

## GROUND | Reading List

### RICE

- [Hair Story: Untangling the Roots of Black Hair in America, Lori L. Tharps](#)
- [How Did India Win in the Legal Battle Against Biopiracy Regarding Basmati Hybrid Rice Variety Patented by the USPTO and Valuable Lesson for Vietnam, Bross & Partners](#)

### BIOPIRACY

- [The Commodification of Air, Leo Kim](#)
- [Biopiracy: When Indigenous Knowledge is Patented for Profit, Janna Rose](#)
- [A Worldwide Fight Against Biopiracy and Patents on Life, Martin Khor](#)
- [North-South Models of Intellectual Property Rights: An Empirical Critique, Walter G. Park](#)
- [Biopiracy: The largely lawless plundering of Earth's genetic wealth, Daniella Silva](#)
- [Biopiracy Wikipedia Entry](#)

### BREAD

- [Africa: How France Continues to Dominate Its Former Colonies in Africa, Ndongo Samba Sylla](#)
- [Economic & Monetary Sovereignty in 21<sup>st</sup> Century Africa, Maha Ben Gadha, Fadhel Kaboub, Kai Koddenbrock, Ines Mahmoud, and Ndongo Samba Sylla](#)
- [CFA Franc: The 'colonial currency' keeping 14 African countries on a leash, Yasser Louati](#)
- [How Much Money Does France Make in French-Speaking Africa? Inemarie Dekker](#)
- [CFA Franc Wikipedia Entry](#)
- [The legacy of colonialism: the shadow of French uranium mines, Femi Nylander](#)
- [International Monetary Fund: CFA](#)
- [Fighting Back Against Monetary Colonialism](#)

### SPICES

- [The Turmeric Patent is Just the First Step in Stopping Biopiracy, Vandana Shiva](#)
- [US Patent Office withdraws patent on Indian herb, K. S. Jayaraman](#)

### SEEDS

- [Breeding Organic Vegetables: A Step-by-Step Guide For Growers, Rowen White](#)
- [Sierra Seeds, led by Rowen White](#)