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Education

- 2017-2020 Ph.D. in Agricultural Economics, *University of Goettingen, Goettingen*
- Doctoral Thesis: “The role of institutions on modern agricultural value chains”
 - Nov-Dec 2018: Fieldwork in Suva, Taveuni, and Savusavu, Fiji
- 2014/2016 M.Sc. in Agricultural Economics, *University of Hohenheim, Stuttgart*
- Master’s Thesis: “Opportunities and constraints in the Ethiopian bamboo sector: An institutional analysis of bamboo-based value web”
 - May-Aug. 2016: Fieldwork in Addis Ababa and Bahir Dar, Ethiopia
- 2007-2009 Master’s in Public Policy, *University of Maryland, College Park*
- 2003/2007 B.A. in International Studies and Psychology, *University of Utah, Salt Lake City*

Professional Experience

November 2015- March 2017

Research Assistant, Institute of Social and Institutional Change in Agricultural Development,
University of Hohenheim, Stuttgart, Germany

October 2011-September 2012

International Researcher, Association pour la Taxation des Transactions financières et pour
l'Action Citoyenne (ATTAC), *Paris, France*

Peer-Reviewed Publications

Lin, J. “Fiji’s participation in the global coconut value chain: Opportunities and challenges.” *Journal of Development and Emerging Economies*, in press.

Lin, J., Flachsbarth, I., & von Cramon-Taubadel, S. “The role of institutional quality on the performance in the export of coconut products.” *Agricultural Economics*, March 2020, 51(2): 237-258.

Lin, J., Gupta, S., Loos, T.K., & Birner, R. “Opportunities and challenges in the Ethiopian bamboo sector: A market analysis of the bamboo-based value web.” *Sustainability*, March 2019, 11(6): 1644.

Work in Progress

Ma, M., **Lin, J.**, & Sexton, R. “Smallholder vs. Commercial farming systems in low- and middle-income economies: A welfare analysis.” Submitted to the *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*.

Demilew, H., Loos, T.K., Alamirew, B., Gupta, S., & **Lin, J.** “Is bamboo a poor man’s timber in Ethiopia? Estimating the contribution of bamboo to rural livelihoods.” Submitted to *World Development*.

Honors & Awards

2016 Dr. Hermann Eiselen Scholarship, Foundation Fiat Panis

2016 DAAD Prize for Best Foreign Student, University of Hohenheim

2008 Donald Schaefer Scholarship, University of Maryland

Conference and other research activities

Sept.-Dec. 2019 Visiting Scholar, *Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, UC Davis*

July 2019 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting, *Atlanta, USA*

June 2019 8th European Association of Agricultural Economists Ph.D. Workshop, *Uppsala, Sweden*

July 2018 30th International Conference of Agricultural Economists, *Vancouver, Canada*

Aug. 2017 XVI European Association of Agricultural Economists, *Parma, Italy*

Nov. 2016 European League of Life Science Conference, *Hohenheim, Germany*

Sept. 2016 Tropentag, *Vienna, Austria*

Other Information

Computer Skills: Stata, R, NVivo, Microsoft Office

Languages: English (native), Mandarin-Chinese (fluent), French (Advanced), German (Basic)

References

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 - Prof. Richard Sexton
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 - Dr. Saurabh Gupta
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