

## CALL FOR PAPERS

**Deadline March 15, 2020**

# ASSOCIATION OF SWEDISH DEVELOPMENT ECONOMISTS – ASWEDE – Conference on Development Economics

University of Gothenburg  
7-8 May, 2020

The sixth ASWEDE conference on Development Economics will be hosted by the Department of Economics, University of Gothenburg.\* ASWEDE promotes scientific research in development economics through workshops and conferences, and supports cooperation between development economists active in Sweden. The conference is open to development economists active in and outside of Sweden.

We now invite submissions for the ASWEDE conference from researchers and PhD students on any topic within the area of Development Economics. The deadline for submission is March 15, 2020.

The conference starts at 11 am on Thursday May 7 and ends in the afternoon of Friday May 8. To encourage an interactive conference, the program will contain a mix of shorter and longer presentations; open both to graduate students and senior researchers. The shorter presentations can include a brief discussion of new ideas, getting feedback on survey design, or more developed papers. While conference attendance is not conditional on presenting, we strongly encourage participants to present some work, even if very preliminary.

Participants interested in presenting in the longer sessions should submit full papers while an abstract is sufficient to signal an interest in the shorter slots. All submissions as well as the intent to participate should be sent to [ASWEDE@iies.su.se](mailto:ASWEDE@iies.su.se).

The conference will take place at [Näås Fabriker](#) - a beautiful location just outside of Gothenburg. There will be a conference dinner on Thursday evening, as well as opportunities to use the hotel spa facilities. Presenters will be offered meals and lodging for one night at the conference venue, free of charge. Travel costs are not covered by ASWEDE, however. In order to secure our hotel reservation, the deadline for registration is March 23.

On behalf of the board of ASWEDE and the local organizers,

Pelle Ahlerup, Niklas Bengtsson, Martina Björkman-Nyqvist, Ann-Sofie Isaksson, Andreas Madestam, Anders Olofsgård and Jakob Svensson.