WE ARE REVIEWING THIS NEWSLETTER AND WOULD LIKE FEEDBACK FROM THOSE WHO RECEIVE IT. PLEASE CLICK HERE TO ANSWER FIVE QUESTIONS. THANK YOU.

EVENTS

Professor Nitya Rao is travelling to WorldFish, Penang, Malaysia, on October 3-4th, for a workshop entitled: Building coalitions, creating change: An agenda for gender transformative research in development.

UEA's Water Security Research Centre and the International Commission on Irrigation and Drainage (ICID) are running a seminar: Irrigation policy in a time of drought and high food prices, on Friday 9 November 2012. 9.30 am to 5:15 pm. See here for more information. The broad question that guides the seminar is “In a time of climate change and food scarcity, can better irrigation policies reduce food vulnerabilities?

Dr Edward Allison will lead the Indian Ocean regional assessment: Bridging the Gap between Ocean Acidification Impacts and Economic Valuation on ‘Ocean Acidification Impacts on Fisheries and Aquaculture’ at the Oceanographic Museum, Principality of Monaco, November 11-13th

Professor Peter Lloyd-Sherlock, Dr Laura Camfield and Dr Catherine Locke are organising a panel and presenting papers, on Life Course and Wellbeing at the Development Studies Association (DSA) November annual conference. The papers are as follows:
Professor Lloyd Sherlock: Epidemiological and sociological models of life course research, and their relevance for development studies;
Dr Laura Camfield: Chronic Poverty in rural Ethiopia through the lens of life histories;
Dr Catherine Locke: Family life course transitions, social reproduction across the generations, and migration: conceptual approaches.

Dr Laura Camfield is co-convening the panel for the Multidimensional Poverty and Poverty Dynamics DSA study group.
Dr Laura Camfield is presenting a paper: ‘Household Trajectories in rural Ethiopia’, and convening a track on ‘Conceptual and methodological issues in QoL Research, at the International Society for Quality of Life Studies conference on November 1\(^{st}\)-4\(^{th}\).

Information can be found here for the autumn programme of DEV research seminars.
Please see here for details of the Media and Development Speaker Series and Student Symposium 2012/2013.

International Development UEA (DEV) is a partner on the following frameworks/programmes:

- DFID Global Evaluation Framework
- DFID Forest Governance, Markets and Climate Services Framework
- DFID Climate Environment Infrastructure and Livelihoods (CEIL) Professional Evidence and Applied Knowledge Services (PEAKS).

We will be receiving calls for potential work through these frameworks and will circulate them within DEV and to our networks.

**RESEARCH OUTPUTS**

**Articles**


http://dc126.4shared.com/doc/Zb_Rt32J/preview.html

http://journals.cambridge.org/action/displayAbstract?fromPage=online&aid=8310672


Locke, C. and Te Lintelo, D. ‘Young Zambians ‘waiting’ for opportunities and ‘working towards’ living well: lifecourse and aspirations in youth transitions *Journal of International Development (JID)*24(6):777-794

This paper is the winner of the prize for best paper in JID to be awarded at the DSA conference in November 2012 (the paper was part of the DSA/EADI 2011 conference JID special issue).


Working papers

Dr Pieter Serneels and Marijke Verpoorten: The Impact of Armed Conflict on Economic Performance: Evidence from Rwanda.

Research Briefings


NEW RESEARCH GRANTS

Dr Edward Allison is doing a scoping study for a Rockefeller research programme, ‘Examining Opportunities to Integrate Fisheries Management, Food Security and Livelihoods and Encouraging Sustainable Aquaculture’.

Dr Mark Zeitoun is providing support to the LSE-led ‘Transboundary Climate Security Project’ and will advise on selection of case study communities in the Jordan River Basin.

Professor Frank Ellis is supporting the DFID Livelihoods Cadre with seminar input, on line support and writing a Topic Guide on Agriculture and Growth. This is through the DFID Climate Environment Infrastructure and Livelihoods PEAKS of which DEV is a consortium partner.

Dr Roger Few is supporting the Vietnam based Centre for Community Health and Development on their ‘Research on Heat Stress and Adaptive Capacity of the Illegal Migrants and Low income outdoor workers and their Families in the Urban City of Da Nang’ research project.
**CONSULTANCY**

**Professor Nitya Rao** and Dr Sheila Aikman attended the inception workshop for the Coffey International Development-led Girls Education Challenge Fund Monitoring and Evaluation Manager. DEV will provide qualitative research inputs into this four year project.

**Dr Kathleen Fincham** has worked with OXFAM Novib on a ‘Study on youth as active citizens for their rights to education and SRH’ programme. She was involved with conducting a case study in Palestine to provide evidence to support OXFAM Novib and counterparts to engage with, and promote active citizenship amongst, youth and marginalised groups to enable them to demand rights to essential services.

**Dr Emma Gilberthorpe** designed a Socio-economic Rapid Assessment for the Gemfields Kagem Mine Site in Zambia, on behalf of World Land Trust. **Dr Dorice Agol**, and Mr Thomas Gegg carried out the assessment.

**Professor Thomas Sikor** is providing forestry governance support to a NORAD programme on analysis of State Forest Companies, Local Households and Land Conflicts: Implications for REDD+ and FLEGT.

DEV Associates Professor Dominic Kniveton and Professor Martin Todd completed a piece of work for DFID and the Met Office on an Impact Assessment for the Climate Science Research Project (CSRP).

DEV Associate Fahim Kashefi completed proposal assessments for the British Council-led TAWANMANDI project, supporting civil society strengthening in Afghanistan.

DEV Associate Dr Craig Hutton is supporting the DFID ‘Climate Science: Improving Quality and Use in South Asia (Clim-IQ) project.

**NEW AND FORTHCOMING COURSES/ACTIVITIES**

See [here](http://www.uea.ac.uk/dev) for the UEA based short courses running during the next quarter.

**NEW STAFF**

**Dr Maren Duvendack** joins DEV from September 1st as part-time Lecturer in Development Economics. Maren has published significantly on microfinance, and applied econometrics. She has secured research grants on impact evaluation, and has had significant input into DEV’s short course on Impact Evaluation, and the MSC in Impact Evaluation. She also has expertise in gender, research methods and practice-related skills.

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