

CURRICULUM VITAE: MARLEEN DEKKER

Education

MA in Human Geography (cum laude), Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam (1993)
PhD in Development Economics, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam (2004)

Current Positions

- Director African Studies Centre, Leiden University (since 2021)
- Professor Inclusive Development in Africa, Leiden University (since 2017)

Membership and commissions

- Knowledge platform on Inclusive Development, INCLUDE, academic member
- Advisory Council International Affairs- International Development Committee, AIV-CIO
- NWO/NWA-SDG initiative group
- GROW Academic Steering Committee member
- Chair Leiden University Africa Platform
- Chair UNA Europa International Task Force
- Chair Maastricht School of Management Supervisory Board
- Board Member International Institute of Asian Studies (IIAS)

Publications (See also [Google Scholar](#) profile)

International peer-reviewed journals

Dekker, M., A. H. Kazimierczuk, R.M. Garland, D. Stein Zweers and P. Levelt (2025) Air quality in Africa from the telecoupled perspective: Exploring interdisciplinary and transboundary scientific collaboration between Africa and the Global North, *Global Sustainability*, forthcoming.

Dekker, M. and N. Pouw (2022) Introduction Special issue "Policies for inclusive development in Sub-Saharan Africa", *European Journal of Development Research* 34, 2137–2155.

Debebe, Z.Y., A.D. R.A. Sparrow, D. Abebaw, M. Dekker, G. Alemu and A.S. Bedi (2021) Economic Consequences of ill-health in Rural Ethiopia. *Health Systems & Reform* 7 (2).

Reinders, S., M. Dekker and J. B. Falisse (2021) Inequalities in higher education in low- and middle-income countries: a scoping review of the literature. *Development Policy Review*, 39 (5) 865-889.

Awuh, E.H. and M. Dekker (2021) Entrepreneurship in Microfranchising: An Emerging Market Perspective', *Journal of Entrepreneurship in Emerging Economies.*, 13 (5), 1152-1172.

Van Hees, S., T. O'Fallon, M. Hofker, M. Dekker, S. Polack, L.M. Banks, and E.J. A. M. Spaan (2019) Leaving no one behind? Social inclusion of health insurance in low- and middle-income countries: a systematic review. *International journal for equity in health*, 18 (134).

Barr, A., M. Dekker, W. Janssens, B. Kebede, B. Kramer (2019) Cooperation in

Polygynous Households. *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*, 11 (2), 266–283

Yilma, Z., A. Mebratie, R. Sparrow, M. Dekker, G. Alemu, A.S. Bedi (2015) Impact of Ethiopia's Community-Based Health Insurance on household economic welfare. *World Bank Economic Review*, 29 (suppl 1): S164-S173

Barr, A., M. Dekker and M. Fafchamps (2015) The formation of community-based organizations in Sub-Saharan Africa: An analysis of a quasi-experiment. *World Development*, 66: 131-153.

Debebe, Z.Y., A.D. Mebratie, R.A. Sparrow, D. Abebaw, M. Dekker, G. Alemu and A.S. Bedi (2014) Coping with shocks in rural Ethiopia. *Journal of Development Studies*, 50 (7): 1009-1024.

Barr, A., M. Dekker and M. Fafchamps (2012) Who shares risk with whom under different enforcement mechanisms?. *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, 60(4): 677-706.

Barr, A., M. Dekker and M. Fafchamps (2012) Bridging the gender divide: An experimental analysis of group formation in African villages. *World Development*, 40(10): 2063-2077.

Dekker, M. and B. Kinsey (2011) Contextualizing Zimbabwe's land reform: Long-term observations from the first generation. *Journal of Peasant Studies*, 38(5): 677-706.

Dekker, M. and A. Wilms (2010) Health insurance and other risk-coping strategies in Uganda: The case of Microcare Insurance Ltd. *World Development*, 38(3): 369-378.

Dekker, M. (2006) Estimating wealth effects without expenditure data: An asset-based wealth index for rural Ethiopia. *Ethiopian Journal of Economics*, 15(1): 35-54.

Dekker, M. (2004) Sustainability and resourcefulness: Support networks during periods of stress. *World Development*, 32(10): 1735-1751.

Dekker, M. and H. Hoogeveen (2002) Bride wealth and household security in rural Zimbabwe. *Journal of African Economies*, 11(1): 114-145.

Dekker, M. and M. Eeckhout (2005) Micro-macro verbanden in Tanzania: Waar zit de kink in de kabel?. *Kwartaalschrift Economie*, 2(3): 244-267.

Books and Book Chapters

Altaf, A., D. Tsikata, D. Torvikey, M. Dekker (eds) (2024) *Equity in COVID-19 mitigation and policy responses in Africa: emerging issues from 12 country case studies*. Palgrave MacMillan.

Altaf, A., D. Tsikata, D. Torvikey, M. Dekker (2024) *Introduction*. In: Altaf et al (eds) *Equity in COVID-19 mitigation and policy responses in Africa: emerging issues from 12 country case studies*. Palgrave MacMillan.

Altaf, A., D. Tsikata, D. Torvikey, M. Dekker (2024) *Recommendations and Reflections*. In: *Equity in COVID-19 mitigation and policy responses in Africa: emerging issues from 12 country case studies*. Palgrave MacMillan.

Miroro, O., C. Swinkels, M. Dekker (2022) *(in)Decent work for youth in agro-industrial value chains in Uganda*. In: Goulart, P., R. Ramos and G. Ferrittu (eds) *Global Labour in Distress. The age post 1991; VOLUME II: Earnings, (in)decent work and institutions*. Palgrave Readers in Economics, Palgrave Macmillan, Springer Switzerland.

Dekker, M. (2017) From macro to micro: How smallholder farmers in Zimbabwe are coping with dollarization. In: *The Face of Africa. Essays in Honour of Ton Dietz*. Eds. W. van Beek, J. Damen and D. Foeken. Leiden: ASCL Occasional Publication 28, pp.63-74.

Dekker, M. (2017) [Inclusive Development in Africa](#). Inaugural address. Leiden University.

Dekker, M. (2015) Resettlement in Zimbabwe: Final destination from the zones of transition? In: Akinyoade and Gewald (eds) *Roads to Prosperity*. Leiden: Brill, African Dynamics; vol. 14, pp. 94-108.

Dekker, M. and B. Kinsey (2012) It is time to start my own farm. An essay on the unforeseen effects of two waves of resettlement on household formation in Zimbabwe. In: J.B. Gewald, A. Leliveld and I. Pesa (eds), *Transforming innovation in Africa: The transformation of external innovation in Africa*. Leiden: Brill, African Dynamics; vol. 11, pp. 149-167.

Dekker, M., A. Leliveld, C. 't Hart and J. Gnimadi (2010) Can't buy me health: Financial constraints and health seeking behaviour among rural household members in Central Togo. In: M. Dekker and R. van Dijk (eds), *Markets of well-being: Navigating health and healing in Africa*. Leiden: Brill, African Dynamics; vol. 9, pp. 255-282.

Dekker, M. (2010) Individual or shared responsibility: Who finances treatment of illnesses in households in rural Ethiopia? In: M. Dekker and R. van Dijk (eds), *Markets of well-being: Navigating health and healing in Africa*. Leiden: Brill, African Dynamics; vol. 9, pp. 228-255.

Dijk, R. van and M. Dekker (2010) Introduction: Economic ethnographies of the marketization of health and healing in Africa. In: M. Dekker and R. van Dijk (eds), *Markets of well-being: Navigating health and healing in Africa*. Leiden: Brill, African Dynamics; vol. 9, pp. 1-18.

Dekker, M. (2008) Intra-household differences in coping with illness in rural Ethiopia. In: M. Rutten, A. Leliveld and D. Foeken (eds), *Inside poverty and development in Africa*. Leiden: Brill, African Dynamics, vol. 7, pp. 201-224.

Dekker, M. (2004) *Risk, resettlement and relations: Social security in rural Zimbabwe*. Amsterdam: Thela Thesis, Tinbergen Institute Research Series no. 331.

Dekker, M. and T. Dietz (1999) NGOs and environmental dilemmas in Zimbabwe. In: B. Venema and H. van den Breemer (eds), *Towards negotiated co-management of natural resources in Africa*. Munster: LIT Verlag, African Studies, vol. 12, pp. 135-164.

(Evaluation) Reports and Working Papers

Dekker, M., A. Kazimierczuk, R. Garland, D. Stein Zweers, P. Levelt (2024) In the Air tonight: Satellite-based Air Quality Data and Inclusive Development in Africa: a Scoping Review of the Literature. ASCL Working Paper 157/2024.

Lijfering, S., A. Kazimierczuk, C.U. Uche, A. Akinyoade, and M. Dekker (2023) Afrika; hulp & handel in perspectief ; lessen uit het veld. Liaison Parlement en Wetenschap. Factsheet Parlement en Wetenschap, 24 April 2023.

Barr A., Dekker M., Mwansa F. & Zuze T.L. (2021), Financial decision-making gender and social norms in Zambia : report on the quantitative data generation, analysis and results and subsequent qualitative follow-up. Lusaka: FSD Zambia.

Vlaminck, Z., A. Leliveld and M. Dekker (2014) Rome wasn't built in a day : the accessibility of social protection for informal workers : a mapping of 5 West African countries. Report for CNV International.

Dekker, M. and A. Leliveld (2013) Women and children first. Report for Leiden University Fund, African Studies Centre Leiden.

Dekker, M (2013) Promoting gender equality and female empowerment: A systematic review of the evidence on property rights, labour markets, political participation and violence against women. ASC Working Paper 111. Leiden: African Studies Centre.

Matondi, P. and M. Dekker (2011) Land rights and tenure security in Zimbabwe's Post Fast Track Land Reform Programme. A synthesis report for LandAc. Harare: Ruzivo Trust, Leiden, African Studies Centre.

Dekker, M. and B. Kinsey (2011) Coping with Zimbabwe's Economic Crisis: Small-scale Farmers and Livelihoods under Stress. Report for the Netherlands Embassy in Harare.

Dekker, M. and A. Leliveld (2011) Community-based health insurance and the well-being of children and adults in Plan communities in Togo. Progress report for Plan Netherlands. Leiden: African Studies Centre.

Dekker, M and H. Hoogeveen (2006) Trends in non-consumption welfare indicators in Tanzania, 1992-2000. Report for the World Bank. Amsterdam: VU Amsterdam.

Valorisation

Selected advisory activities

- Reference Group review of the Legitimate Stability Research Programme (Netherlands MFA, the ISS and Clingendael's Conflict Research Unit) (2025)
- BAC for UHD promotion Wageningen University (2022)
- Expert committee to review an application for full professor African Studies Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU) (2020)
- MFA-IOB Reference Group Youth Employment Interventions (2020)
- MFA-IOB Reference Group Gender Mainstreaming (2020)
- AIV advies Digitalisering en jeugdwerkgelegenheid in Afrika (2020)
- Youth employment policy for DDE/MFA Netherlands (2017-)
- Poverty and inequality in Africa, MFA Netherlands, including the policy letter inclusive development (2017), BHOS policy letter, INCLUDE 2018 conference and Ambassadors conference 2019, Building back better agenda 2020.
- Informal workers and social protection, CNV (2014)
- Gender Policy Review, MFA IOB Reference Group (2013-2014)
- Promoting gender equality and female empowerment, IOB (2013)
- Land rights and land reform in Zimbabwe (Netherlands Embassy Zimbabwe and LandAC (2010-2011)

Selected publications for a wider audience

- Abigail Barr, Marleen Dekker, Anna Hochleitner and Linda Tia Zuze (2021) Social Norms and Financial Funded by Decision-Making in Zambia Technical Brief.
- Publications on [INCLUDE website](#).
- Inclusive Development Synthesis Paper (March 2019)
- Inclusive Development; not business as usual! Special issue Vice Versa (December 2018)
- The business case for social protection in Africa (2018)
- Strategic actors for inclusive development in Africa (2018)
- Boosting productive employment in Africa : what works and why? (2018)
- Youth employment synthesis paper (May 2017)
- Contributions to the Broker Social Protection Dossier, ASC Web-dossiers on Social Protection, on Productive Employment and on African Women and the SDGs.

- ASCL Infosheets:
 - The impact of Ethiopia's community-based health insurance on household economic welfare : a policy brief. Leiden: African Studies Centre, ASC info sheet 23, 2015.
 - Shocks and coping strategies in rural Ethiopia: a policy brief. Leiden: African Studies Centre, ASC info sheet 22, 2014 and OSSREA Bulletin Volume XI, no.1, Feb. 2014.
 - Creating inclusive communities: the results of resettlement in Zimbabwe. Leiden: African Studies Centre, ASC info sheet 10, 2011.
 - Can health insurance be the magic bullet? The case of Microcare Ltd. in Uganda. Leiden: African Studies Centre, ASC info sheet 7, 2009.

Selected scholarships, grants and prizes

2024: UNA Europa Africa Seed grants on air quality and respiratory diseases (co-applicant RESPIRA ABEP) and water (PEAKSOLVE)

2023: Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions COFUND programme : Graduate Research on worldwide challenges (GROW): co-applicant

2022: EUniWELL-VOICE : lead applicant

2022: Lorentz workshop, the power of TROPOMI: co-applicant

2021: NWO-NWA-SDG route small projects: co-applicant: Satellite data on air quality in Africa. (€ 50,000).

2021: RVO: Proposal: #CoCreateDAKAR: co-applicant (€ 7,000).

2019-2021: Co-applicant FSD Zambia: Gender, Social Norms and Financial Inclusion (£50.000)

2019-2022: Lead applicant Secretariat INCLUDE 2.0. Funder: Ministry of Foreign Affairs (€ 5.998.551,00).

2018: NWO Westerdijk Talent Premium (€ 50,000).

2017-2019: Co-applicant NWO-WOTRO Assumptions Programme 'Building legitimacy for land rights advocacy in Kenya'. Joint with Radboud University, The Netherlands and Moi University, Kenya (€ 499,990).

2017: Co-applicant NWO Visitor's Grant: Three decades of rural change: experiences and outcomes of Zimbabwe's Land Reform Programme (€ 9,300)

2017-2019: Co-applicant NWO-WOTRO Assumptions programme knowledge brokering trajectory by Knowledge Platform INCLUDE (€ 330,000)

2017-2018: Lead applicant Synthesis Studies for the RIDSSA programme. Funder: NWO/WOTRO (€ 140,000)

2014-2018: Lead applicant Secretariat INCLUDE. Funder: Ministry of Foreign Affairs. (€1,700,000)

2013: Co-applicant research project "Intrahousehold cooperation and polygamy in

Nigeria. Funders: Amsterdam Institute of International Development, Nottingham School of Economics and School of International Development (DEV), University of East Anglia (UEA). (€19,000)

2012: Co-applicant review project "Gender Policy Review". Funder: Ministry of Foreign

2010-2014: Co-applicant research programme "Community Based Health Insurance in Ethiopia." Funder: NWO-WOTRO Health Systems Programme. (€665,000)

2008-2010: Co-applicant research project "An experimental analysis of network and group formation for collective action". Funder: ESRC/DfID, UK. (£114,000)

2005: Thesis award for best PhD Thesis in International Development from the Amsterdam Institute of International Development: Travel Grant to The Economist Forum at The World Bank, Washington DC, USA. (€4,000)

2004-2007: AIID post-doc research grant for research project entitled Social Security within and between households. A social network approach to intra-household resource allocation in Ethiopia. (€45,000)

International Academic Collaboration

Netherlands, Ghana, UK

Co-lead tripartite academic collaboration between the Centre for African Studies (CAS) Edinburgh, Institute of African Studies (IAS) Ghana and African Studies Centre Leiden (ASCL) in the Netherlands.

Netherlands, South Africa, UK, Kenya, Germany, Morocco (2022-23)

Lead EUniWell Small Private Online Course: Decentring epistemologies for global well-being: 8 weeks virtual global classroom with 60 students from 6 universities.

Zambia, UK, Netherlands (2019- present)

Co-lead investigator on gender social norms and financial inclusion in Zambia. Funded by NWO Westerdijk and FSDZ in collaboration with researchers from Nottingham University, South Africa and Zambia.

Netherlands, UK, Ethiopia, Burundi (2018-2000)

Co-applicant of 'Inequalities on the move: student inequality and career aspirations in biomedical education' Funded by Leiden and Edinburgh University (LERG) and in collaboration with researchers from University of Edinburgh, Addis-Ababa University.

Netherlands Kenya(2017- present)

Co-applicant of 'Navigating collaboration and confrontation: success factors and constraints for CSOs in negotiation inclusion in land deals in Kenya, in the context of increased private sector importance'. Funded by NWO-WOTRO and in collaboration with researchers from Radboud University Nijmegen, The Netherlands and Moi University Eldoret, Kenya.

Netherlands-Africa (2014- present)

Coordinator secretariat Knowledge Platform on Inclusive Development Policies (INCLUDE), funded by the Netherlands Ministry of Foreign Affairs. INCLUDE promotes evidence based policy making for inclusive development by connecting the worlds of knowledge, policy and practice, both in the Netherlands as well as 12 countries in Africa. The core of INCLUDE consists of 26 thought leaders (from Africa as well as NL) and over 40 multi-stakeholder research consortia studying pertinent policy questions on inclusive development. Coordinator manages a consortium with The Broker and AERC in the day to day running of the secretariat and [the INCLUDE website](#).

Nigeria (2013-2018)

Collaborator in 'Intra-household Resource Allocation in Monogamous and Polygamous Households in Nigeria'. Joint initiative with researchers from the VU Amsterdam, Nottingham School of Economics, University of Nottingham and School of International Development (DEV), University of East Anglia (UEA).

Ethiopia (2011-2015)

Collaborator in research programme on Community-Based Health Insurance (CBHI) in Ethiopia, a joint initiative of the ISS/Erasmus University, the Department of Development Studies (Addis Ababa University), the Ethiopian Economic Association, Göttingen University and the ASC, funded by NWO/WOTRO.

Togo (2009-2013)

Team leader (joint) of 'Community-Based Health Insurance and the Well-being of Children and Households in Togo', funded by Plan Netherlands and LUF Leiden. Coordination of research activities (PRA, survey and quality of care) with Louvain Développement (Belgian NGO with offices in Benin and Togo) and Plan International (Netherlands and Togo offices).

Zimbabwe (2010-2011)

Team leader (joint) of the 'Sustainable Land Issues in Resettlement Areas in Zimbabwe' project with Dr P. Matondi, Ruzivo Trust, funded by LandAC/Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Zimbabwe (2008-2018)

Team leader for 'Livelihoods and Economic Crisis' in collaboration with Dr B. Kinsey of Ruzivo Trust in Harare and a team of local researchers connected to a research network including the African Institute for Agrarian Studies (AIAS), the Institute of Development Studies (IDS) of the University of Zimbabwe, the Institute of Rural Technologies, the Nordic Africa Institute (NAI) and independent researchers.

Zimbabwe/UK (2008-2010)

Collaboration with CSAE on 'An Experimental Analysis of Network and Group Formation for Collective Action': <http://www.csae.ox.ac.uk/resprogs/eangfca/>. Intensive collaboration on data management and analytical work, including data collection design and supervision of local researchers in Zimbabwe.

Ethiopia (2005-2007)

Team leader for 'Informal Insurance Within and Between Households: A Social Network Approach to Individual Social Security', funded by AIID and fieldwork in collaboration with the Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Hawassa University.

Zimbabwe (1999-2004)

Collaborator in an interdisciplinary long-term panel study 'The Zimbabwe Rural Household Dynamics Survey'. ZRHDS was managed by Dr B. Kinsey (then Department of Rural and Urban Planning, University of Zimbabwe) in collaboration with the Centre for the Study of African Economies in Oxford (CSAE), IFPRI and the VU Amsterdam.

Teaching experience

2018: University Teaching Qualification (BKO)

Courses

2019-2021	Academic coordinator LDE Minor African Dynamics
2017-2018	Course co-leader RESMA African Studies: thesis writing seminar
2017-2018	Course co-leader RESMA African Studies: academic article writing

- 2010-2012: Trackleader RESMA African Studies Thematic Course: Development and Social Change
- 2006-2007: Coordinator Interfacultair Keuzevak Ontwikkelingsvraagstukken Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam Programme, exams and essay assignments
- 2005-2006: Developing countries and emerging markets Vrije Universiteit: selected lectures on Business environment at Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam
- 2003-2004: Rural development in development economics: selected lectures at the Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

Current PhD students:

- Caspar Swinkels, African Studies Centre Leiden: Grounded Theory of Change – frontline field staff and other actors in the ‘aid chain’ turning theory into practice in Uganda.
- Mandipa Ndlovu, African Studies Centre Leiden: Conceptualising Governance and Urbanity in Independent Zimbabwe
- One Pusumane, Centre for African Studies, Edinburgh University: Theorising the intimacies of precarity Makoko: spaces, dreams and bodies in transition.
- Marie Louise Wijnen, Ministry of Foreign Affairs Netherlands: Data and power in development cooperation.
- Penina Olum, African Studies Centre Leiden: Power in the aid chain in northern Uganda
- Victoria Many, African Studies Centre Leiden: Entrepreneurial tech-ecosystems in Lagos and Accra
- Yusuf Daud, African Studies Centre Leiden, Federalism in Somalia: Panacea or Predicament?
- Asrat Asegie, African Studies Centre Leiden, frugal innovation and food security in Ethiopia
- Hangyu Zhou, African Studies Centre Leiden, China’s digital soft power in Africa
- Jeffrey Fonk, African Studies Centre Leiden, port development in southern Africa
- Carlien Donkor, African Studies Centre Leiden, Cultural heritage and inclusive development in Ghana
- Yuchen Wang, African Studies Centre Leiden, political economy solar energy West Africa

PhD students supervised

- Belindah Okello, African Studies Centre Leiden: Luo migrants in Mombasa
- Zelalem Debebe: Essays on the economics of health risks and insurance. ISS/EUR. Co-promotor. Defended 4 December 2015. Promotor: A. Bedi, co-promotor R. Sparrow. Current position: Economist at the World Bank in Washington.
- Ellen Mangnus: Organising Trade. A practice-oriented analysis of cooperatives and networks trading cereals in South Mali KIT. Supervisor. Defended: 9 September 2015. WAU. Promotor: Prof. dr. ir. C. Leeuwis. Co-promotor: Dr. ir. S.R. Vellema. Current position: Lecturer at Wageningen University.

Member of PhD Examination Committees:

- Tinashe Chimbidzikai, ASCL, pentecoastal migrants in South Africa (2025)
- Lotte-Marie Brouwer, Utrecht University, agribusiness women in Kenya (2025)
- Timothy Van Der Merwe, Witwatersrand University, water and law (2025)
- Frederik Amon-Armah, Groningen University, cocoa farming in Ghana (2024)
- Filipe di Mateo, Utrecht University, value chain development Mozambique (2024)
- Tycho van der Hoog, Leiden university, North Korea and southern Africa (2024)
- Leah Prencipe, Erasmus University, mental health and social protection (2023)

- Rumbidzai Ndoro, Maastricht University, gender and social protection (2023)
- Odette Nyiramuzima, University of Leiden Law, pensions in Rwanda (2022)
- Kini Janvier, University of Amsterdam, women's empowerment Burkina Faso (2022)
- Michael Glover, Leiden University, animal history (2021)
- Selam Kidane, Tilburg University, trauma and refugees (2021)
- Richmond Antwi-Bediako, Utrecht University, land and development (2021)
- Rachel Howell, Delft University, frugal innovation and health (2021)
- Olav Erz, University of Amsterdam, governance and inclusive development (2021)
- Rebecca Kiconco, Eindhoven University, sociology of technology (2021)
- Luis Artavia-Mora, ISS, development economics (2020)
- Agnieszka Kazimierczuk, Leiden University, African Studies (2020)
- Nina de Roo, Wageningen University, knowledge technology and innovation (2020)
- Saskia Vossenbergh, ISS, development studies (2020)
- Raymond Mubaya, Tilburg University, humanities (2020)
- Steven Duku, Vrije Universiteit, development economics (2020)
- Kebede Manjur Gebru, Utrecht University, international development studies (2019)
- Zem Zem Shegute, ISS, development economics (2019)
- Felix Andoh-Adjei, Radboud UMC Nijmegen, Public Health (2019)
- Doreen Setume, Leiden University, African Studies (2017)
- Maru Shete Bekele, Leiden University, African Studies (2016)
- Gonne Beekman, Wageningen University, Development Economics (2015)
- Maboudou Alidou, Wageningen University, Rural Sociology (2014)
- Blandina Kilama, Leiden University, African Studies (2013)
- Caroline Jehu-Appiah, Nijmegen International Centre for Health Systems Research and Education (2012)
- Bilisuma Dito, Institute of Social Studies (EUR), Development Economics (2011)
- Mirjam Kabki, VU Amsterdam, Department Economics (2007)

Supervision Master Students:

2025: Charlotte Schenk, MA African studies, academic supervisor.
 2023: Rachel Dubale, RESMA African Studies, academic supervisor.
 2023: Dorine klein Gunnewiek, RESMA African Studies, academic supervisor.
 2022: Pleun van den Berg, MA African Studies, academic supervisor.
 2021: Marly van den Boom, MA African Studies, academic supervisor.
 2020: Sandra Bleeker, MA African Studies, academic supervisor.
 2019: Mirjam Wolting, International Studies Programme, academic supervisor.
 2019: Lotte Geboers, RESMA African Studies, academic supervisor.
 2019: Sanne de Vries, MA African Studies, academic supervisor.
 2019: Mirte van Os, MA African Studies, academic supervisor.
 2018: Julia Morber, MA African Studies, academic supervisor.
 2017: Elisabeth Hijnekamp, International Studies Programme, academic supervisor.
 Current position Assistant Program Manager at Better Me Kenya.
 2016: Georgia Letcher, MA African Studies, first supervisor. Current position: Team Leader at the Mix Charity in London.
 2016: Jenny de Nobel, MA History, second supervisor. Current position: Global trainee at Rabobank.
 2015: Mohammed Hersi, MA African Studies, second supervisor. Current position Business Studies Teacher at Brent River College, London UK.
 2014: Florian Willems, MA Human Geography, Nijmegen University, second supervisor. Current position freelance journalist at KMAG.
 2012: Roeland van Hemstede, RESMA African Studies, Leiden University, first supervisor. Current position: PhD Candidate Social Cash Transfers in Southern Africa at The University of Dundee
 2012: Jonas Grunau, RESMA African Studies, Leiden University, second supervisor. Current position Associate Consultant Insight at APCO Worldwide, Berlin.
 2010: Bjorn Lous, MA Development Economics Wageningen University. Current position

PhD-student inequality and life satisfaction at Tilburg University.

2009: Charlotte Werger. MA Development Economics, Wageningen University. Current position Head of Data Science Corporate Training at ASI Data Science, London.

2008: Mark Kattenberg, MA Economics Vrije Universiteit. Current position Researcher at Centraal Planbureau.

2007: Prita Kusumawardhani, MA Development Economics Vrije Universiteit. Current position: PhD student Development Economics, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam