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Inequality Research Project

An audit of the research
community working on
inequality in South Africa

*Literature summary:
South Africa Inequality and
Inequities Audit*



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Preface

The National Development Plan states that "Eighteen years into democracy, South Africa remains a highly unequal society where too many people live in poverty and too few work." While there is a large body of South African literature on inequality, the Inequality Research Project contributes to deepening our understanding of the factors that lead to the high levels of inequality. Furthermore, it draws out the implications for policy. The aim of the project was to first take stock of the existing research on inequality in South Africa, and then produce a series of papers that would fill in the key gaps in the knowledge base; namely interrogating the drivers of inequality, mobility and the middle class, social cohesion and inequality, vulnerability in the labour market, and possible policy interventions to deal with structural inequality. In addition, policy briefs were produced to reach a wide audience.

The Programme to Support Pro-Poor Policy Development (PSPPD)

The Programme to Support Pro-poor Policy Development (PSPPD) is a research and capacity-building programme located within the Department of Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation (DPME). The PSPPD is part of the larger National Development Policy Support Programme (NDPSP), the overarching Programme between the South African government and the European Union.

The core purpose of the PSPPD is to improve evidence-based policy-making (EBPM) and implementation on poverty and inequality at national and provincial levels through a variety of learning and capacity development tools, such as research, capacity building, training events, conferences and workshops, and study tours.

The PSPPD aims to improve evidence-based policy initiatives which transform the conventional relationship between policy-making and the use of social science evidence – making evidence an integral part of the decision-making around policies in policy development and implementation. The PSPPD also contributes to the building of an evidence base and sharing of knowledge through its partnerships with a range of organisations, academia, think tanks and the public sector.

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