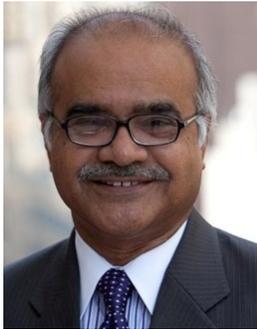


The DC LERA Board of Governors invites you to the monthly luncheon meeting Monday, June 29, 2015...



Rethinking Work for Human Development The UN Development Programme's 2015 Human Development Report

Guest Speaker

Dr. Selim Jahan

Director of the Human Development Report Office (HDRO)
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The United Nations Development Program (UNDP) works in more than 170 countries and territories to help eradicate poverty and reduce inequalities and exclusion. UNDP helps countries develop policies, leadership skills, partnering abilities, and institutional capabilities to achieve those ends. The Program has an impressive record of success, contributing to the halving of global poverty five years ahead of this landmark 2015 Millennium Development Goal set in 2000 by world governments working through the United Nations.

A significant tool in defining international development challenges and focusing world attention on critical global needs is the UNDP's Human Development Report, now celebrating its 25th year of publication. Dr. Selim Jahan directs the Office responsible for the development of this annual report—an independent, empirically-grounded analysis of major development issues, trends and policies, supplemented by maps, databases, indices and special overviews of compelling global concerns.

The 2015 Human Development Report *Rethinking Work for Human Development*, is in the works for release in November. Sustainable work and policy options for reinventing and reorganizing work to enrich human development are taken up against the backdrop of the transforming world of work. We are extraordinarily pleased to announce that Dr. Jahan will give us a preview of the 2015 Report as DC LERA's luncheon speaker on Monday, June 29. Please join us for a rare inside look at the launching of a searching exploration of a subject of significance to us all.

Selim Jahan is the Director of the Human Development Report Office (HDRO) at the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) in New York. After joining UNDP in 1992, he held positions of increasing responsibility in the Bureau for Development Policy and the HDRO before becoming chief of the latter in 2014. Dr. Jahan has held a number of academic positions including Professor of Economics and Director of the Economic Research Unit, University of Dhaka, Bangladesh. He earned a PhD in Economics from McGill University, Canada.

Delicious lunch: Buffet with salad, choice of two entrées, vegetarian options (let us know when you register), sides, choice of dessert, plus coffee/iced/tea. Cash wine service. **Time:** Sign-in: 11:30; Lunch: 12:00; **Please note: Program is on Monday, June 29;** Adjourn 1:30. **Venue:** Woman's National Democratic Club located in the historic Whittemore House at 1526 New Hampshire Ave. NW, Washington, D.C. 20036, one block from Dupont Circle and its Red Line Metro station. **Price:** DC LERA Members \$25, Guests of DC LERA Members \$25, Non-members \$30, Students \$15. **Sign up and pay online:** www.dclera.org or **pay at the door:** Email name and contact info to Natalie Myers at nmeyers@dws-consultants.com. **Share with your colleagues!**