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Globalization and Development

Objectives:

The increasing level and speed of globalization is profoundly changing the way our societies and states are structured and governed. In this lecture we will examine how globalization intersects with development, changing the relationship between developed and developing countries. By the end of this lecture students will understand what the world is debating concerning globalization's impact on development.

Questions:

- 1) How is globalization changing the meaning of 'development'?
- 2) Why might some countries be characterized as 'winning' in the globalization process? What explains that others appear to be losing?
- 3) Why are the BRICS countries becoming more powerful in the world's economy?

Required reading:

Beudet, P. 2012. Globalization and Development. In *International Development*. P. A. Haslam, J. Schafer, P. Beudet, eds. Chapter 6. Ontario: Oxford Univ. Press.