

READINGS

1 TOPIC 1. CONCEPTUAL FRAMEWORKS

Leading lecturers: Michal Sedlacko, Elena Danilova-Cross

Key readings

- The Human Development paradigm and its evolution - file
- Concept of Capability Approach versus Human Development - file
- Concept of Sustainable Development versus Sustainable Human Development - file
- Keynote speech: A decade of HD. Amartya Sen 2000 - PDF document
- Richard Jolly (2002) Human Development and neo-liberalism: paradigms compared - PDF document
- Defining Human Development. HDR 1990 - PDF document
- The HD Paradigm. Mahbub ul Haq 2003 - PDF document
- Amartya Sen (1997) Human capital and human capability - PDF document
- MEHDI PARVIZI AMINEH AND HENK HOUWELING. Review Essay "All on the Way to Capitalism American Style'?" - PDF document
- Environment and Poverty: Exploring the difference between what we say and what we do - Powerpoint presentation
- Environmental Justice in CEE: The Case of the Roma - Powerpoint presentation

Presentations from in-campus Module 2

- Lecture 1. Introduction to Sustainable Human Development– theories and concepts - Powerpoint presentation
- Lecture 2. The MDGs in the Context of International Law and Governance (Massimiliano Montini) - Powerpoint presentation
- Lecture 3. Environment and sustainable human development-exploring causal links between environmental damage and poverty, social inclusion and economic performance - Powerpoint presentation
- Lecture 4. MDGs in Central Europe and CIS (Jacek Cuckrowski) - Powerpoint presentation

2 TOPIC 2. HUMAN DEVELOPMENT OPERATIONALIZED IN POLICY FRAMEWORKS

Leading lecturer: Andrey Ivanov

Human development in transition environment

- Central Asia Human Development Report, 2005 (esp. section 3) - file
- Growth, poverty and inequality: Eastern Europe and former Soviet Union - PDF document
- Ranis, Stewart, Ramires (2000) Economic growth and human development - PDF document
- Inge Kaul (2002) Choices that shaped the Human Development Reports - PDF document
- Richard Jolly (2002) Human Development and neo-liberalism: paradigms compared - PDF document

Human Security in transition environment

- Kaldor et al (2007) Human Security: a new strategic narrative for Europe - PDF document
- A European Way of Security: The Madrid Report of the Human Security Study Group (2007) - PDF document
- A Human Security Doctrine for Europe, the Barcelona Report of the Study Group on Europe's Security Capabilities (2005) - PDF document
- Sabina Alkire (2002) Conceptual Framework for Human Security - PDF document
- Outline of the Report of the Commission on Human Security (2003) - PDF document

- “Human Security Now” – Report of the Commission on Human Security (2003) - PDF document
- UNDP HDR 1994, Chapter 2 “Dimensions of Human Security” - PDF document
- Karina Batthyany (2004) Obstacles to Human Security - Analysis of the Social Watch national reports - file
- Kanti Bajpai. Human Security: Concept and Measurement, Kroc Institute Occasional Paper #19:OP:1 - PDF document
- Frances Stewart (2000) Crisis Prevention: Tackling Horizontal Inequalities, Queen Elizabeth House, University of Oxford, Working Papers qehwps33 - PDF document
- Central Asia Human Development Report 2005, Chapter 2: Central Asia and its challenges in a regional context - PDF document
- "Human Security". HD Insights, HDR Networks, February 2008, Issue 17 - PDF document

MDGs in transition environment

- Introduction to Millennium Development Goals - file
- National Millennium Development Goals: A Framework for Action - PDF document
- The Poverty Reduction Strategy Initiative. An Independent Evaluation of the World Bank’s Support Through 2003 - PDF document

Presentations from in-campus Module 2

- Lecture 1. Human development in transition environment - Powerpoint presentation
- Lecture 2. Human Security in Transition Environment (Rastislav Vrbensky) - Powerpoint presentation
- Discussion Paper. Can development prevent conflict? Integrated area-based development in Western Balkans – Theory, practice and policy recommendations (Rastislav Vrbensky) - Word document
- Lecture 3. Human Development Challenges in Central Asia (Jacek Cuckrowski) - Powerpoint presentation

3 TOPIC 3. MEASURING THE STATUS AND DYNAMICS. HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND RELATED INDICATORS

Leading lecturer: Mihail Peleah

Core readings

- UNDP HDR 1990, Chapter 1 “Defining and measuring Human Development” - PDF document
- UNDP HDR 1994 “Human development Index: Methodology and Measurement” - PDF document
- UNDP HDR 1995, Chapter 3 “Measuring gender inequality” - PDF document
- UNDP HDR 1997, Chapter 1 “Poverty in the human development perspective: concept and measurement” - PDF document
- UNDP HDR 2007/2008, Technical Note 1. “Calculating the human development indices” - PDF document
- UNDP, “Measuring Human Development: A Primer”, Chapter 1 - PDF document
- UNDP, “Measuring Human Development: A Primer”, Chapter 2 - PDF document
- Sakiko Fukuda-Parr (2002) Rescuing the human development concept from the HDI - PDF document

Additional readings

- Mahbub ul Haq “The birth of Human Development Index” - PDF document
- Selim Jahan “Evolution of Human Development Index” - PDF document
- Sudhir and Amartya Sen. 1993. Human Development Index: Methodology and Measurement. - PDF document
- Kate Raworth and David Stewart “Critiques of the Human Development Index: A Review” - PDF document
- UNDP Malaysia, 2007 “Measuring and Monitoring Poverty and Inequality” - PDF document
- Sakiko Fukuda-Parr, Kate Raworth and A.K. Shiva Kumar “Using the HDI for policy analysis” - PDF document

- The Missing Dimensions of Poverty Data: An Introduction - PDF document
- UNDP HDR 2000, Chapter 5 “Using indicators for human rights accountability” - PDF document
- Jairo Acuca-Alfaro, 2008. "Measuring Democracy in Latin America (1972-2002)" - PDF document

Presentations from in-campus module 2

- Lecture 1. Indicators and data (Mihail Peleah) - Powerpoint presentation
- Lecture 2. Type of indicators and monitoring (Andrey Ivanov) - Powerpoint presentation
- Template for calculation of HDI, GDI, HPI-1, and HPI-2 - Excel spreadsheet

4 TOPIC 4. HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL CHALLENGES IN EUROPE AND CIS

Leading lecturers: REC

5 TOPIC 5. HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND CLIMATE CHANGES IN EUROPE AND CIS

Leading lecturer: Marina Olshanskaya

Core readings

- HDR2007/2008. Fighting climate change: human solidarity in a divided world - PDF document

Additional readings

- Climate Change 2007: The Physical Science Basis. Working Group I Contribution to IPCC Fourth Assessment Report. Summary for Policymakers - PDF document
- Climate Change 2007: Impacts, Adaptation and Vulnerability. Working Group II Contribution to IPCC Fourth Assessment Report. Summary for Policymakers - PDF document
- Climate Change 2007: Mitigation of Climate Change. Working Group III Contribution to IPCC Fourth Assessment Report. Summary for Policymakers - PDF document
- Stern Review: The Economics of Climate Change. Executive Summary - PDF document
- Climate Change Adaptation and Development: Exploring the Linkages. Tyndall Centre for Climate Change Research. Working Paper 107. July 2007 - PDF document
- State and Trends of the Carbon Market 2007. World Bank, May 2007 - PDF document
- UN General Assembly Thematic Debate on “Climate Change as a Global Challenge” - Word document
- Nick Brooks: Cultural responses to aridity in the Middle Holocene and increased social complexity - PDF document
- UNDP MDG Carbon Facility - PDF document
- The Business of Climate Change II. Lehman Brothers, 2007 - PDF document
- Breaking the Climate Deadlock: A Global Deal for Our Low-Carbon Future - PDF document
- Climate Change 2007. Contribution of Working Group III to the Fourth Assessment Report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change - PDF document
- Koepfel, S. and Ürge-Vorsatz, D. 2007. Assessment of policy instruments for reducing greenhouse gas emissions from buildings. - PDF document
- World Energy Council. 2008. Energy Efficiency Policies around the World: Review and Evaluation. - PDF document
- Chapters 6 and 7 from Goldemberg, J., ed. (2000). World Energy Assessment. Energy and the Challenge of Sustainability - file
- Excerpt from Von Weizsäcker, E., Lovins, A.B. and Lovins, L. H. 1997. Factor four: doubling wealth, halving resource use. London : Earthscan Publications. - PDF document

Presentations from in-campus module 2

- Lecture 1. Multilateral Environmental Agreements and Poverty Reduction (Stephen Stec) - Powerpoint presentation
- Lecture 2. Climate Change as Human Development Challenge (Marina Olshanskaya) - Powerpoint presentation
- Lecture 3. Policy response to mitigate climate change (Aleksandra Novikova) - Powerpoint presentation
- Group assignment. Screening Development Projects for Risks from Climate Change (Anna Kaplina) - Powerpoint presentation

6 TOPIC 6. LOCALIZING MDGs; TRANSLATING SHD AGENDA INTO “LOCAL DEVELOPMENT LANGUAGE”

Leading lecturer: Jaroslav Kling, Elena Danilova-Cross

Key readings

- Toolkit for localising MDGs - file
- Localising the MDGs: Opportunities for Local Leaders (training manual for participants) - zip archive
- Toolkit for partnership based preparation and implementation of local/regional development strategy - Word document
- Practice Note "Supporting Capacities for Integrated Local Development" - PDF document
- National MDGs: A Framework for Action 2006 - file
- Are MDGs feasible? by Jan Vandemoortele, 2002 - PDF document

Additional Readings

- Five views of development: how news agencies cover MDGs? - a study led by University of Washington - file
- MDG-consistent macroeconomic frameworks: an analytical approach - PDF document

Presentations from in-campus module 2

- Lecture 1. Localization of the MDGs (Jacek Cuckrowski) - Powerpoint presentation
- Lecture 2. Home grown MDG-based poverty reduction strategies. Uzbekistan case study (Elena Danilova-Cross) - Powerpoint presentation
- Lecture 3. Regional/local development strategy (Jaroslav Kling) - Powerpoint presentation
- Group work on Target setting (Jaroslav Kling) - Powerpoint presentation

7 TOPIC 7. SOCIAL INCLUSION AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Leading lecturer: Susanne Milcher

Core readings

- DFID, 2005, Reducing Poverty by Tackling Social Exclusion, Policy Paper - PDF document
- EC, European handbook on equality data, pp.1-33 - PDF document
- HD Insights Nr16, 2008 - PDF document
- Ivanov, A. 2004, Everyone can reap the rewards of diversity, Local Governance Brief, pp.3-5 - PDF document
- Kabeer, N. Social Exclusion, Concepts, Findings and Implications for the MDGs - Word document
- UNDP, 2006, Social Exclusion and Integration in Poland: Indicators-Based Approach, Warsaw (Summary) - Word document
- UNDP, 2007, NHDR Croatia: Unplugged: Faces of Social Exclusion in Croatia, Zagreb, Chapter 4 and 5, pp.138-154 - PDF document

Additional readings

- DFID, 2005, DFID Social Exclusion Review - PDF document

- EC, 2005, Report on social inclusion 2005 by 10 new member states - PDF document
- EC, 2007, Joint Report on Social Protection and Social Inclusion - PDF document
- European Foundation for the Improvement of Working and Living Conditions, 2007, Quality of life in Croatia: Key findings from national research - PDF document
- Hurrell, J. 2005, Social Exclusion, External Intervention, and the Local Democracy - PDF document
- ODI, Public Policy Responses to Social Exclusion - Word document
- Szelenyi, I. 2001, Poverty under post-communist capitalism - the effects of class and ethnicity in a cross-national comparison - Word document
- Thorbecke, E. 2008, Multidimensional Poverty: Conceptual and Measurement Issues - PDF document
- UNDP, 2005, Employing the Roma, Insights from Business, Bratislava - PDF document
- UNDP, 2006, At Risk: Roma and the Displaced in Southeast Europe, Bratislava. - PDF document
- UNDP, 2006, Poverty, Unemployment and Social Exclusion, Zagreb. - PDF document
- UNDP, 2007, NHDR Croatia: Unplugged: Faces of Social Exclusion in Croatia, Zagreb - PDF document
- UNDP, 2007, NHDR BiH: Social Inclusion in Bosnia and Herzegovina, Sarajevo - PDF document

Presentations from in-campus Module 2

- Case study: Displaced persons in Southeast Europe - Word document
- Case study: Elderly people in Kazakhstan - Word document
- Case study: People living with disabilities in Tajikistan - Word document
- Case study: People living with HIV/AIDS in Ukraine - Word document
- Lecture 1: Social inclusion policies and local experiences (Susanne Milher, Daniel Skobla and Adela Pozder) - Powerpoint presentation
- Role play to simulate social inclusion in practice. Profile of key stakeholders - Word document
- Lecture 2: Social Inclusion in practice - Beneficiary Perspectives of a Project in Eastern Slovakia (Jakob Hurrell) - Powerpoint presentation

8 TOPIC 8. CIVIL SOCIETY, HUMAN DEVELOPMENT, AND GOVERNANCE

Leading lecturer: Geoff Prewitt

Key readings

- NGO Sustainability Index, 2006, USAID - file
- Towards Financial Self-Reliance: A Handbook on Research Mobilization for Civil Society organizations in the South by Richard Holloway, 2001 - PDF document
- Civil Society Legitimacy and Accountability: Issues and Challenges - PDF document
- Partnerships and Accountability: Current thinking and approaches among agencies supporting Civil Society Organisations - PDF document
- Checklist for CBO Laws - PDF document
- Defending Civil Society, World Movement for Democracy and ICNL, 2008 - PDF document

Additional Readings

- Capacity Development for Policy Advocacy: Current thinking and approaches among agencies supporting Civil Society Organisations - PDF document
- Poverty Reduction Strategies: Perspective from Civil Society - PDF document
- Guidebook African Civil Society Engagement in the Millennium Development Goals By Patrick Osodo Geoffrey D. Prewitt Jennie Richmond - Word document
- MDG Toolkit for CSOs - zip archive

- The Roots of Association and Philanthropy: Non-Profit Organizations throughout the World and in Central, Eastern, and Southern Europe - PDF document

Presentations from in-campus Module 2

- Lecture 1. Development of Civil Society in Slovakia 1989–2008 (Michaela Lednova) - Powerpoint presentation
- Lecture 2. Defending Civil Society (David Moore) - Powerpoint presentation
- Lecture 3. Addressing the Credibility Gap – CSO Accountability Deficit (Geoffrey D. Prewitt) - Powerpoint presentation
- Lecture 3. Diversifying Revenue Streams of CSOs (Geoffrey D. Prewitt) - Powerpoint presentation

9 TOPIC 9. INSTITUTIONS AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Leading lecturer: Dan Dionisie

Key readings

- Organizing the Central State Administration: Policies and Instruments (OECD/SIGMA, 2007) - PDF document
- Administrative Capacity Building in Prospective and New EU Member States: Reference Guide for Horizontal Integration (NISPACee, 2005) - file
- UN Secretary General's report on "Public Administration and Development" (A/60/114, July 2005) - PDF document
- Reinventing Government: What difference a strategy makes (David Osborne, 2007) - PDF document

Additional readings

- World Public Sector Report (UNDESA, 2005) - PDF document
- Institutional Reform and Change Management: Managing Change in Public Sector Organisations (UNDP/CDG Conference Paper) - file
- Fighting Corruption in Post-communist States: Lessons from Practice (UNDP/BRC) - file
- Rebuilding State Structures: Methods and Approaches (UNDP/BRC, 2001) - file

Presentations from in-campus Module 2

- Lecture 1. Public Administration Reform for Advancing MDGs (Dan Dionisie) - Powerpoint presentation
- Lecture 2. Human Factor and Human Resources Development (Demetrios Argyriades) - Word document
- Paper. Human Factor and Human Resources Development (Demetrios Argyriades)