



Workshop Agenda, Second Annual Meeting

MONDAY, 6 JUNE 2011

9:00 Opening Session

Welcome and Introductions by participants

9:30 Session 1 - Integrating Human Rights Quantitatively into the MDGs: Concepts

Chair: *Mac Darrow, UN OHCHR (& Session 2)*

Human Rights and MDGs

Roberto Bissio, Social Watch

Post-2015: Pathways, Targets and Indicators

Malcolm Langford, University of Oslo

Human Rights Approach to Measuring Progress: Progressive Realization, not Achieving Targets

Sakiko Fukuda-Parr and Josh Greenstein, New School

11.00 Coffee

11:30 Session 2 - Integrating Human Rights Quantitatively into the MDGs: Application

Towards a framework for human rights accountability through the MDGs

Ignacio Saiz, Centre for Economic and Social Rights (CESR)

Human Rights and Water and Sanitation Targets and Indicators

Andrew Trevett, UNICEF

Maternal and Reproductive Health

Alicia Yamin, Harvard University

Discussant: Francesca Perucci, UN Statistical Office

13:00 Lunch

14:00 Plenary Session 3: New Datasets and Indexes

Chair: *Dan Seymour, UNICEF*

WORLD: Examining the Global Impact of Legal Rights and Social Policy

Jody Heymann, Institute for Health and Social Policy, McGill University

Right to Development Framework and Indicators

Susan Randolph, University of Connecticut and Maria Green, Brandeis University

Indicator Research on the Right to Education

Carol Anne Spreen, University of Virginia

Toronto Initiative for Economic and Social Rights Dataset

Evan Rosevear, Department of Political Science, University of Toronto

15:45 Coffee

16:15 Session 4: Operationalisation - Governments, Civil Society and IGOs

Chair: *Sakiko Fukuda-Parr*

Government of Brazil and Human Rights Monitoring

Pedro Pontual, Secretariat for Human Rights of the Presidency of the Republic

Indicator-Based Monitoring of ESC Rights in Mexico

Ximena Maroto, Social Policy and Human Rights Observatory

Indicators in Crisis: Rights-Based Humanitarian Indicators in Post-Earthquake Haiti

Meg Satterwaithe, NYU University

Human Rights Indicators and Development

Hans Otto Sano and Siobhan McKerney-Lankford, Nordic Trust Fund, World Bank

18.00 Dinner

TUESDAY, 7 JUNE 2011

9:00 Session 5: Data-Based Analyses

Chair: *Degol Hailu*, UNDP

Geography Matters: Spatial Analytic Perspectives on Human Rights Measurement
Colin Ryan and Patrick Heidkamp, Southern Connecticut State University

Tracking the Historical Evolution of States' Compliance with their Economic and Social Rights Obligations: Insights from the Longitudinal SERF Index

Susan Randolph, University of Connecticut and *Patrick Guyer*, Social Science Research Council

Assessing Discrimination in Employment

Patrick Taran, International Labour Organisation

What do the Public think about Social and Economic Rights?

Polly Vizard, London School of Economics

11:00 Coffee

11:30 Session 6: Violence Against Women

Chair: *Jasmine Ergas*, Colombia University (tbc)

The Status of Legal Guarantees Relating to Violence Against Women 2007-2010: A New Dataset and Evolutionary Analysis

David L. Richards, University of Connecticut, and *Jill Haglund*, Florida State University

The Cultural Work of Quantification: Measuring Violence Against Women

Sally Engel Merry, New York University

12:30 Lunch

13:15 Session 7: Assessing the Use of Maximum Available Resources

Chair: *Ann Blyberg*, International Budget Project (tbc)

Assessing Maximum Available Resources: Conceptual Issues

Radhika Balakrishnan, Rutgers University, and *James Heintz*, University of Massachusetts

Rights and Resources: A Budget Analysis of the Right to Education in Orissa, India

Pravas Ranjan Mishra, Programme Manager, CYSD, India

The Wobbly Pillars of Housing and Water Policy:

Quantitative Resource-Based Assessments

Jackie Dugard, SERI, and *Malcolm Langford*, University of Oslo

14:30 Session 8: Emerging Research and Operational Themes and Next Steps

Plenary discussion

(Will include discussion of Special Issue)

15:00 Close meeting

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