PEGNet Best Practice Award: Call for Submissions

About the PEGNet Best Practice Award

To date, the policy impact of research is often weak and development research may not always ask the right questions. Modern research tools seldomly make their way into policy design and there is a lack of shared knowledge between development research and practice. This implies that more interaction between researchers and practitioners is needed. The Poverty Reduction, Equity and Growth Network (PEGNet) aims to strengthen such interactions by awarding the Best Practice Award to projects that have a profound impact on development.

The Best Practice Award is an award worth **3000 EUR** that is granted to projects that have achieved successful **collaboration between development research and practice**.

At the **PEGNet Conference 2022**, that will take place on **September 1 and 2 in Kampala**, PEGNet will award the Best Practice Award for the twelfth time to a project that exemplifies cooperation between development researchers and practitioners. At the conference, the winner of the Best Practice Award, will get the opportunity to present the project to an international audience of researchers, practitioners and policy makers.

All projects that fall within the **nexus of poverty reduction, equity and growth** are invited to apply.

Deadline for Applications and Guidelines

The call for submissions will be open until June 30th, 2022. Please send three page project summaries to pegnet@ifw-kiel.de. The email should indicate **"PEGNet BPA 2022"** in the subject heading.

Projects will be evaluated based on their:

1. Relevance of research and policy questions
2. Quality of research
3. Design of the link between research and practice
4. Sustainability of partnership
5. Origninality of the communication strategy.

Notifications on the success of your project application will be sent out **in July**. The best three projects will be presented at the PEGNet Conference 2022.