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HELVETAS Swiss Intercooperation

Co-Team Leader Rural Economy (since 1.07.11)

Team leader Organic and Fair Trade Competence Centre (OFTCC) (65%),
Thematic Coordinator Value Chains (25%), (2006-2011)

Educational background: MSc Environmental Science, PhD natural sciences/socio-economy, NADEL Post Graduate Certificate Course

Years of professional experience: 15

Years in development/international cooperation: 11

Year started in organisation: 2006

Thematic competences: Organic agriculture, fair trade, value chains, market development, certification and internal control systems, sustainable livelihoods

Process competences: Value chain facilitation, business planning, knowledge sharing facilitation, livelihood studies, impact assessment

Country experience long term (> 6 months): Germany, India, Switzerland

Country experience short term (1 to 6 months): India, Mali, Burkina Faso, Senegal, Benin

Mother tongue / other working languages: German / English, French, Hindi

Other experience: Worked six years at the Research Institute of Organic Agriculture (FiBL) in the International Cooperation Group; PhD on the impact of organic cotton production on the livelihoods of smallholders in India, at CDE (University of Berne) and NADEL (ETH)