

International Conference on Development in Honor of Professor Kwabena Gyimah-Brempong

March 18-19, 2016

University of South Florida
4202 E Fowler Ave
Tampa, FL 33620

Program

Day 1: Friday, March 18, 2016

Time	Event
8:15-8.45	Registration Room: ISA 1061
8:45-9:30	Opening Ceremony-Welcome Statements Room: ISA 1061 John Karikari <i>US Government Accountability Office, Washington D.C</i>

	<p style="text-align: center;">Donna J Petersen <i>Professor and Dean of the College of Public Health, Senior Associate Vice President, USF Health University of South Florida, Tampa</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Elizabeth Asiedu <i>Professor, University of Kansas, Lawrence President, Association for the Advancement of African Woman Economists (AAWE)</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Akua Agyen <i>Research Associate, AAWE</i></p>	
9:30-10:15	<p style="text-align: center;">Keynote Address Room: ISA 1061</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Kaye Husbands Fealing <i>Professor and Chair, School of Public Policy Georgia Institute of Technology, Georgia</i> Title: "Governance and Growth: When Does Policy Matter?"</p>	
10:15-10:30	<p>Coffee Break</p>	
	<p>Concurrent Sessions</p>	
10:30-12:30	<p>Session 1: Room: ISA 3048 Chair: Belinda Archibong</p> <p>Foreign Aid and FDI</p> <p>Paper S1.1: The impact of the sectoral allocation of foreign aid on gender inequality</p>	<p>Session 2: Room: ISA 3051 Chair: Tewodaj Mogues</p> <p>Gender Issues in Developing Countries</p> <p>Paper S2.1: Reducing the gender gap in education: Female teachers as Role Models</p>

	<p>Lynda Pickbourn, <i>Hampshire College, Amherst</i></p> <p>Paper S1.2: A synthesis of market size, remittances and FDI flows to Sub-Sahara Africa William A. Amponsah, <i>Georgia Southern University, Statesboro</i></p>	<p>Neepa Gaekwad Babulal, <i>AAWE and University of Kansas, Lawrence</i></p> <p>Paper S2.2: Female managers, attitudes toward women and the gender wage-gap: An empirical study of three Sub-Saharan countries Gabriel Picone, <i>University of South Florida, Tampa</i></p> <p>Paper S2.3: Risk Factors of Intimate Partner Physical Violence among Married Women in Sub-Saharan Africa: Evidence from Ghana, Kenya, Malawi and Zimbabwe Tatenda Zinyemba, <i>AAWE and Indiana University, Bloomington</i></p>
12:30-14:00	Lunch	
14:00-16:00	<p>Session 3: Room: ISA 3048 Chair: Christian Nsiah</p> <p>Institutions and Government Policy</p> <p>Paper S7.1: An estimated model of informality with constrained entrepreneurial choice Pierre Nguimkeu, <i>Georgia State University, Atlanta</i></p> <p>Paper S7.2: Why and how do poor fiscal institutions emerge in developing countries? Cristelle Kouame, <i>Temple University, Philadelphia</i></p>	<p>Session 4: Room: ISA 3051 Chair: Tatenda Zinyemba</p> <p>Energy, Health and Economic Growth in SSA</p> <p>Paper S4.1: The political economy of energy challenges in Ghana Stephen Aikins, <i>University of South Florida, Tampa</i></p> <p>Paper S4.2: Determinants and Prevention of Low Birth Weight in Sub-Saharan Africa: The Effects of Antimalarial Campaigns Olga Petrova, <i>University of South Florida, Tampa</i></p>

16:00-16:15	Coffee Break	
16 :15-18 :15	<p>Session 5: Room: ISA 3048 Chair: Pierre Nguimkeu</p> <p>Investment and Foreign Currency Issues in Africa</p> <p>Paper S5.1: Implications of monetary policy for credit and investment in sub-Saharan African countries Leonce Ndikumana, <i>University of Massachusetts, Amherst</i></p> <p>Paper S5.2: Investigating Purchasing Power Parity between African Countries, USA, Euro Area, South Africa, and Nigeria: A Panel Long-Run Analysis of the Impact of the Great Recession. Christian Nsiah, <i>Baldwin Wallace University, Berea</i></p>	<p>Session 6: Room: ISA 3051 Chair: William A. Amponsah</p> <p>Agricultural Extension and Service Delivery</p> <p>Paper S6.1: Decentralization Without Representation (or Mobility): Implications for Rural Public Service Delivery Tewodaj Mogues, <i>International Food Policy Research Institute, Washington D.C</i></p> <p>Paper S6.2: Agricultural extension and nutrition: Evidence from Uganda John Oryema, <i>University of South Florida, Tampa</i></p>
19 :00-21 :00	<p>Dinner</p> <p>Venue Embassy Suites, Tampa USF</p> <p>Speaker Kofi R. Glover, Professor and Associate Provost for Faculty Affairs, <i>University of South Florida</i></p>	

Day 2: Saturday March 19, 2016

<p>8:45-10:15</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Round Table Room: ISA 1061</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Contributions by Kwabena Gyimah-Brempong to Research on Economic Development</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator Una Osili, <i>AAWE and Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis, Indianapolis</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Elizabeth Asiedu, <i>University of Kansas & AAWE</i> John Karikari, <i>US Government Accountability Office, Washington D.C</i> Léonce Ndikumana, <i>University of Massachusetts, Amherst</i> Gregory N. Price, <i>Morehouse College, Atlanta</i></p>	
<p>10:15-11:00</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Keynote Address Room: ISA 1061</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Samuel L. Myers, Jr. <i>Roy Wilkins Professor of Human Relations and Social Justice, Hubert H. Humphrey School of Public Affairs, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis</i> Title: The Contributions of Kwabena Gyimah-Brempong to the Economics of Crime</p>	
<p>11:00-11:15</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Coffee Break</p>	
	<p style="text-align: center;">Concurrent Sessions</p>	
<p>11:15-</p>	<p>Session 7: Room: ISA 3048</p>	<p>Session 8: Room: ISA 3051</p>

13:15	<p>Chair: Gabriel Picone</p> <p>Economic History: The effect of Slave Trade, Civil War and Pre-Colonial Institutions</p> <p>Paper S3.1: Civil war and human capital Una Osili, <i>AAWE and Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis, Indianapolis</i></p> <p>Paper S3.2: Did Slave-Trading Enable Expansion of the British Empire? Evidence from South Sea Company Risk-adjusted Stock Returns During the Asiento de Negros, 1713 – 1743 Gregory Price, <i>Morehouse College, Atlanta</i></p> <p>Paper S3.3: Historical origins of persistent inequality: evidence from African Countries Belinda Archibong, <i>Barnard College, New York</i></p>	<p>Chair: Lynda Pickbourn</p> <p>Charitable Donations and Housing Policy in the US</p> <p>Paper S8.1: The Completion Effect in Charitable Crowdfunding David Klinowski, <i>University of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania</i></p> <p>Paper S8.2: Examining the relationship between Hope VI public housing demolition and homicide rates: A case study of Chicago Noimot Bakare, <i>Howard University, Washington D.C</i></p>
13 :15- 15 :00	<p>Lunch and Closing</p> <p>Kwabena Gyimah-Brempong, <i>University of South Florida</i></p> <p>Elizabeth Asiedu, <i>University of Kansas & AAWE</i></p> <p>Bradley Kamp <i>Professor and Chair, Department of Economics, University of South Florida</i></p>	