

# **Gunnar Breustedt**

## **Curriculum Vitae**

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### **PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:**

- October 2010 – September 2011 replacement professor at the Department of Agricultural Economics and Rural Development at the University of Goettingen, Germany
- since October 2003 Research Associate at the Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Kiel, at the chair of Prof. Latacz-Lohmann “Farm Management and Production Economics” (on leave of absence)
- March – April 2007 School of Agricultural and Resource Economics, University of Western Australia, Perth. Partner: Dr. Steven Schilizzi
- February – March 2005 Short Term Consultant at the Worldbank, Washington, D.C.
- January 2001 – September 2003 Research Associate at the Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Kiel, at the chair of Prof. Koester “Agricultural Market Analysis”.
- October – December 2000 Internship at the Worldbank in the Development Research Group, Partner: Donald F. Larson

### **ACADEMIC DEGREES:**

- May 2004 Doctoral Degree (PhD) in Agricultural Economics, University of Kiel.
- 2002 – 2004 Exames in some modules of the Economics degree program at University of Kiel: Econometrics, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Economics of Trade.
- September 2000 Master of Science in Agricultural Economics, University of Kiel.

## PUBLICATIONS

### PEER REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES:

Breustedt, G., T. Tiedemann, U. Latacz-Lohmann (accepted): "Organic or conventional? Optimal dairy farming technology under the EU milk quota system and organic subsidies", *Food Policy*, November 2010.

Breustedt, G. and H. Habermann (accepted): "Determinants of Agricultural Cash Rents in Germany: A Spatial Econometric Analysis for Farm-Level Data", *Journal of Agricultural Economics*, October 2010.

Larson, D.F. and G. Breustedt (2009): "Will Markets Direct Investments under the Kyoto Protocol? Lessons from the Activities Implemented Jointly Pilots", *Environmental and Resource Economics* 43, pp. 433 – 456.

Breustedt, G., U. Latacz-Lohmann, J. Müller-Scheeßel (2009): "Forecasting the Adoption of Genetically Modified Oilseed Rape", *EuroChoices* 8 (2), pp. 44-50. Based on the adoption article in the *Journal of Agricultural Economics* (2008).

Breustedt, G., Bokusheva, R., Heidelbach, O (2008). "Evaluating the potential of index insurance schemes to reduce crop yield risk in an arid region", *Journal of Agricultural Economics* 59 (2), pp. 312-328.

Breustedt, G., J. Müller-Scheeßel, U. Latacz-Lohmann (2008): "Forecasting the Adoption of GM Oilseed Rape: Evidence from a Discrete Choice Experiment in Germany", *Journal of Agricultural Economics* 59 (2), pp. 237-256.

Breustedt, G., J. Müller-Scheeßel, H. Meyer-Schatz, H. (2007): "Unter welchen Umständen würden deutsche Landwirte gentechnisch veränderten Raps anbauen? Ein Discrete Choice Experiment", *Agrarwirtschaft – German Journal of Agricultural Economics* 56 (7), pp. 315-324. (German) "Determinants for potentially adopting genetically modified rapeseed: a Discrete Choice Experiment with German farmers". Based on the same data like the adoption article in the *Journal of Agricultural Economics* (2008).

J. Henke, G. Breustedt, K. Sieling, H. Kage (2007): "Impact of uncertainty on the optimum nitrogen fertilisation rate and agronomic, ecological and economic factors in an oilseed rape based crop rotation", *Journal of Agricultural Science* 145, pp. 455-468.

Breustedt, G. and T. Glauben (2007): "Driving Forces behind Exiting from Farming in Western Europe", *Journal of Agricultural Economics* 58 (1), pp. 115-127.

Breustedt, G. (2003): "Grundsätzliche Überlegungen zu einer Entkoppelung der Direktzahlungen

in der EU", *Agrarwirtschaft – German Journal of Agricultural Economics* 52 (3), pp. 149-156.  
"Basic considerations of a decoupling of direct payments within the EU". (German)

#### **BOOK REVIEWS AND OTHER NON-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES:**

Breustedt, G., J.P. Loy, R.A.E. Müller, J. Hanf: "Agrar- und Ernährungsmärkte nach dem Boom – Bericht über die 49. Jahrestagung der Gesellschaft für Wirtschafts- und Sozialwissenschaften des Landbaues (GEWISOLA) e.V. vom 30. September bis 2. Oktober 2009 in Kiel", invited paper for *Berichte über Landwirtschaft*, 88 (2), 275-298.

Breustedt, G. und T. Herzfeld (2006): "Die internationale und thematische Breite der Agrarökonomie erleben. Bericht von der 26. Tagung der IAAE in Brisbane (Australien)", "Experiencing international agricultural economics. Report from the 26th Conference of the International Association of Agricultural Economists in Brisbane", *Agrarwirtschaft* 55 (8), pp. 359-364.

Breustedt, G. und U. Koester (2004): "Reform der CAP auf dem Milchsektor: Abschaffung von Exportsubventionen und Aufrechterhaltung von Milchquoten. Counterpoint", "CAP Reform in the Dairy Sector: Remove Export Subsidies and Retain Milk Quota", *EuroChoices* 3 (3), pp. 14-15.

Breustedt, G. (2002): "Kirschke, D. und K. Jechlitschka, Angewandte Mikroökonomie und Wirtschaftspolitik mit Excel." *Agrarwirtschaft* 51. (6), pp. 318-319. (Book review).

#### **OUTREACH ARTICLES IN ECONOMIC MAGAZINES:**

Breustedt, G., B. Bruemmer (2002): EU-Agrarreform. *Wisu - Das Wirtschaftsstudium*, Stichwort des Monats, Heft 8/9, 2002, p. 1059. (German)

In addition, I have written twenty-five outreach articles in agricultural magazines with several co-authors and I have also held several presentations for farmers.

### **RESEARCH GRANTS**

*Comparing agricultural technologies by means of efficiency analysis*

Grant from the German Research Foundation, €56,800 for a 24-months-Phd position. March 2006. Together with Prof. Latacz-Lohmann, University of Kiel.

*Incidence of agricultural subsidies on land rental markets*

36-months Phd scholarship for Hendrik Habermann granted by German National Academic Foundation. Proposal was written jointly by Mr. Habermann and myself. €36,000.

*How close is the short-term relationship between crude oil price and prices of selected agricultural commodities?*

Grant from the Schaumann-Foundation, €4,800 € November 2007.

## **PROJECTS**

- April – with Prof. Latacz-Lohmann (University of Kiel) „How can arable and pig  
November 2009 farms react on price and yield risks?“ for the Edmund-Rehwinkel  
Foundation, Frankfurt, Germany. (*German*). €15,000.
- 2007 – „Profitability of rapeseed-based crop rotations“ for the largest German  
2009 rapeseed breeding company Norddeutsche Pflanzenzucht. €4,000.
- April – with Prof. Latacz-Lohmann (University of Kiel) „Optimal Degree of  
November 2005 Specialisation for Farms based Efficiency Analysis“ for the Edmund-  
Rehwinkel Foundation, Frankfurt, Germany. (*German*). €15,000.
- September 2004 with Prof. Latacz-Lohmann “Farm structure and farm characteristics –  
links to non-commodity outputs and externalities” for the OECD. €2,500.

## **REFEREE**

German Research Foundation

European Review of Agricultural Economics, Journal of Agricultural Economics, Agricultural Economics, Review of Agricultural Economics, Eurochoices, German Journal of Agricultural Economics (Agrarwirtschaft), Quarterly Journal of Agricultural Economics

Central European Journal of Operations Research, Conference of the International Association of Agricultural Economists, Annual Conference of the German Association of Agricultural Economists, Yearbook of Socioeconomics in Agriculture, Ecological Indicators, Rural Economy Research Centre of Teagasc Working Paper Series (RERC is the Irish Agriculture and Food Research Institute)