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## Call for Papers

### BREAD Asia Conference on Development Economics

**December 19–20, 2024**  
**National University of Singapore, Singapore**

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The Bureau for Research and Economic Analysis of Development (BREAD) is pleased to announce a Conference on Development Economics, hosted by the National University of Singapore and co-organized by the National University of Singapore, Asian Development Bank,

University of Tokyo, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, University of Hong Kong, and NYU Abu Dhabi. The conference will take place on Thursday, December 19 and Friday, December 20, 2024. It will consist of presentations of advanced stage research by senior or junior researchers, and presentations of early stage research by junior researchers.

A special feature of the conference will be the option of mentoring for junior researchers based in Asia, in the months before the conference by BREAD fellows and affiliates.

Submission deadline: August 16, 2024.

Details can be found at [breadasia2024.com](https://breadasia2024.com).

## About the Conference

- Senior/junior researchers are invited to submit a full paper.
- Junior researchers (PhD students or max. 5 years past PhD) based at universities/institutions in Asia are invited to
  - opt in for the mentoring part of the conference. In that case, one may submit an extended abstract, research design or PAP instead of a full paper, which would be the starting basis of the mentorship if accepted to the conference.
  - opt out of the mentoring part of the conference and submit a full paper.
- Call for BREAD mentors: We invite interested BREAD fellows or affiliates to sign up as a mentor by emailing [breadasia2024@gmail.com](mailto:breadasia2024@gmail.com). Please sign up by August 2, 2024.
- Accepted juniors will be individually matched with registered BREAD mentors for one-to-one mentoring during the months before the conference. Mentors are expected to join the conference as well (with travel funding available for mentors).

## Submission

We invite submissions from researchers on any topic within the area of development economics. All papers presented at the conference will be selected through an open submissions process.

Please submit your paper before the deadline on Friday, August 16, 2024 at 11:59pm ET. Notifications will be sent by September 6, 2024. Please submit your paper at [breadasia2024.com](https://breadasia2024.com). Only PDF format can be uploaded.

## Travel and Accommodation

If accepted, economy class airfares and 3 nights of lodging for all presenters (incl. mentees) and mentors will be covered according to the NUS Reimbursement Guidelines. All participants are expected to stay for the entire 2-day event.

Please be sure before applying that your visa status will allow you to attend the event.

If you have any questions about the paper submission process or this conference overall, please email [breadasia2024@gmail.com](mailto:breadasia2024@gmail.com).