

Dr. Ursula A. Vavrik - Publications

- 2015** “Spouses’ role in delegations in a modern diplomacy context – A contribution to fostering internal Corporate and Social Responsibility (CSR) and EU Public Diplomacy, EUFN Newsletter, March 2015, Brussels
- 2014** “La politica del medioambiente en la Unión Europea”, in “Tendencias sobre la integración medioambiental en Norteamérica y en la Unión Europea”, UNAM, Mexico
- 2009:** “Reflections: towards a new European land use policy”, in Seminar Report “Land Use in an Era of Global Change”, EEAC Working Group Agriculture and Land Use, June 2009, Brussels
- 2008:** “Safeguarding European Public Interest: the Role of EU Financing”, co-author, theme paper for the EEAC 2008 annual conference ‘Sustaining Europe for a Long Way Ahead: making long-term sustainable development policies work’, European Environment and Sustainable Development Advisory Councils, October 2008, Brussels
- 2007:** “Biodiversity and rural development in a changing global agricultural commodity market – biodiversity and energy plants”, speech, in: conference proceedings, 3rd European GMO Free-Regions Conference , April 2007, Brussels
- 2007:** “Crimes against the Environment: EEB welcomes new proposal”, in Metamorphosis N°45, April 2007, Brussels
- 2007:** Contributions to several EEB press releases such as “Put environment policy at the heart of the EU project” (May 2007), “Tapping the benefits: Failing to ensure clean water will cost EU citizens dear” (March 2007), Brussels
- 2004:** Contributions to 'Encyclopaedia of Capitalism' (Austrian School of Economics, Sustainable Development, Carrying Capacity, Joseph Stiglitz), Facts on File/Ferguson Publishing, New York, USA
- 2004:** “Applying Popperian Thoughts to Today’s Political Environment – A Plea for More Intellectual and Political Responsibility to Achieve Sustainable Development”, abstract contributed to ‘Philosophy: Problems, Aims, Responsibilities’, a conference to mark the tenth anniversary of the death of Karl Popper, University of Warwick, September 2004, UK
- 2004:** 'Philosophical Fundamentals for Sustainable Development – Implications of Popperian Thoughts' (on the basis of a paper prepared for the Karl Popper Centenary Congress 2002/Vienna), contribution to 'Integrierte Landnutzung und Ökologisierung des Donauraumes', Institut für den Donauraum und Mitteleuropa (IDM), Der Donauraum Series 44 1-2, pp 10-13 , Vienna
- 2002:** 'Philosophical Fundamentals for Sustainable Development – Implications of Popperian Thoughts', abstract, in: conference proceedings, Karl Popper Centenary Congress 2002, Vienna

- 1999-2001/2004-2005:** Contributions to following main EU-policy papers: EU Strategy for Sustainable Development (I and II), EU Strategy for Biological Diversity, EU-Programme for Climate Change, 6th Environmental Action Programme, first EU Report on Sustainable Land Use (main responsible person from the Commission side), EU Framework Program for Sustainable Cities, Communication on Air Transport and Environment, ICAO Communication; Brussels
- 2000:** "Automatic Interaction Detection", contribution to 'Encyclopaedia of Tourism', Jafar Jafari, Routledge, UK
- 1993:** „Systemorientierte Konzepte und multivariate Methoden als Optimierungsansätze im kundenorientierten Tourismusmanagement“, in: A. Zins (Editor), Strategisches Management im Tourismus, Springers Kurzlehrbücher der Wirtschaftswissenschaften, Springer-Verlag Wien New York
- 1992:** Contribution to the UNDP Development Cooperation Report/Kenya (main author), Nairobi/Kenya
- 1990:** "A Priori and A Posteriori Travel Market Segmentation: Tailoring Automatic Interaction Detection and Cluster Analysis for Tourism Marketing", co-author, in: Cahiers du Tourisme, Série C, No.62, Centre des Hautes Etudes Touristiques, Aix-en-Provence, June 1990
- 1990:** "Segmentierung von Tourismuskäufen - eine Renaissance des Automatischen Interaktionsdetektors", in: Der Markt, Nr 113, Zeitschrift für Absatzwirtschaft und Marketing, Österreichische Gesellschaft für Absatzwirtschaft, Vienna/Austria
- 1990:** "Marktsegmentierung mit dem Automatischen Interaktionsdetektor, Methodische Fortschritte – Reflexe im Tourismus", doctoral thesis, in: Forschungsergebnisse der Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien (Rudolf Sallinger-Prize for outstanding research in the field of economic and social sciences);1990, Vienna/Austria
- 1987:** Contribution to the UNDP Development Cooperation Report/Mozambique; Mozambique

Main fields of research:

- Sustainable Development in North and South
- International Corporations and Sustainable Development
- International Conventions and Sustainable Development
- Financial Markets and Sustainable Development
- Regional Integration and Sustainable Development
- Sustainable City/Land Use Planning
- Environmental Management

- Economic Valuation of natural resources/internalisation of external costs/enhanced GDP
- Sustainable nutrition (anti-cancer nutrition)