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📍 Nairobi, Kenya

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## Program

*+++ long presentation: 45 minutes +++ Q&A: 15 minutes +++*

*+++ short presentation: 20 minutes +++ Q&A: 10 minutes +++*

### Friday, December 15

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08:30 - 08:50      Registration

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08:50 - 09:00      Introductory Remarks

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### Session A

Chair: Jenny Aker (Tufts University and BREAD)

09:00 - 10:00      Eoin McGuirk (Tufts University), Nathan Nunn  
(University of British Columbia)  
"Development Mismatch: Evidence from

## Agricultural Projects in Pastoral Africa."

10:00 - 11:00 Gisella Kagy (University of Wisconsin-Madison),  
Morgan Hardy (NYU Abu Dhabi)  
"Mind the Data Gaps: An Examination of Women-  
owned Enterprise Representation"

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11:00 - 11:30 Coffee Break

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### **Session B**

Chair: Ahmed Elsayed (American University in Cairo and  
IZA)

11:30 - 12:30 Mai Mahmoud (Tufts University)  
"Pricing and Allocative Efficiency of a New  
Agricultural Technology"

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12:30 - 14:00 Lunch

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### **Session C**

Chair: Monica Lambon-Quayefio (University of Ghana)

14:00 - 14:30 Christina Fille (University of Dar es Salaam)  
"The Impact of Underwear on Schooling: Evidence  
from Tanzania"

14:30 - 15:00 Godfrey Kamutando (University of Cape Town),  
Lawrence Edwards (University of Cape Town and  
IZA)  
"Labour Market Segmentation and Rent Sharing

## in the Formal and Informal Manufacturing Sector in Zimbabwe"

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15:00 - 15:30      Coffee Break

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### **Session D**

Chair: Ibrahim Okumu (Makerere University Uganda)

15:30 - 16:30      Christian Ahlin (Michigan State University)  
"Site Selection and External Validity in  
Observational and Experimental Settings: How a  
'Risky' RCT May Underperform OLS"

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18:30                  Conference Dinner

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**Saturday, December 16**

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### **Session E**

Chair: Mauricio Romero (ITAM, BREAD and IZA)

09:00 - 09:30      Wilfried Adohinzin (University of Illinois at  
Urbana-Champaign)  
"Tenure Reform, Selection and Student  
Achievement in Developing Countries: Evidence  
from Peru"

09:30 - 10:00      Barbara Zelu (Universitat Rovira i Virgili), Susana  
Iranzo (Universitat Rovira i Virgili), Alejandro

Perez-Laborda (Universitat Rovira i Virgili)  
"Pension Policy Reform and Fertility: Micro  
Evidence from Ghana"

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10:00 - 11:00 Long Coffee Break (*Opportunity for mentee-mentor pairs  
to meet*)

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**Session F**

Chair: Pascaline Dupas (Princeton University and BREAD)

11:00 - 12:00 Danila Serra (Texas A&M University), Donna Harris  
(University of Oxford), Oana Borcan (University of  
East Anglia), Henry Telli (International Growth  
Centre, Ghana), Bruno Schettini (Finance State  
Secretariat, Brazil), Stefan Dercon (University of  
Oxford and IZA)  
"Proud to Belong: The Impact of Ethics Training  
on Police Officers in Ghana"

12:00 - 13:00 Martin Mwale (Stellenbosch University), Jacob  
Ricker-Gilbert (Purdue University)  
"What's Hers Isn't Mine: Gender-differentiated  
Tenure Security, Agricultural Investments and  
Productivity in Sub-Saharan Africa"

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13:00 - 14:00 Lunch

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**Session G**

Chair: Oriana Bandiera (London School of Economics,

BREAD and IZA)

- 14:00 - 15:00 **Horace Mahugnon Akim Gninafon** (Université Laval)  
**"Child Marriage Ban and Spousal Abuse: Evidence from Nigeria"**
- 15:00 - 16:00 **Sara Lowes** (UC San Diego), Etienne Le Rossignol (University of Namur), Eduardo Montero (University of Chicago)  
**"Fallow Lengths and the Structure of Property Rights"**

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16:00 Concluding Remarks

*Followed by Coffee and Snacks*

## Mentors

**Christian Ahlin** (Michigan State University), **Siwan Anderson** (Vancouver School of Economics), **Lorenzo Casaburi** (University of Zurich), **Giacomo de Giorgi** (University of Geneva), **Pascaline Dupas** (Princeton University and BREAD), **Andrew Foster** (Brown University), **Sara Lowes** (UC San Diego), **Eoin McGuirk** (Tufts University), **David McKenzie** (World Bank and IZA), **Dina Pomeranz** (University of Zurich), **Mauricio Romero** (ITAM, BREAD and IZA), **Rebecca Thornton** (Baylor University), **Jack Willis** (Columbia University)