

6th DDRN General Assembly

June 15, 2011 – 13:45-16:00

Institute of Geography & Geology, University of Copenhagen
Øster Voldgade 10, 1350 Copenhagen. Room 6.1.611 (area 6, 1st floor)

Since the financial support to DDRN from Danida will end by June 30, 2011, this General Assembly will be the last one for DDRN as a Danida funded project. Fortunately, this does not mean that DDRN cannot continue in a different form. There are ongoing discussions about a possible continuation of selected DDRN activities on a voluntary basis. An update from the brainstorming meeting about this possibility that was held on May 12, 2011, and possible proposals for the General Assembly will be posted on the DDRN website no later than June 1, 2011.

DRAFT AGENDA	
13:45 – 14:00	Registration and tea/coffee
14:00 – 14:05	Election of chairperson and secretary for the general assembly and approval of the agenda
14:05 – 14:25	Report by the board by <i>John Christensen, chairperson of DDRN</i>
14:25 – 15:15	Status of current initiatives for the continuation of selected DDRN activities Discussion and possible decision on sustainability initiatives, including amendments of articles of association
15:15 – 15:25	Discussion of proposals from members
15:25 – 15:55	If applicable: Election of (interim) board members and substitutes
15:55 – 16:00	A.O.B.

DDRN SEMINAR

Please note that DDRN is organising a **seminar in the morning on June 15, 2011** (including lunch). The draft programme will be forwarded in the next DDRN newsletter and posted on the DDRN website next week. Items of the programme will be:

- Nordic perspectives on the support to development research
- Highlights from lessons learnt from four years of DDRN activities
- Other perspectives on North-South collaboration on development research
- Launching of new portal on Danish development research