



## **Stuck in the Middle: Premature deindustrialisation and industrial policy? South Africa's challenges in an international context**

### **Public Lecture**

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