

**University of Cape Town Maymester 2010:  
Governance Challenges in Southern Africa**

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**Week 1**

<b>Sunday May 16</b>	Cape Peninsula Tour
<b>Mon. May 17</b>	<p>9:00-10:30 UCT Safety 10:30-noon Intro to Governance</p> <p>Olson, Mancur. 2000. <i>Power and Prosperity</i>. Basic Books. Chapters 1-2, 1-43.</p> <p>Jackson, Robert and Carl Rosberg. 1982. "Why Africa's Weak States Persist." <i>World Politics</i>. 1- 24.</p> <p>Take a look at southern African states' ranking and methodology in the following websites.</p> <p>World Bank. <i>Governance Matters 2009</i>. <a href="http://info.worldbank.org/governance/wgi/index.asp">http://info.worldbank.org/governance/wgi/index.asp</a></p> <p>Mo Ibrahim Foundation. <i>The Ibrahim Index</i>. <a href="http://www.moibrahimfoundation.org/en/section/the-ibrahim-index">http://www.moibrahimfoundation.org/en/section/the-ibrahim-index</a></p> <p>World Peace Foundation. 2009. <i>Index of African Governance</i>. <a href="http://www.worldpeacefoundation.org/africangovernance.html">http://www.worldpeacefoundation.org/africangovernance.html</a></p> <p>Celia Dugger. 2009 "Contention Over Rankings of African Nations." <i>New York Times</i>. <a href="http://www.nytimes.com/2009/10/06/world/africa/06africa.html?_r=1">http://www.nytimes.com/2009/10/06/world/africa/06africa.html?_r=1</a></p>
<b>Tues. May 18</b>	<p>9:00-10:30 Liberation movements, colonialism 10:30-noon UCT lecture – political developments (IDASA)</p> <p>Jackson, Robert and Carl Rosberg. 1984. "Personal Rule: Theory and Practice in Africa". <i>Comparative Politics</i>, Vol. 16, No. 4 (Jul., 1984), pp. 421-442.</p> <p>Herbst, Jeffrey. 1989. "The Creation and Maintenance of National Boundaries in Africa." <i>International Organization</i> Vol. 43, No. 4, pp. 673-692.</p>

	<p>Anderson, John Lee 2008. "<a href="#">The Destroyer: Robert Mugabe and the destruction of Zimbabwe</a>" <i>New Yorker</i> (October 27), pp. 54-65.</p> <p>Barkan, Joel D. 2009. "South Africa: Emerging Legislature or Rubber Stamp?" in <i>Legislative Power in Emerging African Democracies</i>. Lynne Rienner, pp. 205-230.</p> <p>Russell, Alec. 2009. <i>Bring Me My Machine Gun: The Battle for the Soul of South Africa From Mandela to Zuma</i>. Perseus Books, pp. 53-79.</p>
<b>Wed. May 19</b>	<p>9:00-10:30    Sovereignty and property 10:30-noon    ethnic challenges</p> <p>afternoon    <u>Optional excursion to Parliament</u> 6 – 8pm       <u>Mixer with UCT students</u></p> <p>Rogers, Douglas. 2009. <i>The Last Resort: A Memoir of Zimbabwe</i>. Harmony Books. Chapter 2, pp. 4-27.</p> <p>Russell, Alec. 2009. <i>Bring Me My Machine Gun: The Battle for the Soul of South Africa From Mandela to Zuma</i>. Perseus Books, pp. 25-51.</p> <p>Posner, Daniel R. 2004. "The Political Salience of Cultural Difference: Why Chewas and Tumbukas Are Allies in Zambia and Adversaries in Malawi." <i>American Political Science Review</i>, pp. 529-545.</p> <p>Habyarimana, James, Macartan Humphreys, Daniel Posner, and Jeremy Weinstein. 2007. "Why Does Ethnic Diversity Undermine Public Goods Provision?" <i>American Political Science Review</i> Vol. 101, No. 4, pp. 709-725.</p>
<b>Thurs. May 20</b>	<p>9:00-10:30    Civil society 10:30-noon    <i>Rhoda Kadalie (women in the struggle)</i></p> <p>Fukuyama, Frank. 2000. "Social Capital and Civil Society." IMF Working Paper.</p> <p>Edwards, Michael. 2009. "The Challenges of Civil Society in Africa." Trust Africa Speech in Dakar, Senegal.</p> <p>Messiant, Christine. 2001. "The Eduardo Dos Santos Foundation: Or, How Angola's Regime is Taking Over Civil Society." <i>African Affairs</i> Vol. 100, pp. 287-309.</p>

	<p>Feminist Africa. 2005. "<a href="#">The personal remains political: Elaine Salo speaks with Rhoda Kadalie.</a>"</p> <p>Bearak, Barry. 2009. "<a href="#">South Africa's Poor Renew a Tradition of Protest.</a>" <i>New York Times</i>.</p>
<b>Fri. May 21</b>	<p>9:00-10:30 Private security and crime 10:30-noon ISS visitor</p> <p>Ndlovu-Gatsheni, Sabelo J and Gwinyayi A Dzinesa. 2008. "One man's volunteer is another man's mercenary?" Mapping the extent of mercenarism and its impact on human security in Africa." In <i>Elimination of Mercenarism in Africa</i>. Institute for Strategic Studies, pp. 75-97.</p> <p>de Nevers, Renée. 2009. "(Self) Regulating War? Voluntary Regulation and the Private Security Industry." <i>Security Studies</i>, Vol. 18, No. 3, pp. 479-516.</p> <p>Russell, Alec. 2009. <i>Bring Me My Machine Gun: The Battle for the Soul of South Africa From Mandela to Zuma</i>. Perseus Books, pp. 107-132.</p> <p>Burger, Johan. 2009. "Worrying trends. The official 2008/09 South African crime statistics." <i>SA Crime Quarterly</i>.</p> <p>Burger, Johan and Bilkis Omar. 2009 "Can practice make perfect? Security and the 2010 FIFA World Cup." <i>SA Crime Quarterly</i>.</p> <p>Barry Bearak. 2009. "<a href="#">Constant Fear and Mob Rule in South Africa Slum.</a>" <i>New York Times</i>.</p>
<b>Saturday May 22</b>	<u>District 6 Museum and Township Tour</u>
<b>Sunday, May 23</b>	<p><u>Robben Island Tour and Table Mountain tour</u></p> <p>Recommended: Mandela, Nelson. 1994. <i>Long Walk to Freedom</i>. Little Brown. Selected pages.</p>

**Week 2**

<b>Mon. May 24</b>	<p>9:00-10:30 Resources and Development 10:30-noon UCT lecture – <i>Econ Development</i></p>
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	<p>Meredith, Martin. 2007. <i>Diamonds, Gold, and War: The British, the Boers, and the Making of South Africa</i>, pp. 1-10.</p> <p>Ross, Michael. 1999. "The Political Economy of the Resource Curse." <i>World Politics</i>, Vol. 51 (Jan.), pp. 297-322.</p> <p>Hillbom, Ellen. 2008. "Diamonds or development? A structural assessment of Botswana's forty years of success" <i>The Journal of Modern African Studies</i>, pp. 191-214.</p> <p>van de Walle, Nicolas. 2001. <i>African Economies and the Politics of Permanent Crisis</i>. Cambridge, pp. 1-19, 113-151.</p>
<p><b>Tues. May 25</b></p>	<p>9:00-10:30 UCT lecture – transitional justice (Glenda Wildschut)  10:30-noon Justice comparisons</p> <p>Meredith, Martin. 1999. <i>Coming to Terms</i>. Public Affairs, pp. 3-26.</p> <p>Colvin, Christopher J. 2007. "Civil society and reconciliation in Southern Africa" <i>Development in Practice</i>, Vol. 17, No. 3, pp. 322-337.</p> <p>Leebaw, Bronwyn. 2003. "Legitimation or Judgment? South Africa's Restorative Approach to Transitional Justice." <i>Polity</i> Vol. 36, No. 1, pp. 23-51.</p> <p>Graybill, Lyn and Kimberly Lanegran. 2004 "Truth, Justice, and Reconciliation in Africa: Issues and Cases." <i>African Studies Quarterly</i>. Vol. 8, Issue 1, pp. 1-18.</p>
<p><b>Wed. May 26</b></p>	<p>9:00-10:30 Black Economic Empowerment  10:30-noon Kuben Naidoo (development planning and policy coordination)</p> <p>Kenny, Charles. 2009. "<a href="#">Think Again: Africa's Crisis.</a>" <i>Foreign Policy</i>.</p> <p>Bearak, Barry. 2010. "<a href="#">Cost of Stadium Reveals Tensions in South Africa.</a>" <i>New York Times</i>.</p> <p>Sala-i-Martin, Xavier, and Maxim Pinkovskiy. 2010. "Africa's Poverty is Falling ....Much Faster than You Think!" MIT.</p>

	<p>McDonald, Scott and Terrie Louise Walmsley. 2008. "Bilateral Free Trade Agreements and Customs Unions: The Impact of the EU Republic of South Africa Free Trade Agreement on Botswana." <i>World Economy</i>, pp. 993-1029.</p> <p>Stephanie Nieuwoudt. "Q&amp;A: "<a href="#">South Africa's Black Economic Empowerment Has Failed</a>" IPS.</p> <p>Russell, Alec. 2009. <i>Bring Me My Machine Gun: The Battle for the Soul of South Africa From Mandela to Zuma</i>. Perseus Books, pp. 157-180.</p> <p>VIDEO: Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala on aid versus trade. <a href="#">TED Lecture</a>.</p>
<b>Thurs. May 27</b>	<u>SHAWCO</u>

<b>Fri. May 28</b>	<p>9:00-10:30 Public Health intro (spread of HIV, water-born)</p> <p>10:30-noon <i>Nicoli Natrass (AIDS denialism)</i></p> <p>1:00-5:00 <u>TAC visit</u></p> <p>WHO. 2006. <i>African Regional Health Report</i>. Executive Summary.</p> <p>Lewis, Maureen. 2006. "Governance and Corruption in Public Health Care Systems." <i>Center for Global Development Working Paper 78</i>, pp. 1-57.</p> <p>Natrass, Nicoli. 2007. "Aids And The Scientific Governance of Medicine in Post-Apartheid South Africa." <i>African Affairs</i>, pp. 157-176.</p> <p>Helen Epstein. 2002. "<a href="#">The Hidden Cause of AIDS</a>." <i>New York Review of Books</i>.</p> <p>Kalulla, Travis. 2009. "<a href="#">AIDS Relief and Moral Myopia</a>." <i>The New Atlantis</i>, pp. 3-17.</p>
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**Week 3**

<b>Mon. May 31</b>	<p>9:00-10:30 Public health policy responses</p> <p>10:30-noon <i>Thobile Mbengashe (South African HIV policy)</i></p> <p>AVERT. 2010. "<a href="#">HIV and AIDS in Uganda</a>."</p>
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	<p>AVERT. 2010. "<a href="#">HIV and AIDS in Botswana.</a>"</p> <p>AVERT. 2010. "<a href="#">HIV and AIDS in South Africa.</a>"</p> <p>Navario, Peter. 2009. "<a href="#">Improved Prognosis.</a>" <i>Council on Foreign Relations.</i></p> <p>Shiffman, Jeremy. 2007. "Has donor prioritization of HIV/AIDS displaced aid for other health issues?" <i>Health Policy and Planning</i>, pp. 95-100.</p>
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<b>Tues. June 1</b>	<p>9:00-10:30    Environment  10:30-noon    Land use / conservation / poaching  1:00-5:00     <a href="#">Cape Flats Nature</a></p> <p>Review Indicators on website below for Angola, Botswana, Malawi, Madascar, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa, Zambia, Zimbabwe.</p> <p>CIESIN. 2010. <a href="#">Environmental Performance Index Interactive Website.</a></p> <p>Gourevitch. Philip. 2009. "The Monkey and the Fish." <i>New Yorker</i> (Dec. 21/28), pp. 98-111.</p> <p>Jones, Jennifer L. 2005. "Transboundary Conservation in Southern Africa: Exploring conflict between local resource access and conservation." University of Pretoria, pp. 1-32.</p> <p>Brockington, Dan and Katherine Scholfield. 2010. "The Work of Conservation Organizations in sub-Saharan Africa." <i>J. of Modern African Studies</i>, Vol. 48, No. 1, pp. 1-33.</p> <p>VIDEO  Jane Goodall. 2007. <a href="#">TED LECTURE</a></p>
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<b>Wed. June 2</b>	<p>9:00-10:30    UCT lecture (Merle Sowman)– fisheries  10:30-noon    Climate adaptation  7:00 -         <a href="#">Brai</a></p> <p>Collier, Paul, Gordon Conway and Tony Venables. 2008. "Climate Change and Africa." 1-27.</p> <p>WorldFish. 2009. "Fish Supply and Food Security in Africa," pp. 1-4.</p>
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	<p>Allison, Edward et al. 2009. "Vulnerability of national economies to the impacts of climate change on fisheries." <i>Fish &amp; Fisheries</i>, pp. 173-196.</p> <p>Standing, Andre. 2009. "The growth of marine fisheries eco-labelling in Southern and Eastern Africa: Potential benefits and challenges." Institute for Security Studies, pp. 1-4.</p> <p>Stop Illegal Fishing Programme. 2008. <i>Stop Illegal Fishing in South Africa</i>, pp. 6-7, 22-23, 26-35.</p> <p>Hauck, Maria and Marcel Kroese. 2006 "Fisheries compliance in South Africa: A decade of challenges and reform 1994–2004." <i>Marine Policy</i>, Vol. 30, pp. 74-83.</p>
<p><b>Thurs. June 3</b></p>	<p>9:00-10:30    Conclusions – themes, lessons  <b>Final Paper Due</b></p> <p>VIDEO  George Ayittey. <a href="#">TED Lecture</a></p> <p>11:00            Departure for airport</p>