



Philine Oft

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Positions Held

Date of Employment	Organization	Position Title	Description of Responsibilities
May, 2009– Current	GlobalAgRisk	Consultant, Local Coordinator in Piura, Peru	<p>Coordinating stakeholders and institutions for the implementation of the project's activities</p> <p>Translating official communications, reports, presentations, project documents and publications and during stakeholder workshops and meetings</p> <p>Helping the risk aggregators' make a risk analysis and evaluate the potential value of the ENSO product for their entity</p> <p>Planning, organizing, and moderating stakeholder workshops</p>
May, 2007– March, 2009	United Nations University, Institute for Environment and Human Security (UNU-EHS)	Research Associate in Bonn, Germany	<p>Representing UNU-EHS at the Climate Negotiations COP 14 in Poznan, Poland</p> <p>Writing of project proposals, mainly in the topic of micro-insurance tools in relation with adaptation to climate risks</p> <p>Project management and coordination of actors and institutions for joint project management and implementation</p>

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Sept., 2007– May, 2008	Department of Geography of the University of Bonn and the United Nations University Institute for Environment and Human Security (UNU-EHS)	PhD Field Research in Piura, Peru	Field research for data collection for the PhD Performing household survey of 500 households in rural areas Organizing and moderating participatory workshops and focus-group discussions related to adaptation to climate risks and financial instruments for the agricultural sector Cooperating with GTZ, municipal banks of Piura and Sullana, and the National University in Piura
June, 2006– June, 2007	IP Consult, Eco-Consult, Ambero Consulting	Consultant in Germany	Contributing to and writing of project offers and proposals Monitoring and evaluation of projects
Aug., 2004– May, 2006	IP Consult, German Technical Cooperation (GTZ)	Junior Professional in Piura, Peru	Organizing and moderating training and capacity development events in disaster risk management Knowledge management and systematization of experiences Planning and managing the regional budget and supervising local subsidies Editing and translating documents and publications to German, French, English, and Spanish, and updating website
May–July, 2004	German Technical Cooperation (GTZ) Sector Project, Disaster Risk Management	Intern in Eschborn, Germany	Planning and documenting the conference, <i>Network International Cooperation in Conflicts and Disasters</i> Researching the practical integration of disaster risk management tools in development planning
Sept., 2002– Dec., 2003	Alliance Française de La Haye	Teacher, French Language, The Hague, NL	Teaching French to students at different levels Business French

Education

Dr.rer.nat.	2009	Human Geography, University of Bonn, Germany
M.A.	2003	Local and Regional Development, Institute of Social Studies, The Hague, NL
B.A.	2001	Political Science, McGill University, Montreal, Canada

Representative Publications

- Oft, Philine (2009) Can resilience be built through micro-finance tools? A case study of coping and adaptation strategies to climate-related shocks in Piura, Peru, PhD Thesis, University of Bonn.
http://hss.ulb.uni-bonn.de/diss_online/math_nat_fak/2009/oft_philine/
- Oft, Philine & Tsuma, William (2006) 'Mobilizing resilience from below' — Linking institutions to actors and knowledge to decisions. A case of the Netherlands. First Place Termpaper 2006 at the Centre for Development Research (ZEF), Bonn, Germany.
<http://www.zef.de/termpapers.0.html>
- Oft, Philine (2003) 'Possibilities and Preconditions for Promoting the Cultural Heritage of Haiti for Local Economic Development (LED)', MA Thesis, Institute of Social Studies, The Hague, Netherlands.