

# National Treasury Workshop on Poverty Reduction and Social Security

presented by

The Development Policy Research Unit

## *Programme and Reading List*

### Monday, 11 December 2006

09h00 – 12h30:                    *The Measurement of Poverty and Inequality*,                    Ravi Kanbur

Readings:

“Measures of Poverty,” World Bank Institute

“Inequality Measure,” World Bank Institute

13h30 – 16h30:                    *Public Spending and Poverty*, Stephen Younger

Readings:

“Public Spending and the Poor Since the Transition to  
Democracy,” Servaas van der Berg

### Tuesday, 12 December 2006

09h00 – 12h30:                    *Poverty Lines and Poverty Comparisons*, Stephen Younger

Readings:

“Poverty Lines in Theory and Practice,” Martin Ravallion

“Poverty Profile without Poverty Lines,” David Sahn

13h30 – 16h30:                    *Setting a Poverty Line for South Africa*, Ravi Kanbur & Ingrid  
Woolard

Readings:

“Poverty and Inequality in Post-Apartheid South Africa: 1995-  
2000,” Johannes Hoogeveen & Berk Ozler

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### **Wednesday, 13 December 2006**

09h00 – 12h30: *Labour Markets and Poverty in South Africa*, Haroon Borhat, Morne Oosthuizen & Dorrit Posel

Readings:

“Evolution of the Labour Market: 1995-2002,” Haroon Borhat & Morne Oosthuizen

“Internal Labour Migration and Household Poverty in Post-Apartheid South Africa,” Dorrit Posel and Daniela Casale

13h30 – 16h30: *Poverty Alleviation, Scaling Up, and Q-Square Poverty Findings*, Ravi Kanbur

### **Thursday, 14 December 2006**

09h00 – 12h30: *Roundtable Discussion on a Comprehensive Social Security System for South Africa*

13h30 – 16h30: *Trade, Growth and Poverty in South Africa*, Haroon Borhat & Lawrence Edwards

Readings:

“Trade Liberalisation and Labour Demand in South Africa during the 1990s,” Lawrence Edwards