

Nigel HARRIS

PERSONAL

Date of Birth	1935
Qualifications	1959 B.A. Philosophy, Politics and Economics, Magdalen College 1962 M.A. Philosophy, Politics and Economics, Magdalen College 1963 Ph.D. thesis: The economic and industrial policy of the British Conservative Party, 1945-1964, London School of Economics

Specialisations relevant

Urban and Economic Development/Economics of Migration

Urban economic analysis; urban metropolitan economic planning; managing the city economy; urban labour markets employment and poverty reduction

APPOINTMENTS

Oct. 2003	Senior Policy Consultant (international migration), European Policy Centre, Brussels.
Nov. 1998	Emeritus Professor of the Economics of the City.
Dec. 1987-	Professor of Development Planning, University of London Director : M.Phil/Ph.D. programme Director : MSc. in the Economics of Urbanisation and Managing the City Economy.
Sept. 1982-Oct. 1989	Director, Development Planning Unit, University College London responsible for the overall academic, financial and administrative work of the Unit in London and abroad, with special responsibility for: (a) Ph.D. students; (b) short courses on industrial policy and on economic planning for metropolitan areas in developing countries; (c) economic inputs into all other courses.
1973-1982	Senior Lecturer, and subsequently, University of London Reader in Development Planning, at the Development Planning Unit.
1971-1973	Research Fellow (Ministry of Overseas Development), Queen Elizabeth House (University of Oxford); topic: Planning the economy of Bombay.
1967-1971	Deputy Director, Centre for Urban Studies, University College London, and Director of Postgraduate Studies (including a course for aid-supported graduates from developing countries on urbanization in developing countries).
1965-1967	Lecturer, University of York.
1964-1965	Lecturer in South-East Asian Studies, IC University, Mitaka, Tokyo.
1963-1964	(i) Research Fellow, Indian Statistical Institute, Calcutta (topic : Problems in the formation of an industrial labour force). (ii) International Editor, The Economic and Political Weekly , Bombay; and correspondent for The Economist , London, Far Eastern Economic Review , Hong Kong etc..
1954-1956	Second Lieutenant, Sherwood Foresters, and Queen's Own Nigeria Regiment

(Royal West African Frontier Force).

CONTRACTS, PROJECTS AND RESEARCH (1991-2002)

- 2003 Evaluation: Cities Programme, Economic and Social Research Council (UK), May-Nov. Economic Profile, Province of Jogjakarta (Indonesia), Provincial Government, Aug.
- 2002** Invited attendance, World Bank Urban Research Symposium, Washington, Dec. 2002.
(with Patrick Wakely) Evaluation of the World Bank/UN Habitat Cities Alliance, May-Aug. 2002.
Lecture, World Bank Institute (i) Jaipur, India Jan.2002; (ii) Brasilia, Nov.2002.
- 2000** World Bank mission to cities in eastern Europe – Prague, Budapest, Sofia, June 2000, and chair, World Bank-IMF, Cities Panel, Prague, Sept. 2000. World Bank - Bahia State (Brazil) mission to prepare economic development strategy, Jan.-Feb. 2000. World Bank - New Towns in the Arab region, presentation for the Bank, Agadhir, Morocco, Jan.2000.
- 1999** two-year appointment, World Bank, part-time consultant, April 1999- missions to Washington DC, May-Aug.1999, March and April 2,000. World Bank - City Development Strategy Mission to Cali, Colombia, Sept. 1999 and Nov. 1999. World Bank - EDI Training Program for Mayors etc: lecture and teaching inputs, Toronto, May 1999.
- 1998** Consultant, World Bank Urban Division (TWURD), April-August. World Bank Urban Sector Mission, Vietnam, March, June 1998; Jan.1999; Ha Long Bay Workshop, March 1999.
- 1997** Consultant, World Bank Global Urban Unit (Urban Partnership), in the preparation of workshops and general advice, preparatory to the formulation of a new Bank urban strategy, Dec. 1997. Invited address, World Bank Urban Forum (Infrastructure Sector Board/Learning and Leadership Center, Economic Development Institute), Maryland, May 1997. Keelung Port, Taiwan : formulation of an economic concept plan for the city, April 1997 (RSP Singapore and Keelung City)
- 1996** UNCHS-UNDP, mission to Myanmar to identify an economic perspective on the development of settlements, a preparatory document for the second United Nations conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II), Istanbul, June 1996; January 1996.
- 1995** Evaluation of the Structure Plan for Dhaka, Bangladesh, Urban Management Program, Dhaka, Dec. 1995
Government of Egypt : design of the terms of reference and act as judge for an international competition for a regional development plan for the region of southern Sinai, Dec.-Jan. 1995-96.
ODA: Appraisal of the potential for development planning. KwaZulu Natal,

Republic of South Africa, Nov. 1995

- 1994** OECD - commissioned to prepare two papers for Cities and the New Global Economy, OECD/Government of Australia conference, Melbourne, Nov. 1994. Araujo Ibarra Asociados, Bogotá : Export-oriented services for the Bogotá Free Trade Zone, Oct. 1994. The Urban Foundation, South Africa : preparation of **Urbanisation in Developing Countries : A World Overview**, 30 June 1994
- 1993** UNCHS-UNDP-World Bank, keynote address : Urban Management Programme, Workshop for the Arab Region, June 1993. USAID/Urban Land Institute (Washington) : paper on urban economic development in Europe : five case studies, for seminar for the Mayor and staff of the city of Warsaw, Dec. 1993. Ilan County, Taiwan : formulation of an economic concept plan for the county, April 1993, April 1994 (RSP Singapore and Ilan County authorities). Team leader, British Overseas Development Administration study of the Labour Market of Cuttack (Orissa, India), 1993. adviser on the development of urban economic research, Bombay, 1993; on the setting up of Bombay First, 1994-95.
- 1992** World Bank Urban Sector Policy Review for Egypt, Cairo, 1992. Research Workshop for officials of the State of Mexico on the urban and regional implications of the North American Free Trade Agreement, Toluca.
- 1991** World Bank-UNDP mission, Nepal : the Economic Contribution of the Nepalese urban sector, Kathmandu, 1990-91.
- 1992** Mission to the Mexico-US border - the economy of the Mexican border cities, Cd. Juarez/Washington 1991. UNDP, New York and Nairobi, 1991, consultant, to draft the UNDP position paper on the urban environment for the UN Conference on Environment and Development, Rio de Janeiro, 1992.
- Earlier** other missions for the Government of India, Government of Mexico, UNCHR, UNICEF, UN, to Indonesia, Brazil, South Africa, China, South Korea etc.

VISITING PROFESSORSHIPS

University of California at Los Angeles, 1989.
University of Hong Kong, 1990.
El Colegio de México, January 1994
American University in Cairo, academic year 1998-99
Keio University, Tokyo, June/July, 2000.

REPORTS, PAPERS, CONTRIBUTIONS TO BOOKS (1990-2003)

Cities and Globalisation, paper prepared for World Bank Urban Research Symposium, Washington, Dec. 2002.
(with Patrick Wakely), **Cities Alliance: An Assessment of the First Three Years**, final report, Cities Alliance, Washington DC, Nov. 2002.

- Preparing an economic and strategic vision for a city, in Mila Freire and Richard Stren, **The challenges of urban government: readings on policy and practice**, World Bank Institute and the Center for Urban and Community Studies, University of Toronto, Sept. 2000.
- **Globalisation and the Management of Cities**,

invited paper, Key territorial issues in an era of globalisation and localisation (Spatial development policies and territorial governance). OECD seminar, 10-11 April 2,000, Paris. Published in **Towards a New Role for Spatial Planning**, OECD, 2001.

- **Garment making and urbanisation: an introductory study of four cases** (Shubra el-Kheima, Egypt; Tirupur, India; Dhaka, Bangladesh; Shenzhen, China), Urban Partnership, Working Paper series No. 6, World Bank, Washington DC, 1999.

Overview: the future of urbanisation Asia(1999), in Graham P.Chapman, Ashok K.Dutt and Robert W. Brodnock (Eds):**Urban Growth and Development in Asia**, Vol.1: Making the Cities Work, Ashgate, Basingstoke:6-18.),

Las ciudades y el cambio structural, in Javier Delgado y Blanca R.Ramirez (Eds.), **Territorio y Cultura en la Ciudad de Mexico**, Tomo 1: Transiciones; Universidad Autonoma Metropolitana y Plaza y Valdes, Mexico:25-36.

- Should Europe end immigration controls? Paper invited for the 9th General Conference, European Association of Development Research and Training Institutes, Paris, Sept. 1999. Published **European Journal of Development Research** (June 2000).
- The freedom to move, pp.265-280, in Gareth Dale and Mike Cole, **The European Union and Migrant Labour**, Berg, 1999.
- Cities in a global economy: structural change and policy reactions, **Urban Studies**, Vol. 34, No.10, 1997.
- **The economic future of Ji-Long City (Taiwan)**, RSP-DPU, Singapore, April 1997.
- **Myanmar: Poverty, Human Settlements and Economic Development**, UNCHS/UNDP, Jan. 1996; published as DPU Working Paper No. 78, July 1996; version forthcoming UNDP, New York.

The Warmaking State and privatisation, (with David Lockwood), paper for ESE/EMOT Workshop, Processes of Industrial Transformation: East-Central Europe and East Asian Comparisons, Budapest, May 1995; revised version published **The Journal of Development Studies**, Vol. 33, No.5, June 1997, pp.597-634 (awarded the Dudley Seers Memorial Prize, 1998).

Bombay and Structural Adjustment, in Sujata Patel and Alice Thorner (Eds.), **Bombay : Metaphor for Modern India**, Oxford University Press, Bombay, 1995.

Cultural diversity and economic development: migration, paper for OECD-Government of Australia Conference, Melbourne, Nov. 1994, published in OECD, **Cities and the new Global Economy: Conference Proceedings**, Commonwealth of Australia, Canberra, 1995, Vol. 1, pp. 294-305.

Cities in the new global economy, paper, as above.

Structural adjustment and cities: three papers, DPU Working Paper No.63, London, Sept. 1994.

Urbanisation and developing countries: a world view, The Urban Foundation, Johannesburg, 1994.

The economic future of I-Lan County(Taiwan) DPU-RSP, Singapore, May 1994.

Nationalism and Development, in Renee Prendergast and Frances Stewart (Eds.), **Market forces and world development**, Development Studies Association/Macmillan, London, 1994.

Urban economic development in Europe: five case studies, USAID, City of Warsaw seminar on Economic Development Issues and Options, Warsaw, 10 Dec. 1993.

Slum dwellers and the Cuttack labour market, Report for the Overseas Development Administration, London, 1993.

Mexican trade and Mexico-US economic relations, in Neil Harvey (Ed.), **Mexico: dilemmas of transition**, Institute of Latin American Studies(University of London) and British Academic Press, London and New York, 1993, pp.151-172.

The urban environment in developing countries, (main author), UNDP, New York,1992.

Juarez: urban issues survey(contributor), Urban Development Division, Discussion Paper, World Bank,1992.

States, economic development and the Asian Pacific Rim,in Richard P. Appelbaum and Jeffrey Henderson (Eds.), **States and economic development in the Asian Pacific Rim**, Sage, Newbury Park, 1992, pp.71-84.

The urban contribution to national economic growth in Nepal, Royal Government of Nepal(mimeo), UNDP/World Bank, 1991/DPU Working Paper 60, DPU, London, 1992.

The Greater London Council, paper for an international seminar, held by Emplasa, Sao Paulo State, Brazil, on the Planning and Management of Sao Paulo, May 1990, published in SEP et al., **Sao Paulo Metropole: Planejamento e Gestao**, Nova Stella, Sao Paulo, 1991

The economic of the urban environment in developing countriesq, DPU Working Paper 1990.

The Pacific Rim and Mexico's external economic relationships, DPU Working Paper 19, 1990, published in my City, class and trade: social and economic change in the third world, IB Tauris, London, 1991.

Mexico-US economic relationships in a world context published in Spanish in Arturo Anguiano(Coord.), La Modernizacion de Mexico, UAM-Xochimilco, 1990.

Urbanisation and economic development, ODA-commissioned paper for French Government conference of international aid donors, Lille, Nov. 1989, published in **Les Villes: Moteurs du développement économique des pays du Tiers Monde**, , Ville de Lille, 1990, Vo.2.

The key to Korean development: economic nationalism or world economy? paper, Colloquium on Economic Development in East Asia,

EXTERNAL EXAMINING

M.A. (Development Studies), University of East Anglia, 1985-1990.

M.Sc., University of Hong Kong, 1988-91.

Ph.D.(occasional) Universities of Birmingham, Stirling, Calcutta, East Anglia, Cambridge.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

International Consultant Economists' Association (Executive Committee, 1988-, Vice Chairman, 1990-97, Chairman, 1997-98)

Institute of Latin American Studies (Management Board, 1989-95)

Association of South Asian Studies.

BOOK PUBLICATIONS

The Return of Cosmopolitan Capital: Market, State and War, IB Tauris (2003)

Thinking the Unthinkable: the immigration myth exposed, IB Tauris, 2002.

Cities and Structural Adjustment (with Ida Fabricius, Editors), ODA-DPU, UCL Press, June 1996.

The New Untouchables: immigration and the new world worker, IB Tauris/Penguin (1995).

Jobs for the Poor: A Case Study in Cuttack (with Sunil Kumar and Colin Rosser), Research Press, 1996.

(Editor) **Cities in the 1990: the challenge for developing countries**, ODA-DPU, UCL Press, 1992.

National Liberation, IB Tauris, 1991, Penguin 1992, University of Nevada, 1993.

Cities, Class and Trade: social and economic change in the third world, IB Tauris, 1991.

The end of the Third World: the Newly Industrialising Countries and the decline of an ideology, IB Tauris, Penguin, Viking, London and New York, 1986, 1987.

Of Bread and Guns: the world economy in crisis, Penguin, London, 1983.

Economic Development, Cities and Planning: the case of Bombay, Oxford University Press, Bombay and London, 1978.

The Mandate of Heaven: Marx and Mao in Modern China, Quartet, London, 1978.

India-China : Underdevelopment and Revolution, Vikas and Carolina Academic Press, New Delhi and Durham, North Carolina, 1974.

Competition and the Corporate Society: British Conservatives, the State and Industry, 1945-1964, Methuen, London, 1971 and 1973.

Beliefs in Society: the problem of ideology, Watts and Penguin, London, 1967 and 1971.