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Please note: core readings for lectures are marked with an asterisk (*). The reading marked with three asterisk (***) is a whole book that the students will need to read and engage in their last course paper

Module 1: Approaching Development

Books

Icaza, R. & Vázquez, R. (2016). "The Coloniality of Gender as a radical Critique of Developmentalism" in Harcourt, W. (ed.). The Palgrave Handbook of Gender and Development. London: Palgrave Macmillan. pp. 62-76. (14 p)

*Kothari, U. (ed). (2005). A Radical History of Development Studies: Individuals, Institutions and Ideologies. Zed Books: London. Chapt. *1, *3, 4 & 5 (73 p)

Kragelund. (2018). "International Cooperation for Development" in Veltmeyer, Henry and Paul Bowles (Eds). The Essential Guide to Critical Development Studies. London & New York: Routledge. (10 p)

*** Li, T. (2007). The Will to Improve. Durham, NC, Duke University Press. (392 p)
(This book will be an integral part of one of the course's assignment)

*McEwan, C.(2019). Postcolonialism, Decoloniality and Development. London, New York, Routledge. Ch. 3 (50 p)

*Peet, R. & Hartwick, E. (2009). Theories of Development: Contentions,

Arguments, Alternatives. Guildford Press, New York. Chaps. 1 (22 p) Articles,

reports and chapters in books

*Beck, E. (2017). "What a Feminist Curiosity Contributes to the Study of Development", *Studies in Comparative International Development*, 52: 139-154. (16 p)

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Biccup, A. R. (2002) "Interrupting the Discourse of Development: On a Collision Course with Postcolonial Theory", *Culture, Theory and Critique*, 43(1): 33-50. (17 p)

Ferguson, L. (2015). "The Messy Business of working as a Gender Expert in International Development", *International Feminist Journal of Politics*, 17 (3): 380-397. (17 p)

Fuentes, L. & Cookson, T. P. (2019). "Counting Gender (In)Quality? A Feminist Geographical Critique of the 'Gender Data' Revolution", *Gender, Place and Culture - A Journal of Feminist Geography*, available at: <https://doi.org/10.1080/0966369X.2019.1681371> (22 p)

*Fukuda-Parr, S. (2019). Keeping Out Extreme Inequality from the SDG Agenda – The Politics of Indicators. *Global Policy*, Vol. 10. Supplement (9 p)

Harcourt, W. (2016). "Gender Dilemmas in International Development", *European Journal of Development Research* 28: 167-174 (7 p)

Liverman, D. M. (2018). "Geographic Perspectives on Development Goals: Constructive Engagements and Critical Perspectives on the MDGs and the SDGs", *Dialogues in Human Geography* 8: 168-185 (18 p)
(see also several authors' dialogue with Liverman on SDGs here: <https://journals.sagepub.com/toc/dhga/8/2>)

*Lund, C. (2010). "Approaching Development: An Opinionated Review", *Progress in Development Studies* 10(1): 19-34 (16 p)

Mawdsley, E. (2017). "National Interests and the Paradox of Foreign Aid Under Austerity: Conservative Governments and the Domestic Politics of International Development since 2010", *Geographical Journal*, 183: 223-232 (9 p)

*Mosse, D. (2004) "Is Good Policy Unimplementable? Reflections on the Ethnography of Aid Policy and Practice", *Development and Change*. 35(4): 639–71 (32 p)

Mosse, D. (2014). "Knowledge as Relational: Reflections on Knowledge in International Development." *Forum for Development Studies* 41(3): 513-523.



Parpart, J. (2014). "Exploring the Transformative Potential of Gender Mainstreaming in Development Institutions", *Journal of International Development*, 26: 382-395 (13 p)

Razavi, S. (2016). "The 2030 Agenda: Challenges of Implementation to Attain Gender Equality and Women's Rights", *Gender & Development*, 24(1): 25-41 (16 p)

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Selwyn, B. (2016). "Elite Development Theory: A Labour-centred Critique", *Third World Quarterly*, 37: 781-799 (18 p)

*Sen, G. (2019). "Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment: Feminist Mobilization for the SDG", *Global Policy*, 10 (1): 28-38 (11 p)

Sjöstedt, M. (2013). "Aid Effectiveness and the Paris Declaration: A Mismatch between Ownership and Results-Based Management?" *Public Administration and Development* 33(2): 143-155 (8 p)

*Swiss, L. (2021). *The Globalisation of Foreign Aid: Global Influences and the Diffusion of Aid Priorities. The Palgrave Handbook of Development Cooperation for Achieving the 2030 Agenda: Contested Collaboration.* S. Chaturvedi, H. Janus, S. Klingebiel et al. Cham, Palgrave Macmillan: 113-125. (12 p)

Pick one article among those published in this World Development special issue:
<https://www.sciencedirect.com/journal/world-development/specialissue/103ZDQSV20C> (around 15p)

Module 2: Social Dimensions of Development

Books

*Andersson, M. & Axelsson, T. (eds.). (2016). *Diverse Development Paths and Structural Transformation in the Escape from Poverty.* Oxford: Oxford University Press, chp. 1, 3, 4, 11 (73 p)

Banerjee, A. & Duflo, E. (2011). *Poor Economics: A Radical Rethinking of the Way We Fight Global Poverty.* New York: Public Affairs. Ch. 10 (31 p)

*Charusheela, S. & Zein-Elabdin, E. (2003). *Feminism, Postcolonial Thought, and Economics, in Feminist Economics Today: Beyond Economic Man.* Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 175-192. (18 p)

Frankfurt, H. G. (2015). *On Inequality.* Princeton: Princeton University Press. (86 p)



Gerschenkron, A. (1962). *Economic Backwardness in Historical Perspective: A Book of Essays*. Cambridge, Massachusetts: The Belknap Press of Harvard University Press. Ch.1-2 (47 p)

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*Milanovic, B. (2016). *Global Inequality: A New Approach for the Age of Globalization*. Cambridge: Harvard University Press. Ch. 2-3 (106 p)

Piketty, T. (2014). *Capital in the Twenty-First Century*. Cambridge: The Belknap Press of Harvard University Press. Introduction (26 p)

Articles, reports and chapters in books

Abramovitz, M. (1986). "Catching Up, Forging Ahead, and Falling Behind", *The Journal of Economic History*, 46(2): 385–406 (22 p)

*Acemoglu, D. & Robinson, J. A. (2015). "The Rise and Decline of General Laws of Capitalism", *Journal of Economic Perspectives*, 29(1): 3–28 (25 p)

*Adelman, I. (2000). "Fifty Years of Economic Development: What have we Learned?" Working Paper, 28737. Washington D.C.: The World Bank (40 p)

Arun, T. G., & Hulme, D. (2008). "Microfinance - A Way Forward." BWPI Working Paper 54. (10 p)

*Bateman, M. (2017). "Small Loans, Big Problems: The Rise and Fall of Microcredit as International Development Policy." *Development and Change*. (21 p)

Dietz, T., Rosa, E. A. & York, R. (2007). "Driving the Human Ecological Footprint." *Frontiers in Ecology and the Environment* 5(1): 13-18. (5 p)

Djurfeldt, G., Holmen, H., Jirström, M. & Larsson, R. (2006). "Addressing Food Crisis in Africa – What can Sub-Saharan Africa Learn from Asian Experiences in Addressing its Food Crisis? Division for Rural development," Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency (Sida), January 2006. (pp.1-44). Available at: <https://www.sida.se/contentassets/571a7cddec684df6be1bc8955725186b/13262.pdf> (44 p)

Duvendack, M. & Maclean, K. (2015). "(Mis)Use of Evidence in Microfinance Programming in the Global South: A Critique." *Contemporary Social Science* 10(2): 202– 211.

de Janvry, A. and Sadoulet, E. (2000) 'Rural Poverty in Latin America: Determinants and Exit Paths', *Food Policy*, 25(4): 389–409. doi: 10.1016/S0306-9192(00)00023-3 (20 p)



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*Gill, K. (2010). 'Bourgeois Environmentalism', the State, the Judiciary, and the 'Urban Poor' In: K. Gill. *Of Poverty and Plastic: Scavenging and Scrap Trading Entrepreneurs in India's Urban Informal Economy*. Oxford University Press. (35 p)

Grosfoguel, R. (2000). "Developmentalism, Modernity and Dependency Theory in Latin America." in *Nepantla: Views from South*. 1(1): 347-374. Available at: <http://www.umass.edu/legal/Benavides/Fall2005/397U/Readings%20Legal%20397U/5%20Ramon%20Grosfoguel.pdf> (28 p)

Heinberg, R. (2007). "Peak everything." *Gabriola Island* (17 p) available here: <http://apw.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2013/07/Richard-Heinberg-PeakEverything-Tools.pdf>

Hopwood, B., Mellor, M. & O'Brien, G. (2005). *Sustainable Development: Mapping Different Approaches*. *Sustainable Development*, 13(1): 38-52. (14 p)

*Jayne, T. S., Chamberlin, J. & Benfica, R. (2018). "Africa's Unfolding Economic Transformation", *The Journal of Development Studies*, 54(5): 777-787, Available at: <https://doi.org/10.1080/00220388.2018.1430774>. (10 p)

Jänicke, M. (2008). "Ecological Modernisation: New Perspectives." *Journal of Cleaner Production*, 16(5): 557-565. (8 p)

Kallis, G. (2011). "In Defence of Degrowth." *Ecological Economics* 70(5): 873-880. (7 p)

Karim, L. (2014). "Analyzing Women's Empowerment: Microfinance and Garment Labor in Bangladesh." *Fletcher Forum of World Affairs* 38: 153-166.

Kuznets, S. (1955). "Economic Growth and Income Inequality", *The American Economic Review*, 45(1): 1-28 (30 p)

Kuznets, S. (1973). "Modern Economic Growth: Findings and Reflections", *The American Economic Review*, 63(3): 247-258 (12 p)

*Laskar, P. (2014). "The Illiberal Turn: Aid Conditionality and the Queering of Sexual Citizenship", *Lambda Nordica*, 19(1): 87-100. (14 p)

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de los Reyes, P. (2016). "When Feminism Became Gender Equality and Anti-racism Turned into Diversity Management" in Martinsson, L., Griffin, G., & Nygren, K. G. (eds.) *Challenging*



the Myth of Gender Equality in Sweden. Bristol: Policy Press. DOI:10.1332/policypress/9781447325963.003.0001 (19 p)

*Timmer P. C. (2016). The Role of Agriculture in 'Catching up' -A Gerschenkronian Perspective. In (eds) Andersson, M. & Axelsson, T. *Diverse Development Paths and Structural Transformation in the Escape from Poverty*. Oxford University Press. Available at: <https://www-oxfordscholarship-com.ludwig.lub.lu.se/view/10.1093/acprof:oso/9780198737407.001.0001/acprof-9780198737407-chapter-4> (19 p))

*Uvin, P. (2007). "From the Right to Development to the Rights-based Approach: How 'Human Rights' Entered Development", *Development in Practice*. 17(4-5): 597-606. Available at: <https://doi.org/10.1080/09614520701469617> (10 p)

UNDP. (2019). *Human Development Report 2019 – Overview. Beyond Income, Beyond Average, Beyond Today: Inequalities in Human Development in the 21st century*. New York: UNDP. Available at http://www.hdr.undp.org/sites/default/files/hdr_2019_overview_-_english.pdf (26 p)

Van den Bergh, J. CJM. (2011) "Environment Versus Growth—A Criticism of “Degrowth” and a Plea for “A-growth”." *Ecological Economics*, 70(5): 881-890. (9 p)

York, R. (2017). "Why Petroleum Did Not Save the Whales." *Socius* 3. 2378023117739217. (13 p)

Module 3: Political dimensions of development

Books

Veltmeyer, H. & Bowles, P. (2018). *The Essential Guide to Critical Development Studies*. London and New York: Routledge, Part X (45 p)

Articles, reports and chapters in books

Andrews, D. (2021). "Towards Building Feminist Economies of Life", *Feminist Africa*, 2(1): 126-133. (8p)

*Ayers, A. J. (2006). "Demystifying Democratization: The Global Constitution of (Neo)liberal Politics in Africa" in *Third World Quarterly* 27(2): 321-338 (18p)

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*Bexell, M., Tallberg, J. & Uhlin, A. (2010). "Democracy in Global Governance: The Promises and Pitfalls of Transnational Actors", *Global Governance* 16: 81-101 (20 p)



Bowles, P. (2017). "The Developmental State and Late Industrialization- Still Feasible? And Desirable?" in Veltmeyer, Henry and Paul Bowles (Eds) *The Essential Guide to Critical Development Studies*, London and New York: Routledge, 225-234 (10 p)

Blowfield, M. & Dolan, C. S. (2014). "Business as a Development Agent: Evidence of Possibility and Improbability", *Third World Quarterly*, 35(1): 22- 42 (20 p)

Blundo, G. & Olivier de Sardan, J. (2006). "Why Should We Study Everyday Corruption and How Should We Go About it?" in Blundo, G. and J.-P. Olivier de Sardan, with Bako N. Arifari and Tidjani M. Alou (Eds.) *Everyday Corruption and the State: Citizens and Public Officials in Africa*, New York, London: Zed Books, 3-14 (11 p)

*Doornbos, M. (2001). "'Good Governance': The Rise and Decline of a Policy Metaphor?", *Journal of Development Studies*, 37(6): 93-108 (15 p)

Gulrajani, N. (2011). "Transcending the Great Foreign Aid Debate: Managerialism, Radicalism and the Search for Aid Effectiveness." *Third World Quarterly* 32(2): 199-216 (17 p)

*Harcourt, W. (2013). "The Future of Capitalism: A Consideration of Alternatives", *Cambridge Journal of Economics*, 6(1): 1307-1328 (21 p)

Kotari, A., Demaria, F. & Acosta, A. (2014). "Buen Vivir, Degrowth and Ecological Swaraj: Alternatives to Sustainable Development and the Green Economy", *Development*, 57(3-4): 362-375 (14 p)

*Li, T. M. (2019) "Politics, Interrupted", *Anthropological Theory*, 9(1): 29-53 (24 p)

Mawdsley, E. (2020). "Queering Development? The Unsettling Geographies of South-South Cooperation". *Antipode*, v. 52, 227-245 (18 p)

*Pouliot, V. & Thérien, J-P. (2018). "Global Governance: A Struggle over Universal Values", *International Studies Review*, 20: 55-73 (18 p)

*Prügl, E. & True, J. (2014). "Equality Means Business? Governing Gender Through Transnational Public-private Partnerships", *Review of International Political Economy*, 21(6): 1137-1169 (34 p)

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Ranta, E. M. (2016). "Toward a Decolonial Alternative to Development? The Emergence and Shortcomings of Vivir Bien as State Policy in Bolivia in the Era of Globalization", *Globalizations*, 13(4): 425-439 (14 p)

Ribot, J. C., Chhatre, A., & Lankinad, T. (2008). "Introduction: Institutional Choice and



Recognition in the Formation and Consolidation of Local Democracy." *Conservation and Society* 6(1): 1-11 (10 p)

*Richey, L. A. & Ponte, S. (2014). "New Actors and Alliances in Development", *Third World Quarterly*, 35(1): 1-21 (20 p)

Scheyvens, R., Banks, G. & Hughes, E. (2016). "The Private Sector and the SDGs: The Need to Move Beyond 'Business as Usual'", *Sustainable Development*, 24(6): 371-382 (12 p)

SIDA. (2003). *Digging Deeper – Four Reports on Democratic Governance in International Development Cooperation*, available at <https://www.sida.se/contentassets/50ee89482c0042ee84d85716c9edc1bf/13581.pdf> pp. 27-32 (the full report on "good governance" is available at <https://www.sida.se/English/publications/121592/goodgovernance/> (6p)

So, A. Y. & Chu, Y. W. (2017). "Interrogating the China Model of Development" in Veltmeyer, Henry and Paul Bowles (Eds) *The Essential Guide to Critical Development Studies*, London and New York: Routledge, 404-413 (10 p)

Van Waeyenberge, E. (2017). "The Post-Washington Consensus" in Veltmeyer, Henry and Paul Bowles (Eds) *The Essential Guide to Critical Development Studies*, London and New York: Routledge .205-214 (10 p)

Wichterich, Christa (2014) "Occupy Development – Towards a caring economy", *Development*, 56(3): 346-349. (3 p)

*Listen to Dambisa Moyo here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rPLNIGgUh3k>