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Solidarity in Development

Empowering Agents of Change

The 15th Annual Human Development Conference
University of Notre Dame
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CALL FOR PAPERS

The Ford Program in Human Development Studies and Solidarity and the Kellogg Institute for International Studies, part of the Keough School of Global Affairs at the University of Notre Dame, announce the 15th annual Human Development Conference.

For fifteen years, the Human Development Conference has provided a forum for undergraduate students from a wide range of backgrounds and disciplines who are passionate about development to engage in dialogue about development research.

The 2023 Human Development Conference, themed *Solidarity in Development: Empowering Agents of Change*, will encourage participants to consider how pragmatic solidarity and accompaniment can provide an opportunity for collaboration and ultimately bring about inclusive and sustainable development outcomes. This year's conference seeks to highlight the positive impacts individuals, organizations, and communities can have in addressing the many global challenges of today's world.

We welcome and invite all undergraduate students to share their research experiences from a broad spectrum of topics in human development, including but not limited to:

- Agriculture
- Architecture
- Anthropology
- Business
- Economics
- Education
- Engineering
- Environment
- Foreign Aid
- Gender
- Governance
- Global Health
- Human Dignity
- Human Rights
- Infrastructure
- Migration
- Peace/Conflict
- Poverty
- Public Policy
- Religion
- Sociology
- Sustainability
- Technology
- Urbanizati

Undergraduate students interested in presenting should submit an abstract of their research projects: [click here](#). **The final submission deadline is Monday, November 7th, 2022, at 11:59 PM.** In line with this year's theme of empowering changemakers, there will be both in-person and virtual presentation opportunities to increase conference accessibility and include the many perspectives that deserve a place in important conversations of human development.

Invitations for participation will be extended in early December. Selected presenters will also be eligible for the [Rev. Ernest J. Bartell, CSC, Prize for Undergraduate Research on Poverty and Development](#), a \$1,000 award conferred to two outstanding undergraduate researchers presenting at the Human Development Conference.

More information can be found on [our website](#), [Instagram](#), and [Facebook Page](#). We hope that you will join us in participating in this important conversation!