

# Global Economic Forum

Monday, August 6

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- 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast**
- 8:50 a.m. Welcome**  
**Sherry Kiser**  
*Director, Economic Education*
- 9 a.m. Poor, Poorer, Poorest**  
**Stephen Clayton**  
*Economic Education Specialist*
- 10 a.m. Alleviating Poverty: The Role of Free Trade Agreements**  
**Alejandro Velez**  
*Professor of Economics*  
*Director of Latin American Studies Program*  
St. Mary's University
- 11 a.m. Break**
- 11:15 a.m. What's Behind High Hispanic Poverty Rates?**  
**Pia Orrenius**  
*Assistant Vice President and Senior Economist*
- 12:15 p.m. Lunch**
- 1:15 p.m. Hyperinflation in Zimbabwe**  
**Janet Koech**  
*Assistant Economist*
- 2:00 p.m. Break**
- 2:15 p.m. Mexico Conquers Inflation**  
**Ed Skelton**  
*Business Economist*  
*Financial Industry Studies*
- 3:00 p.m. Bringing Global Issues to the Classroom**  
**Princeton Williams**  
*Senior Economic Education Specialist*
- 4:00 p.m. Adjourn (Reception to follow)**



*All speakers are from the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas unless otherwise noted.*

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Tuesday, August 7

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**8:15 a.m. Continental Breakfast**

**8:45 a.m. Introduction to Videoconference Segment**

**9 a.m. Developmental Economics: Can We Learn from Uganda?**

**Julian Jamison**

*Senior Economist*

*Federal Reserve Bank of Boston*

**10 a.m. The Difference Between Relief and Development Efforts: A Look at Haiti**

**Dionissi Aliprantis**

*Research Economist*

*Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland*

**11 a.m. Lunch**

**11:45 a.m. What Can We Learn from Fighting Poverty in Developing and Developed Countries?**

**Anne Macy**

*Gene Edwards Professor of Finance*

*West Texas A&M University*

**1 p.m. Introduction to Town Hall Video Conference**

**1:30 p.m. Ben Bernanke Would Like to Have a Word with You—Conversation with the Chairman: Teacher Town Hall**

**Ben S. Bernanke**

*Chairman, Board of Governors*

*Federal Reserve System*

**3 p.m. Town Hall Wrap-Up**

**3:30 p.m. Adjourn**

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