An important aim of SDG governance is avoiding adverse impacts for individuals and social groups. These adverse impacts can be linked to numerous issues such as turning development projects into political projects, unequal power relations, and the role of knowledge. This session addresses these issues by critically looking at trends, rationales and projections of development projects, power and partnerships, and knowledge.

**Individual presentations:**
- Youth in agribusiness in Uganda: ethnography of a new development trend by Maya Turolla (Radboud University)
- Critical discourse analysis of the private sector in international development policy: a comparison of the Millennium Development Goals and the Sustainable Development Goals by Sarah Cummings (Vrije Universiteit)
- Bi-cultural knowledge production, commodity fetishism, and food governance’ by Warwick Tie (Massey University)
- Knowledge brokering and co-creation in Food & Business platforms, lessons based on a systematic review, Edith van Ewijk (University of Amsterdam)