

Can Economic Growth Include Women in the Global South?

Friday, May 6, 2016

- 10:15 a.m.** **Registration**
- 10:30 a.m.** **Welcome and introduction**
- **Ammar A. Malik**, research associate, Center on International Development and Governance, Urban Institute
 - **H. Elizabeth Peters**, director, Center on Labor, Human Services, and Population, Urban Institute
- 10:40 a.m.** **Preliminary Findings about Economic Growth and Women's Empowerment from the Demographic and Health Surveys**
- **Nan Marie Astone**, senior fellow, Center on Labor, Human Services, and Population, Urban Institute
- 11:00 a.m.** **Panel discussion**
- **Madiha Ahmed**, senior program specialist, social and economic policy, International Development Research Centre, Canada (*moderator*)
 - **Sonalde Desai**, professor of sociology, University of Maryland, College Park, United States
 - **Hina Lotia**, director programmes, Leadership for Environment and Development, Pakistan
 - **Jennifer Obado-Joel**, research manager, Centre on Public Policy Alternatives, Nigeria
 - **Damaris Parsitau**, director and senior lecturer, Institute of Women, Gender, and Development Studies, Egerton University, Kenya
- 11:40 a.m.** **Audience Q + A**
- 12:00 p.m.** **Networking luncheon**



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