

Parties, Democracy and Elections in Africa

INVITATION TO BOOK LAUNCH

The Nordic Africa Institute and The International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance (International IDEA) have the pleasure of inviting you to meet the authors of their recently published books, *Votes, Money and Violence* by Matthias Basedau, Gero Erdmann and Andreas Mehler and *Political Parties in Africa: Challenges for Sustained Multiparty Democracy* by Per Nordlund and Mohamed Salih.

PANELISTS

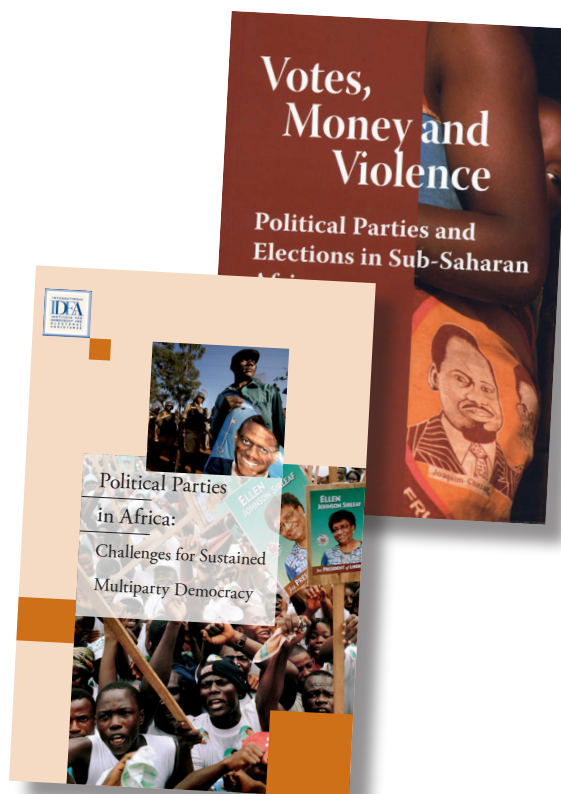
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Per Nordlund is Senior Programme Officer at International IDEA, Stockholm

Mohamed Salih is professor at the Institute of Social Studies, University of Leiden

TIME: Thursday 10 May 13.00–15.30

VENUE: International IDEA, Strömsborg, Stockholm



Please confirm your participation by Friday 4 May by sending an e-mail with the subject "Yes, Book Launch 10 May" to: helena.olsson@nai.uu.se

PROGRAMME

- 13.00 Registration and light lunch
- 13.40 Welcome by International IDEA and The Nordic Africa Institute
- 13.40–14.00 *Per Nordlund* explains the broader research on political parties worldwide, and particularly in Africa
- 14.00–14.30 *Mohamed Salih* presents "Political Parties in Africa: Challenges for Sustained Multiparty Democracy", published by International IDEA
- 14.30–15.00 *Gero Erdmann* presents "Votes, Money and Violence. Political Parties and Elections in Sub-Saharan Africa", published by The Nordic Africa Institute
- 15.00–15.30 Questions and answers