



The Challenge of Development in the 21st Century

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University of California, Riverside
2206 Sproul Hall
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A conference presented by some of his former graduate students in honor of Keith Griffin on the occasion of his retirement.

**Panel I: Trade, Inequality, and Development
9:30 – 11:30 a.m.**

Ted Levine (University of California, Riverside), Chair

Ranjeeta Ghiara (California State University, San Marcos), Trade Liberalization and Female Wages in Mexico

Terry McKinley (United Nations Development Programme), Growth, Inequality, and Poverty Reduction: The Role of Employment

Eduardo Zepeda (International Poverty Centre, Brasil), Attaining the Millennium Development Goals in Mexico: Averages versus Realities

**Panel II: Transition, Stagnation, and Sanctions
1:00 – 3:00 p.m.**

Anirban Dasgupta (University of California, Riverside), Chair

Mark Brenner (Political Economy Research Institute, UMass, Amherst), Increasing the Contradictions?: Collective Ownership and Rural Wage Inequality During China's Transition

Mwangi wa Githinji (Gettysburg College), The Impact of Stagnation on Inequality and Poverty in Kenya

Bassam Yousif (California State University, Fullerton), Development under Sanctions

**Panel III: Development Practices: From the "Field" to the Classroom
3:30- 5:30 p.m.**

Eric Jonasson (University of California, Riverside), Chair

Amber Casolari (Glendale Community College), Incorporating Writing into the Economics Curriculum: What We Can Learn From Our Colleagues in English

Savvina Chowdhury (California State University, Bakersfield), Planning Luxor

Amy Ickowitz (Clark University), Shifting Cultivation and Deforestation in Cameroon: An Empirical Analysis