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Overview of Research and Implications of Development Cooperation Effectiveness

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KOICA-UNRISD Joint Research “Making International Development Cooperation Effective”

- KOICA and UNRISD’s Joint Work from September, 2010 aiming at making contributions to HLF-4.
- Purpose: Extracting lessons from the Korean development experience from the perspective of Development Cooperation
- Korea, one of the most successful cases in development history, as a case
- Transformative Social Policy Approach of UNRISD with a strong emphasis on the social development of Korea



New Approaches to development and their relevance to Korean experience

1. Transformative Social Policy (Thandika Mkandawire)
2. Getting the property rights wrong and securing the home market (Alice H. Amsden)
3. Capability Enhancing Developmental State (Peter B. Evans)



Comprehensiveness of Analysis

- Context, policies and institutions for
 - resource mobilization, allocation and spending
 - policy linkages
 - policy coherence and consistency
 - responses to development contingencies
 - development politics and governance.



Across the sectors

4. Aid (Yi, Cocoman, Rhee, and Chung)
5. Social Protection and Industrialization (J. Lee)
6. Social Transfers (M. Chung)
7. Social Services (I. Yi)
8. Responses to Crises (J. Yang)
9. Developmental Governance (E. Kim)
10. Rural Development (M. Douglass)
11. Knowledge Transfer, Trade, Finance and Aid (T. Kim)
12. Gender (J. Lee)
13. Environment (M. Pawar and T. Huh)



Learning from the Korean Experience

- Requirement for Successful Learning:
 - individual and collective will to learn,
 - capacity to learn,
 - willingness to share knowledge on both success and failure,
 - wisdom to identify really necessary functions and functional equivalents.



Plan after the conference

- Edited Volumes in English and Korean
- More opportunities to share the research in various forms within and without Korea
- Using Archived data sets and Participating in discussion
 1. Google “Eldis Community”
 2. Go to “Groups”
 3. Search groups “Making International Development Cooperation Effective UNRISD-KOICA Research”
 4. Use original dataset and participate in discussion with authors. Or go directly to

<http://community.eldis.org/.59e8a260/>



Thank you