

Curriculum Vitae

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* July 13, 1963, Karlsruhe/Germany, married, two children

Profile in Brief

- Interdisciplinary in-depth specialist knowledge in agrarian management and socio-economics of small scale farming
 - Several years of international experience in post-soviet countries
 - Research focus on small-scale agricultural, farming systems research, development-related socio economy, rural development policy
 - Experience in academic teaching in Europe and Asia
 - Social competence and integrity, strong team orientation
 - Experience in planning, coordination and management of academic events
 - Experience in scholarship selection as member in several selection committees
 - Project experience in international organizations as well as in context of research or technical cooperation
 - Several years' experience in media analysis
 - Additional training competence in the sphere of education of adult people.
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Professional Career

- Since 10/2015 **University Lecturer, University of Applied Science, Weihenstephan-Triesdorf/Germany**
Main Subjects: Agrarian Management, Micro-Economy in Agriculture, Economy of Animal and Crop Production, Big Farm Management, Farming Systems Methodology. Ongoing special task: accreditation of partner universities in the post-soviet spheres.
- 2011 - 2015 **University Lecturer, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD), National Agrarian University (KNAU), Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan.**
- Teaching subjects: Agrarian Management and related topics
 - Coordination of International Master Centre at KNAU , including 'International Farm Management Studies' , development of Ph.D. curricula ‚Agrarian Management‘ for host university (KNAU)
 - Planning, coordination and active supervision of several agricultural summer schools for German Students, planning and management of several International Symposia at host university (KNAU)
 - Member of several committees, e.g. selection of candidates for research and study scholarships at German Universities
 - Initialization of Academic Cooperation with German universities and with the university of Central Asia (Bishkek), project support by DAAD, the German Ministry of Development Cooperation (BMZ) and Agha Khan Foundation)
 - Ph.D. student supervision (Farming Systems in the Marginal Highlands of Kyrgyzstan)
 - Advicing Kyrgyz students who wish to study in Germany; selection and supervision of German Internship Students in Kyrgyzstan
- 2013 and 2014 **Short-Term Lecturer, University of Applied Science, Weihenstephan-Triesdorf/Germany**
- Development Perspectives of Small-Scale Farming Systems (each year one week).
- 3/2001 – 8/2011 **Media Consultant, Cision GmbH, Baden-Baden/Germany**
- Consultancy Services for Medium and Large Scale Companies (Media Crisis Alerts, Comparative Branch Analyses, Media Presence Analyses, Press Monitoring).
- 5/2011 **Short-Term Consultant Agrarian Management, GIZ/Germany**
- Project Study on Management Alternatives for Small-Scale Farmers Participating in the Large-Scale Irrigation Scheme Project of Aweil, Southern Sudan (3 weeks)
- 1/1999 – 2/2001 **Lecturer, Lutz & Grub AG, Karlsruhe/Germany**
- On-the-job-training, consulting and lecturing: server administration, server architecture, programming (Lotus Notes groupware).
- 1/1996 –12/1998 **Associate Professional Officer (P2), FAO, Rom/Italy**
- Evaluation of World Bank Projects, Farming Systems Approach and Research projects, special project coordination '4th International Technical Conference on Plant Genetic Resources', Leipzig/Germany.

9/1993 – 12/1995 **Research Associate, University of Stuttgart-Hohenheim/Germany,**
Institute for Agrarian and Socio-Economic Research in the Tropics and
Subtropics.

1/1992 – 8/1993 **Research Associate, ICARDA, Amman/Jordan, Aleppo/Syria**

- Farming Systems Research, Beduin Systems of Jordan.

5/1991 – 12/1991 Research Assistant, University of Stuttgart-Hohenheim/Germany, Institute for
Agrarian and Socio-Economic Research in the Tropics and Subtropics.

Academic Achievements

3/1999 – 2/2000 Diploma - Groupware Server Architecture and Programming, Lutz & Grub AG,
Karlsruhe/Germany

5/1999 **Ph.D. Agrarian Science (Dr. sc. agr.),** (oral defense May 1998).

4/1991 **Diploma (M.Sc.) Agricultural Engineering and Economics (Dipl.-Ing. agr.),**
University Stuttgart-Hohenheim/Germany

Foreign Experience

2011 - 2015 Kyrgyzstan/Central Asia – university lecturer, German Academic Exchange
Service, Agrarian University, Bishkek (four years)

5/2011 Southern Sudan (project study) GIZ (3 weeks)

1996 -1998 India/Sri Lanka/Bangladesh – project evaluation (FAO, several months)

1992 – 1993 Jordan/Syria – field research bedouin farming systems (2 years)

1990 – 1990 India – field research 'Impact of Agrarian Reforms on Farmers in Rajasthan.
University of Jaipur (6 months)

1987 – 1988 Zimbabwe - farm management tea and coffee-farming private and cooperative
farmers, coffee growers association (one year, apprenticeship).

Language Abilities

English - fluent, academic level, professional level

Russian - intermediate, professional experience

French - - intermediate/advanced level (no professional experience)

Arabic - - expandable basic knowledge

Publications

- MAURER, M., AZAROV, A.; KALMURATOV, S. (2013): 'Rural-Urban Interdependencies in Kyrgyzstan and its Impact on Small-Scale Farming Systems'. Book of Abstracts Tropentag 2013, 'Conference on agricultural development within the rural-urban continuum', Seite 265. Stuttgart-Hohenheim, Germany.
- MAURER, M. (2015): Rezension zu 'Mathias Schmidt (2013) ,Mensch und Umwelt in Kirgistan: Politische Ökologie im postkolonialen und postsozialistischen Kontext. In: ,Mountain Research and Development', Feb 2015, Vol. 35, No. 1: 99-100, International Mountain Society (Hrsg.), Kathmandu/Bern.
- AZAROV, A., MAURER; M., WEYERHÄUSER, H. (2015): "Improved management potential for small-scale farming systems in the Tien Shan Mountains of Kyrgyzstan ". Book of Abstracts, 1st International Conference on Asian Highland Natural Resources Management (AsiaHi-Land), Chiang Mai, Thailand.

Drafts/In Process

- MARTIN MAURER, AZAMAT AZAROV, HORST WEYERHAEUSER (2015): , Farm- and Household Income Situation of Small Scale Farming Systems in the Tien Shan Mountains of Kyrgyzstan'. In: "Tajikistan and Contemporary World", Strategic Research Centre under the President of Tajikistan (Hrsg.), Duschanbe, Tadschikistan (russ.).
- AZAMAT AZAROV, MARTIN MAURER, HORST WEYERHAEUSER (2015): 'Farming Systems Classification for the Assessment of Sustainable Development Pathways in the Tien Shan Mountains of Kyrgyzstan'. Book of Abstracts, Perth III: Mountains of Our Future Earth, Perth, Schottland.
- AZAMAT AZAROV, MARTIN MAURER, DIETRICH DARR, HORST WEYERHAEUSER (2015): Resource Management of Small Scale Farming Systems in the Tien Shan Mountains of Kyrgyzstan. Book of Abstracts, Tropentag 2015, 'Conference on Management of land use systems for enhanced food security – conflicts, controversies and resolutions'. Stuttgart-Hohenheim, Germany.

Dissertation

- MAURER, M. (1999): "Dynamics and Potential of Farming Systems in the Marginal Areas of Jordan". In: Doppler, W. (Hrsg.) "Farming Systems and Resource Economics in the Tropics", Vol. 32. Kiel.



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