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Dear Laura Gottschalk,

Please find the final report for the ISA Catalytic Workshop “Global Economic Governance and the Development Practices of the ‘Other’ Multilateral Development Banks” below. In addition, we have the hotel receipts for all of our contributors and their participation attached. Do let me know if you require anything further.

Best,

Susan Park (of behalf of Jonathan Strand also)

Final Report “Global Economic Governance and the Development Practices of the ‘Other’ Multilateral Development Banks”

Convenors: Dr Susan Park, University of Sydney, Australia and Dr Jonathan Strand, University of Las Vegas, United States

Time: Tuesday, March 25, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Location: Simcoe, Sheraton Centre Toronto

Workshop Final Analysis:

The ISA Catalytic Workshop on the other MDBs brought together for the first time a range of scholars from all over the world, both senior and junior, who are working on the Multilateral Development Banks. This workshop sought to assess the current state of scholarship on the MDBs and to chart the direction for an edited volume that captures the essential issues facing these understudied international institutions.

The workshop was a great success. We had presentations from all of our participants and a lively discussion of each. We were able to probe the extent to which the presenters were familiar with different approaches to analysing the MDBs and we were able to engage in a free flow of ideas. One of the most important outcomes of the workshop was the learning of each of the participants of the similarities and differences of each of the Banks. The convenors, Jonathan Strand and myself examine all of the Banks but many of our contributors are specialists of one of regional banks (African, Latin American and European Banks). Each of the contributors was given feedback on their written papers as well as their presentations.

Publication Plans: Prior to the workshop in January 2014 the convenors of the workshop submitted an edited book proposal on the Other MDBs to the Review of International Political Economy series for Routledge. Days before the workshop we were given positive feedback and directions from Routledge over a possible edited volume contract. Based on that feedback, we conveyed possible directions to our contributors at the workshop. After the workshop we submitted a rejoinder to Routledge about how we could improve the manuscript. We have just received notice that Routledge is satisfied with this direction and intend to offer us a book contract based on the papers discussed at the ISA Catalytic Workshop. We hope

to have an edited volume published in 2015 as a direct result. This will be the first collection on the Multilateral Development Banks since the 1990s and will be a valuable tool for scholars and students of global governance and international political economy.

Budgeting Expenses: We were approved a budget of \$5075 to cover the costs of the workshop for 11 participants, two were unable to make the conference workshop and withdrew prior to the event.

The final budget included the following:

Meeting Room Rental:	\$200.00
Projector Setup:	\$350.00
Coffee Break: 9X\$8.50=	\$76.50
Nine participants Hotel: 9X\$187.00=	\$1683.00
Wireless internet first device:	\$200.00
Eight participants Laptop/Wifi access: 8X\$75	\$600.00
Four Non-North American scholars Per diem: 4X\$150.00	\$600.00
Five North American Scholars Per diem: 5X\$75.00	\$375.00
Total Workshop Costs:	\$4084.50