

International Economic Association Eighteenth World Congress  
**IEA-AfDB Young African Scholars Program**  
Santa Fe, Mexico City

**Thursday, June 22, 2017**

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**8:30-10:30 am: Opening Conversation**

Welcoming Remarks by *Tim Besley*, President, IEA, and London School of Economics

- *Kaushik Basu*, President-elect, IEA, and Cornell University
- *Célestin Monga*, African Development Bank

Remarks by:

- *Roger B. Myerson*, Glen A. Lloyd Distinguished Service Professor, Nobel Laureate, University of Chicago
- *Ravi Kanbur*, Cornell University
- *Haroon Borat*, University of Cape Town
- *Finn Tarp*, UNU-WIDER
- *Léonard Wantchekon*, Princeton University
- *Julia Cagé*, Sciences-Po

**10:30-10:45: Coffee/Tea Break**

**10:45-1 p.m.: First Session: Globalization and Transformation**

- Economic Globalization and Youth Unemployment – Evidence from African countries  
*Atif Awoad*, University of Sharjah, UAE
- Agricultural Innovations, Farm Production, and Household Welfare in Sub-Saharan Africa: Insights from meta-analysis  
*Kolawole Ogundari*, University of Delaware, Newark Delaware USA
- Africa's Women Agrarian Employment and Export Barriers: The Impact of Non-Tariff Measures, Infrastructure and Education  
*Olayinka Idowu Kareem*, University of Marburg, Germany
- Investment and Take-up Costs of Alternative Modes of Transport: Implications for Intra-Africa Trade  
*David Onyinyechi Agu*, (with Cosmas C. Ohaka and Uju Sabena Igweani), Development Strategy Centre, Enugu, Nigeria

**1-2 p.m. Lunch Keynote Speakers: Joseph Stiglitz, Justin Yifu Lin, and Dani Rodrik**  
**2:15-3-45 pm: Second Session: Governance and Institutions**

- Deterrence, Contagion and Legitimacy in Anti-Corruption Policymaking: An Experimental Analysis  
**Amadou Boly**, African Development bank (with Robert Gillanders and Topi Miettinen)
- Education Resources and the Quality of Local Governance: Evidence from Africa  
**Maty Konte**, United-Nations University (UNU-MERIT)
- Society versus Human Agency: What wins in the fight against corruption?  
**Davina Osei**, (with Maty Konte, and Theophile T. Azomahou), United-Nations University (UNU-MERIT)

**3:45-4 pm: Coffee/Tea Break**

**4-5:15 pm: Third Session: Human Capital**

- Female Say on Income and Child Outcomes: Evidence from Burundi  
**Rama Lionel Ngenzebuke**, Harvard University, T.H Chan School of Public Health
- A Tax on Children? The Effects of Food Price Inflation on Child Health  
**Andinet Woldemichael**, African Development Bank
- Intrahousehold Resource Allocation: Nourishing Parents and Battering Wives  
**Bumi Camara**, African Development Bank