

What and whose tenure security does digitalization of land administration in Ghana serve?

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Digital processes for land administration have increasingly become integral to natural resources administration and governance in Ghana.

Digitalization is expected to enhance efficiency in land transactions and tenure security to facilitate investments and growth outcomes for the economy. Yet, it is evident that digitalization processes and outcomes are mediated by traditional land ownership and tenure systems. In this lecture, Dr. Narh will engage with how these mediating factors affect the digitalization of land administration in Ghana, highlighting outcomes for different groups of people.

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