



PIASS-TUFS Joint Seminar

Resource Management

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**Venue:
Conference Hall,
Protestant Institute of
Arts and Social Sciences
(PIASS), Rwanda**



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Day1 (Tuesday, February 18, 2020)

9:00 - 9:05 Opening Remarks by Shinichi Takeuchi (Director & Professor, ASC-TUFS; Chief Senior Researcher, Institute of Developing Economies – Japan External Trade Organization <IDE-JETRO>, Japan)

9:05 - 9:15 Welcome Speech by Elisée Musemakweli (Vice Chancellor, Protestant Institute of Arts and Social Sciences <PIASS>, Rwanda)

9:15 - 9:25 Speech by Rose Mukankomeje (Director General of Higher Education Council, Rwanda)

9:25 - 10:45 Session 1

Chair: **Shinichi Takeuchi** (Director & Professor, ASC-TUFS; Chief Senior Researcher, IDE-JETRO, Japan)

Gloriose Umuziranenge (Lecturer, PIASS, Rwanda) & **Elysée Ntiranyibagira** (Director, the Center for Environmental Research, Training and Expertise for Development in Africa <CERTEDA>, Rwanda)

Nature Conservation Policies and Practices in Africa: Critical Analysis, Ideological Challenges and Strategic Vision for Protected Areas Sustainable Management

Fortunée Bayisenge (Lecturer, PIASS, Rwanda)

Gender Aspects of Agrarian Reform in Post Genocide Rwanda: Understanding the Benefits of Land Use Consolidation Program for Women Smallholder Farmers

Kazue Demachi (Lecturer, ASC-TUFS, Japan)

Finance-led Growth in Africa: Booms and Missing Links

Yumi Nakayama (Lecturer, ASC-TUFS, Japan)

The Refugee-development Nexus: The Global Refugee Regime Crisis and African Experience

10:45 - 11:00 Break

11:00 - 12:20 Session 2

Chair: **Lungisile Ntsebeza** (Professor, University of Cape Town, South Africa)

Jun Matsukuma (Vice President & Professor, TUFS, Japan)

Extraterritorial Obligations Related to the Right to Food: Focusing on African Cases

Horman Chintonge (Professor, University of Cape Town, South Africa)

“Land Markets” on Customary Land in Africa: Implications for Land Governance

Kojo Amanor (Professor, University of Ghana, Ghana)

Governance, Agricultural Commercialisation and the Role of Chiefs in Land Administration

Chizuko Sato (Research Fellow, IDE-JETRO, Japan)

Land Tenure Reform in Three Former Settler Colonies in Southern Africa: A Preliminary Inquiry



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12:20 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 - 14:50 Session 3

Chair: **Denis Jean Sonwa** (Senior Scientist, Center for International Forestry Research <CIFOR>, Cameroon)

Shinichi Takeuchi (Director & Professor, ASC-TUFS; Chief Senior Researcher, IDE-JETRO, Japan) & **Jean Marara** (Researcher, Institut Catholique de Kabgayi, Rwanda)
Land Law Reform and State-building in Rwanda

Akiyo Aminaka (Research Fellow, IDE-JETRO, Japan)
Land Resource Management as a Political Resource: A Case of Mozambique under Predominant-Party System

Teshome Emana (Assistant Professor, Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia)
Land Policy and Urban Development in Ethiopia: A Review of Land Commercialization Since 1991

Peter Narh (Research Fellow, University of Ghana, Ghana)
Contending Control over Land: Farmer-firm Relations in Mumias Sugarcane Belt, Kenya

14:50 - 15:05 Break

15:05 - 16:25 Session 4

Chair: **Kazuyuki Sasaki** (Senior Lecturer, PIASS, Rwanda)

Amélia Maisha Silas Tunzine (PhD Candidate, TUFS, Japan)
Large-scale Land Investments Diversification and Conflict Trends in Mozambique

Moonde Kabinga (PhD Student, University of Cape Town, South Africa)
Mining Developments and Land Acquisition Processes in Zambia

Tontie L. Kanton (Doctoral Fellow, University of Ghana, Ghana)
Commercial and Land Pressures: Commodification of Land and Resource Capture/Conflict in the Ghanaian Transition Zone

Joseph Octavius Akolgo (PhD Candidate, University of Ghana, Ghana)
Ignorant Snub or Reasonable Excuse? Young People's Perspectives towards Farming in Zuarungu in the Upper East Region of Ghana

16:25 - Opening Ceremony for TUFS Global Japan Desk at PIASS

Remarks by Jun Matsukuma (Vice President, TUFS, Japan)

Remarks by Elisée Musemakweli (Vice Chancellor, PIASS, Rwanda)



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Day 2 (Wednesday, February 19, 2020)

9:30 - 10:50 Session 5

Chair: **Kojo Amanor** (Professor, University of Ghana, Ghana)

Lungisile Ntsebeza (Professor, University of Cape Town, South Africa)

Natural Resource Management in the Rural Areas of the Former Bantustans in Post-1994 South Africa: Who Governs in These Areas?

Inês Raimundo (Associate Professor, Eduardo Mondlane University, Mozambique)

Deforestation and Environmental Policies: the “Unfair” Policy to Communities Living in Areas Threatened by Drought and Floods

Denis Jean Sonwa (Senior Scientist, CIFOR, Cameroon)

Preliminary Reflections of the Potential of Climate Smart Agriculture (CSA) in the Tshopo Province (DRC)

Kazuyuki Sasaki (Senior Lecturer, PIASS, Rwanda) & **Serge Muvunyi** (Assistant Coordinator, CRASPD, PIASS, Rwanda)

Constraints to the Adoption and Scaling-up of Conservation Agriculture for Smallholder Farming: A Case Study of NGO-led Initiatives in Rwanda

10:50 - 11:05 Break

11:05 - 12:25 Session 6

Chair: **Horman Chitonge** (Professor, University of Cape Town, South Africa)

Makiko Sakai (Associate Professor, TUFS, Japan)

Current Situation of Bike Taxis in African Rural Society: A Case Study of Dschang, West Cameroon

Takanori Oishi (Lecturer, ASC-TUFS, Japan)

Impact of Cocoa Mono-cultivation on Micro-scale Land Use Change in a Rural Community of Eastern Cameroon

Azindow Iddrisu (PhD Candidate, University of Ghana, Ghana)

Agricultural Commercialisation and Land Use Change in Dagbon: Transforming Cooperate Farmland Holdings in Northern Ghana

Lisette Mangaza (Junior Lecturer, University of Goma, Democratic Republic of the Congo)

Carbon Stock and Flux Assessment of Different Land Uses in Forest Landscapes of the Tshopo Province, Democratic Republic of the Congo

12:25 - Lunch