



Department of Economics and International Business

CALL FOR PAPERS/IDEAS

Theme: Interdisciplinary Collaborative Research with special relevance to Developing Countries/Africa

23-24 November 2017

Venue: Hghes Hall, University of Cambridge, United Kingdom

The Department of Economics and International Business (EIB) of Lord Ashcroft International Business School, Anglia Ruskin University, Cambridge, will be hosting a mini conference in Cambridge, United Kingdom from 23rd to 24th November 2017. We wish to take this opportunity to invite you to submit an abstract or research idea/paper for presentation and discussion at the conference. The emphasis of the conference will be on high-quality, theoretical and/or applied research topics focusing on issues relevant to emerging trends in Economics, International Business, Finance and development which have special relevance to developing countries and/or Africa's development. The conference will focus (not exclusively) on the following:

Sub-themes	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Property economics and finance Emerging Stock Markets Research Microfinance Construction economics Development Economics Agricultural Finance Export Finance Insurance Finance in Africa Growth of Mobile Banking in Africa Institutional and Labour Economics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Emerging Banking Research; Accounting and Regulatory Issues in Africa; SME Finance; FDI and Portfolio Investment in Africa; Financial Risk Management in Emerging Markets; Financial Inclusion Credit Risk Analysis Retail banking in Africa Other areas of Development Finance and Economics



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During the conference participants of this FREE event will be organised under sub groups to work together towards developing research ideas/proposals intended to be finalised and submitted to respective research funding sources for consideration for research. Certificate of participation will be issued to all participants.

DEADLINES: Submission of abstracts/ideas – 30th September 2017

CO-ORDINATION

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