Industrial Policy in the 21st Century: The Challenge for Africa Course Syllabus

Module 1: Industry as a driver of structural change

- 1.1: Is industry special?
- 1.2: Can we broaden the options?
- 1.3: Introducing "industries without smokestacks"
- 1.4: Win-win policies
- 1.5: An agenda for aid

Mini-documentary: How to provide jobs and transform livelihoods

Module 2: The recipe for industrial growth

- 2.1: Drivers of industry: exports and the basics
- 2.2: Drivers of industry: firm capabilities
- 2.3: Drivers of industry: agglomerations
- 2.4: Lessons from East Africa
- 2.5: Is manufacturing the answer? Expert views
- 2.6: Industry case studies

Module 3: Avoiding the resource curse

- 3.1: Natural resources: opportunities and risks
- 3.2: Natural resources: investing to invest
- 3.3: Lessons from Vietnam, Tanzania, and Senegal

Activity: What the data shows

Module 4: Industrial policies for Africa

- 4.1: Industrial policy: what, why, how?
- 4.2: Industrial policy in Africa
- 4.3: The challenge for Africa
- 4.4: How to avoid capture of politicians?
- 4.5: Lessons from Ethiopia