

How to explain the rapid expansion of food charity institutions such as food banks and social supermarkets in Western welfare states in the last decades? What is the relationship between the rise of food charity and welfare state transformations? And what role do the dynamics of affective economies play in food charity's consolidation and proliferation?

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