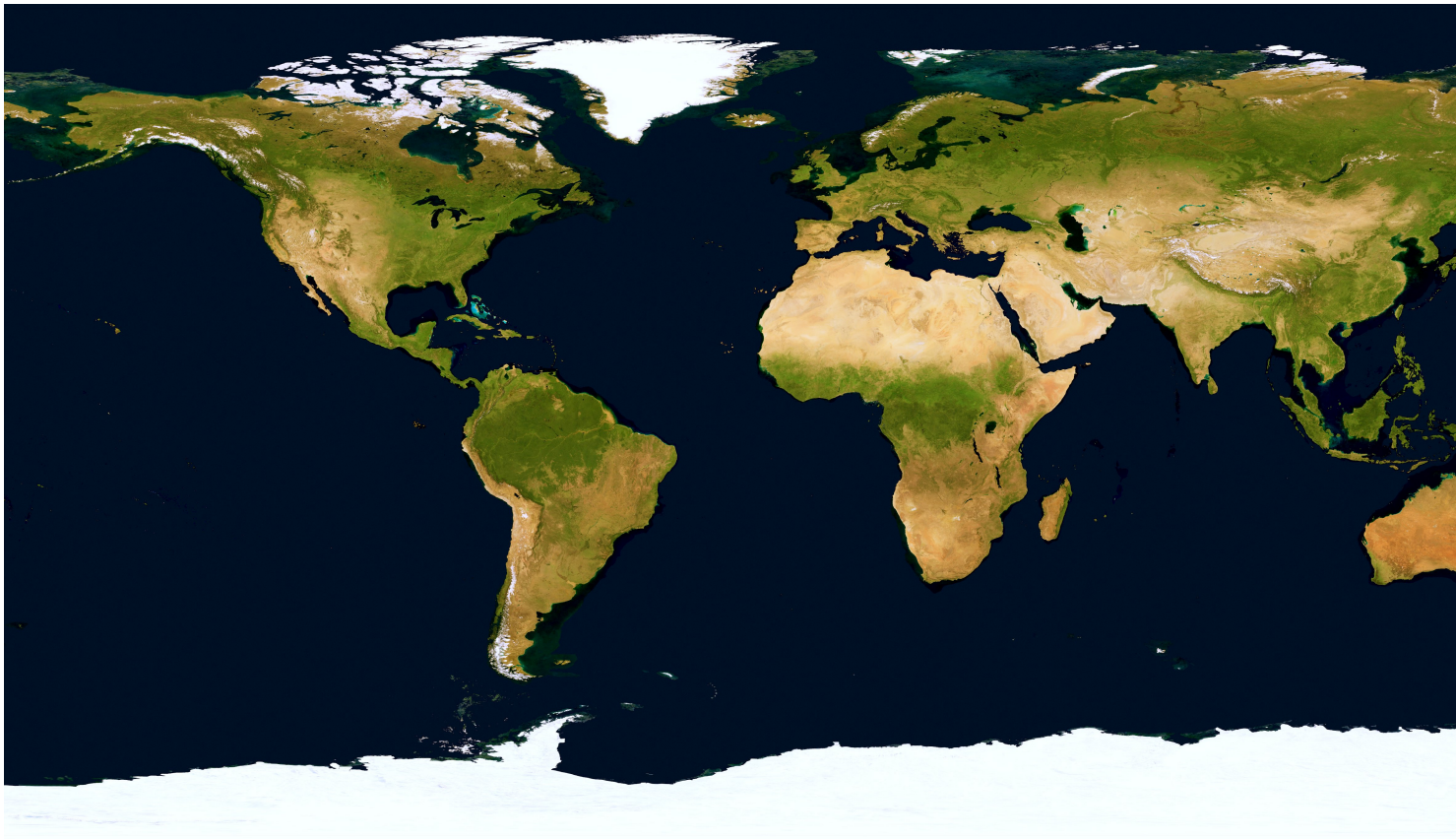


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From October 2014 to January 2015

On Wednesdays at 2 pm

Where

Palazzo Badoer, San Polo 2468, 30125 Venice

Seminars Series on " **Water, energy and food security towards Expo 2015. The challenge of large-scale land acquisitions** ".

The need to ensure the sustainability of food and energy provision for a rising population is the main the

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“ **Land deals: drivers, scope and impacts. The pathway towards more responsible investments** ”

The seminar will introduce the land deals, focusing on the [illegible]

Peter Messerli (University of Bern) “Marginal land or marginal people? Analysing patterns and

Kaitilin Cordes (Earth Institute, Columbia University) “Large-scale land acquisitions, contract fa

November 5, 2014

“ **The water dimension of global land acquisitions** "

Every investment made in agricultural land is determined by water resources and this in turn determines

Maria Cristina Rulli (Politecnico di Milano) “Water appropriation in large-scal

Ward Anseeuw (University of Pretoria), “Challenges in accounting for global investments in farm

November 26, 2014

“ **Conflicts and land acquisitions** ”

The European and international land acquisitions, from the Prof. Laura Fregolent, IUAV University of Venice, to Matilde Carabellese, from the

Laura Fregolent (University IUAV of Venice) “Conflicts, landscape and renewable energies”

Matilde Carabellese (University of Naples) “Land grab: the case of soya and Argentina”

Filiberto Altobelli (Istituto Nazionale di Economia Agraria) “Food security and Principles for Respo

December 10, 2014

“ **Data availability and transparency in global land acquisitions** ”

The complexity in the study of land acquisitions, from the University of Stellenbosch, Stefania Bracco, to the availability of this

Martin Ostermeier (Hamburg, GIGA), “The Land Matrix – Patterns and Challenges of Tracking Larg

Stefania Bracco (University of Siena) “Large-Scale Land Acquisitions in Africa: Exploring Actors

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“Land and water resources: balancing the needs for food and energy”

Which are the main cons[illegible] acquisitions [illegible]

Prof. Holger Hoff

Mario Giampietro (University Autonoma Barcellona) “The Food-Energy-Water Nexus: A Multi-sca

Holger Hoff (Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research) “Large-scale land acquisitions

Emma Li Johansson (University of Lund) “Virtual water exports from land acquisitions in Africa”

January 28, 2015

EU and International Land deals

Giuseppina Siciliano will focus on the topic of [illegible] **Prof. Giorgia Giovannetti** [illegible] **Prof. N**

Giuseppina Siciliano (School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London) “European transn

Giorgia Giovannetti e Nadia Cuffaro (Università di Firenze; University of Cassino) “Large scale land acquisitions in d

Tim Krieger (University of Freiburg) “How Institutions Shape Land Deals: The Role of Corru

Detailed program.

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