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Call for papers

Special Issue on Inequality and Human Development in Latin America: A Long-Run Perspective

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The Journal of Human Development and Capabilities (JHDC) is pleased to announce a call for papers for a special issue on *Inequality and Human Development in Latin America: A Long-Run Perspective*. This call for papers aims to advance the state of knowledge and expertise regarding the links between inequality and human development, as well as on a whole range of policies, institutions, and social structures that influence such relationship and its dynamics.

Submissions related to this topic are welcome. In particular, we welcome submissions in the following four themes: i) Tracking inequalities in human development, with emphasis on non-monetary dimensions of welfare, both within and between countries, and between generations; ii) Human development and labor markets; iii) Inequalities in physical and financial asset holdings—including land ownership - and iv) Inequality in access to, and quality of, services, mainly in health and education.

Full papers in English, in .doc or .docx formats should be submitted by May 30, 2014. Strict compliance with this deadline is required. Papers submitted will be evaluated through a standard peer review process. Authors of the selected papers will be notified by e-mail. Submission of a paper implies that the author has the intention of publishing the paper in the JHDC, and it is not currently under evaluation at another journal.

Every accepted paper will be considered for presentation in a Conference to be held, conditional on funding, during the fall of 2014.

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- An abstract of approximately 150–200 words.
- Up to five key words.

- Numbered pages in sequence.
- Spell-checked text (if you are not a native speaker of English, you may wish to get your article reviewed by a native speaker before submission).
- All necessary material (e.g. figures and tables and their captions; appendices).

In addition to the main manuscript, a separate file should also be sent, identified as “Title Page”, and must include all of the following information:

- The title of the paper
- The names of the authors
- The full postal and email addresses of all the authors
- Affiliation details for each author (job title, institution, city, country)
- A brief biographical note for each author (around 100 words)
- One author should be indicated as “Corresponding author”. He/she will be notified of the selection outcome after submission of the manuscript to an anonymous peer review process, and if the paper is selected.

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Journal information

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