Q-Squared in Policy:  
A Conference on the Use of Qualitative and Quantitative Methods of Poverty Analysis in Decision-Making

Centre for Analysis and Forecasting (CAF)  
Vietnamese Academy of Social Sciences (VASS)  
Hanoi, July 7-8, 2007

Program

July 7

9.15-9.45 Registration
9.45-10.00 Welcome and Opening Address (CAF/VASS)
10.00-10.15 Introduction to Q-Squared in Policy (Kanbur)
10.15-10.45 Break
10.45-12.30 Session I: Dynamic Analysis

Lawson, David  
Hulme, David  
Muwonge, James  
Krishna, Anirudh  
Baulch, Bob  
Davis, Peter

Genuine ‘Q2’ - Methodological Issues Associated with Combining Quantitative and Qualitative Approaches to Understanding Poverty Dynamics: Evidence from Uganda
Targeting Context-Specific Reasons for Reducing Poverty Faster: Utilizing the Stages-of-Progress Methodology
Poverty Dynamics and Life Trajectories in Rural Bangladesh

12.30-2.00 Lunch (Melia Dining Room)

2.00-3.15 Session II: Policy Formulation

Kozel, Valerie  
Parker, Barbara  
Levine, Sebastian  
Roberts, Benjamin

Poverty and Vulnerability in Zambia: The Policy Implications
Q-squared approaches to pro-poor policy formulation in Namibia

3.15-3.45 Break

3.45-5.00 Session III: Monitoring and Evaluation (1)

Adato, Michelle  
Holland, Jeremy  
et. al.

Integrating Anthropological and Survey methods to Evaluate Conditional Cash Transfer Programs: Methods and Findings from studies in Nicaragua and Turkey
Monitoring Empowerment in Policy and Programme Interventions: Combining Qualitative and Quantitative Approaches

6.30-8.30 Conference Dinner (Melia Dining Room)
July 8

9.30-10.45 Session IV: Monitoring and Evaluation (2)

de Sliva, Nilakshi Gunetilleke, Neranjana
On trying to be Q2: Merging methods for a technical minded client

Deneulin, Severine Hodgett, Susan
On the Use of Narratives for Assessing Development Policy

10.45-11.15 Break

11.15-1.00 Session V: Impact Assessment

Alzua, Maria Laura Nahirmak, Paula
Impact evaluation of Entra 21 using quantitative and qualitative data

Sulaiman, Munshi Matin, Imran
Using Change Rankings to Understand Poverty Dynamics: Examining the impact of CFPR/TUP from community perspective

Hang, Nguyen Thu Jones, Nicola
Trade Liberalization and intra-household poverty in Vietnam: a q2 social impact analysis

1.00-2.00 Lunch (Melia Dining Room)

2.00-3.45 Session VI: Politics and Policy

Bird, Kate
Identifying and communicating pro-poor policy messages to policy audiences

Mwisomba, Slaus
The Use of Quantitative and Qualitative Survey Results to Influence Policy: The Case of Participatory Service Delivery Assessment in Zanzibar

Herring, Ronald
Whose Numbers Count? Resolving Conflicting Evidence on Bt Cotton in India

3.45-4.15 Break

4.15-5.00 Closing Session