

# Development Economics

## Development, Growth and Development Economics

- Economics and Development Economics
- Economic Development and Growth
- Measures of growth and development
  - GDP, GDP p.c., GDP p.w.
  - GNI, GNH, HDI *etc.*

## Theories of Growth and Development

- Classics (Smith, Ricardo, Malthus)
- Quasi-classics (Marx)
- Intermediate (Marshall, Harrod-Domar)
- New classics (Solow and others)
  - Multiple equilibrium,
  - Convergence

## Correlates of Growth

### Poverty

- Definition (absolute *vs.* relative)
- Measures (problems with the measures)
- Functions

### Inequality

- Definition (inequality *vs.* poverty)
- Measures
- Functions
- Kuznets curve and explanations
- Polarisation and theories (Myrdal, Prebisch)

### Other correlates

### Religion

- Definition
- Measures
- Theories (Marx, Max Weber, and intermediate)

## Topics of the Second-half

### Population

- Population (fertility, mortality) and Output
- Malthusian Theory of Population and Growth
- Solow Model and Population

### Human Capital

- Health
- Education
- Human Capital and Differences in Income

### Government

- Economic Role of Government (public goods, externalities, and the like)
- Government and Development (rule of law, planning and the like)
- Corruption and Kleptocracy

### Foreign Aid

- Definitions and Forms of Aid
- Motives of Aid
- Absorptive Capacity
- Theories on Aid (Sachs, Easterly and Collier )
- Millennium Development Goals