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University of Michigan

***“Africa and the Perversities
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Dr. Howard Stein is a professor in the University of Michigan’s Department of Afro-American and African Studies and he also teaches in the Department of Epidemiology in the School of Public Health.

A development economist educated in Canada, the United States and the United Kingdom, Dr. Stein has taught in both Asia and Africa. His research has focused on foreign aid, finance and development, structural adjustment, health and development and industrial policy.

In his most recent book, **“Beyond the World Bank Agenda: An Institutional Approach to Development”** (University of Chicago Press, 2008), Stein examines the evolution of the World Bank agenda aimed at explaining the failure of their policies in regions like sub-Saharan Africa. The volume also attempts to generate an alternative approach with applications to state formation, financial development and health care policy based on institutional economic theory. He has an impressive 44 page CV that includes numerous edited, co-edited, authored and co-authored books, 60 refereed articles, and several chapters contributed to books and proceedings.



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