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Personal Details

Academic degrees	Dr.phil in Social Ecology (Universitaet Klagenfurt (AAU), 2010); Mag.rer.nat in ecology (University of Vienna, 2004)
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Research interests

Long-term socio-ecological research (LTSER) at local to global scales; land and resource use; socio-ecological metabolism; application of socio-metabolic accounting to various spatio-temporal contexts; inter- and transdisciplinary sustainability research

Professional employment history

2018-	Researcher and lecturer at the Institute of Social Ecology, Department of Economics and Social Sciences, Boku
2005-2018	Researcher and lecturer at the Institute of Social Ecology, AAU
2011-2012	parental leave (20.5 months)
2003-2005	Freelance researcher and curator at the Technical Museum Vienna
2004	Freelance researcher at the Institute of Social Ecology, AAU

Education and academic qualification

2006-2010	PhD in Social Ecology, AAU. Thesis title: "A social ecology of European industrialisation: energy, material, carbon ant the socio-ecological transition". Supervisor: Fridolin Krausmann
May 2009	research stay at Pablo Olavide University, Seville, Spain
Oct-Dec 2009	research stay as visiting PhD student at Sustainability Research Institute, University of Leeds, United Kingdom
1998-2004	Mag. in Ecology, University of Vienna. Thesis title: „Veränderungen von Landnutzung und Energieflüssen in ausgewählten Agrarökosystemen Oberösterreichs 1866 bis 2000“. Supervisor: Marina Fischer-Kowalski
2002-2003	Erasmus semester at Université Montpellier II, France

Research projects (selection)

- 2018- HEFT – Hidden Emissions of Forest Transitions: GHG effects of socio-metabolic processes reducing pressures on forests (ERC Starting Grant 757995); PI
- 2017- ILLAS – Integrating Land use Legacies in Landslide Risk Assessment to support Spatial Planning (Austrian Climate Research Panel); Co-PI
- 2016- LTSER Concept II (Austrian Academy of Sciences); PI of SEC contribution
- 2012-2017 SFS – Sustainable Farm Systems (Canadian Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council Partnership Grant 895-2011-1020); deputy PI of SEC contribution
- 2014-2015 LTSER Concept (Austrian Academy of Sciences); deputy PI of SEC contribution
- 2012-2013 VOLANTE – Visions of land-use transitions in Europe (EU FP7 grant agreement 265104); contributor
- 2010-2011 ENVIEDAN – Environmental History of the Viennese Danube 1500-1890 (Austrian National Science Fund P 22265); contributor
- 2008-2011 GLOMETRA – the global metabolic transition (Austrian National Science Fund P 21012); contributor
- 2008-2011 Analyzing global HANPP (Austrian National Science Fund P 20812); contributor
- 2008-2010 Our Environment has a History (Ministry of Science and Research, Sparkling Science Programme); deputy PI
- 2008-2009 cc.alps (MAVA foundation for nature); deputy PI of SEC contribution
- 2007-2008 Adaptation Study (Austrian Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water); deputy PI of SEC contribution
- 2005-2009 Long-Term Socio-Ecological Research Eisenwurzen (Austrian Ministry of Education, Science and Culture, ProVision Programme); contributor
- 2005-2007 Global HANPP (Austrian National Science Fund P 16692); contributor
- 2005-2007 TransEurope (Austrian National Science Fund P 16759); contributor
- 2005-2008 Carbon AUT 1830-2000 (Austrian Academy of Sciences, Global Change Programme); contributor

Teaching activities

- 2019 Lecture and Discussion The UN Sustainable Development Goals: towards global sustainable resource use? (University of Applied Arts Vienna, BA level)
- 2018-2019 Bachelor Seminar Environment and Bio-Resources Management (BOKU, BA level)
- 2018-2019 Seminar Conflicts over land: socio-ecological perspectives (with M. Pichler, AAU, MA level)
- 2018 Peer Seminar in Social Ecology (with N. Eisenmenger, AAU, PhD level)
- 2018 Master/Doctoral Seminar Environmental History (with F. Krausmann and M. Schmid, AAU, PhD and MA levels)
- 2015-2018 Introductory Seminar Social Ecology (4 times with changing partners (M. Schmid, T. Kastner, C. Görg, N. Eisenmenger), AAU, MA level)
- 2008-2014 Seminar Environmental History Austria (4 times with M. Schmid, AAU, MA level)
- 2008-2010 Introductory course Interdisciplinary Studies (3 times with changing partners (M. Schmid, W. Haas), AAU, MA level)
- 2006-2008 Lecture Series Social Ecology (3 times with M. Fischer-Kowalski, AAU, MA level)

Supervision of graduate students

- 2014- Supervision and co-supervision of 7 master theses (3 ongoing, 4 completed) at AAU (MA Social and Human Ecology) and University of Vienna (MA Ecology and History)

Institutional responsibilities

- 2010- Member of master exam committees (examiner: 11 times, chair: 19 times) in master program “Social and Human Ecology”, AAU
- 2016- Member of three PhD defense tribunals (Universidade de Santiago de Compostela, Universitat de Barcelona, Université Pierre & Marie Curie)
- 2016-2018 Research coordinator of thematic area “Long-term socio-ecological research and Environmental History” at the Institute of Social Ecology, AAU
- 2005-2011 Coordinator of the Center for Environmental History (ZUG), AAU
- 2005-2008 Coordinator of teaching agendas, Institute of Social Ecology, AAU

Awards and commissions of trust

- 2018- Member of the Austrian Academy of Sciences (Young Academy)
- 2017 ERC Starting Grant for project “Hidden Emissions of Forest Transitions” (see research projects)
- 2010 Award of Excellence for PhD dissertation, awarded by the Austrian Ministry of Science and Research
- 2009- Reviewer for scientific journals: Animal, Anthropocene, AUC Geographica, Ecological Economics, Economics Bulletin, Energy Policy, Environmental Research Letters, Environmental Science and Policy, Forests, Global Change Biology, Global Environmental Change, Historia Agraria, International Journal of Geo-Information, Journal of Cleaner Production, Journal of Environmental Management, Journal of Industrial Ecology, Land Use Policy, Regional Environmental Change, Remote Sensing, Scandinavian Economic History Review, Science of the Total Environment, Sustainability, Waste Management, Web Ecology
- 2016- Reviewer for project proposals to “OeNB Anniversary Fund” (Austria) and “Le Studium” (France)
- 2015 Reviewer for conference contributions: Conference of the European Society of Ecological Economics (ESEE 2015) in Leeds, United Kingdom

Further education

- 2013-2014 Seminar series project management, WIFI Vienna
- 2009 Pre-Conference PhD-Workshop Integration of Historical Research in Interdisciplinary Environmental and Resource Management (European Society for Environmental History), Roskilde, Denmark
- 2007-2008 fFORTE Coachings for women in science and technology
- 2007 Interdisciplinary PhD Summer School Technologies and their environments (TU Darmstadt), Ockenheim, Germany
- 2006 3rd Summer School on Integrated Analysis of Sustainability (Liphe4), Murcia, Spain
- 2006 Advanced study course for interdisciplinary communication in sustainability sciences, AAU

Publications

Articles in peer-reviewed journals

Angelstam P., Manton M., Elbakidze M., Sijtsma F., Adamescu M.C., Avni N., Beja P., Bezak P., Zyablikova I., Cruz F., Bretagnolle V., Díaz-Delgado R., Ens B., Fedoriak M., Flaim G., **Gingrich S.**, Lavi-Neeman M., Medinets S., Melecis V., Muñoz-Rojas J., Schäckermann J., Stocker-Kiss A., Setälä H., Stryamets N., Taka M., Tallec G., Tappeiner U., Törnblom J., & Yamelynets T. (2018) LTSER platforms as a place-based transdisciplinary research infrastructure: learning landscape approach through evaluation. *Landscape Ecology*, 1–24, doi: 10.1007/s10980-018-0737-6

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Erb K.-H., Kastner T., Plutzer C., Bais A.L.S., Carvalhais N., Fetzel T., **Gingrich S.**, Haberl H., Lauk C., Niedertscheider M., Pongratz J., Thurner M., & Luyssaert S. (2018) Unexpectedly large impact of forest management and grazing on global vegetation biomass. *Nature*, **553**, 73–76. doi: 10.1038/nature25138

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Special Issue

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