

Programme

# Development Research Day: China and the Developing World

OCTOBER 23, 9.30-17.00 | SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT,  
TYCHO BRAHES VÄG 1, LUND



# Programme

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## 9.30 WELCOME

9.35 *Justin Yifu Lin* (Peking University), “China’s Rise and Structural Transformation in Africa: Ideas and Opportunities”, Crafoordsalen

10.20 *Stephen Chan* (University of London), “A Tripartite Contradiction: Communist Solidarity, Capitalist Futures, and Confucian Values. China and Africa”, Crafoordsalen

## 11.05 COFFEE

11.30 *Johanna Malm* (Roskilde University), “The Unintended Chinese Norm Challenge and the IMF’s Silent Compromise: When Chinese Development Finance Met the IMF’s Norms for Public Debt Management in DR Congo” Crafoordsalen

12.15 Hydén-award ceremony

## 12.30 LUNCH BREAK

## 13.30 Parallel sessions 1

## 14.30 COFFEE

## 15.00 Parallel sessions 2

## 16.00 SHORT BREAK

16.10 Panel debate with Stephen Chan, Ellen Hillbom, Göran Hydén, Justin Lin, Johanna Malm  
Moderator: Christer Gunnarsson.

## 16.55 CONCLUDING REMARKS

## 17.00 END

### DETAILED PROGRAM FOR PARALLEL SESSIONS

#### 13.30-14.30 Parallel sessions 1

#### GOVERNANCE Crafoordsalen

13.30-13.50 *Irina Mirkina* (Dept. of Economics)  
Globalization and institutional quality: More open – better governed?

13.50-14.10 *Kristina Jönsson* (Dept. of Political Science)  
The post-2015 development agenda: priorities and legitimacy

14.10-14.30 *Ross Wilson* (Dept. of Economics)  
Does governance cause growth? Evidence from China

#### AGRICULTURE AND RURAL INCOME EC1:138

13.30-13.50 *Andrés Palacio* (Dept. of Economic History)  
The end of stagnation in Latin America? Resurgence of agriculture and falling income inequality in the light of patterns of structural change

- 13.50-14.10 *Sara Alogo* (Dept. of Human Geography)  
Determinants of rural household income diversification: A comparative perspective from Senegal and Kenya
- 14.10-14.30 *Ellinor Isgren* (Centre for Sustainability Studies)  
Waging a war? Promoting agroecology in Uganda's agricultural revolution

**CHINA AND AFRICA EC3:108**

- 13.30-13.50 *Lanyan Chen* (Dept. of Sociology)  
Imbalanced sex ratio in China, a byproduct of "hegemonic masculinity" or population, and other policies: implications for China's south and south cooperation with African countries
- 13.50-14.10 *Emelie Rohne*  
Chinese-initiated Special Economic Zones (SEZs) in Africa: a case study of Ethiopia's Eastern Industrial Zone (EIZ)
- 14.10-14.30 *Daria Bondareva* (International Development and Management)  
Practical idealists: stories of Chinese entrepreneurs running green business

**15.00-16.00 Parallel sessions 2****AFRICA Crafoordsalen**

- 15.00-15.20 *Mahtemeab T. Hailu* (Dept. of Economics)  
The impact of double taxation treaties on FDI to Ethiopia
- 15.20-15.40 *Jens Andersson* (Dept. of Economic History)  
Did public wages and employment expand at the cost of the private sector in post-war Senegal?
- 15.40-16.00 *Ellen Hillbom* (Dept. of Economic History)  
Changing income inequality and structural transformation: The case of Botswana 1921-2010

**TRADE AND INVESTMENT EC1:136**

- 15.00-15.20 *Kaveh Majlesi* (Dept. of Economics)  
International import competition and the decision to migrate
- 15.20-15.40 *Maria Persson* (Dept. of Economics)  
EU trade preferences and export diversification
- 15.40-16.00 *Genesis T. Yengoh* (Centre for Sustainability Studies)  
Large-scale investments in agriculture in sub-Saharan Africa - Who stands to benefit?

**DEBT AND FINANCE EC3:108**

- 15.00-15.20 *Anna Welander* (Dept. of Economics)  
"The heavily indebted poor countries' initiative and child health"
- 15.20-15.40 *Fredrik NG Andersson* (Dept. of Economics)  
Blessing in disguise? Institutional change in the wake of banking crises
- 15.40-16.00 *Katarzyna Burzynska* (Dept. of Economics)  
The impact of social beliefs on microfinance performance

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