

Personal Data

Name Ute Reckers
Nationality German

Education

1984 – 1992

M.Sc Geography, University Bonn

Competencies

- Project Management
- Quality management ISO 9001, FMEA and Six Sigma
- Monitoring & Evaluation (M&E)
- Management of Natural Resources
- Participatory Planning
- Environmental and Social Safeguarding
- Spatial Analysis (GIS)

SPECIAL EXPERIENCE

- Certified in Capacity Works – Practical Project Planning and Management Tool
- Intercultural Communication
- Longterm and Shortterm Assignments in Development Cooperation

LANGUAGE KNOWLEDGE

- **German** Mother Tongue
- **English** Proficient
- **French** Proficient
- **Spanish** Very good

Personality

- Commitment to high quality standards
- Analytical, conceptual and holistic thinking
- Independent, responsible and precise working style
- Efficient work organization and result orientation
- Highly committed, motivated, and flexibility

COMPUTER SOFTWARE SKILLS

- Microsoft Office, MS-Project
- Adobe Photoshop
- Websites: HTML, PHP, CMS, Word Press, Database

Interests and Hobbies

- Nature Conservation and Nature Experience
- Fotography und Image Processing
- Mountaineering and Climbing
- Statistic, Maths and Logic
- Flamenco and Tribal Dance
- Creative Webpage Design

Professional Career

May 2009 – date

GITEC-IGIP Consult, Cologne

Project Manager:

- Project Proposals

- Project Design, Budget Planning
- Project Administration, Accounting
- Project Backstopping, Quality Control
- Contract Negotiation
- Progress and Result-Based Monitoring

Mai 2006 – April 2007

PEM Consult, Düsseldorf

Project Coordinator:

- EU Framework Contract Management

Mai 2006 – April 2007

GOPA Consult, Bad Homburg

Consultant for projects in West Africa:

- Factfinding, Project Proposals
- Project Backstopping
- Workshop Facilitation

Januar 1997 – August 1999

ECO Consulting, Oberaula

Technical Advisor in a GIZ Project Conservation and Management of Natural Resources in Mayo-Kebbi, Chad:

- Organisational Development
- Selfhelp Promotion, Gender
- Conflict Management
- Result-Based Monitoring

Januar 1993 – November 1996

UNEP Nairobi, Kenia

Junior Professional Officer (JPO) in the United Nations Secretariat to Combat Desertification:

- Facilitation of national endeavours to commit to international treaties for desertification control

April 1992 – December 1992

GIZ Pilot Project 'Conservation of the Environment and Natural Resources', Bonn

Consultant:

- Statistical assessment of German Contribution to the Conservation of Tropical Rainforests and to Desertification Control

October 1990 – January 1991

GTZ Project "Kenya Rangeland Management Handbook", Kenya

Consultant:

- Assessment and mapping for the Rangeland Management Handbook on drought resilience management strategies and migration patterns of the nomadic pastoralists in Baringo District, Kenya.

September 1989 – April 1990

German Agro Action "Food Security Project in Baringo District, Kenya

Empirical Study for Master Thesis:

- Risk and resource management strategies of the East-Pokot nomads, mapping of their migration circles to cope with dry seasons, droughts and climate change.

October 1987 – April 1988

Sociedad Conservacionista de Aragua, Maracay, Venezuela

Internship in Venezuela:

- Nationalpark management ("Henry Pittier") and environmental impact assessment study (Rio Turmero).