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CURRENT POSITION	<p>Umweltbundesamt – German Federal Environment Agency FG 11.6 KomPass – Center for Climate Impacts and Adaptation Implements a doctorate research within System-Risk, a Marie Skłodowska-Curie European Training Network, which aims to develop and implement a systems approach for large scale flood risk assessment and management.</p>
QUALIFICATION	<p>MS in Technology and Resources Management in the Tropics and Subtropics (Specialization: Water Resources Management), 2010 – 2012 Cologne University of Applied Sciences, Cologne, Germany Vietnam Academy for Water Resources, Hanoi, Vietnam Supported by German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Thesis: The Political Ecology of Transboundary Water Development in the Srepok River Basin (Cambodia and Vietnam)</p> <p>MS in Social Development, 2005 – 2008 Ateneo de Manila University, Quezon City, Philippines Supported by Ford Foundation Recipient, Graduate Research Award 2008 Thesis: The Social Construction of an Urban Riverine Slum Environment: Dweller and Outsider Knowledge of Mangonbangon River, Tacloban City</p>
RECENT PROFESSIONAL / VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE	<p>United Nations Development Programme, Fiji and Nauru UNV - Project Management Unit (PMU) Advisor, Jan 2016 – Mar 2016 Deployed as a specialist United Nations Volunteer to provide management oversight and direct technical support to Nauru Ridge-to-Reef, a GEF project. Also provided IM support to the Pacific Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs for the Cyclone Winston response.</p> <p>United Nations Children’s Fund, Manila, Philippines Programme Specialist (Disaster Risk Reduction), Feb 2014 – Jan 2015 Led the development and management of child-centred DRR portfolio within UNICEF’s Strategic Response Plan to Typhoon Haiyan: Disaster Response and Building Resilience in the Philippines. Also trained as trainer in Emergency Preparedness and Response (particularly on risk-informed programming) and in Ecosystem-based DRR.</p> <p>United Nations World Food Programme, Manila, Philippines Institutional Partnership Specialist, Apr 2013 – Jan 2014 Built effective partnerships among academe, nongovernment organisations, local government units and private sector for small scale but high impact projects for the Disaster Preparedness and Response / Climate Change Adaptation Programme. Also deployed for field response to rapid onset emergencies: Bohol earthquake and Typhoon Haiyan.</p> <p>John J. Carroll Institute on Church and Social Issues, QC, Philippines Project Officer, Environmental Economics and Policy, Sep 2007 – Feb 2010 Implemented research, advocacy and capacity building projects on climate change adaptation and climate justice. Also seconded to Carbon Finance Solutions, Inc. to develop Clean Development Mechanism (CDM) projects.</p>