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150 PhD Graduates at ISS

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150 ISS PhD defences!

150 PhD defences at ISS. A milestone worth celebrating. Because, what would ISS be without our PhD researchers? They are the youngest generation of researchers at our institute, building their future career. Coming from different countries and backgrounds, they bring out – like our MA students do – the real flavour of our institute.

When I arrived at ISS last year, I was very impressed by our PhD procedure. I was impressed by all the different milestones that are included in the PhD process: seminars to discuss the research design and both before and after carrying out the fieldwork; presenting the final draft, and, finally, actually defending the thesis. I have never seen such a profound supervision system and quality check of PhD research before: and, of course, it shines through in the quality of the PhD theses defended at ISS.

On a more personal note, I still remember my own PhD research period very well. Nowadays, being older and more advanced in my career, I look back and wonder whether I realized at the time (in the early 1990s) what a wonderful period it was? Did I enjoy it enough? Did I make the most of the time I had to conduct research and have all the time in the world to do so, to conduct fieldwork for a long period in India, to write my thesis and in fact to already start building my professional career? Now, almost 30 years later, I do realize how my PhD thesis formed the basis of my academic career, and what a happy and wonderful time it was. I especially cherish the close contacts that I had with my fellow PhD colleagues who have remained friends for life.



So, what I actually want to say is: behind the *number* of 150 theses, as presented in this booklet, there are 150 interesting research projects and 150 personal stories and experiences. And that is something to celebrate!

Inge Hutter
Rector ISS



150 PhDs and more

The ISS PhD programme took much less time to deliver the last 50 PhDs than the first 100 PhDs. This is not because the first 100 were making particularly slow progress; no, we have had excellent PhD candidates throughout. Neither is it due to a steep learning curve for supervisors; no, right from the beginning our PhD programme has shown high quality. The reasons for delivering the third batch of 50 PhDs at ISS so fast are the following. First, PhD training has become more prominent at ISS next to MA teaching. It has gained significance in particular since the integration into Erasmus University Rotterdam that allowed the ISS to access the cost recovery mechanism that the Ministry of Education provides to all universities for their PhD programme. This provides important financial support for the programme. Second, our position as a truly global PhD programme focusing exclusively on development research, has gradually increased the number and quality of applications. This is also thanks to our PhD graduates who function as ambassadors for the PhD programme. The number of applications has risen over the years and a substantial number of the applicants choose ISS over other programmes despite the fact that ISS does not have fellowships available. Third, various developing countries have expanded their scholarship programmes from the MA level to the PhD level. This has enabled more PhD applicants to access funding in their own countries and therefore to register and start their PhD project at ISS. The Dutch government also has some fellowships for PhD candidates but less than for MA students. So, the increase in PhD funding from other sources than the NFP programme has been crucial to enabling those who have been admitted to the programme to actually register and start their PhD research. The fourth and final reason for the increased speed in delivering the last 50 ISS PhDs is a more recent development, which is an expansion from individual PhD projects to team-based PhD projects. This is enabled through project funding by various funders. These include the Dutch Scientific Research Organization (NWO), as well as several Memoranda of Understanding (MoUs) with universities in the global south to train their academic staff up to the PhD level. Such coordinated programmes help to get focus, external pressure on timelines, and beneficial cooperation between PhD researchers.

Delivering 150 PhDs is quite an achievement. And the numbers enrolled in the ISS PhD programme are steadily increasing. We have also become more flexible in the type of PhD trajectories PhD researchers are allowed to do nowadays. They can be full time resident PhD researchers, full time non-resident PhD researchers, and part time non-resident or non-resident PhD researchers who combine their PhD research with an income-earning job. They can be funded by the Dutch fellowship programme NFP, by an international fellowship or by their own governments, or by a funded programme such as those by NWO or through the MoUs with universities in the global south as mentioned above. Hence, the old binary categories of full time resident with fellowship and non-resident without fellowship have become blurred over time, and we see that as an enrichment, providing flexibility, rather than as a difficulty, even though it requires more complex management of all these different trajectories.

The content of the programme has not changed over time. Obviously there are trends in topics of research projects that shift with time, but they remain within the broad area of development studies. What also has not changed over time is the PhD programme's monitoring system. Every PhD researcher must achieve three milestones, preferably in a period of three and a half years. The first milestone is the Dissertation Design Seminar, held within a year after registration. For this seminar, a thesis outline and a sample chapter need to be presented in a public meeting. The seminar committee, consisting of an external senior discussant, an internal senior discussant and a peer discussant from the PhD community, provides feedback. Only when approved by the Research Degree Committee (RDC), is the candidate allowed to proceed to the next stage. This stage often involves the collection of data in the field. A few months after returning from the field, the second milestone comes in view: the Post Fieldwork Seminar. This involves the presentation of a preliminary analysis of the data in a brainstorm session with a senior internal discussant and a peer discussant. This seminar does not involve a go/no-go decision by RDC but is meant to check whether sufficient quantity and quality of data has been collected to answer the research question at hand. Sometimes, the seminar leads to the conclusion that an additional round of data collection is necessary. The third milestone is at the end of the PhD trajectory: the Full Draft Seminar. At this seminar, the researcher presents the full draft of the thesis again in a public seminar and with a committee consisting of a senior external member, a senior internal member and a peer discussant. This seminar generally results in a final

round of revisions. When these are approved by RDC, the candidate is ready to submit the final thesis for the Public Defence.

The Public Defence has undergone some minor changes since the integration of ISS into Erasmus University Rotterdam. But it remains a public event, held in the Aula of the ISS, where the candidate first presents the key findings of the thesis and then is questioned before a committee of 5-7 members, chaired by the Rector of the ISS. After the questioning, the committee retreats and discusses the quality of the defence by the candidate. The quality of the dissertation has already been assessed by the committee at an earlier stage. If there are no major issues, such as discovery of plagiarism for example, the PhD degree will be awarded and the promotor will give a *Laudatio* to praise the dissertation and the candidate's contribution to development studies.

Some things have changed, others have remained pretty much the same as they were for the first 100 PhDs that ISS delivered. Now, what is likely to change in the future? How will the programme and the context have changed for the 200th candidate? I will not engage in speculation but hope that we will retain a thriving PhD programme that will keep its more central place within the whole range of training at ISS. What will it look like in, say the year 2020? Well, in the booklet published on the occasion of the 100th PhD Defence at ISS in 2009, the Chair of the RDC at that time, Professor Ben White, imagined what the programme would look like in the year 2020. He first imagined a festive event in the presence of the Dutch King and Queen – well, we might have to start organizing for that now. Then he imagined that the number of PhD researchers would have increased so much that ISS would need to add the adjacent building to its premises to host all these PhD researchers. It looks like, with the current trend, this may indeed be necessary! We have now over 100 PhD researchers enrolled in the programme, compared to about 40 when number 100 graduated. The next feature that Professor White imagined was a research school in international social studies. Also here he has shown to be good forecaster. Since last year, ISS has become the most prominent member of a new research school uniting various departments of Erasmus University Rotterdam. Even the name is not far from the one imagined: Erasmus Graduate School in the Social Sciences and Humanities. Furthermore, Professor White mentioned a few other changes, which move in the direction of more flexibility in PhD trajectories. And this is precisely what has happened over the past few years, as I have explained above. But his final speculation did not come true:

he wished that the, in his view medieval, tradition of togas worn by professors at the Public Defence would have been abandoned. Well, it is not 2020 yet. But I fear that this tradition is so firmly established in the Netherlands that by that time and far beyond, academic togas will still be the norm at formal, academic events, such as PhD Defences.



Now that I did allow myself one speculation, let me end by expressing my confidence that the ISS PhD programme will remain strong, both in its training dimension as well as in contributing to scientific and societal relevance with a great variety of PhD theses and publications derived from these. On to the 200th PhD!

Professor Irene van Staveren

Chair of the Research Degree Committee

List of PhD Graduates

1. Mr Kappadath P. Kannan

Indian

Rural Proletarian Struggles: Mobilisation and Organization of Rural Workers in Kerala, India

Completion: 10 September 1986

Supervisors: Professor A. (Ashwani) Saith
Professor J.C. (Jan) Breman

2. Mr Jose A. Pereirinha

Portuguese

Inequalities, Household Income Distribution and Development in Portugal

Completion: 7 October 1988

Supervisors: Professor R. (Ruud) Teekens
Professor P. (Manuela) Silva

3. Mr Marito Garcia

Filipino

Resource Allocation and Household Welfare: A Study of the Impact of Personal Sources of Income on Food Consumption, Nutrition and Health in the Philippines

Completion: 23 March 1990

Supervisors: Professor B.N.F. (Ben) White
Professor R. (Ruud) Teekens

4. Mr Bill Paton

Canadian

Labor Export Policy in the Development of Southern Africa

Completion: 15 September 1990

Supervisors: Professor K. (Ken) Post
Professor G. (Geertje) Lycklama à Nijeholt

5. Mr Anjan Kumar Datta

Bangladeshi

Control, Conflict and Alliance. An Analysis of Land and Labour Relations in Two Bangladesh Villages

Completion: 18 October 1991

Supervisors: Professor B.N.F. (Ben) White
Professor H.P.A. (Henk) van Roosmalen

6. Mr Luis Carlos Jemio

Bolivian

Micro- and Macro-Economic Adjustment in Bolivia, 1970-89:
A Neoliberalist Analysis of External Shocks, Adjustment and
Stabilization Policies

Completion: 2 April 1993

Supervisors: Professor E.V.K. (Valpy) FitzGerald
Dr K. (Karel) Jansen

7. Ms Virginia O. Del Rosario

Filipina

Lifting the Smoke Screen: Dynamics of Mail-Order Bride Migration
from the Philippines

Completion: 7 March 1994

Supervisors: Professor G. (Geertje) Lycklama à Nijeholt
Dr R.I. (Renée) Pittin
Dr T. (Thanh-Dam) Truong

8. Ms Patricia Mohammed

Trinidadian

A Social History of Post-Migrant Indians in Trinidad from 1917 to 1949:
A Gender Perspective

Completion: 29 July 1994

Supervisors: Professor G. (Geertje) Lycklama à Nijeholt
Dr R.I. (Renée) Pittin

9. Mr Yahaya Hashim

Nigerian

The State and Trade Unions in Africa: A Study in Macro-Corporatism

Completion: 29 July 1994

Supervisors: Professor J.W.J. (Jeffrey) Harrod
Dr P.B. (Paschal) Mihyo

10. Mr Gebru Mersha

Ethiopian

State Farms in State-Centred Accumulation Strategies in Socialist Africa.
The Rationale and a Critique

Completion: 20 January 1995

Supervisors: Professor A. (Ashwani) Saith
Professor K. (Ken) Post

11. Ms Laurine Platzky

South African

The Development Impact of South Africa's Industrial Location Policies:
An Unforeseen Legacy

Completion: 30 May 1995

Supervisors: Professor J.G.M. (Jos) Hilhorst
Professor A.H.J. (Bert) Helmsing

12. Ms Judith-Ann Walker

Trinidadian

Development Administration in Jamaica and Trinidad & Tobago (1960-90)

Completion: 30 June 1995

Supervisors: Professor J.W. (Jim) Björkman
Dr V.V. (Vasant) Moharir

13. Mr Fernando Tenjo Galarza

Colombian

Corporate Finance under Adjustment. Firm Behaviour, Private Sector
and Economic Policy in Colombia 1970-90

Completion: 8 December 1995

Supervisors: Professor E.V.K. (Valpy) FitzGerald
Dr K. (Karel) Jansen

14. Ms Joan M. Rawlins

Jamaican

Women from Midlife: Coping in Jamaica: A Study of Power in the Lives
of Women Aged 50-74 in Jamaica

Completion: 23 February 1996

Supervisors: Professor G. (Geertje) Lycklama à Nijeholt
Dr R.I. (Renée) Pittin
Dr I. (Inez) Smith

15. Mr Purnendu S. Kavoori

Indian

Pastoralism in Expansion: The Transhuming Sheep Herders
of Western Rajasthan

Completion: 11 October 1996

Supervisors: Professor M.R. (Martin) Doornbos
Professor A.J. (Ton) Dietz, University of Amsterdam

16. Mr K.L. Chandratilleke

Sri Lankan

Managerial Value Orientations and Labour Management Relations:
A Study of Export Manufacturing Firms in Sri Lanka

Completion: 9 June 1997

Supervisors: Professor J.W.J. (Jeffrey) Harrod
Professor P. (Peter) Kloos, Free University of Amsterdam

17. Mr Laixiang Sun

Chinese

Aggregate Behaviour of Investment in China, 1953-1993.
Investment Hunger, Supply and Distributional Barriers and Growth Cycles

Completion: 21 November 1997

Supervisors: Professor A. (Ashwani) Saith
Professor M. (Marc) Wuyts
Dr K. (Karel) Jansen

18. Ms Magdalena Barros Nock

Mexican

Small Farmers in the Global Economy. The Case of the Fruit and
Vegetable Business in Mexico

Completion: 6 January 1998

Supervisors: Dr F.C.M. (Frits) Wils
Professor N. (Norman) Long, Wageningen Agricultural
University

19. Mr Alemayehu Geda

Ethiopian

Finance and Trade in Africa: Modelling Macroeconomic Response in a World Economy Context

Completion: 26 March 1998

Supervisors: Professor E.V.K. (Valpy) FitzGerald, University of Oxford
Professor R.P. (Rob) Vos

20. Mr Ashesh Ambasta

Indian

Capitalist Restructuring and Formation of Adivasi Proletarians: Agrarian Transition in Thane District (Western India) c. 1817-1990

Completion: 30 September 1998

Supervisors: Professor M.R. (Martin) Doornbos
Professor J.C. (Jan) Breman

21. Mr Roodal Moonilal

Trinidadian

Changing Labour Relations and the Future of Trade Unions: A Case-Study of Trinidad and Tobago

Completion: 25 November 1998 – *with distinction*

Supervisors: Professor H. (Henk) Thomas
Professor D. (Dirk) Kruijt, Utrecht University
Dr E.A. Ramaswamy

22. Mr Zhang Weiguo

Chinese

Economic Reforms and Fertility Behaviour: A Study of a Northern Chinese Village

Completion: 25 November 1998

Supervisors: Professor M. (Marc) Wuyts
Professor F.J. (Frans) Willekens, University of Groningen

23. Ms Bernadette P. Resurrección

Filipina

Transforming Nature, Redefining Selves. Gender and Ethnic Relations, Resource Use, and Environmental Change in the Philippine Uplands

Completion: 23 February 1999

Supervisors: Professor B.N.F. (Ben) White
Dr C. (Ineke) van Halsema

24. Ms Philomen Harrison

Trinidadian

The Firm Under Adjustment: A Micro-Level Interpretation of the Impact of Macroeconomic Policies in Trinidad and Tobago, 1983-94

Completion: 4 June 1999

Supervisors: Professor M. (Marc) Wuyts
Professor E.V.K. (Valpy) FitzGerald
Dr H. (Howard) White

25. Mr Gabriel H.R. Rugalema

Tanzanian

Adult Mortality as Entitlement Failure: Aids and the Crisis of Rural Livelihoods in a Tanzanian Village

Completion: 20 September 1999

Supervisors: Professor M. (Marc) Wuyts
Professor P. (Paul) Richards

26. Mr Caro Méndez Nelson

Guatemalan

Survival Strategies on a Coastal Frontier. Agrarian Expansion, Resource Scarcity and Social Change in Livingston, Guatemala

Completion: 23 November 1999

Supervisors: Professor B.N.F. (Ben) White
Dr E.B. (Eric) Ross

27. Mr Edsel E. Sajor

Filipino

Upland Livelihood Transformations. State and Market Processes and Social Autonomy in the Northern Philippines

Completion: 24 November 1999

Supervisors: Professor B.N.F. (Ben) White
Professor M.R. (Martin) Doornbos

28. Ms Mona Mehta

Indian

Suppressed Subjects? Gender Dynamics in the Context of Agrarian Change and Seasonal Labour Migration in Dahanu Taluka, Maharashtra

Completion: 2 December 1999

Supervisors: Professor J.C. (Jan) Breman
Professor B.N.F. (Ben) White
Dr R. (Rachel) Kurian

29. Mr Xiaoke Zhang

Chinese

Of Interests and Institutions: The Political Economy of Financial Liberalisation in Korea and Thailand, 1980-1996.

Completion: 20 January 2000

Supervisors: Professor J.W.J. (Jeffrey) Harrod
Professor S. (Sandro) Sideri

30. Mr Alejandro F. Izurieta C.

Ecuadorean

Crowding-out or Bailing-out? Fiscal Deficits and Private Wealth in Ecuador, 1971-99.

Completion: 30 June 2000

Supervisors: Professor E.V.K. (Valpy) FitzGerald
Professor R.P. (Rob) Vos
Dr G.W. (George) Irvin

31. Mr Abebe Haile Gabriel

Ethiopian

Development Strategies and The Ethiopian Peasantry:
Supply Response and Rural Differentiation

Completion: 14 September 2000

Supervisors: Professor A. (Ashwani) Saith
Professor M. (Marc) Wuyts

32. Ms Yusuke Kubo

Japanese

Between Livelihood Security and Capital Accumulation.
Economic Diversification in an Upland Philippine Village

Completion: 1 December 2000

Supervisors: Professor A. (Ashwani) Saith
Professor B.N.F. (Ben) White

33. Mr Takawira Mumvuma

Zimbabwean

Institutions, Contracting Behaviour and Small Firm Dynamics in Zimbabwe:
A Microeconomic Perspective

Completion: 19 January 2001

Supervisors: Professor H. (Henk) Thomas
Professor A.H.J. (Bert) Helmsing

34. Mr Ranjit Dwivedi

Indian

Resource Conflict and Collective Action. The Sardar Sarovar (Narmada)
Project in India

Completion: 29 January 2001 – **with distinction**

Supervisors: Professor M.R. (Martin) Doornbos
Professor A. (Ashwani) Saith

35. Ms Claudia Sanchez Bajo

Argentinian

The Political Economy of Regionalism. Business Actors in Mercosur
in the Petrochemical and Steel Sectors

Completion: 26 March 2001

Supervisors: Professor J.W.J. (Jeffrey) Harrod
Dr G.W. (George) Irvin

36. Mr Terefe Degefa

Ethiopian

Death of the Mother Tree. Land Tenure and Environmental Degradation
in the Oromian Highlands, Ethiopia, 1900-1997.

Completion: 25 April 2001

Supervisors: Professor M.R. (Martin) Doornbos
Professor M.A.R.M. (Mohamed) Salih

37. Ms Maha M. Abdelrahman

Egyptian

State Civil Society Relations: The Politics of Egyptian NGOs

Completion: 5 July 2001

Supervisors: Professor J.W.J. (Jeffrey) Harrod
Dr R.C. (Ray) Bush, University of Leeds

38. Mr Ayalew Gebre Cheru

Ethiopian

Pastoralism under Pressure: Land Alienation and Pastoral Transformations among the Karrayu of Eastern Ethiopia, 1941 to the present

Completion: 26 November 2001

Supervisors: Professor M.R. (Martin) Doornbos
Professor M.A.R.M. (Mohamed) Salih

39. Mr Asimwe B. Godfrey

Ugandan

The Impact of Post-Colonial Policy Shifts in Coffee Marketing at the Local Level in Uganda. A Case Study of Mukono District, 1962-1998

Completion: 8 July 2002

Supervisors: Professor M.R. (Martin) Doornbos
Dr B. (Bridget) O'Laughlin

40. Mr Merera Gudina

Ethiopian

Ethiopia: Competing Ethnic Nationalisms and the Quest for Democracy, 1960-2000

Completion: 17 July 2002

Supervisors: Professor M.R. (Martin) Doornbos
Professor M.A.R.M. (Mohamed) Salih

41. Mr Getnet Alemu Zewdu

Ethiopian

Aid-driven Import Substitution and the Agriculture-Industry Nexus. Conceptualising the Aid-Growth Relationship in Ethiopia.

Completion: 30 September 2002

Supervisors: Professor M. (Marc) Wuyts
Professor B.N.F. (Ben) White

42. Ms Imani M. Tafari-Ama

Jamaican

Blood, Bullets and Bodies: Sexual Politics below the Poverty Line:
The Political Economy of Violence, Power, Gender and Embodiment
in Jamaica's Inner-City

Completion: 1 November 2002

Supervisors: Professor G. (Geertje) Lycklama à Nijeholt
Professor K. (Ken) Post
Dr S. (Saskia) Wieringa

43. Mr Claudius Preville

St Lucian

Trade Liberalization under Imperfect Competition.
An Analysis of the European Union's Market for Banana Imports

Completion: 27 January 2003

Supervisors: Professor J.B. (Hans) Opschoor
Professor M.P. (Meine Pieter) van Dijk,
Erasmus University Rotterdam
Dr G.W. (George) Irvin

44. Mr N.C. Narayanan

Indian

Against the Grain. The political ecology of land use in a Kerala region, India

Completion: 24 February 2003

Supervisors: Professor J.B. (Hans) Opschoor
Professor A. (Ashwani) Saith
Dr D.R. (Des) Gasper

45. Ms Sarah Gammage

British

The Financial Cost of Being Green: Macroeconomic Policy, Investment and
Environmental Degradation in El Salvador

Completion: 27 February 2003

Supervisors: Professor J.B. (Hans) Opschoor
Professor R.P. (Rob) Vos
Dr G.W. (George) Irvin

46. Mr Mathew Kurian

Indian

From Project to Process. Participatory Watershed Management in the Himalayan Foothills

Completion: 4 March 2003

Supervisors: Professor A. (Ashwani) Saith
Professor A.J. (Ton) Dietz, University of Amsterdam

47. Mr Omu Kakujaha-Matundu

Namibian

Common Pool Resource Management. The Case of Eastern Communal Rangelands in Semi-Arid Namibia

Completion: 24 March 2003

Supervisors: Professor J.B. (Hans) Opschoor
Dr A.J.M. (Aart) van de Laar

48. Mr Richmond Tiemoko

Ivorian

Coffee, Children and Family Relations: Understanding Reproductive Change in the Western Côte d'Ivoire

Completion: 4 November 2003

Supervisors: Professor B.N.F. (Ben) White
Dr B. (Bridget) O'Laughlin

49. Mr Nicholas Awortwi

Ghanaian

Getting the Fundamentals Wrong. Governance of Multiple Modalities of Basic Services Delivery in Three Ghanaian Cities

Completion: 10 February 2004 – *with distinction*

Supervisors: Professor A.H.J. (Bert) Helmsing
Dr E. (Erhard) Berner

50. Mr Gudavarthy Vijay

Indian

The New Pattern of Industrial Relations in India: Restructuring and Social Insecurity: A Case-Study of Kothur, a New Township in Andhra Pradesh

Completion: 8 April 2004

Supervisors: Professor J.C. (Jan) Breman
Professor H. (Henk) Thomas

51. Mr Nguyen Manh Cuong

Vietnamese

Does Ownership Matter to Enterprise Performance? A Comparative Study of Private and State Enterprises in Vietnam's Textile-Garment Industry

Completion: 24 May 2004

Supervisors: Professor H. (Henk) Thomas
Dr K. (Karel) Jansen

52. Ms Le Thi Van Hue

Vietnamese

Coastal Resource Use and Management in a Village of Northern Vietnam

Completion: 5 July 2004

Supervisors: Professor B.N.F. (Ben) White
Dr N.N. (Nguyen) Luu
Dr J.G.G.M. (John) Kleinen, University of Amsterdam

53. Ms Grace Fisy Ketzy

Cameroonian

Have Men become Women? Gender and agrarian Change in Santa, North West Cameroon

Completion: 17 September 2004

Supervisors: Professor Dr B.N.F. White
Professor P. (Peter) Geschiere, University of Amsterdam
Ir. W. (Wicky) Meynen

54. Mr Saturnino M Borrás Jr

Filipino

Rethinking Redistributive Land Reform. Struggles for Land and Power in the Philippines

Completion: 27 September 2004

Supervisors: Professor B.N.F. (Ben) White
Dr C. (Cris) Kay

55. Ms Sunbo Odebode

Nigerian

Husbands are Crowns. Livelihood Pathways of Low-Income Yoruba Women in Ibadan, Nigeria

Completion: 11 October 2004

Supervisors: Professor A.H.J. (Bert) Helmsing
Dr I. (Irene) van Staveren

56. Mr Daniel Chavez

Urugayan

Polis & Demos. The Left in Municipal Governance in Montevideo and Porto Alegre

Completion: 9 December 2004

Supervisors: Professor A.H.J. (Bert) Helmsing
Professor M.R. (Martin) Doornbos

57. Mr Marco V Sanchez Cantillo

Costa Rican

Rising Inequality and Falling Poverty in Costa Rica's Agriculture during Trade Reform

Completion: 10 January 2005 – *with distinction*

Supervisors: Professor R.P. (Rob) Vos
Professor G. (Graham) Pyatt
Dr S. (Servaas) Storm, Erasmus University Rotterdam

58. Ms Panduleni S Hailonga

Namibian

Adolescent Sexuality and Reproductive Behaviour. A Socio Historical Analysis in Namibia

Completion: 3 June 2005

Supervisors: Professor B.N.F. (Ben) White
Dr S. (Saskia) Wieringa

59. Ms Karen Gabriel

Indian

Imagining a Nation: the Sexual Economies of the Comptemporary Mainstream Bombay Cinema (1970-2000)

Completion: 13 July 2005

Supervisors: Emeritus Professor G. (Geertje) Lycklama à Nijeholt
Dr S. (Saskia) Wieringa

60. Ms Nahda Shehada

Palestinian

Justice without Drama. Enacting Family Law in Gaza City Shari'a Court

Completion: 15 August 2005

Supervisors: Professor B. de Gaay Fortman
Professor A. (Annelies) Moors, University of Amsterdam

61. Ms Anne Mumbi Karanja

Kenyan

Solid Waste Management in Nairobi. Actors, Institutional Arrangements and Contributions to Sustainable Development

Completion: 26 September 2005

Supervisors: Professor A.H.J. (Bert) Helmsing
Professor I. (Isa) Baud, University of Amsterdam

62. Mr Chia Thye Poh

Singaporean

Transplanted or Endogenized? FDI and Industrial Upgrading in Developing Countries Case Study of Indonesia

Completion: 10 April 2006

Supervisors: Professor M.A.R.M. (Mohamed) Salih
Dr W. (Wil) Hout
Dr P. (Peter) Knorringa

63. Ms Shyami Fernando Puvimanasinghe

Sri Lankan

Foreign Investment, Human Rights and the Environment. A Perspective from South Asia on the Role of Public International Law for Development

Completion: 9 May 2006

Supervisors: Professor N. (Nico) Schrijver, Leiden University
Dr K. (Karin) Arts

64. Ms Sharada Srinivasan

Indian

Development, discrimination and survival. Daughter Elimination in Tamil Nadu, India

Completion: 22 May 2006

Supervisors: Professor B.N.F. (Ben) White
Professor B. (Bina) Agarwal, Institute of Economic Growth,
New Delhi, India

65. Mr Nguyen Van Phuc

Vietnamese

Entrepreneurship, Investment and Economic Growth. The Essential Role of the Entrepreneurial Environment

Completion: 26 October 2006

Supervisors: Emeritus Professor G. (Graham) Pyatt
Dr K. (Karel) Jansen

66. Mr Le Thai Thuong Quan

Vietnamese

The Impact of FDI on Income Distribution in Vietnam, 1990-2000

Completion: 26 October 2006

Supervisors: Professor E.V.K. (Valpy) FitzGerald, Queen Elizabeth House,
University of Oxford, UK
Dr K. (Karel) Jansen

67. Mr Mahmoud El Zain

Sudanese

Environmental Scarcity, Hydropolitics and the Nile

Completion: 19 February 2007

Supervisors: Emeritus Professor M.R. (Martin) Doornbos
Professor M.A.R.M. (Mohamed) Salih

68. Mr Ngyen Do An Tuan

Vietnamese

Agricultural Surplus and Industrialization in Vietnam since the Country's Reunification

Completion: 20 February 2007

Supervisors: Professor M. (Marc) Wuyts
Professor A. (Ashwani) Saith

69. Mr Admasu Shiferaw

Ethiopian

Industrial Competitiveness and Firm Dynamics in Sub-Saharan Africa

Completion: 5 March 2007

Supervisors: Professor R.P. (Rob) Vos
Dr P. (Peter) Knorringa

70. Mr Fenta Mandefro Abate

Ethiopian

Beyond the Public Realm. Local Governance Network and Service Development in the Amhara and Tigray regions, Ethiopia

Completion: 18 April 2007

Supervisors: Professor A.H.J. (Bert) Helmsing
Professor M.P. (Meine Pieter) van Dijk

71. Ms Nisrine El Ghaziri

Lebanese

Administrative Reform in Post-War Lebanon: Donor Prescriptions and Local Realities

Completion: 11 June 2007

Supervisors: Professor J.W. (Jim) Björkman
Dr D.R. (Des) Gasper

72. Mr Albert Musisi

Ugandan

Underinvestment in Public Infrastructure Capital and Private Sector Output and Productivity in Uganda. Implications for Economic Growth

Completion: 29 June 2007

Supervisors: Professor R.P. (Rob) Vos
Professor E.V.K. (Valpy) FitzGerald, Queen Elizabeth House,
University of Oxford, UK
Dr P. (Peter) de Valk

73. Ms Yu Kojima

Japanese

Women in the Trafficking-Migration Continuum; From the Perspective of Human Rights and Social Justice

Completion: 3 July 2007

Supervisors: Emeritus Professor B. de Gaay Fortman
Dr T. (Thanh-Dam) Truong

74. Mr Shi Xiaoping

Chinese

Away from the Farm? The Impact of Off-Farm Employment on Farm Production, Factor Market Development and Sustainable Land Use in Jiangxi Province, P.R. China

Completion: 11 July 2007

Supervisors: Professor J.B. (Hans) Opschoor
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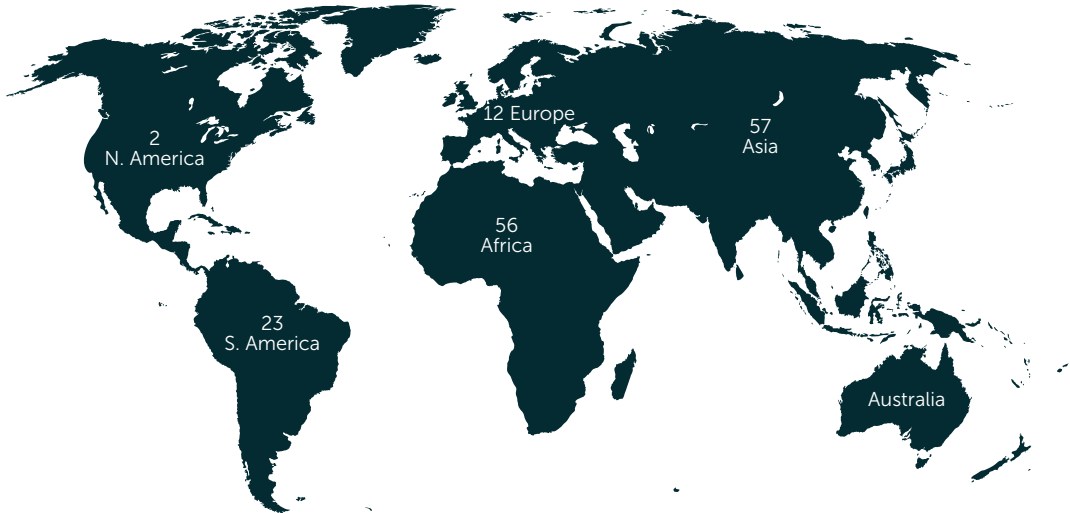
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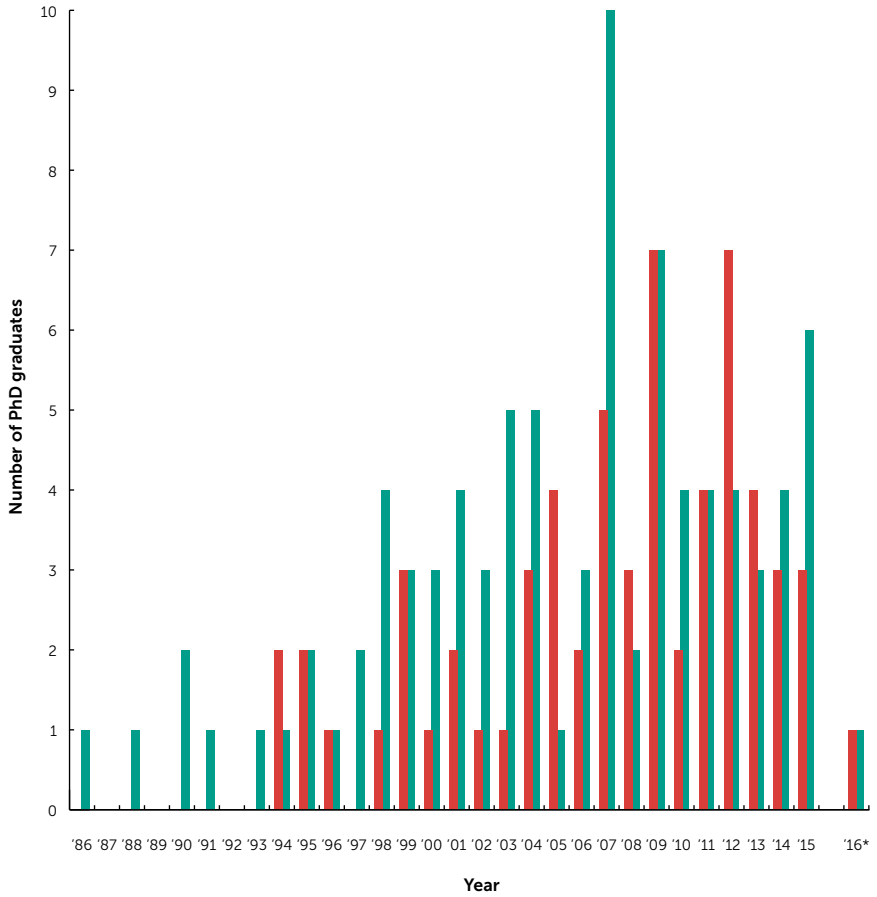
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