The System of Rice Intensification (SRI) and Questions of Gender and Labor

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In this seminar, Hansda examines the interplay among gender, labour, and technology within the SRI to understand how in situations of agrarian transition, technology affects and influences social dynamics.

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