

## **11 December 2018**

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Room IX • Building A (third floor)
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## How does the global (financialized) commodity trade impact on local lifeworlds?

The growing influence of transnational market intermediaries, including financial actors, has profoundly changed the global commodities trade. How have these changes affected local lives along the copper value chain, from the mines in Zambia, through African transport corridors, to Swiss trading firms? What needs to be done to move towards more ethical and sustainable trading and production systems?

This Research Symposium discusses the results of the SNISfunded Valueworks project and suggests priorities for research, policy and action.

For more information, visit <a href="https://www.unrisd.org/valueworks-symposium">www.unrisd.org/valueworks-symposium</a>

The roundtable <u>Life Along the Copper Value Chain: The Swiss</u>
<u>Commodity Trading Hub and its Impact in the Global South</u> at the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies on 10 December, may also be of interest to you.









