

'The Day After Tomorrow: a Handbook on the Future of Economic Policy in the Developing World'

With

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You are invited to join a presentation of a book written by World Bank economists, entitled *The Day After Tomorrow: A Handbook on the Future of Economic Policy in the Developing World.* At the event, Otaviano Canuto, Vice President and head of the World Bank's Poverty Reduction and Economic Management (PREM) network, and co-editor of the work, will present the main findings of the book.

In the aftermath of the recession, what is the role of developing countries in the global economy? *The Day After Tomorrow* looks at how developing countries are becoming the new locomotives of growth in the global economy, and foresees the major trends in economic policy for these countries in the next two-to-five years — that is, "after tomorrow".

Mr. Canuto's talk will focus on the global "switchover" in which developing countries not only decouple from developed economies, but become the engines of global growth. An electronic copy of the **book** is attached.

Otaviano Canuto is Vice President and Head of the Poverty Reduction and Economic Management (PREM) Network, a division of more than 700 economists and other professionals working on economic policy, poverty reduction, and analytic work for the World Bank's client countries. He took up his position on May 4, 2009, after serving as the Vice President for Countries at the Inter-American Development Bank since June 2007. In 2004-2007, Dr. Canuto was Executive Director at the Board of the World Bank. He also served in the Brazilian Ministry of Finance, where he was Secretary for International Affairs. He was Professor of Economics at the University of São Paulo and University of Campinas (UNICAMP) in Brazil. Dr. Canuto holds a Ph.D. in Economics from University of Campinas and a M.A. from Concordia University in Montreal.

Lunch will be served at 12.45 after which the event will begin at 13.00.

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