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CURRENT AND PAST POSITION

Postdoctoral Fellow, Chair of Development Economics, University of Passau, since 2021.

Research Fellow and Teaching Assistant, Chair of Development Economics, University of Passau, 2016 – 2021.

EDUCATION

PhD in Economics, Chair of Development Economics, University of Passau, Germany, 2016 – 2021.

Thesis: ‘Transformation towards a more sustainable agricultural system in Indonesia: Empirical essays on the role of information and endorsement’. Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Michael Grimm. Examination committee: Prof. Dr. Erwin Bulte, Prof. Dr. Michael Grimm, Prof. Dr. Markus Diller.

MSc Economic Development, GPA A4 (with distinction), University of Glasgow, Glasgow, United Kingdom, 2015 – 2016.

BSc International Business, GPA 1.7, WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management, Vallendar, Germany, 2012 – 2015.

BSc International Business, Exchange student, Trinity College, Dublin, Ireland, 2014.

High School Graduation (Abitur), GPA 1.1, Munich, Germany, 2011.

EXTERNALLY FUNDED PROJECTS

Researcher and Project Coordinator: Learning about sustainable adoption of green agricultural technologies: Experimental evidence from training with organic farming practices and soil tests in Indonesia. Funding from the German Research Foundation (DFG). Since 2021.

Researcher and Project Coordinator: Pilot study in Indonesia: Sustainable agriculture combined with digital soil tests. Funding from the German Federal Environmental Foundation (DBU). Since 2021.

Researcher and Coordinator of field research: IndOrganic: Exploring incentives to enhance organic farming technologies in Indonesia. Funding from the German Federal Ministry of Education and Research. Joint with the IPB Bogor, the Atma Jaya University Yogyakarta and the Alliance Organic Indonesia, 2016 – 2021.

PUBLICATIONS

M. Fritz, M. Grimm, P. Keilbart, D. D. Laksmana, N. Luck, M. Padmanabhan, N. Subandi, and K. Tamtomo (2021), Turning Indonesia Organic: Insights from Transdisciplinary Research on the Challenges of a Societal Transformation. *Sustainability*, 13(23), 13011

WORK IN PROGRESS

M. Grimm and N. Luck (2020). Can training enhance adoption, knowledge and perception of organic farming practices? Evidence from a randomized experiment in Indonesia. *IZA Discussion Paper* No. 13400, IZA Bonn. (submitted)

M. Grimm, N. Luck and F. Steinhübel (2021). Consumers' Willingness to Pay for organic rice. Insights from a non-hypothetical experiment in Indonesia. (submitted)

N. Luck (2021). Can religion help to combat fire? Evidence from Indonesia. Mimeo.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Undergraduate: Growth and Development (Tutorial), Microeconomics (Tutorial)

Graduate: Growth, Inequality and Poverty (Tutorial), Quantitative Research Methods for Development (Tutorial), Evaluation of Development Policies (Tutorial), Micro Development Economics (Tutorial)

AWARDS

Gerry Mueller Memorial Prize for the best master thesis of the year in Development Studies, 2016.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2021

VfS Annual Conference 2021, virtual, 26 – 29 September: *Can religion help to combat fire? Evidence from Indonesia.*

2020

VfS Annual Conference 2020, virtual, 27 – 30 September: *Can training enhance adoption, knowledge and perception of organic farming practices? Evidence from a randomized experiment in Indonesia.*

19th EUDN PhD Workshop on Development Economics, Passau, 24-25 September: *Can training enhance adoption, knowledge and perception of organic farming practices? Evidence from a randomized experiment in Indonesia.*

2020 – Accepted, Cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic

2020 Annual Conference Development Economics and Policy, Entwicklungsökonomischer Ausschuss Verein für Sozialpolitik, Hamburg, 25-26 June

4th GlobalFood Symposium, Goettingen, 24-25 April

2019

10th EuroSEAS conference, Berlin, 10-13 September: *Does Information Increase the Willingness-to-pay for organic food?*

LANGUAGES

German (native), English (fluent), Indonesian (fluent), French (basic)