

# Research Workshop on Microinsurance

7 December 2012  
University of Mannheim  
L7 3-5, Room PO 031

The Microinsurance Workshop is a platform for researchers who work on various questions related to microinsurance. Researchers, who use either theoretical or empirical methods, including survey studies or experimental studies such as randomised control trials, are highly welcome to join this platform.

The workshop also aims at covering a wide variety of research questions which, for example, help to explain demand and supply of microinsurance products, record the outreach of insurance coverage, or improve product design and pricing approaches.

The Microinsurance Workshop is open to senior as well as junior researchers and in particular intends to give PhD students the opportunity to discuss their research ideas together with people experienced in this field of research.

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10:30 Registration

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10:45	Session 1	Facilitator <b>Markus Olapade</b> University of Mannheim	<b>Gerald Leppert</b> University of Heidelberg	<b>Measuring solidarity in health. An application of quantitative, qualitative and experimental methods in Malawi</b>
			<b>Renate Hartwig</b> ISS/University of Rotterdam	<b>Mutual health insurance and its contribution to improving child health in Rwanda</b>

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12:00 Lunch

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13:00	Session 2	Facilitator <b>Susan Steiner</b> DIW	<b>Amrei Lahno</b> LMU Munich	<b>Peer effects in risk taking</b>
			<b>Andreas Landmann</b> University of Mannheim	<b>Can microinsurance help prevent child labour? An impact evaluation from Pakistan</b>

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14:15 Coffee

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14:30	Session 3	Facilitator <b>Amrei Lahno</b> LMU Munich	<b>Lena Giesbert</b> GIGA	<b>Gender-based differences in the uptake of micro life insurance and other insurances in southern Ghana</b>
			<b>Birgit Müller</b> Helmholtzzentrum Leipzig	<b>Pitfalls and potential of institutional change: Rain-index insurance and the sustainability of rangeland management</b>

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15:30 Coffee

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15:45	Session 4	Facilitator <b>Dirk Reinhard</b> Munich Re Foundation	<b>Friederike Lenel</b> DIW Berlin	<b>Research clinic for junior researchers</b>
				<b>Next steps</b>

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17:00 Closing remarks

**Prof. Dr. Markus Frölich**  
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