

News from Business School

Atom Feed (<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/news/atom-feed>)**SASE Call for paper (/schools/business/research/research-clusters/gvc/news/2015/january/sase-call-for-paper.aspx)**

Call for paper for Session under Research Network O: Global Value Chains.GVC in Advanced Economies: Re-shoring and Re-industrialization
30/01/2015

**Birmingham Business School students one step closer to winning prestigious Hult Prize and solving Presidential Challenge (/schools/business/mba/news/2015/january/hult-prize.aspx)**

Top-tier schools go head-to-head in world's largest student competition, competing for \$1 million in start-up funding to solve President Clinton's Early Childhood Challenge.
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News from School of Social Policy

Atom Feed (<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/news/atom-feed>)**HSMC launch collaboration with University of Nottingham (/schools/social-policy/departments/health-services-management-centre/news/2015/01/hsmc-launch-collaboration-with-university-of-nottingham.aspx)**

HSMC and the Centre for Health Innovation, Leadership and Learning (CHILL) at the University of Nottingham successfully launched a Health Policy, Organisation and Management (HPOM) network for research and practice recently.
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New report from CHASM on access to credit (/schools/social-policy/departments/applied-social-studies/news-and-events/2015/01/new-report-from-chasm-on-access-to-credit.aspx)

The Centre on Household Assets and Savings Management (CHASM), have published a new report entitled 'Introducing a Time Delay on Access to Credit: Is it just delaying the inevitable?', by Lindsey Appleyard, Jodi Gardner and Karen Rowlingson.
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News from School of Education

Atom Feed (<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/news/atom-feed>)**Dr Penny Lacey (/schools/education/news/2015/01/dr-penny-lacey.aspx)**

It is with great sorrow that we have to announce that Dr Penny Lacey passed away peacefully on Monday 12 January 2015. We will remember her as a colleague who was admired by both her students and the community for the contributions that she made to the field through her teaching and research.
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'What is Character? Virtue Ethics in Education' MOOC attracts huge interest (/schools/education/news/2015/01/what-is-character-virtue-in-ethics-mooc.aspx)

The Jubilee Centre for Character and Virtues' Massive Open Online Course (MOOC), 'What is Character? Virtue Ethics in Education' has attracted a huge amount of interest ahead of its launch, reflecting the growing interest in character education.
15/01/2015

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News from School of Government and Society

Atom Feed (<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/news/atom-feed>)**Oil crisis: can short-term pain lead to economic gain for Russia? (<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/news/thebirminghambrief/items/2015/01/oil-crisis-22-01-15.aspx>)**

Written by Dr Richard Connolly. The recent crash in oil prices is causing much anxiety in oil-producing states. From Iran to Venezuela, many have come to rely on elevated oil prices to fuel economic growth and support government spending.
23/01/2015

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Blog: Shuffling the decks: quick fixes versus long-term stability (<http://www.developmentprogress.org/blog/2015/01/22/shuffling-decks-quick-fixes-versus-long-term-stability>)

Development Progress Blog. Ahead of the launch of our case studies on security progress in Liberia and Timor-Leste, Suda Perera writes on the risk that 'quick fixes' to violent conflict pose to development in the long-term. Taking the example of the Democratic Republic of Congo, she outlines the pitfalls of empowering warring parties and the challenging reality that good elections do not necessarily result in good democracy.
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