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CONFERENCE VENUE:
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54 RUE DE VARENNE, 75007 PARIS

DAY 1
Makhtar Diop, Vice President for the Africa Region, World Bank.
Keynote Speaker:
Stefan Dercon, Chief Economist, Department for International Development, UK

Invited Speakers:
Stephan Klasen, Chair in Development Economics, Göttingen University
Gareth Austin, International History Department, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies
Leonard Wantchekon, Professor of Politics, Princeton University

DAY 2
Discussants
Bekele Shiferaw, Executive Director, Partnership for Economic Policy
Jan Willem Gunning, Professor of Development Economics, VU University Amsterdam