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Thursday, April 11, 2019 - J-PAL

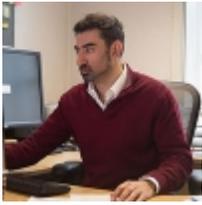
In our April 2019 newsletter, SFSD launches a new program in Egypt, J-PAL hosts a workshop for women's and girls' empowerment in Indonesia, and more.

Clinical Decision Support software may hold the key to guiding providers toward better healthcare, according to new research from MIT Sloan

Thursday, April 11, 2019 - PR News Wire

As concerns mount about the overuse of powerful and costly diagnostic imaging tests, such as CT scans and MRIs, a new study by J-PAL affiliates suggests that software designed to

help doctors make...



Pakistani economist Imran Rasul honoured with prestigious European award

Tuesday, April 9, 2019 - The News

J-PAL affiliate Imran Rasul has been honoured with the prestigious Yrjö Jahnsson Award in Economics 2019.



Public disclosures help hold politicians accountable

Sunday, April 7, 2019 - Qrius

Article featuring research by J-PAL affiliates, Abhijit Banerjee and Rohini Pande, which examined the effect that publicizing politicians' records had on electoral results in the 2012 municipal...



Bridging the gap: Study suggests huge gains from tech-aided learning

Thursday, April 4, 2019 - The Financial Express

A new study conducted by J-PAL affiliate Karthik Muralidharan shows that the greater use of technology in

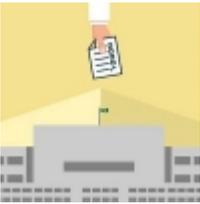
pedagogy could deliver substantial gains.



How social networks can stop TB from spreading

Monday, April 1, 2019 - Chicago Booth Review

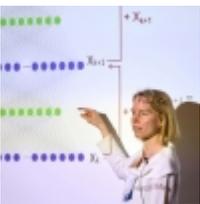
In a study conducted in India, researchers find that patients already in treatment are more effective than health workers at persuading potential TB sufferers to get screened.



The Analytical Angle: Taking an experimental approach on civil service reform

Thursday, March 28, 2019 - Dawn

J-PAL affiliates are working with the Excise and Taxation Department of Punjab on a series of studies which have yielded insights both on how to improve the civil service and how to approach reform...



Women in Data Science conference unites global community of researchers and practitioners

Wednesday, March 20, 2019 - MIT News

MIT Institute for Data, Systems, and Society co-hosted WiDS Cambridge, a daylong conference connecting female data

scientists, including J-PAL Director Esther Duflo, across academia and industry.

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