Professor Stefan Schaltegger

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(and August 2011 – January 2012 sporadically)

Professor Stefan Schaltegger spent a large part of his sabbatical at the Centre for Accounting, Governance and Sustainability (CAGS) at the University of South Australia collaborating with various researchers and presenting twice in a CAGS research seminar and a researchers’ workshop conveyed by Professor Lee Parker.

Stefan is the head of the Centre for Sustainability Management at Leuphana University Lueneburg, Germany, was vice-president research and delegate of the president’s office for research of Leuphana University between 2006 and 2010. He has published extensively together with Roger Burritt for more than a decade. Roger and Stefan used the time to jointly work on various papers in the area of sustainability accounting practice, sustainability management control, sustainability accounting for biomass and carbon accounting.

An intense two year research collaboration has been formally set up with an EU project on creating sustainable biokerosene. Roger’s part in collaboration with Stefan is to think through the strengths and weaknesses of existing approaches to measure sustainability impacts of plant oil production for biofuel and biokerosene uses, and to develop new sustainability accounting and measurement approaches. The finalization of another long research project on Environmental Management Accounting in South East Asia, funded by the German Ministry for Development Aid, has resulted in various journal publications and a case study book. The case study book (Herzig, C.; Viere, T.; Schaltegger, S. & Burritt, R., 2012, Environmental Management Accounting. Case Studies of South East Asian Companies, Routledge) was finalized with the editing support of Amanda Carter and various colleagues of CAGS. The book offers a unique collection of in depth case studies on EMA practice and a discussion of applicability of the EMA framework which Roger, Stefan and Tobias Hahn developed a decade ago.

A focus of Stefan’s work when staying with CAGS was on developing innovative special issues with Roger. A special issue on “Sustainability Accounting for the Industrial Use of Biomass” of the Sustainability Accounting Management and Policy Journal (SAMPJ) is scheduled for late 2012/early 2013. The Call for Papers of an additional special issue on “Managing and Measuring Sustainability Performance of Supply Chains” for Supply Chain Management. An International Journal has been announced and one with the British Accounting Review has been accepted and will be published soon.

Emerging from the research discussions Dr Amanda Carter, Dr Sumit Lodhia, Dr Wei Qian, Jo Tingey-Holyoak and Dr Basil Tucker started to engage with new publications with Stefan.

Stefan met regularly with staff and students at CAGS including: Professor Roger Burritt, Professor Lee Parker, Professor Janek Ratnatung, Associate Professor Susan Lambert, Dr Amanda Carter, Dr Sumit Lodhia, Dr Kym Thorne, Dr Basil Tucker, Dr Wei Qian, Jin Chen, Dr Elvia Shauki, Joanne Tingey-Holyoak, Associate Professor Margaret Lightbody, Tony Lewis, and the following visitors to CAGS: Professor James Guthrie (visiting), Professor Don Huisingh (visiting), Professor Ken McPhail (visiting), Rosanna Spanno (visiting). In addition he met Associate Professor Glen Lehman, Claudine Soothsay and Tony Lewis.

Various further and more spontaneous shorter and longer research discussions with PhD students and researchers are not specifically listed here.