

PNG Update

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Venue: Surveyor's Room

Conrad Treasury Hotel

Friday 8 June 2007

9.30am–3.30pm

- 9.30–9.35 **Welcome by FDC and Crawford**
- Chair** **Craig Wilson**
The Foundation for Development Cooperation
- 9.35–10.00 **PNG Economic Survey**
Rod Duncan
Charles Sturt University
- 10.00–10.30 **Comment**
Paul Barker
Institute of National Affairs
Charles Yala (Land reform)
Crawford School, ANU, and National Research Institute
- 10.30–10.40 **Discussion**
- 10.40–11.00 *Morning tea*
- 11.00–11.30 **PNG Microfinance**
Marie-Sophie Blanchet, FDC
Leah Sharp
- 11.30–11.50
- 11.50–12.00 **Discussion**
- 12.00–12.20 **Foreign direct investment and economic growth in PNG**
John Asafu-Adjaye
University of Queensland
- 12.20–12.30 **Discussion**

12.30–1.30	<i>Lunch</i>
CHAIR	Rod Duncan Charles Sturt University
1.30–2.40	PNG Elections panel Bill Standish College of Arts and Social Sciences, ANU
	Michael Manning Chairman, Transparency International
2.40–3.00	Discussion
3.00–3.20	Success in the private sector - InterIsland Shipping in Papua New Guinea Leah Sharp
3.20–3.40	Discussion
3.30	Close

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