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## HIGHLIGHT OF THE MONTH

## QUICK LINKS



### Summary report of Impact Insurance Forum 2016 out now

The summary report of the Impact Insurance Forum 2016 is now available for download. This year's Forum focused on "Becoming a digital insurer" and was attended by more than 80 participants from insurance and reinsurance companies, donors, and government agencies.

### [FSD Africa](#)



## KNOWLEDGE UPDATE

### Emerging Insight: Index insurance education

Camyla Fonseca, the ILO's Impact Insurance Facility

Given the complexity of index insurance, educating clients has proved a challenge for many insurers. Our seven guidelines explain how to overcome these challenges. Click [here](#) to see the infographic.

### Health microinsurance – an inclusive approach

Women's World Banking

Have a look at Women's World Banking's latest report on inclusive health microinsurance, outlining their approach to developing inclusive health microinsurance products in varied markets.

### Effects of digitization on financial behaviors: Experimental evidence from the Philippines

Tomoko Harigaya, Harvard University

Mobile technology has the potential to increase the efficiency and the usage of financial services. This article examines to what extent the introduction of mobile banking in group microfinance affects savings behaviour.

### The growth of inclusive insurance in Zambia

*Climate risk insurance for the poor and vulnerable*



## NEWS FLASH

### Pre-registration for IAIS-A2ii-CIMA Mobile Insurance Conference

The Access to Insurance Initiative (A2ii), International Association of Insurance Supervisors (IAIS) and the Inter-African Conference on Insurance Markets (CIMA) have opened registrations for their Mobile Insurance Conference. The conference will be held in Douala, Cameroon on 23 and 24 February 2017.

### A2ii: Inclusive insurance training programme for supervisors in the Caribbean region

The A2ii is organizing an inclusive insurance training programme for supervisors in the Caribbean Region. The training will take place in Kingston, Jamaica from 30 January till 3 February 2017. Register [here](#).

### UNCDF releases its first digital services toolkit

The UNCDF's MicroLead program has launched its series of practical toolkits. The toolkits aim to help financial service providers planning to go digital.

### Vacancy consultancy with MiCRO (Spanish)

MiCRO is welcoming proposals for a short term consultancy on interim evaluation for one of their projects. More information can be found [here](#).

### How to effectively implement the pro-poor focus of insuresilience

[World Bank guest blog](#)



## Why networks don't prevent poverty traps

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