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## 8th AWG Seminar

*"But, There Was a Culture."*

**Guest Speaker:** Uche Nwankwo, PhD

**When:** Friday, October 23, 2015 @ 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM.

**Where:** St. Paul's College, Room # 249.

### **Uche Nwankwo's Bio**

Dr. Uche Nwankwo is a trained agricultural economist and lectures at the department of economics, University of Winnipeg. He obtained his doctoral degree from Humboldt University, Berlin, in 2010, graduating with Magna Cum Laude. He also holds a Post Graduate Diploma in Project Management from the Federal University of Technology Owerri, Nigeria, and a Diploma in Public Relations, Marketing, and Management, from the University of Winnipeg. Before joining the University of Winnipeg, he worked as a research affiliate at the Natural Resource Institute, University of Manitoba, focusing on food insecurity in First Nations communities. Since 2009, Dr. Nwankwo has been co-organizer/editor for the Africa Berlin International Conference. He also co-organizes a graduate summer program for the Masters in Development Practice, University of Winnipeg, titled 'Health, Disease and Sustainable Development'. Dr Nwankwo is a Fellow of the Carnegie African Diaspora Fellowship Program. Recently, he organized an academic delegation visit involving seven directors of the National Universities Commission in Nigeria to Manitoba, to discuss research collaboration and exchange programs. Dr. Nwankwo's research interests are multidisciplinary in nature. He has published several articles in international peer reviewed journals and book chapters.

Dr. Nwankwo will be speaking on the subject of "But, There Was a Culture."

### **About Africa Working Group**

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