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Selected research topics and accomplishments

Topics: Research on society and climate change, societal discourses on climate change in science, politics, and the mass media; internationalization dynamics in global environmental change research; science-policy interfaces; the localization of global climate change discourses in Senegal; public perception of climate change; global and local climate governance; company behavior in carbon markets in the EU and in China.

Accomplishments: First non-commercial empirical cross-country comparison of companies in the EU ETS; representative general social survey on climate change skepticism in Germany; basic social science research as well as transdisciplinary projects.

Professional record and academic education

Since 2017	Co-Speaker, CliSAP DFG Cluster of Excellence 177
2014 – 2017	Speaker, CliSAP DFG Cluster of Excellence 177
Since 2009	Full Professor (W3), Institute for Sociology, Universität Hamburg
2005 – 2009	Junior Professor (W1), Institute of Sociology, Universität Hamburg
2004 – 2005	Substitute Assistant Professor (C1), Faculty of Sociology, Universität Bielefeld
2001 – 2004	Postdoc Researcher in projects funded by the DFG, Institute of World Society Studies, Universität Bielefeld
1999 – 2001	Postdoc at the Institute for International Studies, Stanford University, California (Fellowship awarded by the Thyssen Foundation), 18 months
1999	Dissertation, Sociology, Universität Bielefeld (summa cum laude)
1994 – 1999	Doctoral researcher in projects funded by the DFG, Center for Interdisciplinary Research (ZiF) and Institute for Science and Technology Studies (IWT), Universität Bielefeld
1994	Diploma, Sociology, Universität Bielefeld

Honors, distinctions and awards, scholarships, medals

Since 2016	Initiator of “Strategic Initiative for Climate Change and Sustainable Development”, Roundtable Series to promote research networks in sociology, political science, communication studies, economics, and ethnology, funded by DFG
Since 2016	Representative of the Centre for Globalisation and Governance, Universität Hamburg, at the German Climate Consortium (DKK)
2016 – 2018	Member of the German Committee Future Earth (DKN)
2013	Frauenförderpreis (Promotion of Women Award) of the Universität Hamburg for 5-year-research project on “Women in Cutting Edge Research”

Supervisory work

Since 2005	Supervision of 33 diploma/magister/master students, 7 PhD students, and 6 Postdocs
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10 significant publications of Prof. Dr. Anita Engels

Wang, C., **A. Engels**, Z. Wang 2018: Overview of research on China's transition to low-carbon development: the role of cities, technologies, industries and the energy system. *Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews* 81, 1, 1350-1364, <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.rser.2017.05.099>

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Engels, A. 2016: Anthropogenic climate change: how to understand the weak links between scientific evidence, public perception, and low-carbon practices. *Energy and Emission Control Technologies*, 4, 17-26, doi:10.2147/EECT.S63005

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Engels, A., L. Knoll, M. Huth, 2008: Preparing for the 'real' market: National patterns of institutional learning and company behaviour in the European Emissions Trading Scheme (EU ETS). *European Environment*, 18, 5, 276-297, doi:10.1002/eet.485

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Engels, A., 2005: The Science-Policy Interface. *The Integrated Assessment Journal*, 5, 1, 7-26

Weingart, P., **A. Engels**, P. Pansegrau, 2000: Risks of communication: Discourses on climate change in science, politics, and the mass media. *Public Understanding of Science*, 9, 261-283, doi:10.1088/0963-6625/9/3/304