

NorDev25 Program overview

Day 1: Wednesday 24 September

10.30 - 12.00	Registration and light lunch
12.00 - 12.15	Opening Session
12.15 - 13.00	Keynote by Olle Törnquist, University of Oslo
13.00 - 13.15	Break
13.15 - 14.00	Keynote by Andrea Ordoñez, Senior Research Fellow at Southern Voice
14.00 - 14.15	Break
14.15 - 15.30	Plenary panel debate on Nordic solidarity
15.30 - 16.15	Light food/coffee followed by documentary film viewing with Filmmaker Vivian Price
16.15 - 17.30	Plenary panel discussion II on internationalization in higher education
17.30 - 18.15	Free time
18.15 - 21.00	Meet and Greet mingling with light finger food followed by concert with “Bretton Woods”

Day 2: Thursday 25 September

9.00 - 10.45	Keynote by Uma Kothari, Professor of Migration and Postcolonial Studies, Global Development Institute, The University of Manchester
10.15 - 11.45	Parallel Session 1
11.45 - 12.30	Documentary film viewing with Vivian Price followed by light lunch
12.30 - 14.00	Parallel Session 2
14.15 - 15.45	Parallel Session 3
16.00- 17.30	Parallel Session 4
18.00	Conference Dinner at Vitenparken, NMBU campus

Day 3: Friday 26 September

09.00 - 10.30	Parallel Session 5
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee/tea break with fruit
11.15 - 12.00	Closing Plenary
12.15 - 13.00	Lunch
13.15 - 14.45	Plenary Session 6 (Oslo-based panels)

Draft program, NorDev25, all sessions

Day 1 Wednesday, September 24 th 12.00-17.30: Keynotes and Opening Plenaries – Vitenparken, NMBU campus, Ås				
Keynote I: “The world is actually full of hope: Resistance in solidarity against the global conservative nationalism” Olle Törnquist	Keynote II: “Solidarity at work: Bridging Daily Practice and Structural Change” Andrea Ordoñez	Opening Plenary I Strategic directions and transformations in Nordic development research and development collaboration Øyvind Eggen (chair), Cecilia Gregersen (MFA Denmark), Lisa Roman (SIDA), Toril-Iren Pedersen (Norad), Marikki Karhu (MFA Finland)	Plenary II: Internationalisation in higher education: fostering solidarity across borders Solve Sæbø, incoming NMBU rector (chair), Siri Fjellheim, NMBU, Svein Stølen, UiO, Henriette Reiersen Johnstone, SAIH president, Additional Nordic participants	18.15 -21.00 Mingling and finger food followed by concert with “Bretton Woods”

Day 2 Thursday, September 25 th						
Keynote III: 09.00-10.00 “Art, creative solidarity and the postcolonial imagination” - Uma Kothari						
Paralell session 1: Thursday 10.15-11.45						
Decolonizing research and training collaborations and practices	Supporting just and fair energy transitions	Old and new development actors and logics	Sustainable and Just Food Systems	International solidarity and social justice in a polarized world	Towards equitable partnerships	Conflict, dispossession and displacement
Panel 17 Problematizing Solidarity, Social Justice and Sustainability: Partnerships Beyond Epistemic Gatekeeping	Panel 20 The political economy of transitions, green and grey	New Panel*: Domestic Resource Mobilization – why progressive taxation is an imperative for sustainable development	Panel 4 Food system transformations in a new political world situation	Panel 1 Development Policy and Practice in the Era of Conservative Backlash	Roundtable Shifting Power and Advancing Equity in Afropean Academic-Civic Collaborations: The Case of INCLUDE Knowledge Platform	Panel 10 Global crisis, conflicts and injustice. Landscape role and responsibility in a contested world

Parallel Session 2 Thursday 12.30-14.00						
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Roundtable Resistance and Transformation: Intercultural and Decolonial Dialogues in Contemporary Higher Education SAIH	Panel 21 Achieving energy for all: just transitions to electricity and clean cooking	Panel 25 How are Public-Private Partnerships transforming development?	Panel 24 Advancing Aquatic Food Systems for a Sustainable and Just Future	Panel 23 Resistance in Solidarity against Global Conservative Nationalism Book launch 1 Broadening the scope for just socio-ecological transformations: Care, solidarity, resistance and alliance building	Roundtable Moving into the Mainstream: Launch of the NARMA National Thematic Network on Equitable Partnerships with LMIC Institutions	Panel 18 Transitional Justice in the Aftermath of Violent Conflicts: A Search for Sustainable Peace in Sub-Saharan Africa
Parallel Session 3 Thursday 14.15-15.45						
Education, Civic Engagement & Empowerment	Just and Fair Energy transitions/ Climate-development nexus	Old and new development actors and logics	Tropical Forests and Biodiversity Conservation and Use	Global Orders, insecurities and crises	Towards equitable partnerships	Conflict, dispossession and displacement
Panel 12 Citizen and Refugee Led Aid: Exploring Relational Humanitarianism	New Panel* On the margins: understanding and overcoming socially	Panel 5 Navigating the Era of Indicators in Development	Panel 14 20 years of REDD+: lessons learned,	Panel 19 Geopolitical Ecology – When Geopolitics and	Panel 28: Fostering social justice and cultivating collaboration in	Panel 13 Inclusive and Equitable Food Systems in Refugee-Hosting

	differentiated vulnerabilities and inequalities		lessons to be learned, and lessons not learned	Political Ecology Meet	DEVELOP2 Research program	contexts in East Africa:
Parallel Session 4 Thursday 16.00-17.30						
New panel* Education, social inclusion and sustainability Book launch 2 Launching the Routledge Handbook of Childhood Studies and Global Development. Edited by Tatek Abebe, Anandini Dar and Karen Wells, Routledge	Panel 3 Equitable Green Transitions in Urban Sub-Saharan Africa: Sustainability and Social Justice	Panel 6 Solidarity and Sustainability: Creating Inclusive Solutions for Persons with Disabilities Impacted by Climate Change	Panel 15 Sustainable Hunting - protecting tropical biocultural diversity	Panel 16 Global Orders, Security and Crisis I	Roundtable Envisioning an equitable future for research across the North-South Divide	Panel 7 Land Dispossession and Development in the Sahel

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Parallel Session 5 Friday 9.00-10.30						
Decolonizing research and training collaborations and practices	Climate-development nexus	Old and new development actors and logics	Sustainable and Just Food Systems	Global Orders, insecurities and crises	Towards equitable partnerships	Conflict, dispossession and displacement
Panel 11 Cultivating Collaborations: Development Research on, for, with and by Civil Society Organizations	Panel 30 Climate change, uncertainty and transformation in coastal communities in India	Panel 26 AI and Sustainable Development: Opportunities, Challenges, and Ethical Considerations	Panel 22 Plant diversity for sustainable food systems	Panel 16 Global Orders, Security and Crises (II)	Roundtable: Universities as agents of solidarity and resistance: rethinking their role in shaping and suppressing student activism	Panel: NORPART Master students
Closing Plenary Friday 11.00 -12.00 followed by lunch						
Parallel Session 6 Friday 13.15 - 14.45						
			Panel 27 One Health, One World	Panel 16: Global Orders, security and crises - III	Open Meeting: Solidarity and the Nordics: Nordic Development Research Networks' experiences and future collaboration	