

# Soy Story – the challenges of sustainability

*Symposium organized by BRASIDAN and the Brazilian Studies program at the Department of Global Studies, Aarhus University*

“**Soy Story - the challenges of sustainability**” is part of a series of events on the transnational trade of commodities central to the South American economy and European consumption. With an interdisciplinary approach, academics, business professionals and representatives of international NGOs will address the sustainability challenges of the soy industry. The event allows participants to gain an insight into the global soy industry as well as its social and environmental implications.

*The symposium will be held on **Monday February 18, 2019, 13-16.45h, at Aarhus University, Nobelparken, building 1467, room 316***

Everybody is welcome! Details regarding the symposium can also be found on BRASIDANs facebook-page - <https://www.facebook.com/BRASIDAN/>

**13:00-13:15 h** – Welcome and Introduction  
BRASIDAN and Georg Fischer (Brazilian Studies, Aarhus University)

**13:15-14:00 h** – The Environmental History of Soy in South America [via Skype]  
Claiton Marcio da Silva (Universidade Federal da Fronteira Sul, Chapecó, Brazil)

**14:00-14:45 h** – The Dark Side of the Soy Import  
Gry Bossen (Verdens Skove)

**14:45-15:00 h** – Coffee break

**15:00-15.45 h** – Understanding Risks in Soy Supply Chains  
Christian Sloth (NEPCon)

**15:45-16.30 h** – Repórter Brasil [via Skype, to be confirmed]

**16:30-16.45 h** – Final discussion

