

Christian Lippert is an agricultural economist teaching Farm Economics and Environmental and Natural Resource Economics.

In his past research, he applied Institutional Economics approaches—including economics of law enforcement—to the field of agro-environmental schemes as well as to food safety issues and to the enforcement of organic farming standards.

Another field of research is the analysis of spatial distribution of land use activities like organic farming by means of spatial econometrics. In this context, he also led a project funded by the German Research Foundation (DFG) dealing with Ricardian analyses of regional climate effects (i. e. explaining German land use structures' and farm profitability's dependency on local temperature and precipitation).

Recently, he engaged in Discrete Choice Modeling to value ecosystem services or farmers' attitudes towards biomass producing permanent crops like miscanthus or short rotation coppice.

A further continuous field of interest is the analysis of the effects of European and German agricultural policy measures on single farms, the farm sector and on environmental resources.

Education and professional experience

2012- Interim professor for Production Theory and Resource Economics at the Institute of Farm Management, Universität Hohenheim

2004-2012 Associate professor at the above mentioned Institute

2002-2004 Research assistant at the above mentioned Institute

2000-2002 Research assistant at the Institute of Agricultural Economics and Farm Management, Technische Universität München in Freising-Weihenstephan

1994-1999 PhD Studies at the Chair of Agricultural Policy and Agro-Environmental Policy, Martin-Luther-Universität Halle-Wittenberg in Halle (Saale)

1987-1993 Studies of Agricultural Sciences at Technische Universität München in Freising-Weihenstephan

Main teaching activities

Environmental Policy, lecture for students of *Environmental Protection and Agricultural Food Production (M.Sc.)* and other master courses

Environmental and Resource Economics, lecture for students of *Agricultural Economics (M.Sc.)*

Resource Use Optimisation for Permanent Crops and Forests, lecture and exercises for students of *Bioeconomy (M.Sc.)*

Betriebliche Planungsmethoden (operations research for farms), lecture and exercises for students of the bachelor course in *Agricultural Sciences (Agrarwissenschaften)* (in German language)

Important research projects

Agro-economic analysis of processes for the production of lignocellulose containing biomass and their acceptance in agriculture in Baden-Württemberg (subproject of the Bioeconomy Initiative of the federal state of Baden-Württemberg (MWK, 2014-)

Micro-econometric analysis of climate change effects on the German agriculture: Ricardian analysis and extensions (DFG, 2010-2013)

CERTCOST – Economic analysis of certification systems for organic food and farming (EU 7th framework programme, 2008-2011)

Reviewer

for *German Journal of Agricultural Economics*, *Agricultural Economics* and *European Review of Agricultural Economics*

Fellowships

Since 1999: member of the *German Society of Economic and Social Sciences in Agriculture (Gesellschaft für Wirtschafts- und Sozialwissenschaften des Landbaues)*

Since 2016: *membre associé de l'Académie d'agriculture de France*