug., 09:00-10:30, Room Y22

- *Disrupting emerging zoonotic diseases with global concern at the frontline of local community. The case of Rift Valley fever outbreaks.* Osama Ahmed Hassan, UmU/Public Health Inst., Sudan; Hippolyte Affognon and Joacim Rockløv, UmU; Peter Mburu and Rosemary Sang, Inter. Centre of Insect Physiology and Ecology (ICIPE); Clas Ahlm and Magnus Evander, UmU.
- *Early detection of waterborne diseases by detecting genetic traces from hosts and parasites in water samples.* Micaela Hellström, Stockholm Univ.
- *Linking cattle movement with environmental characteristics in understanding Rift Valley Fever virus transmission and maintenance along their trajectory routes.* Gladys Mosomtai, ICIPE/Dedan Kimathi Univ. Technology (DKUT); Magnus Evander, UmU; Per Sandström, SLU; Clas Ahlm, UmU; Rosemary Sang, ICIPE; Osama A. Hassan, UmU; Charles Mundia, DKUT; Jacqueline Kasiti and Murithi Mbaabu, Min. of Agric. Livestock & Fisheries, Kenya; Tobias Landmann, ICIPE.
- *Entomological indices and ecology for the dengue vector in Kenya.* Sheila Agha, ICIPE/Univ. Pretoria; Tchouassi and Sang, ICIPE; Bastos, Univ. Pretoria.

**Panel 42: Disaster and Health.** Conveners: Johan von Schreeb, Karolinska Institutet. **Time and Venue:** 23 Aug., 11:00-12:30, Room Y22

- *Water, Sanitation, health vulnerability and disaster nexus in mountainous communities of Baltistan Pakistan.* Awais Arifeen, Norwegian Univ. of Life Sciences.
- *Armed conflict and maternal health care Micro-level evidence from Sub-Saharan Africa.* Gudrun Østby, Henrik Urdal, Andreas Forø Tollefsen, Andreas Kotsadam, Ragnhild Belbo and Christin Ormhaug, PRIO.

**Panel 43: Improving School Education Outcomes: Evidence, Knowledge Gaps, and Policy Implications.** Conveners: Jakob Svensson, Stockholm Univ. **Time and Venue:** 24 Aug., 09:00-10:30, Room Y11

- *What Do Teachers Know and Do? A Report Card on Primary Teachers in Sub-Saharan Africa.* Tessa Bold, SU.
- *Attitudes and ongoing language shift and maintenance among speakers of Portuguese and Bantu languages in Angolan high schools.* Laura Álvarez López, SU.

**Panel/roundtable 45: Transdisciplinary co-production: innovative methodologies for just urban transformation.** Conveners: David Simon and Henrietta Palmer, Mistra Urban Futures (MUF). **Time and Venue:** 24 Aug., 09:00-10:30, Room Y23

Speakers: David Simon, MUF; Henrietta Palmer, MUF; Mikael Cullberg, MUF; Merritt Polk, University of Gothenburg (UG); Åsa Lorentzi, MUF; Eva-Maria Jernsand, UG/MUF; Helena Kraff, UG/MUF.
PANEL/ROUNDTABLE 46: Knowledge production, regional research organizations and the bridging of the local–global chasm in development cooperation. Convener: Ato Onoma, CODESRIA. Time and Venue: 24 Aug., 09:00-10:30, De Geer lecture hall, house Y

SPEAKERS: Ato Onoma, CODESRIA; Victor Adetula, Nordic Africa Institute; Anne Kubai, University of Uppsala; Lennart Wohlgemuth, Gothenburg Univ.; Francis Nyamnjoh, Univ. Cape Town.

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- Ebola preparedness in Guinea-Bissau. Geir Gunnlaugsson and Jónína Einarsdóttir, Univ. of Iceland.
- Ethics and allocation of foreign aid. Jónína Einarsdóttir and Geir Gunnlaugsson, Univ. of Iceland.
- Prediction of theoretical ammonia emission by milk urea from dairy cattle. Ilga Šematoviča, Latvia Univ. of Agriculture.
- Social and Solidarity Economy in pursuit of Sumak Kawsay. Jorge Altamirano-Flores, Newcastle Univ.
- The contribution of fish to food security in coastal Western Indian Ocean – a systematic literature review. Vivika Mäkelä, Stockholm Resilience Centre.
- Urban air quality monitoring of the Malé region in the Maldives. Mizna Mohamed, Maldives Nat. Univ.
- Improving school education outcomes: evidence, knowledge gaps, and policy implications. Diana Fuentes, Uppsala Univ..
- Pathways of Negotiation: Samburu pastoral mobility and access to resources in the Ewaso Basin ecosystem. Annemiek Pas Schrijver, Stockholm Univ..
- Social political context for evidence based district planning in Uganda. Dorcus Kiwanuka Henriksson, KI.
- A Study on Water Taps Regarding Two Campus Practices. Deniz Cancu, University of Hong Kong and Cancu Cancu, Bogaziçi Univ..
- Effects of carbon storage efforts in silvo-pastoral systems on vegetation, local livelihoods and wildfire risk. Maria Johansson, Stockholm Univ..
- LARRI – Land Rights Research Initiative. Maria Ölund, Univ of Gothenburg.

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