

Programme at a glance

MONDAY 6 JUNE

TIME	NORDIA	NAUTICA	BALTICA	FENNIA I
08:00	Registration - 2 nd floor			
09:00-10:30	Opening Keynote Lecture - Education Policies in Developing Countries: Three Ideas to Explore Fennia I - 2 nd floor			
10:30-10:50	Coffee - UNU-WIDER 3 rd floor			
10:50-12:50	1.1 Learning I	1.2 Fertility	1.3 Conflict	
12:50-13:40	Lunch - Restaurant Marine 2 nd floor			
13:40-15:40	2.1 Education investment I	2.2 Preferences	2.3 Health	2.4 Programmes
15:40-16:00	Coffee - UNU-WIDER 3 rd floor			
16:00-18:00	3.1 Early Life I	3.2 Education Systems	3.3 Labour	
18:00-19:00	Poster session 2 nd floor			
19:00	Dinner - UNU-WIDER 3 rd floor			

TUESDAY 7 JUNE

TIME	NORDIA	NAUTICA	BALTICA	FENNIA I
09:00-11:00	4.1 Learning II	4.2 Political economy	4.3 Shocks	4.4 Insurance / health-seeking behaviour
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12:35-13:20	Lunch - Restaurant Marine 2 nd floor			
13:20-15:20	5.1 School quality	5.2 Early life II	5.3 Inter-generational transmission	
15:20-15:40	Coffee - UNU-WIDER 3 rd floor			
15:40-17:40	6.1 Education investment II	6.2 Migration	6.3 Historical / religious institutions	

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09:00-10:30	Opening and welcome FINN TARP	Opening Keynote Lecture - Education policies in developing countries: Three ideas to explore Speaker: FELIPE BARRERA-OSORIO	FENNIA I - 2 nd floor
10:30-10:50	Coffee - UNU-WIDER 3 rd floor		
10:50-12:50	<p>Parallel 1.1 LEARNING I Chair: Rajesh Ramachandran</p> <p>MATIAS BUSO and Samuel Berlinski: Challenges in educational reform: An experiment on active learning in mathematics Discussant: Nishith Prakash</p> <p>Chetan Chitre, GOPAL NAIK, Manaswini Bhalla, and Jothsna Rajan: Can technology overcome social disadvantage of school children's learning outcomes? Evidence from a large-scale experiment in India Discussant: Rajesh Ramachandran</p> <p>RAJESH RAMACHANDRAN, David D. Laitin, and Stephen L. Walter: Language of instruction and student learning: Evidence from an experimental program in Cameroon Discussant: Matias Busso</p>	<p>Parallel 1.2 FERTILITY Chair: Abhishek Chakravarty</p> <p>DHANUSHKA THAMARAPANI, Marc Rockmore, and Willa Friedman: Early life experiences and adult fertility behavior: Evidence from Indonesia Discussant: Abhishek Chakravarty</p> <p>MIRON TEQUAME and Nyasha Tirivayi: Higher education and fertility: Evidence from a natural experiment in Ethiopia Discussant: Md Nazmul Ahsan</p> <p>MD NAZMUL AHSAN and Riddhi Bhowmick: The unintended consequences of the Village Midwife Program in Indonesia Discussant: Dhanushka Thamarapani</p> <p>ABHISHEK CHAKRAVARTY and S. Anukriti: Democracy and demography: Societal effects of fertility limits on local leaders Discussant: Miron Tequame</p>	<p>Parallel 1.3 CONFLICT Chair: Fernanda Márquez-Padilla</p> <p>MUHAMMAD NASIR: Violence and child health outcomes: Evidence from Mexican drug war Discussant: Fernanda Márquez-Padilla</p> <p>SAMUEL G. WELDEEGZIE: Growing-up unfortunate: War and human capital in Ethiopia Discussant: Ricardo Santos</p> <p>RICARDO SANTOS: Post-conflict returns to education – the case of Timor-Leste Discussant: Muhammad Nasir</p> <p>Francisco Perez-Arce, FERNANDA MÁRQUEZ-PADILLA, and Carlos Rodríguez-Castelán: The (non-) effect of violence on education: Evidence from the 'war on drugs' in Mexico Discussant: Samuel Gidey Weldeegzie</p>
12:50-13:40	Lunch - Restaurant Marine 2 nd floor		

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13:40-15:40	<p>Parallel 2.1 EDUCATION INVESTMENT I Chair: Christophe J. Nordman</p> <p>TIMOTHÉE DEMONT, Jean-Marie Baland, Rohini Somanathan, and Michel Tenikue: Investing in boys and girls: Schooling decisions of long-run microfinance participants in rural India Discussant: Christophe J. Nordman</p> <p>ALOK KUMAR: Risks and parental investment in the human capital of children Discussant: Alejandro J. Ganimian</p> <p>ALEJANDRO J. GANIMIAN, Felipe Barrera-Osorio, María Loreto Biehl, María Cortelezzi, and Daniela Valencia: Hard cash and soft skills: Experimental evidence on combining scholarships and mentoring in Argentina Discussant: Timothée Demont</p> <p>CHRISTOPHE J. NORDMAN and Smriti Sharma: The power to choose: Gender balance of power and intra-household educational spending in India Discussant: Alok Kumar</p>	<p>Parallel 2.2 PREFERENCES Chair: Seonghoon Kim</p> <p>KIBROM ABAY, Guush Berhane, and Thomas Woldu Assefa: Locus of control, hyperbolic preferences, and demand for commitment and saving: Evidence from rural Ethiopia Discussant: Seonghoon Kim</p> <p>KELLY KILBURN, Sudhanshu Handa, and Gustavo Angeles: Happiness and alleviation of income poverty: Impacts of an unconditional cash transfer program using a subjective well-being approach Discussant: Dawoon Jung</p> <p>Tushar Bharati, Seungwoo Chin, and DAWOON JUNG: Does education affect time preference? Discussant: Kibrom Abay</p> <p>Bryant Hyuncheol Kim, SEONGHOON KIM, and Thomas T. Kim: Selection and Incentive Effects of Financial and Career Incentives on Labor Productivity: Evidence from a Field Experiment in Malawi Discussant: Kelly Kilburn</p>	<p>Parallel 2.3 HEALTH Chair: Subha Mani</p> <p>DAMIAN CLARKE and Sonia Bhalotra: Maternal education and maternal mortality: Evidence from a large panel and various natural experiments Discussant: Subha Mani</p> <p>LOUISE GROGAN: Wealthier is not healthier in Sub-Saharan Africa Discussant: Pallavi Panda</p> <p>PALLAVI PANDA: Does trade reduce infant mortality? Evidence from sub-Saharan Africa Discussant: Damian Clarke</p> <p>SUBHA MANI, Jere R. Behrman, Andreas Georgiadis, and Fan Wang: Catch-up effect in health outcomes - Linear and quantile regression estimates from four countries Discussant: Louise Grogan</p>	<p>Parallel 2.4 PROGRAMMES Chair: Adrienne Lucas</p> <p>THÉOPHILE T. AZOMAHOU, Fatoumata L. Diallo, and Wladimir Raymond: The harmony of programs package: Quasi-experimental evidence on health and nutrition interventions in rural Senegal Discussant: Adrienne Lucas</p> <p>CARLA CANELAS and Miguel Niño-Zarazúa: The social impacts of Bolivia's social protection system Discussant: Théophile T. Azomahou</p> <p>TUSHAR BHARATI, Seungwoo Chin, and Dawoon Jung: Is 1+1 more than 2? Joint evaluation of two public programs in Tanzania Discussant: Carla Canelas</p> <p>ADRIENNE M. LUCAS, Margaret Chidothe, and Nicholas L. Wilson: Effects of adult health interventions at scale on children's schooling: Evidence from antiretroviral therapy in Zambia Discussant: Tushar Bharati</p>
15:40-16:00	Coffee - UNU-WIDER 3 rd floor			

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16:00-18:00	Parallel 3.1 EARLY LIFE I Chair: Paul Carrillo IMELDA: Does fuel-switching improve health? Evidence from LPG subsidy program Discussant: Paul Carrillo BRITTA AUGSBURG and Paul Rodríguez-Lesmes: Sanitation and child health in India Discussant: Rakesh Banerjee RAKESH BANERJEE: Long run effects of the exposure to forest fires in Indonesia Discussant: Imelda Ram Fishman, Jason Russ, and PAUL CARRILLO: Long-term impacts of high temperatures on economic productivity Discussant: Britta Augsburg	Parallel 3.2 EDUCATION SYSTEMS Chair: Natalie Bau SEAN SYLVIA, Prashant Loyalka, Chengfang Liu, James Chu, and Yaojiang Shi: Pay by design: Teacher performance pay design and the distribution of student achievement Discussant: Natalie Bau Martin Gustafsson and STEPHEN TAYLOR: Treating schools to a new administration: Evidence from South Africa of the possible impact of better practices in the system-level administration of schools Discussant: Sarmistha Pal SARMISTHA PAL and Bibhas Saha: Enhancing excellence: Trade-off between socially motivated and profit motivated private schools in Nepal Discussant: Sean Sylvia NATALIE BAU and Jishnu Das: The misallocation of pay and productivity in the public sector: Evidence from the labor market for teachers Discussant: Stephen Taylor	Parallel 3.3 LABOUR Chair: Jeffrey Nugent CATALINA HERRERA, David E. Sahn, and Kira M. Villa: Young mothers are working, but are they getting paid? Evidence on female labor outcomes in Madagascar Discussant: Jeffrey Nugent Mausumi Das and NAVEEN THOMAS: The role of small and medium enterprises in structural transformation and economic development Discussant: Atonu Rabbani ATONU RABBANI, Rocco Macchiavello, Andreas Menzel, and Christopher Woodruff: Challenges of change: An experiment training women to manage in the Bangladeshi garment sector Discussant: Catalina Herrera Nauro F. Campos and JEFFREY NUGENT: Labor market reforms, growth, inequality, labor force participation and unemployment rates: Evidence from a new dataset Discussant: Naveen Thomas
	18:00-19:00	Poster session - 2nd floor JAPHETH AWITI: Preceding birth interval length and maternal health in Kenya LIYOUSEW GEBREMEDHIN BORGA: Sibling rivalry: Child endowment and intrahousehold allocation JOHN CREAMER: Does the impact of child's health on cognitive development change over time in Peru? DIEGO DA SILVA RODRIGUES: Primary education extension under imperfect compliance and mothers' labour market outcomes: evidence from a school reform in Brazil MAFAIZATH A. FATOKE DATO: Impact of an income shock on girls' schooling and labor in Benin, West Africa APOORVA GUPTA: Parental socio-economic status and intergenerational mobility SWETA GUPTA: Private preschools and test score gaps in rural India ANNE HILGER, Christophe J. Nordman and Leopold R. Sarr: Cognitive and non-cognitive skills, social networks and wages in Bangladesh HEMANSHU KUMAR, Tarun Jain and Rohini Somanathan: Social distance and education achievement among the Scheduled Tribes in India MARYAM NAGHSH NEJAD: Children of Afghan migrants in Iran Naveen Sunder and AVERI CHAKRABARTI: Social impacts of piped water access TONNY ODOKONYERO, Alex Ijjo, Robert Marty, Tony Muhumuza and Godfrey Owot Moses: Sub-national perspectives on aid effectiveness: Impact of aid on health outcomes in Uganda SIMONE SASSO and Lorena Rivera León: Scientific mobility as a bridge between two worlds: Analysing the impact of foreign-educated PhDs on academic upgrading in Mexico ADAN SILVERIO MURILLO: Young people who neither work nor study: The influence of parenting style and bullying ELENI ABRAHAM YITBAREK: Intergenerational education mobility in Africa: Has progress been inclusive? CYRINE HANNAFI and Christophe Muller: The poverty-economic growth-health triangle MEHDI SHIVA: Climate change and internal migration: A case study of Iran	
19:00	Dinner - UNU-WIDER 3 rd floor		

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09:00-11:00	<p>Parallel 4.1 LEARNING II Chair: Sonja Fagernäs</p> <p>GEORGES VIVIEN HOUNGBONON: The effects of universal primary education on attendance: Evidence from Burkina Faso Discussant: Sonja Fagernäs</p> <p>JAIME MEZA CORDERO: Learn to play & play to learn: Evaluation of the one laptop per child program in Costa Rica Discussant: Mahdi Majbouri</p> <p>MAHDI MAJBOURI: Sir! I'd rather go to school, Sir! Discussant: Georges Vivien Houngbonon</p> <p>SONJA FAGERNÄS and Panu Pelkonen: Teachers, electoral cycles and learning in India Discussant: Jaime Meza Cordero</p>	<p>Parallel 4.2 POLITICAL ECONOMY Chair: Clive Bell</p> <p>MERY FERRANDO and Véronique Gille: Does the identity of leaders matter for education? Evidence from the first black governor in the US Discussant: Clive Bell</p> <p>Michael Callen, Saad Gulzar, and Ali Hasanain and YASIR KHAN: The political economy of public sector absence: Experimental evidence from Pakistan Discussant: Juliana Silva Gonçalves</p> <p>JULIANA SILVA GONÇALVES, Uwe Dulleck, Anita Lee Hong, and Markus Schaffner: An experimental investigation of the effects of affirmative action in Australian high schools Discussant: Mery Ferrando</p> <p>CLIVE BELL and Hans Gersbach: Untimely destruction: Pestilence, war and accumulation in the long run Discussant: Yasir Khan</p>	<p>Parallel 4.3 SHOCKS Chair: Saurabh Singhal</p> <p>CAMILLE SAINT-MACARY and Claire Zanuso: Build back better? Long-lasting impact of the 2010 earthquake in Haiti Discussant: Saurabh Singhal</p> <p>VIRGINIE COMBLON and Karine Marazyán: Women's labor supply responses to health shocks: Evidence from Senegal Discussant: Renjie Ge</p> <p>RENJIE GE: Economic restructuring and children's educational attainment: Lessons from China's state-owned enterprises reform Discussant: Camille Saint-Macary</p> <p>Ulrik Beck, SAURABH SINGHAL, and Finn Tarp: Coffee price volatility and intra-household labor supply: Evidence from Vietnam Discussant: Virginie Comblon</p>	<p>Parallel 4.4 INSURANCE / HEALTH-SEEKING BEHAVIOUR Chair: Tarun Jain</p> <p>SHAILEE PRADHAN: The impact of insurance games on health insurance enrollment: Experimental evidence from the Philippines Discussant: Tarun Jain</p> <p>ZLATA TANOVIĆ: The test effect: Behavioral change and potential biases due to (biomedical) testing in surveys Discussant: Berber Kramer</p> <p>BERBER KRAMER: From awareness to adverse selection: Cardiovascular disease risk and health insurance decisions Discussant: Shailee Pradhan</p> <p>Sisir Debnath, TARUN JAIN, and Manvendra Singh: Social networks and health insurance utilization Discussant: Zlata Tanović</p>

11:00-11:20 Coffee - UNU-WIDER 3rd floor

11:20-12:35 **Keynote Lecture - Design and effectiveness of public health subsidies in developing countries**
Speaker: PASCALINE DUPAS

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13:20-15:20	<p>Parallel 5.1 SCHOOL QUALITY Chair: Kehinde Ajayi</p> <p>Utteeyo Dasgupta, Subha Mani, SMRITI SHARMA, and Saurabh Singhal: Cognitive, non-cognitive and behavioral returns to college quality: Evidence from India Discussant: Kehinde Ajayi</p> <p>VERONICA FRISANCHO and Matteo Bobba: Learning about oneself: The effects of signaling academic ability on school choice Discussant: Tanvi Rao</p> <p>TANVI RAO: Who responds to information? Experimental evidence on track-specific higher education decisions in India Discussant: Smriti Sharma</p> <p>KEHINDE AJAYI: Student performance and the effects of school quality versus school fit Discussant: Veronica Frisancho</p>	<p>Parallel 5.2 EARLY LIFE II Chair: Bill Kinsey</p> <p>RÁUL SÁNCHEZ: Household choices in fragile families and their effects on children's cognitive and non-cognitive skills Discussant: Bill Kinsey</p> <p>DANIELA CASALE and Chris Desmond: Recovery from stunting and cognitive outcomes in young children: Evidence from the South African Birth to twenty cohort study Discussant: Nina Schwarz</p> <p>Sonia Bhalotra, Martin Karlsson, Therese Nilsson, and NINA SCHWARZ: Early life health interventions: Effects on sickness absence, academic performance and long-term outcomes Discussant: Raúl Sánchez</p> <p>BILL KINSEY: Undermining human capital accumulation: Evidence from micro and macro levels Discussant: Daniela Casale</p>	<p>Parallel 5.3 INTER-GENERATIONAL TRANSMISSION Chair: Mehtabul Azam</p> <p>M Niaz Asadullah, Abdul Alim, FATHEMA KHATOON, and Nazmul Chaudhury: Maternal early marriage and cognitive skills development: An intergenerational analysis Discussant: Mehtabul Azam</p> <p>CARA LUISA EBERT and Erik Plug: Nature or nurture: Evidence from Indonesia Discussant: Enkelejda Havari</p> <p>ENKELEJDA HAVARI and Marco Savegnano: Intergenerational transmission of education in Europe: A new instrumental variable application Discussant: Fathema Khatoon</p> <p>MEHTABUL AZAM: Intergenerational educational persistence among daughters: Evidence from India Discussant: Cara Luisa Ebert</p>

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15:40-17:40	<p>Parallel 6.1 EDUCATION INVESTMENT II Chair: Annicka Lindskog</p> <p>RASHESH SHRESTHA: Labor market changes and human capital investment: Evidence from migration boom in Nepal Discussant: Annicka Lindskog</p> <p>Adriana D. Kugler and SANTOSH KUMAR: Preference for boys, family size and educational attainment in India Discussant: Naveen Sunder</p> <p>NAVEEN SUNDER: Marriage age, social status and intergenerational effects in Uganda Discussant: Rashesh Shrestha</p> <p>Heather Congdon Fors, Kenneth Hounghbedgi, and ANNICKA LINDSKOG: Land certification and schooling in rural Ethiopia Discussant: Santosh Kumar</p>	<p>Parallel 6.2 MIGRATION Chair: Arya Gaduh</p> <p>Elie Murard and SEYHUN ORCAN SAKALLI: Mass refugee inflow and human capital investments: Evidence from Greek refugees in Greece Discussant: Arya Gaduh</p> <p>MICHELE TUCCIO and Jackline Wahba: Can I have permission to leave the house? Return migration and the transfer of gender norms Discussant: Yao Pan</p> <p>YAO PAN: Education and labor market consequences of removing migration selectivity: Evidence from the abolition of rural-urban dual Hukou Discussant: Seyhun Orcan Sakalli</p> <p>Andres Cuadros Menaca and ARYA GADUH: Remittances, child labor, and schooling: Evidence from Colombia Discussant: Michele Tuccio</p>	<p>Parallel 6.3 HISTORICAL / RELIGIOUS INSTITUTIONS Chair: Abhiroop Mukhopadhyay</p> <p>NIK STOOP, Marijke Verpoorten, and Koen Deconinck: Voodoo, vaccines and bed nets Discussant: Abhiroop Mukhopadhyay</p> <p>OLGA POPOVA: Suffer for the faith? Parental religiosity and children's health Discussant: Rudi Rocha</p> <p>RUDI ROCHA, Claudio Ferraz, and Rodrigo R. Soares: Human capital persistence and development Discussant: Nik Stoop</p> <p>Ampara Castelló-Climent, Latika Chaudhary, and ABHIROOP MUKHOPADHYAY: Tertiary education and prosperity: Catholic missionaries to luminosity in India Discussant: Olga Popova</p>

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