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WORK EXPERIENCE

From 08/2024	**Jun.-Professor,** Chair of Food Economics & Policy, University of Göttingen, Germany
2021 – 2024	**Research Associate**, Agroscope – Switzerland
2021 – 2021	**Africa Fellow,** The World Bank Group (Agriculture & Food GP), Washington DC, USA
2016 – 2021	University of Göttingen – Germany
	Postdoctoral Researcher, Centre for Biodiversity and Sustainable Land Use
	Doctoral Researcher, Research Training Group "GlobalFood"
	Teaching Assistant, Chair of Agricultural Market Analysis

EDUCATION

University of Göttingen, Germany

2020 PhD (summa cum laude), Agricultural Economics
Thesis: Trade and welfare effects of standards in agricultural markets *[pdf]*
— winner of the RTG GlobalFood Best Dissertation Award

2016 MSc. SIA (International Agribusiness and Rural Development Economics)

University of Ghana, Legon – Ghana

2012 BSc. Agriculture (Agribusiness)

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

16. **Fiankor, D-D. D.**, Dalheimer, B., and Mack, G. (2024). Pesticide regulatory heterogeneity, foreign sourcing and global agricultural value chains. *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*, forthcoming.

15. Lin, J., **Fiankor, D-D. D.**, and Rosero G. (2024). Revisiting the role of governance and institutions on agricultural production. *Journal of the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association*. 3(3): 556-571

14. Ritzel, C., and **Fiankor, D-D. D.** (2024). How do non-reciprocal trade preferences affect the food exports and food availability per capita of Global South countries? *Global Food Security*. 42: 100800.

13. **Fiankor, D-D. D.**, Dalheimer, B., Curzi, D., Hoffmeister, O., and Brümmer, B. (2024). Does it matter how we ship the good apples out? On specific tariffs, transport mode and agricultural export prices. *Agricultural Economics*. 55(3): 498–514

12. Chen, Y., **Fiankor, D-D. D.,** and Fuli. T. (2024). Assessing the effect of the Round Table on Responsible Soy certification on soybean exports. *The World Economy*. 47(7): 2970–2994.

11. Afesorgbor, S., **Fiankor, D-D. D.**, and Demenya, B. (2024). Do regional trade agreements affect agri-food trade? Evidence from meta-analysis. *Applied Economic Perspectives and Policy*. 46(2): 737–759

10. Martey, E., Onumah, E.E., Onumah, A.J., and **Fiankor, D-D. D.** (2024). Non-tariff measures and household welfare: evidence from Ghana. *Journal of International Development*, 36(2): 1150–1169

9. **Fiankor, D-D. D.**, Lartey, A., and Ritzel, C., (2023). Agri-food importing firms amid a global health crisis. *Food Policy*. 119: 102507

8. Chen, Y., **Fiankor, D-D. D.,** Kuan, K. and Zhang, Q. (2023). Assessing the role of institutional effectiveness on carbon sequestration: the case of China's Nature Reserve Policy. *China Agricultural Economic Review*, 15(4): 777–794

7. **Fiankor, D-D. D.** and Santeramo, F. G. (2023). Revisiting the impact of per-unit tariffs on agricultural export prices. *Applied Economic Perspectives and Policy*, 45(3), 1472–1492

6. **Fiankor, D-D. D.** (2023). Distance to destination and export price variation within agri-food firms. *European Review of Agricultural Economics,* 50(2): 563–590

5. Tchakounte, A.D., and **Fiankor, D-D. D.** (2021). Trade cost and demand-enhancing effects of standards in agrifood trade: consequences for Sub-Saharan Africa. *Journal of African Trade*, 8(1): 51–64

4. **Fiankor, D-D. D.**, Curzi, D., and Olper, A. (2021). Trade, price and quality upgrading effects of agrifood standards. *European Review of Agricultural Economics*, 48(4): 835–877

3. **Fiankor, D-D. D.**, Haase, O-K., and Brümmer, B. (2021). The heterogeneous effects of standards on agricultural trade flows. *Journal of Agricultural Economics*, 72(3): 25–46

2. **Fiankor, D-D. D.**, Flachsbarth, I., Masood, A., and Brümmer, B. (2020). Does GlobalGAP certification promote agricultural exports? *European Review of Agricultural Economics*, 47(1): 247–272

1. **Fiankor, D-D. D.**, Martínez-Zarzoso, I., and Brümmer, B. (2019). Exports and governance: the role of private voluntary agrifood standards. *Agricultural Economics*, 50(3): 341–352

Policy Reports and Permanent Working Papers

3. **D-D. D. Fiankor** (2023). Estimating ad valorem equivalents for non-tariff measures in Swiss Agriculture. *Agroscope Science*, 156: 1–35.

2. Berger, J., B. Brümmer, **D-D. D. Fiankor** and T. Kopp (2021). Sugar Market Policies in the EU and International Sugar Trade. Department of Agricultural Economics and Rural Development Working Paper 2105, University of Göttingen.

1. Sumberg, J., Awo, M., **Fiankor, D-D. D.**, Kwadzo, G.T-M. and Thompson, J. (2013). Ghana's Poultry Sector: Limited Data, Conflicting Narratives, Competing Visions, STEPS Working Paper 56, Brighton: STEPS Centre

Work in Progress

- Food production shocks and agricultural supply elasticities in Sub-Saharan Africa (with Bernhard Dalheimer)

- Unraveling the relationship between global wheat market determinants and the price of pasta exports (with Daniele Curzi and Daniele Valenti)
- Pesticide regulatory homogeneity and firms' import decision (with Anirudh Shingal) — *R&R at Journal of Agricultural Economics*

Teaching Experience (Graduate Level)

2024	Guest lecture: *Erasmus University of Rotterdam, The Netherlands*
2023	Guest lecture: *University of Guelph, Canada*, (Host: Prof. Sylvanus Afesorgbor)
2021	Visiting Professor: *Università di Foggia, Italy*, (Host: Prof. Fabio G. Santeramo)
2018, 2020	Visiting Lecturer: *University of Stellenbosch, South Africa* (Host: Dr. Cecilia Punt)
2017 – 2020	Teaching Assistant: *University of Goettingen, Germany*
	— Data Analysis with R in Agricultural Economics
	— World Agricultural Markets and Trade
	— Agricultural Price Theory and Market Risk

Supervision (Master thesis)

University of Göttingen, Germany

2017	Developments in world trade of crude coconut oil — Mr. Josia Anajohn
2019	The effect of standard-like NTMs on OECD imports — Mr. Aristide Tchakounte
2020	NRPTAs and Sub-Saharan Africa's agricultural exports — Mr. Solomon Appiah Kubi
2022	How does trade openness affect emissions from agriculture? — Ms. Marie Helene Kammer

Scholarships, Grants, Awards and Fellowships

2021	World Bank Africa Fellow, Washington DC, USA *[link]*
2021	Best PhD Dissertation Award – RTG GlobalFood, University of Goettingen, Germany
2018, 2020	EU Erasmus+ grant for teaching – University of Stellenbosch, South Africa
2018, 2019	Visiting Researcher – University of Milano, Italy. *[Host: Prof. Alessandro Olper]*
2016 – 2019	Doctoral Study Scholarship (EUR 33,300) – KAAD, Germany
2014 – 2015	MA Study Scholarship (EUR 11,250) – ICDD, University of Kassel, Germany

Invited talks (†keynote)

2024	Research Seminar Economics, University of Siegen, Germany
2023	Internal seminar (Instituto Nacional de Tecnología Agropecuaria), Argentina
2022	FRIES seminar, ETH Zurich, Switzerland
2021	The Agricultural & Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting (Texas, USA)
2020	IV Congress on Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness, University of Costa Rica†

Conferences and Seminar Presentations

2024	187th Seminar of the European Association of Agricultural Economists (Frick, Switzerland), 32nd International Conference of Agricultural Economists (New Delhi, India)

2023 Swiss Society for Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology (Zurich, Switzerland); Italian Association of Agricultural and Applied Economics Conference (Milano, Italy); Congress of the European Association of Agricultural Economists (Rennes, France); International Agricultural Trade Research Consortium Meeting (Florida, USA)

2022 Swiss Society for Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology (Frick, Switzerland); AgEcon Meeting (Goettingen, Germany); Annual Conference of the Agricultural Economics Society (Leuven, Belgium); The Agricultural & Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting (Anaheim, USA)

2021 Agroeconet (ETH Zurich, Switzerland); The World Bank Group Africa Fellowship BBL Series (Washington DC, USA);International Agricultural Trade Research Consortium (IATRC) Meeting (San Diego, USA)

2019 Tropentag (University of Kassel, Germany); 6th African Conference of Agricultural Economists (Abuja, Nigeria); Department of Environmental Science and Policy Seminar (University of Milano, Italy)

2018 30th International Conference of Agricultural Economists (Vancouver, Canada); Department of Environmental Science and Policy Seminar (University of Milano, Italy); 20th Göttingen Workshop "Internationale Wirtschaftsbeziehungen" (Göttingen, Germany)

2017 19th Annual European Trade Study Group Conference, Florence – Italy

2016 18th Annual European Trade Study Group Conference, Helsinki – Finland

2013 University of Ghana 65th Anniversary, CACS Colloquium, Accra – Ghana

Professional Affiliations

— Agricultural Economics Society	2024
— Agricultural and Applied Economics Association	2024
— European Association of Agricultural Economists	2023 – 2025
— International Association of Agricultural Economists	2024 – 2027

Professional Service

— Section Editor (Agricultural Economics), *Journal of Applied Economics*	2023 –

Consultancy Service

— The World Bank Group (Office of the Chief Economist, Africa Region)	2023 – 2024
— United Nations Commission for Trade and Development	2022 – 2023
— The World Bank Group (Agriculture & Food Global Practice)	2021

References

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