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CELEBRATING ECA @ 60
The Knowledge and Library Services Section (KLSS) has reintroduced its monthly Current Awareness bulletin in 2017 to keep staff abreast of new developments in ECA’s thematic areas. The revamped LibAlert provides a glimpse into the wealth of our knowledge resources that can be consulted for your research. The LibAlert highlights the New Arrivals in print and electronic collections including eJournals, eBooks, Databases (Articles and Data) and Physical Books that can be checked out of the Library. The Knowledge resources are from a diverse subject coverage including - Business and Economics, Social Sciences, Natural Sciences, Humanities, Health, Statistics, Science and Technology and more.

We also showcase books that our staff have published and discussed with colleagues through our “Book Talk” Knowledge Sharing Events.

In this third Knowledge Management Digest (Volume 3), KLSS presents a compilation of the LibAlerts published in 2017 and 2018 in celebration of the Commission @ 60.

The ECA Knowledge Management Digest is a serial publication that highlights new developments in the area of Knowledge Management and Library services of the Commission. The function is anchored in the Knowledge and Library Services Section (KLSS) within the Public Information and Knowledge Management Division.
New Arrivals - Books! (Click on picture to access)

E-Journals (Click on the title to access the most recent issues)

Africa Today Fall 2017, Vol. 64, Issue 01
African Confidential November 2017, Vol. 58 no 22,
Bloomberg Businessweek November 2017, Issue 4545
Cambridge Journal of Economics November 2017, Vol. 41 Iss. 6
The Economist November 2017, Vol. 425 (9065)
Journal of African Economies November 2017, Vol. 26 Iss. 5
New African August/September 2017, Issue 575

Featured ECA Publications

Economic Report on Africa 2017
2017 Africa Sustainable Development Report
BROWSE 2017 SDG REPORTS
The Knowledge and Library Services Section (KLSS) is pleased to announce the launch of its newest service, the ‘BOOK TALK - Knowledge Sharing Series’, an event organized by KLSS in collaboration with the Communication Section (CS) of PIKMD. The Book talk is a tailored service dedicated to promoting staff publishing. All staff members Commission-wide that have recently published or in the process of publishing are encouraged to contact KLSS to facilitate sharing of their work with their peers through the Knowledge Sharing Series.

The 1st BOOK TALK, a knowledge sharing event organized by PIKMD (the Knowledge and Library Services Section in collaboration with the Communications section) was presented by Mr. George Kararach, on the book he recently edited with Mr. Hany Besada, Mr. Timothy and Mr. Shaw titled “Development in Africa: Refocusing the Lens after the Millennium Development Goals”. Mr Kararach is an Economic Affairs Officer in the Microeconomics Policy Division (MPD).

The 2nd BOOK TALK was presented by Mr. Robert Tama Lisinge on his dissertation for his PhD that he recently defended titled “Managing Africa’s Regional Transport Infrastructure Programmes: Partnerships and Performance”. Mr. Lisinge is Chief of Operational Quality Section in Strategic Planning and Operations Quality Division (SPOQD).

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E-Journals & Magazines

(Click on the title or picture to access the latest issues)

**Africa Confidential** December 2017, Vol.58, Iss. 24
**Development Policy Review** November 2017, Vol.35, Iss.6
**Demography** December 2017, Vol. 54, Iss.6
**Food Policy** December 2017, Vol. 73 , pp.1-130
**Foreign Affairs** November/December 2017, Vol.96, Iss.6
**Global Governance** October-December 2017, Vol. 23, Iss.4
**International Journal of African Historical Studies** 2017, Vol.50, Iss.2
**Journal of African Economies** September 2017, Vol. 29, Iss.3
**Journal of International Development** November 2017, Vol.29, Iss.8
**Journal of Macroeconomics** December 2017, Vol. 54, Iss. A/B
**Review of Income and Wealth** December 2017, Vol. 63, Iss.4

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**Upcoming Booktalk!**

James Mvurumbedzi
will present a publication produced by African Climate Policy Center (ACPC) entitled:

**Date & Venue details**
Thursday Dec. 14, 2017
11:00AM - 12:30 PM
LBR, UNCC

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**FEATURED**

- Country Analysis
- Country Reports
- Country Data
- Country Forecast
- Global Forecasting Service
- World Commodity Forecasts
- Global Outlook (Macroeconomic forecasts)
- Risk Analysis
- Industry Analysis

› EIU Tutorial
› Data Tool Tutorial
New Arrivals - Books! (Click on picture to access)
E-Journals & Magazines

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American Journal of Agricultural Economics January 2018, Vol.100, Iss.01


Cambridge Journal of Economics January 2018, Vol. 42, Iss.01

The Computer Journal December 2017, Vol.60, Iss. 12

Digital Scholarship in the Humanities Dec. 2017, Vol.32, Iss.02

Foreign Policy Analysis January 2018, Vol.14, Iss.01

Human communication Research January 2018, Vol. 44, Iss.1

International Journal of Law and Information Technology Winter 2017, Vol.25, Iss.4

Journal of Refugee Studies December 2017, Vol.30, Iss.04

The Quarterly Journal of Economics February 2018, Vol.133, Iss.01

Upcoming Booktalk

Mr. Paul Mpuga, PhD
Economic Affairs Officers, MPD
will present his paper entitled:
“Business Regulations and Entrepreneurship growth in Africa”

Date & Venue details
Wednesday Jan. 24, 2018
11:00AM - 12:30 PM
LBR, UNCC

Journals A to Z

Latest in Economics from Oxford Academic
Currency unions and heterogeneous trade effects: the case of the Latin Monetary Union
Microcredit and Food Security: Evidence from Rural Households in Uganda
Welfare State Structure, Inequality, and Public Attitudes Towards Progressive Taxation
New Arrivals - Books! (Click on picture to access)
Prof. Calestous Juma was an internationally recognized authority, a luminary African scholar, who championed the cause of innovation and technology in transforming African countries, and whose books and papers about the environment, biotechnology, agricultural innovation for development & food security, education, artificial intelligence, cloning and the politics of land in Africa made him a towering figure both in the continent and across the world.

He was Professor of the Practice of International Development and Director of the Science, Technology, and Globalization Project at Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs. He also directed Agricultural Innovation Policy in Africa and Health and Innovation Policy in Africa centers. He served as Faculty Chair of the Innovation for Economic Development at Harvard Kennedy School, Edwards Mason Fellows Program, and Technology, Innovation and Entrepreneurship in Africa executive Programs. The late professor has also authored groundbreaking books in the above noted disciplines.

In recognition of his works and contributions, Prof. Juma has won several international awards and has been elected to several scientific academies.

In honor & memory of Prof. Calestous Juma, PIKMD is pleased to give the due recognition to his prolific Works & Contributions on the upcoming Knowledge Sharing Series- Book Talk.

**Panellists:**

1. **Mr. Stephen Karikeri** | Director, CDD - on Trade and Regional Integration
2. **Ms. Aída Opoku-Mensah** | Advisor to the ES on SDGs - on Innovation policy for DCs
3. **Mr. James Wakiaga** | Economic Advisor, UNDP - Role of Innovation in achieving the SDGs
4. **Mr. George Karamakar** | Economic Affairs Officer, MPD - on Macroeconomic policy
5. **Mr. Victor Konde** | Scientific Affairs Officer, SID - on Science and Technology
6. **Mr. Francis Mangeni** | Director of Trade, Customs and Monetary Affairs, COMESA

The Director of PIKMD, **Mr. Jimmy Ockiti** will chair the panel and will also tie the contributions of the Professor to the work of ECA.

**Date & venue details:**

Thursday, 22 February 2018 | 11:00 am- 12:30 pm | Conference Room 3, UNCC
New Arrivals - Books! (Click on picture to access)
E-Journals & Magazines

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**Africa Report**  February 2018, No. 97
**Africa Today**  2017, Vol. 64
**Ambio : a journal of the human environment**  2018 Vol.47 Iss.2
**Bloomberg Businessweek**  February 19, 2018
**Cambridge Journal of Economics**  March 2018, Vol.42 No.2
**Development and Change**  March 2018, Vol.49 Iss.2
**Environment and Development Economics**  February 2018, Vol. 23 Iss. 01
**International Organization**  Winter 2018, Vol. 72 Iss. 1
**Journal of African Economics**  January 2018, Vol. 27 Iss. 1
**Review of International Economics**  February 2018, Vol.26 Iss.1
**World Development**  January 2018, Vol.101

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**Upcoming Booktalk**

Mr. Abdalla Hamdock
Deputy Executive Secretary
and
Mr. Adam Elhiraika
Director, MPD

Present their book entitled:
“Macroeconomic Policy Framework for Africa’s Structural Transformation”

Respondents:
Mr. Stephen Karingi
Director, CDD
and
Mr. Joseph Atta-Mensah
Principal Economic Affairs Officer, CDD

**Date & Venue details**
Tuesday 27 March 2018
11:00AM - 12:30 PM LBR, UNCC

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E-Journals & Magazines
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Africa Confidential 6 April 2018, Vol 59, No. 7
African Development Review March 2018, Vol.30 Iss.1
African Studies 2018, Vol.77 Iss.2
AIDS Care 2018, Vol.30 Iss.4
Development in Practice 2018, Vol.28 Iss.6
The Economist April 14, 2018
Gender and Society April 2018, Vol. 32, Issue 2
Food Policy April 2018, Vol.76
Journal of Asian and African Studies May 2018, Vol.53 Iss.3
Journal of International Development April 2018, Vol.30 Iss.3
Review of Income and Wealth March 2018, Vol.64 Iss.1

Upcoming Booktalk!

Mr. Komi Tsowou
Associate Economic Affairs Officer, RITD
Presents his book entitled:
“Cocoa Industry: Integrating small farmers into global value chain”
Respondents:
Ms. Eunice Ajambo, Economic Affairs Officer, MPD and
Mr. Mahamadou Nassirou Ba, Economic Affairs Officer, RITD

Date & Venue Details
25 April 2018
11:00AM - 12:30 PM
LBR, UNCC

Going Back in History: AfCFTA

1963: Background paper on the establishment of an African common market
1964: African common market: resolution 100 (vl) adopted by the Commission at its Plenary meeting on 28 February 1964
... Progress Towards an African Common Market | version française
1965: Statement of the Executive Secretary of the Economic Commission for Africa on Economic Integration
1967: Conditions requisites pour una création économique régionale : document de référence
1995: Implementation of the Abuja treaty establishing the African Economic Community; progress made and prospects

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E-Journals & Magazines

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Development in Practice 6 April 2018, Vol. 59 No. 7
Conflict, Security and Development 27 March 2018, Vol. 18, iss. 2
The World Economy April 2018, Vol. 41 iss. 4
American journal of agricultural economics and applied economics perspectives and policy April 2018, Vol 100, iss. 3
The review of Income and Wealth March 2018, Vol. 64 No. 1
Oxford Economics Papers April 2018, Vol. 70 Iss. 2
International Statistical review April 2018, Vol. 86 iss. 1
African development Review March 2018, Vol. 30 Iss. 1
Journal of Royal Statistical Society February 2018, Vol. 181 Iss. 2
Journal of Interdisciplinary economics January 2018, Vol. 30 No. 1
Journal of Democracy April 2018, Vol. 29 Iss. 2
International Migration review 02 May 2018
Global environmental Politics February 2018, Vol. 18 iss. 1

Mr. Hopestone Chavula
Economic Affairs Officer, MDP presents his paper entitled:
"Multilateral Institutions and Africa’s Governance Dilemma"

Respondents:
Dr. Francis Ikome, Economic Affairs Officer, MPD
Dr. Khabele Matlosa, Director of Political Affairs, AUC

Date & Venue details
30 May 2018
Large Briefing Room, UNCC
11:00—12:30

Going Back in History:
The African Regional Forum on Sustainable Development

1961: Economic and social development

1965: Outlines and selected indicators of African development plans

1970: Stratégie pour le développement économique en Afrique | English

1980: Development strategy for Africa for the third development decade

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New Arrivals and Hot Topics! Focus - Land policy
E-Journals & Magazines
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African Development Review / Revue Africaine de Développement
March 2018, Vol. 30 Iss. 1

Africa Research Bulletin: Political, Social and Cultural Series
May 2018, Vol. 55 Iss. 4

June 2018, Vol. 55 Iss. 4

Africa Today Vol. 64 No. 2

African Business June 2018

Development Policy Review July 2018, Vol. 36 Iss. 4

Journal of Interdisciplinary Economics 2018, Vol. 30 Iss. 2

Progress in Development Studies July 2018, Vol. 18 Iss. 3

Organization Science May-June 2018, Vol. 29 Iss. 3

Oxford development Studies May 2018, Vol. 46 Iss. 2

Social Research Spring 2018, Vol 85 No. 1

Upcoming BookTalk!
Mr. Adrian Gauci, Economic Affairs Officer, SDPD
presented his book entitled:

“Peace After Civil War: The Role of Fiscal Policy in Post-Conflict African Economies”.

Respondents:
Ms. Habiba Ben Barka, Economic Affairs Officer, MPD
and
Mr. Joseph Baricako, Economic Affairs Officer, IRTD

Date & Venue details
11 June 2018
Large Briefing Room, UNCC11:00—12:30 pm

Going Back in History: Land Policy Initiatives in Africa


1965: Situation of Land Reform in Africa: resolution 108 [IV] adopted by the Commission at its 112th Plenary Meeting on 27 February 1964

1970: The role of registration of title in the evolution of customary tenures and its effect on societies in Africa

1980: Measures for the improvement of women’s land holding and land rights

1990: Compendium on cadastral regulations and land tenure policies in Africa - first instalment

Did you know?
Economic Commission for Africa Knowledge Repository @ https://repository.uneca.org
New Arrivals and Hot Topics! Focus - Demographic Dividends
E-Journals & Magazines

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Canadian journal of Economics/Revue Canadienne d’économique
May 2018, Vol.5 Iss. 2

Food Policy May 2018, Vol. 77

Gender and Development 2018, Vol. 26 Iss. 2

International Economic Review May 2018, Vol 59 Iss. 2

Journal of Agricultural Economics 2018, Vol 69 Iss. 2


Journal of Macroeconomics June 2018, Vol. 56


Jeune Afrique Magazine July 1, 2018

Oxford Development Studies 2018, Vol. 46 Iss. 2

Revue d’économie et Politique 2018, Vol. 128 Iss. 2

Third World Quarterly 2018, Vol. 39 Iss. 6

World Development July 2018, Vol 107

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Upcoming Book talk!

Mr. Mohamed Yahya

Presents UNDP Report entitled:

“Journey to extremism in Africa”

Respondents:
Mr. Francis Ikome
Ms. Eunice Ajambo

Date & Venue details
18 July 2018
Large Briefing Room, UNCC
11:00—12:30 pm

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Did you know?

Going Back in History: Development Planning in Africa

1960: Administrative aspects and problems of the integration of social development plans with overall development planning, 1962

1965: Development Planning in Africa, 1967

1970: Meteorology and development planning 1972

1980: Guidelines for integrating population variables in development planning for ECA member states, 1987

1990: Public participation in development planning and management, 1991

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New Arrivals and Hot Topics! Focus - Migration
E-Journals & Magazines

(Click on the title or picture to access the latest issues)

**African Affairs** July 2018, Vol. 117 Iss. 468
**African Studies** 2018, Vol. 77 Iss. 3
**American Economic Journal of Macroeconomics** July 2018, Vol. 10 No. 3
**American Economic Review** August 2018, Vol. 108 No. 8
**Cambridge journal of economics** 2018, Vol. 42 Iss. 4
**Canadian Journal of Economics / Revue Canadienne d’Economique** August/Aout 2018, Vol 51 Iss. 3
**Conflict, Security & Development** 2018, Vol. 18 Iss. 4
**The Economic Journal** July 2018, Vol. 128 Iss. 612
**Globalization** 2018, Vol. 15 Iss. 5
**Journal of Economic Literature** June 2018, Vol. 56 No. 2
**Journal of Economic Perspective** Summer 2018, Vol. 32 Iss. 3
**Journal of International Migration** Spring 2018, Vol. 52 Iss. 1
**Journal of Southern African Studies** 2018, Vol. 44 Iss. 3
**World development** August 2018, Vol. 108

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**Going Back in History: Migration**

1965: *Structural changes and the role of women, with Special regard to effects of urbanization and migration*, 1969


1990: *An evaluation of urban migration policies in selected African countries*, 1991

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New Arrivals and Hot Topics! Focus: Industrial Development, IDDA !!!
E-Journals & Magazines
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African development Review/Revue Africaine de développement
September 2018, Vol. 30 Iss. 3


Cambridge Journal of Economics September 2018, Vol. 42 Iss. 5

The Economic Journal September 2018, Vol.128 Iss. 614

Natural Resources Forum August 2018, Vol.42 Iss. 3

Public Administration and development August 2018, Vol. 38, Iss. 3

Review of Development Economics August 2018, Vol. 22 Iss. 3

Social Research: An International Quarterly Summer 2018, Vol.85, Iss. 2

Journal of the Royal Statistical Society: Statistical Methodology Series B September 2018, Vol.80, Iss. 4

Upcoming Booktalk!

Mr. Kasirim Nwuke,
Chief, NTIS
Presents ECA STI Report entitled:
“Framework for Assessing Country STI Readiness for African countries”

Date & Venue details
Wednesday Oct. 3, 2018
11:00AM - 12:30PM
LBR, UNCC

Going Back in History: Industrial Development in Africa


1970: Declaration industrialization in Africa : principles and guidelines for co-operation and development, 1974


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New Arrivals and Hot Topics! Focus - Statistics, STATCOM-Africa VI

E-books!
Demography  October 2018, Vol. 55 Iss. 5
Journal of American Statistical Association 2018, Vol. 113
Journal of the Royal Statistical Society: Statistical Methodology, Series B, September 2018, Vol. 80, Iss. 4
Journal of Climate  November 2018, Vol. 31 Iss. 21
The Journal of Economic Perspectives  Summer 2018, Vol. 32 Iss. 3
Le Monde Diplomatique  October 2018
Newsweek  October 2018, Vol. 171 Iss. 11
Oxford Development Studies 2018, Vol. 46
Sélection: Reader’s Digest  October 2018, Vol. 145 Iss. 852
New Arrivals and Hot Topics! E-books!

Focus - Strategic Planning & Management: Land policy and governance in Africa
American Journal of Agricultural Economics October 2018, Vol. 100 Iss. 5
The Christian Science Monitor Weekly November 12, 2018
Cambridge Journal of Economics September 2018, Vol. 42 Iss. 5
The Economist November 3, 2018
Environment and Urbanization October 2018, Vol. 30 Iss. 2
Food Policy October 2018, Vol. 80
Jeune Afrique October 28, 2018
Journal of Management & Organization October 2018, Vol. 181 Iss. 4
The Journal of African History July 2018, Vol. 59 Iss. 2
Journal of International Development October 2018, Vol. 30 Iss. 7
World Development February 2019, Vol. 114