

POVERTY AND WELLBEING (JOINT DSA-EADI) WORKING GROUP

Working Group Annual Report Authors

List the current members (a minimum of 7 from at least 2 EADI member institutes) of the group and indicate the names and contact details of the convenors, of which there must be at least two;

Membership is as last year. Institutionally - IDS, ODI, CBS and UEL.

Convenors: Andy Sumner; Meera Tiwari; Andrew Crabtree; David Durkee, Nicola Jones.

Include an account of the group's activities throughout the period covered, briefly making reference to events, meetings and publications, where appropriate;

We held the DSA-EADI Policy Forum in Brussels.

After 2015 book published.

Forthcoming set of papers on MDGs in IDS Bulletin special issue.

Present an outline of future activities by the group, giving particular attention to EADI-related events and those activities linked to the General Conference;

We are renaming the group to reflect trends in the literature.

Further we'd like to merge with the Knowledge, Policy and Power WG. This has effectively happened in the work on the MDGs and overlap with convenors. This theme would form one of three priorities for the next 3 years.

So, we intend to focus on 3 themes: the MDGs and wellbeing indicators; poverty and politics; children and inter-generational issues;

We have some events planned:

- Jan 2010 New York - MDG Roundtable for UN 2010 review;
- March 2010 - Harvard University Forum with UNICEF/UNDP/others;
- June 2010 – possible joint event with Joy Clancy and Gender (and MDGs?) in London
- Other discussions - an MDGs and low carbon development event, Copenhagen

A Cambridge University Press book is planned.

Indicate clearly, where known, future activities for which EADI financial support might be requested from the occasional and limited resources allowed for in the budget under "Working Groups" (www.eadi.org);

Events above are funded externally (DFID, UNICEF, Norwegian MFA).

Add any other information the group's members consider of interest or importance to the Association as a whole, or relevant to its web site.

We'd like to re-issue the call to WG for new books for the Palgrave MacMillan series 'Rethinking International Development'.