

WIDER Project on Spatial Disparities in Human Development

**Conference on Spatial Inequality in Africa
Center for the Study of African Economies
University of Oxford
September 21-22, 2002**

Call For Papers

In response to the number and quality of papers submitted for the Cornell/LSE/WIDER Conference on Spatial Inequality and Development, a second conference has been scheduled, focusing specifically on Spatial Inequality in Africa. The conference will be organized by the Center for the Study of African Economies at the University of Oxford, on September 21-22, 2002.

The organizers invite submissions of **completed papers** that describe and analyze the evolution and state of spatial inequality in Africa. A broad view is taken of inequality, covering the distribution of such variables as economic activity, economic structure, population, income, social indicators, infrastructure and public expenditure.

Papers selected for the conference will in turn be considered for a special issue of the Journal of African Economies, to be edited by Ravi Kanbur (Cornell University) and Tony Venables (London School of Economics).

Completed papers should be submitted electronically to Ravi Kanbur, sk145@cornell.edu, by May 1, 2002. Decisions will be notified by June 1, 2002. The conference will meet the travel and accommodation costs of one presenter per paper.