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## The Land Beneath Our Feet

Mitman, Gregg and Alchemy Films. *The Land Beneath Our Feet.* Los Angeles: Alchemy Films, 2016. HD, 60 min.

*The Land Beneath Our Feet* weaves together rare archival footage from a 1926 Harvard expedition to Liberia with the journey of a young Liberian man, uprooted by war, seeking to understand how the past has shaped land conflicts in his country today. This film is an explosive reminder of how large-scale land grabs are transforming livelihoods across the planet and is directed by Sarita Siegel and Gregg Mitman. (Source: Gregg Mitman and the Official Film Website )

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## Further readings:

• Urey, Emmanuel K. "Corridors, Concessions, and the Extraction of Natural Resources in Liberia." Environment & Society Portal, *Arcadia* 2015, no. 8.

## **Related links:**

- Director Gregg Mitman's Official Website http://gmitman.com/
- "The Land beneath Our Feet: An Interview with Gregg Mitman" in *Radical History Review* http://rhr.dukejournals.org/content/2017/127/187.abstract
- A Liberian Journey http://liberianhistory.org/
- "A Liberian Journey," *Edge Effects*, May 2016 http://edgeeffects.net/liberian-journey/
- "A Liberian Journey," *Humanities Futures: Franklin Humanities Institute* https://humanitiesfutures.org/papers/a-liberian-journey/

## Websites linked in this text:

- http://thelandbeneathourfeet.com/about-the-film/
- http://thelandbeneathourfeet.com/about-the-film/
- https://www.environmentandsociety.org/multimedia/collection/environmental-films-project