

# Fourth Inter-University Doctoral Workshop in Development Economics

organized by

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Venue:

Internationales Wissenschaftsforum Heidelberg (IWH),  
Hauptstraße 242, 69117 Heidelberg

## Wednesday, September 28

17:30-19:30	Panel Discussion on the Indian Microfinance Crisis in cooperation with <i>Oikocredit</i>	IWH
19:30	Informal Dinner (self-paid)	TBA

## Thursday, September 29

09:00	Welcome and Introduction	IWH
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### Household Decisions and Development

09:15-10:45	Antje Kröger (DIW Berlin) <i>Migration, Parental Decision Making and Children's outcomes</i>  Malte Reimers (University of Göttingen) <i>The Role of Education for Agricultural Productivity</i>	
10:45-11:15	Coffee Break	
11:15-12:45	Haa Lu (University of Frankfurt) <i>Insurance and Agricultural Household Investment Behaviour: Evidence from Vietnam</i>  Markus Olapade (University of Mannheim) <i>Insurance Literacy and Insurance Demand – Evidence from a Field Experiment</i>	
12:45-13:45	Lunch	Mensa Marstallhof

## **Development and the Macroeconomy**

- 13:45-16:00 Katerina Gradeva (University of Frankfurt)  
*International Trade and Corruption*
- Jochen Laps (University of Heidelberg)  
*Pension Schemes and the Sharing of Demographic Risk*
- Katharina Mühlhoff (University of Mannheim)  
*Infectious Disease and the State - The Case of Smallpox Vaccination in 19th Century Germany and France*

16:00-16:30 Coffee Break

## **Ethnicity and Conflict**

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- 16:30-18:45 Hanne Roggemann (University of Frankfurt)  
*Differences in Consumption Smoothing across Ethnic Groups - Evidence from Vietnam*
- Damir Esenaliev (DIW Berlin)  
*Are Uzbeks better off? Ethnicity and Economic Welfare in Kyrgyzstan*
- Johannes Rieckmann (University of Göttingen)  
*Violent Behaviour - The effect of Civil Conflict on Domestic Violence in Colombia*

### *Discussants:*

- Prof. Dr. Tilmann Brück (DIW Berlin)
- Prof. Dr. Markus Frölich (University of Mannheim)
- Prof. Dr. Stefan Klöpper (University of Heidelberg)
- Prof. Dr. Matthias Schündeln (University of Frankfurt)
- Prof. Dr. Michèle Tertilt (University of Mannheim)