

Prof. Dr. Harald Fuhr

Joachim-Friedrich-Str. 14, 10711 Berlin, Germany, Tel. (+49) 030-84507500, Fax (+49) 030-84507501, hfuhr@uni-potsdam.de

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Since 1997 **University of Potsdam, Potsdam/ Germany**

- *Full Professor and Chair*, International Politics Department, Faculty of Economics and Social Sciences, University of Potsdam/ Germany (Professor em. since 04/2020; Principal Investigator since 01/2021)
- *Co-Director, Potsdam Center for Policy and Management* (Research, consulting, training & policy advice), University of Potsdam/ Germany (since 2000)
- *Spokesperson and Manager* (2012-2019), DFG Research Training Group “Wicked Problems, Contested Administrations: Knowledge, Coordination, Strategy“, University of Potsdam/ Germany
- *Co-Manager* (2006-2009), DFG Research Center “Governance in Areas of Limited Statehood” (Lead: Free University Berlin)
- *Vice-President* (2003-2006), University of Potsdam, for Fundraising and Knowledge Transfer

1993 – 1997: **The World Bank, Washington, D.C./ USA**

- *Sr. Public Sector Management Specialist*, Latin America and the Caribbean Region (TM for public sector reform and privatization programs)
- *Principle author, World Development Report (1997)* “The State in a Changing World”, Development Economics Department

1992/1993: **York University, Toronto/ Canada**

- *Visiting Professor*, Political Science Department

1982-1992: **University of Konstanz, Konstanz/ Germany**

- *Assistant Professor*, Faculty of Public Policy
- *Research Assistant*, International Relations Chair, Faculty of Public Policy

EDUCATION

1994 **Habilitation** in Public Policy at the University of Konstanz, Germany

1986 **PhD** (Dr. rer. soc.) at the University of Konstanz, Germany
(*Best Dissertation Award* in 1987)

1979-1982 **Latin America Scholarship** for doctoral research, awarded by the Friedrich Ebert Foundation (with research in Peru, Colombia and Bolivia)

1972-1978 **Economics, Political Science, and Sociology** at J.W. Goethe University, Frankfurt-Main, Germany; Philipps University, Marburg-Lahn, Germany; Konstanz University, Germany (**MA eq. in Political Science**, 1978)

RESEARCH PROJECTS (since 2000)

- Since 2021: “From Governance Experiments Towards Low-Carbon Transformations: The Political Institutionalization of Climate Change Mitigation in Emerging Economies”. Funded by the German Research Council (DFG)
- 2014-2019: “Climate Governance Arrangements and the Nation State: The Reconfiguration of Public Authority in Developing Countries”. Funded by the German Research Council (DFG)
- 2013-2015: “The Transition of Global Order: Contestation and Legitimacy” (funded by The Thyssen Foundation for PD Dr. M. Terhalle)
- 2011-2012: “Children in a Changing Climate” (funded by Plan International)
- 2011-2012: “REDD+ Governance”. Research funded by the German Agency for International Development (GIZ)
- 2005-2010: “Emerging Modes of Governance and Climate Protection in Newly Industrializing Countries – Brazil, China, and India”. Research project within the Research Cluster (SFB 700) „Governance in Areas of Limited Statehood” funded by the German Research Council (DFG)
- 2003-2005: “Monitoring the Impacts of Decentralization Programs and Projects on Poverty and Democratization”. Research project (with case studies on Bolivia, Ghana, Indonesia, Mali, and South Africa) funded by the German Agency for Technical Cooperation (GTZ), Bonn/Eschborn
- 2001-2004: “Multilateral Development and Domestic Policies: Public Sector Modernization in Latin America and the Caribbean. Lessons from a Decade of World Bank Assistance in the 1990s”, in cooperation with the World Bank, Washington, D.C., Latin America and the Caribbean Region/ Public Sector
- 1998 -2001: “Managing Decentralization Policies in LDCs”. Lessons from German Development Cooperation with Subnational Governments in LDCs. Funded by German Agency for Technical Cooperation (GTZ), Eschborn
- 1996-2002: “Leadership and Innovation in Subnational Government in Latin America” with Tim Campbell, World Bank Institute, World Bank, Washington, D.C.

POLICY ADVICE (since 1990)

Topics Public sector and governance reforms, privatization, decentralization reforms and local government; environmental management, climate change adaptation and mitigation (incl. REDD); small and medium enterprises development; donor coordination.

Countries Several EU member countries, Canada, USA; Afghanistan, Argentina, Bolivia, Botswana, Brasil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Egypt, Ethiopia, El Salvador, Guatemala, Guayana, South Africa, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Mexico, Mozambique, Nepal, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Peru, Venezuela

Development agencies and other organizations Asian Development Bank, Bundesministerium für Wirtschaftliche Zusammenarbeit und Entwicklung (BMZ), German Technical/ International Cooperation (GIZ/GTZ), Inter-American Development Bank, International Monetary Fund, European Commission, OECD Development Center, Plan International, United Nations Development Program, World Wildlife Fund for Nature, World Bank.

VISITING FELLOWSHIPS (since 2000)

- 2017/18 Senior Advisor, OECD Development Center, Paris
- 2009/10 Center for Global Development, Washington DC (declined/ postponed)
- 2000/2001 Alexander von Humboldt Foundation/ SAIS – Johns Hopkins University, Washington D.C. (8 month research scholarship)
- Since 2000 Guest professorships: University of Milan; Sadat Academy for Management Sciences, Cairo; Universidad de Costa Rica, San José; National Institute for Development Cooperation, Bangkok; Universitas Indonesia, Jakarta.

ADVISORY POSITIONS

- Editorial Board *International Comparative Social Studies* (Brill), Leiden, Netherlands and Boston/ USA (since 2008)
- Editorial Board *Bisnis & Birokrasi. A Journal of Administrative Sciences and Organization*, Jakarta/ Indonesia (since 2011)
- Principal Academic Advisor *Creating a Network of Higher Education Institutes in Afghanistan* (Assistance Program for Public Policy Education in Afghanistan, coordinated by the German Foreign Office and GIZ) (2012-2016)
- Academic Advisory Board, *German Institute for Global and Area Studies*, Hamburg/ Germany (2001-2009, 2 consecutive terms)
- Academic Advisory Board, *German Foundation for International Development/ Public Policy Institute*, Bonn/ Germany (1997-2001)

UNIVERSITY COURSES TAUGHT

Theories of International Politics; Development Politics and Development Theories; New Challenges for Development Cooperation; Government and Governance in Developing Countries; Global Governance and Climate Change; Managing Climate Change: Adaptation and Mitigation Policies; International Organizations

PUBLICATIONS

- 8 books (3 co-authored);
- About 90 contributions in journals and edited books (some 50 co-authored);
- About 30 development policy studies and evaluations (some 25 co-authored).