

Dear Fellow Development Researchers,

The Institute for Economic Development at Boston University will be hosting the 2014 NEUDC (Northeast Universities Development Consortium) Conference on November 1<sup>nd</sup> and 2<sup>rd</sup>, 2014.

We are writing to invite you to submit a paper for the conference and also to pass the word around among your colleagues and students who may be interested. We welcome all papers that investigate topics in economic development broadly defined.

Papers can be submitted **beginning May 1<sup>st</sup> 2014**, at the following web site:  
[https://editorialexpress.com/cgi-bin/conference/conference.cgi?action=login&db\\_name=NEUDC2014](https://editorialexpress.com/cgi-bin/conference/conference.cgi?action=login&db_name=NEUDC2014)

The final date for submitting a paper is August 8<sup>th</sup> 2014. Each author should submit only one paper. Only full drafts of papers will be considered. Please submit a paper with an abstract, not exceeding 300 words, before the August 8th deadline. We will send out notifications by late September informing people of our acceptance or rejection decisions.

Those attending the meeting will be charged an advanced registration fee of \$200. For students there will be a special discounted rate of \$100. The registration will include breakfast, lunches, coffee and Saturday's conference reception. Expenses for travel and accommodation will not be covered by the conference.

Further conference details will be posted on the conference web page at:  
<http://sites.bu.edu/neudc/>.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us a [neudc14@bu.edu](mailto:neudc14@bu.edu).

Yours sincerely,

The Institute for Economic Development