

Curriculum Vitae (January 30, 2009)

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**Current research and teaching**

People development approach to development; Human rights and development; Conflict prevention in development agendas; globalization and technology for development (GM crops); Millennium Development Goals and international norms. Chair of the development concentration in GPIA.

**Positions**

- 2006 - Current Professor of International Affairs, The New School
- 2004 - 06      Research Fellow, Belfer Center for Science, Technology and International Affairs, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University
- 1995-2004    Director, Human Development Report Office, UNDP
- 1992 - 94:    Chief, West Africa Division, UNDP
- 1986 - 91:    Principal Economist and Deputy Director 'LDC Unit – Economic Advisory Unit', Regional Bureau for Africa, UNDP
- 1985 - 87:    Deputy Resident Representative, UNDP Burundi
- 1979 - 85:    Technical Adviser in agricultural economics, Bureau for Policy, UNDP
- 1975 – 79:    Economist, Agriculture and Rural Development Projects, Europe, Middle East and North Africa Region, World Bank.
- 1974 – 75:    Loan Officer, Europe, Middle East and North Africa Region, World Bank
- 1973 – 74:    Young Professionals Program, World Bank.

## **Education**

MA University of Sussex. UK

MA, MALD The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University, USA

BA (Hons) Cambridge University, UK

## **Editorial work**

Editor, *Journal of Human Development, Alternative Economics in Action*

Editorial Board, *Feminist Economics*

## **Boards, advisory and other service**

Board chair, Knowledge Ecology International (technology policy NGO, USA)

Board member, Center for Economic and Social Rights (human rights NGO, USA)

Executive Committee, Human Development and Capability Association (academic association)

Advisory Board Member, International Development Ethics Association (academic association)

Advisory Board member, Engineers Without Borders (volunteer NGO, Canada)

Advisory Board member, Seeding Labs (NGO to promote technology capacity development in developing countries)

Adviser to UNESCO on cultural diversity and development

Adviser to the Office of the High Commissioner on Human Rights on human rights and poverty issues.

Chair, 2008 Global Conference of the Human Development and Capability Association, The New School, New York

## **Personal**

Languages: English (first working language), French (fluent), Japanese (mother tongue)

Family: Married to Francis Parr and mother of two children.

Citizenship: Japan

Personal background: Born in Tokyo. Grew up in London, Washington D.C. and Manila.

## Publications

### Books and special journal issues

2007: *The Gene Revolution: GM Crops and Unequal Development*. Earthscan, London. Editor and main contributor

2006. 'Genetically Modified Crops in Developing Countries – Institutional and Policy Challenges'. Guest Editor, Special issue, *International Journal of Technology and Globalization*. Vol 2 nos 1-2.

2003. *Readings in Human Development, Concepts, Measures and Policies for a Development Paradigm*. New Delhi. Oxford University Press. Edited with K.S. Shivakumar (third revised and expanded edition forthcoming)

2003. *Human Insecurity in a Global World*. Global Equity Initiative, Harvard University. Cambridge. Harvard University Press. Edited with L. Chen and E. Seidensticker

2002. *Capacity for Development: Old Problems, New Solutions*. London. Earthscan. Edited with K. Malik and C. Lopes

1993. *Rethinking Technical Cooperation: Reforms for Capacity Building in Africa*. New York. UN Publications. With E. Berg

*Human Development Reports 1995-2004* – lead author (2000-2004); with Sir Richard Jolly (1996-99)

*Human Development Report 2004: Cultural Liberty in Today's Diverse World*.

*Human Development Report 2003: The Millennium Development Goals, a Compact among Nations to end Human Poverty*.

*Human Development Report 2002: Deepening Democracy in a Fragmented World*.

*Human Development Report 2001: Making New Technologies Work for Human Development*.

*Human Development Report 2000: Human Rights and Human Development*.

*Human Development Report 1999: Globalization with a Human Face*.

*Human Development Report 1998: Consumption and Human Development*.

*Human Development Report 1997: Human Development to Eradicate Poverty*.

*Human Development Report 1996: Human Development and Economic Growth.*

Journal articles, book chapters

forthcoming. 'Human Rights and Politics in Development' in Goodheart, Michael, ed. *Human Rights and Politics*, Oxford University Press, Oxford

forthcoming. 'Conflict Prevention as an Objective of Development Aid' in George Mavrotas, ed. *Foreign Aid for Development*, Oxford: Oxford University Press

forthcoming. 'Development and security: towards greater coherence in international agendas' in Necla Tschirgi and Francesco Mancini (eds) *Critical Connections: Development and Security*, IPA volume. Lyn Rienner Publishers

forthcoming. "Unequal development in the 1990s: gaps in human capabilities" in Sudhir Anand, Paul Segal and Joseph E. Stiglitz (eds), *Debates in the Measurement of Global Poverty*, OUP. With David Stewart

2008. 'Human Rights and Development' in Kaushik Basu and Ravi Kanbur (eds) *Arguments for a Better World: Essays in Honour of Amartya Sen Vol II Societies, Institutions and Development*. Oxford: Oxford University Press. [earlier version: *University of Connecticut Human Rights Institute, Economic Rights Working paper 2007/4* <http://ideas.repec.org/s/uct/ecriwp.html>]

2008. 'An integrated framework for peacebuilding, human rights and development: Reflections on Liberia's Poverty Reduction Strategy' (with Erin McCandless) in Kenneth Omeje ed. *War to Peace Transition: Conflict, Intervention and Peacebuilding in Liberia*, University Press of America, Lanham, Maryland

2008. 'Conflict-development nexus: survey of armed conflicts in sub-Saharan Africa 19980-2006' (with M. Ashwill, C. Messineo, E. Chiappa). *Journal of Peacebuilding and Development* Vol 4:1 pp 6-19

2008. "The intellectual journey continues: Today's global agenda and the new frontiers of human development" in Khadija Haq and Richard Ponzio, eds. *Pioneering the Human Development Revolution: An Intellectual Biography of Mahbub ul Haq* Oxford University Press, New Delhi, Oxford and New York

2008. 'Conflict-development nexus: survey of armed conflicts in sub-Saharan Africa 19980-2006' (with M. Ashwill, C. Messineo, E. Chiappa). *Journal of Peacebuilding and Development* Vol 4:1 pp 6-19

2008. 'Human Rights and Development' in Kaushik Basu and Ravi Kanbur (eds) *Arguments for a Better World: Essays in Honour of Amartya Sen's Seventy Fifth Birthday* Oxford: Oxford University Press.

[earlier version available as *University of Connecticut Human Rights Institute, Economic Rights Working paper 2007/4* <http://ideas.repec.org/s/uct/ecriwp.html>

2007. "Human Rights and National Poverty Reduction Strategies: Conceptual framework for human rights analysis of poverty reduction strategies and reviews of Guatemala, Liberia and Nepal" University of Connecticut Working Papers in Economic Rights <http://ideas.repec.org/s/uct/ecriwp.html>

2007: 'Rethinking the policy objectives of development aid: from economic growth to conflict prevention' *UN WIDER Research Paper 2007/32*  
<http://www.wider.unu.edu/stc/repec/pdfs/rp2007/rp2007-32.pdf>

2007. "International Obligations for Economic and Social Rights: The Case of the Millennium Development Goal 8." in S. Hertel and A. Minkler (eds.), *Economic Rights: Conceptual, Measurement, and Policy Issues*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press

2007: Four chapters in Fukuda-Parr, ed. *The Gene Revolution: GM crops and unequal development*. Earthscan, London.

- Chapter 1: 'Genetically Modified Crops and Development Priorities'
- Chapter 2: 'The emergence and spread of GM crops: explaining the role of institutional change'.
- Chapter 11: 'Institutional Changes in Argentina, Brazil, China, India and South Africa: Comparative Analysis'
- Chapter 12: 'The Role of government Policy: for Growth, Sustainability and Equity'

2006. Millennium Development Goal 8 – international human rights obligations? *Human Rights Quarterly*. Vol 28 No.4

2006. "Has the human development approach influenced policy? – review of World Development Reports 1980, 1990, 2000/2001". *Indian Journal of Human Development*, December 2006

2006. "Mahbub ul Haq" in *The Elgar Companion to Development Economics*, ed. David Clark. Edgar Publications. With Selim Jahan

2006. 'International Cooperation for Human Security: a coherent agenda for development and conflict prevention' *Kokuren Kenkyu Journal*, June 2005. Tokyo.

2006. Global actors, markets and rules driving the diffusion of genetically modified (GM) crops in developing countries'. *International Journal of Technology and Globalisation* Vol 2. Nos 1/2

2005. "Poverty and Inequality – Challenges in the Era of Globalisation" in Sten Ask and Anna Mark Jungkvist, eds. *The Adventure of Peace. Dag Hammarskjold and the Future of the UN*. 2005. Palgrave Macmillan, New York.

2005. 'Millennium Development Goals: Why They Matter'. *Global Governance*, vol 10, pp 395-402
2004. 'Cultural Freedom and Human Development Today', *Daedalus*. Summer 2004. pp 37-45
2004. "Millennium Development Goals: The pledge of world leaders to end poverty will not be met with business as usual". *Journal of International Development*. Vol 16. pp 925-932
2004. "Gender and New Threats to Human Security in the Era of Globalization". *Peace Review*. Vol 16, no.1 special issue on women and security
2003. "The Human Development Paradigm, Operationalizing Sen's Ideas on Capabilities" in *Feminist Economics*, special issue on Sen and Gender, vol9 nrs 2-3 pp.301-317  
<http://ideas.repec.org/a/taf/femeco/v9y2003i2-3p301-317.html>
2003. "Rescuing the Human Development Concept from the Human Development Index: Reflections on a New Agenda" in Fukuda-Parr and Shivakumar, eds. *Readings in Human Development*, New Delhi, Oxford University Press.
- "Using the HDI for Policy Analysis" in Fukuda-Parr and Shivakumar, eds. *Readings in Human Development*, New Delhi, Oxford University Press. With K. Raworth and A.K. Shivakumar
- 2003, 'New Threats to Human Security in the Era of Globalization'; *Journal of Human Development* special issue on human security edited by S. Fukuda-Parr and Lincoln Chen
2002. 'The Network Age: Creating new models of technical cooperation' in Fukuda-Parr et al, eds. 2002 *Capacity for Development: Old Problems, New Solutions*. Earthscan, London. With Ruth Hill
2002. "Institutional Innovations for Capacity Development" in Fukuda-Parr et al eds, 2002. *Capacity for Development: Old Problems, New Solutions*..
2002. "Measuring the Technology Achievement of Nations and the Capacity to Participate in the Network Age" in *The Journal of Human Development*. Vol 3, no. 1. pp95 - 122 . with Meghnad Desai, Claes Johansson and Francisco Sagasti
2001. "Indicators of Human Rights and Human Development, overlaps and differences..... and what about the Human Development Index". *Statistical Journal of the UN Economic Commission for Europe*. 18. pp 239-248
2000. 'In search of indicators of culture and development: progress and Proposals' in UNESCO, *World Culture Report 2000*.

1999. 'What does Feminization of Poverty Mean? It isn't just lack of income'. *Feminist Economics*, Volume 5, nr. 2  
<http://ideas.repec.org/a/taf/femeco/v5y1999i2p99-103.html>

1995. 'Redefining Technical Cooperation: challenge for the UN or let's dump the technical cooperation mandate'. *IDS Bulletin*, vol 25, no.4 special issue *Fifty Years On: The UN and Economic and Social Development*, eds. Hans Singer and Richard Jolly.

1995. 'From Capacity Development to Capacity Utilisation'. *International Journal of Technical Cooperation*. Taylor and Francis, UK.

### Working Papers

2008. 'Are MDGs Priority in Development Strategies and Aid Programmes? Only Few are', International Poverty Center Working Paper no. 28, October 2008  
<http://www.undp-povertycentre.org/pub/IPCWorkingPaper48.pdf>

2008. 'Measuring the Progressive Realisation of Human Rights Obligations: an Index of economic and social rights fulfillment" University of Connecticut Department of Economics Working Paper Series 2008-22. With Terra Lawson-Remer and Susan Randolph  
<http://www.econ.uconn.edu/working/8.pdf>

2008, "Are the MDGs Priority in Development Strategies and Aid Programmes? Only Few Are' IPC Working Paper 48, October 2008, Brasilia. Earlier version in 2008. "Mainstreaming International Development Goals". Background paper for Development Cooperation Forum, UN ECOSOC, July 2008 available on website  
<http://www.un.org/ecosoc/newfunc/2008dcfbckgrd.shtml>

2008 'Integrating Conflict Prevention in Development Policy and Aid Agendas: Policy Messages from the Wilton Park Conference on Conflict Prevention and Development cooperation in Africa, a policy workshop. November 8-11, 2007. Wilton Park, UK available on webpage:  
<http://www.jica.go.jp/english/resources/publications/study/topical/prevention/001.pdf>

2008. 'Measuring the Progressive Realisation of Human Rights Obligations: an Index of economic and social rights fulfillment" University of Connecticut Department of Economics Working Paper Series 2008-22. With Terra Lawson-Remer and Susan Randolph <http://ideas.repec.org/s/uct/ecriwp.html>

2007. "Human rights and national poverty reduction strategies: Conceptual framework for human rights analysis of PRSPs and reviews of Guatemala, Liberia and Nepal" University of Connecticut Human Rights Institute, Economic rights Working Papers 2007 (2). <http://ideas.repec.org/s/uct/ecriwp.html>

2007. "Human rights and national poverty reduction strategies: Conceptual framework for human rights analysis of PRSPs and reviews of Guatemala, Liberia and Nepal" University of Connecticut Human Rights Institute, Economic rights Working Papers 2007 (2). <http://ideas.repec.org/s/uct/ecriwp.html>

2007. "From Income to a Multidimensional Measure of Poverty: the Case of the Human Poverty Index" *Poverty in Focus*, International Poverty Centre, UNDP, Brasilia

2007. "Unequal Development in the 1990s: Growing Gaps in Human Capabilities" (with David Stewart) *New School GPIA Working Paper 2007-04*

2007. Papers for Wilton Park Policy Workshop on Conflict Prevention and Development Cooperation in Africa: A Policy Workshop, November 2007  
<http://www.wiltonpark.org.uk/documents/conferences/WP889/participants/participants.aspx>

'Conflict prevention and development cooperation: Joint project of JICA and UNDP - A concept Paper' (with Robert Picciotto) Background paper 1

'Conflict-development nexus: A survey of armed conflicts in sub-Saharan Africa 1980-2005' . (with M. Ashwill, C. Messineo, E. Chiappa)  
Background paper 4

'Human Rights, State Capacity and Economic Policy' (with Juan Alberto Fuentes)

### **Presentations (Select list)**

2008. Inaugural lecture, global development series, University of Sikkim, Gandok, State of Sikkim, India, December 15

2008. UN General Assembly Interactive Panel on the Global Financial Crisis, 30 October, 2008. 'The Human Impact of the Financial Crisis on Poor and Disempowered People and Countries'. Expert Statement.  
<http://www.un.org/ga/president/63/interactive/gfc.shtml>

2008. Keynote speaker. Fourth international seminar on human development Instituto de Desenvolvimento Humano e Sustentavel, Catholic University of Minas, Brazil, 19 August, 2008

2008. Proposed Index for Economic and Social Rights Fulfilment. Main paper presented at the workshop on the index, New School, June 2008, sponsored by the Canadian International Development Agency. Paper presented at the Seminar on human rights, development and MDGs, Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights, June 2008 .

2008. 'Poverty from the Human Rights Perspective', Paper presented at the Conference on Frontiers of Poverty Analysis, World Institute for Development Economics Research, Helsinki. Chair of Opening Plenary panel.

2008. 'Integrating conflict prevention in development and aid policy agendas'. Paper presented at the Global Development Network 2008 Conference, January 28-31, Adelaide, Australia

2007. 'Conflict and development: what do we know'. Paper presented at the Wilton Park conference on Conflict Prevention and Development Cooperation in Africa: A Policy Workshop. November 8-11, Wilton Park UK  
<http://www.wiltonpark.org.uk/documents/conferences/WP889/pdfs/WP889prog.pdf>

2007. "Preventing Conflict and Development Cooperation: linking freedom from want and freedom from fear" Keynote speaker, Fifth International Conference on Science and Technology for Sustainability, International Cooperation for Development. September 7- 8, 2007, Tokyo Japan

2007 "Conflict Prevention: policy objectives in development and aid agendas?" JICA seminar, June 1, 2007. Tokyo Japan

2007 "The Gene Revolution: GM crops and unequal development" Overseas Development Institute, London, July 2007

2007 "Global technology and the institutional and policy choices for developing countries: the case of GM crops" World Bank, Washington D.C. April 2007; Schwartz Center for Policy Analysis seminar series, The New School, New York, February 2007

2006 'Conflict Prevention as Policy Objective of Development Aid', UNU-WIDER Conference: Aid – Policies, Principles, Performance, Helsinki, June 2006

2006 "Cultural Diversity: Frontier of Social Policy". Keynote speaker at World Bank conference Frontiers of Social Policy, December, Arusha, Tanzania

2004 "Cultural Liberty in Today's Diverse World". Keynote speaker at the global launch, with Minister of Foreign Affairs, Belgium, Crown Prince of Belgium, UNDP Administrator, July 15, Brussels, Belgium

2002 "Deepening Democracy in Today's Fragmented World". Keynote speaker at the global launch, with President Gloria Arroyo of the Philippines, July, Malacagnang Palace, Manila

2000 "Human Rights and Human Development". Keynote speaker at the global launch, with President Chirac of France, July, Paris

## Media

Published numerous op-eds on international economic policy issues in leading newspapers and periodicals such as Los Angeles Times, le Monde, International Herald Tribune, The New Scientist, Asahi Shinbun; interviews with tv and radio such as BBC, RFI, NHK, CNN.