

Danish Development Research Network (DDRN)  
**Conference 'Global Value Chains and Sustainable Development'**  
**24-25 May 2011**  
Technical University of Denmark, Anker Engelundsvej 1, Building  
101A, 2800 Kgs. Lyngby  
**1st floor, Meeting Room 1**

**Tuesday 24 May 2011, 12.30 – 17.00**

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| 12.30-13.00 | Registration   |
| 13.00-13.15 | <i>Welcome address</i>   |
|             | <i>Key note address:</i>   |
| 13.15-14.00 | Khalid Nadvi, Senior Lecturer, University of Manchester, School of Environment and Development<br>New Challenges in Global Value Chains Research                         |
| 14.00-14.30 | Discussion   |
| 14.30-14.50 | Stephano Ponte, Senior researcher, Danish Institute for International Studies (DIIS)<br>A conceptual framework and practical guide to global value chains interventions  |
| 14.50-15.10 | Simon Bolwig, Senior researcher, Technical University of Denmark<br>Poverty and value chain upgrading: Lessons from action research projects of the (global) value chain |
| 15.10-15.30 | Discussion   |
| 15.30-15.50 | Coffee break   |
| 15.50-16.10 | Søren Borch, Consultant, ConDiv<br>A guide to value chain guides   |
| 16.10-17.00 | Poster sessions  |
| 18.00-21.00 | Dinner   |

**Wednesday 25 May 2011, 9.30 – 16.00**

- 9.30-10.00 Coffee
- 10.00-10.20 Olav Jull Sørensen, Professor, Aalborg University  
Formation, organisation and Management of the (global) value chain
- 10.20-10.40 Marianne Nylandsted Larsen, Assistant Professor, University of  
Copenhagen  
Agroindustrial value chain research at Department of Geography  
and Geology, University of  
Copenhagen – four focus areas
- 10.40-11.00 Discussion
- Key note address:*
- 11.00-11.45 Joost Oorthuizen, Director, Dutch Sustainable Trade Initiative (IDH)  
Mainstreaming the social and ecological sustainability of  
commodity supplies from emerging markets to the  
Netherlands and Western Europe – experiences of IDH
- 11.45-12.15 Discussion
- 12.15-13.15 Lunch
- 13.15-13.35 Lone Riisgaard, Project researcher, Danish Institute for International  
Studies (DIIS)  
Gender and labour in value chains: A critique of private sector and  
donor financed global value chain interventions
- 13.35-13.55 Thorkild Nielsen, Associate professor, Aalborg University,  
Ethical traceability in a globalised world
- 13.55-14.15 Arne Wangel, Associate professor, Technical University of  
Denmark,  
The product life cycle perspective and environmental and social  
impacts
- 14.15-14.35 Discussion
- 14.35-15.35 Panel discussion
- 15.35-16.00 Coffee, networking