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MICROFINANCE

THE ILLUSION OF DEVELOPMENT

a public presentation by Dr. Milford Bateman

January 24, 2012 - 5:30 PM

Convocation Hall, University of Winnipeg

5:00 PM - Doors open, Refreshments served ■ 5:30 PM - Program Begins

Dr. Bateman is a British economist based in Croatia with expertise in microfinance programs of large organizations. He has published several articles and books that critique excessive reliance on micro-credit as an economic development strategy (e.g., *Why Doesn't Microfinance Work?*, *Confronting Microfinance*).



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