

Land Control, Land Grabs, and Southeast Asian Crop Booms

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Who Tries to Control Land in Booms?

- state actors
- corporations (domestic and transnational)
- smallholders *in situ*
- migrant would-be smallholders

On What Kind of Land do Booms Take Place?

- tension in the mainstream literature
- booms and frontiers
- “secure” booms

What Strategies are used to Gain Control of Boom Land?

- 1) intimate exclusions
- 2) sales under the shadow of seizure
- 3) migrant seizure
- 4) receipt from the state with some recognition of local people
- 5) corporate/state seizure
- 6) using booms themselves to control land