

SOCIAL CHANGE @ THE EDGE

UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA, VICTORIA, BC JUNE 4TH TO 6TH, 2013

The Canadian Association for the Study of International Development (CASID) graciously invites you to participate at its 2013 meeting, as part of the Canadian Federation for the Humanities and Social Sciences Congress, at the University of Victoria. Academics (faculty and students), practitioners, the policy making community, NGOs, social movements and community groups are all welcome to attend and participate actively. We especially acknowledge and invite participation by the Salish peoples, upon whose traditional territory our event will be held.

This conference, taking place at one edge of this continent and of this country, invites an awareness of place. At the same time, the Congress theme, @ the edge, invites other interpretations, as themes of global instability continue, even as the edge and impacts of new technologies are being felt the world over. Standing at the edge of social change invites deep reflections on what has passed and what is to come. With its preoccupation with social change processes, and the various factors that impact and influence them, International Development Studies is a particularly well situated to discuss what it means to be @ the edge. Thus, this conference invites all who attend to connect with the many dimensions of our work, including, but not limited to, spatial, temporal, and topical points of connection. As such, we encourage you to submit paper and panel proposals relevant to the theme of this conference

Please keep in mind that CASID attracts a wide audience and we thus encourage you to relate your specific research and development experiences to more general themes. How can discussions related to your specific research reach out to a broad audience and generate rich dialogue and debate? Papers on geographic areas (Asia, Latin America, Africa, Eastern Europe) are also welcome and encouraged. Please link your proposed paper/panel to one or more of this year's themes:

CONFERENCE THEMES

Aid
Conflict & Fragile States
Development Theory
Economic Development
Environment
Foreign Policy

Gender
Health
Indigenous Perspectives on Development
Labour & livelihoods
Natural Resource extraction/exploitation
Natural Resource Management
NGOs

Post-2015, after MDGs what next?
Social movements and creative dissent
South-South Cooperation
Teaching Development Studies
The Impact of the Development Industry
Urban & Rural Development



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2013 CASID ANNUAL CONFERENCE / L'ANNUAL CONFERENCE D'ACÉDI 2013 CALL FOR PAPER AND PANEL PROPOSALS

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMISSIONS

Panel proposals are made online by the panel organizer, where the title of the panel, its connection to conference themes, and an overall abstract of the panel focus is provided. Additionally, the names and paper titles of those on the panel are also submitted here. Each of these panelists must submit their paper abstract separately, noting their link to the proposed panel.

ONLINE SUBMISSION SYSTEM

This year CASID has established an online submission process, where submissions will be made on the CASID website. Simply navigate to the CASID homepage and you should see options to submit an abstract or panel proposal at the top of the right sidebar.

Note: You must login to submit content here: <http://www.casid-acedi.ca/user>. Members must use the email address associated with their membership account to login (you can Request a New Password if you have forgotten your old one). If you do not have a member account, you may create a free profile.

For more information, please visit this page: http://www.casid-acedi.ca/conferences/annual_conference/instructions_submitting

Paper and panel abstract submissions (200 words) should be submitted online to the CASID website by December 1st, 2012. The abstract should include a description of your object of study, your theoretic frame, your methodology of research, your conclusions and how this research or experience relates to larger development issues. If your paper is accepted, you will be expected to send in an integral version of your paper before the conference. All papers and panel proposals will be evaluated by a CASID conference committee and acceptance notices will be posted on the CASID site early February.

You must be a CASID member in good standing to present a paper or panel at the conference. All presenters must also register in the congress. Registration begins in March 2013. Travel grants will be available to CASID conference participants (please indicate you may want one by checking the travel grant interest box on the submission page). Once your proposed paper/panel presentation is accepted, you will have access to a travel grant form. You must fill out and submit the form before the due date to be eligible for a travel grant.

In early February 2013 more information will be sent out on the conference (registration, accommodations, etc.) through the CASID listserv. In the meantime, if you have any questions, feel free to contact me.

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