

Curriculum Vitae



Dr. Karen Brune

Professional experiences:

2024 – present: Sustainability Manager at Koelnmesse GmbH

2022 – 2023: Specialist Corporate Responsibility at Aldi Süd

2016 – 2018 : Research Assistent at consumer center NRW

2005 – 2015: PhD in Environmental- and Health Science at University of Bielefeld

About:

Dr. Karen Brune is an Environmental and Health Scientist with a strong focus on developing, enhancing, and optimizing corporate sustainability strategies. Drawing on an interdisciplinary background in sustainability, health, science, and communication, she supports businesses in aligning economic growth with ecological and social responsibility.

In her role as a Corporate Responsibility Specialist at ALDI SÜD, she contributed to advancing and implementing the company's sustainability strategy, gaining valuable experience in embedding responsibility into core business processes.

Nowadays she is developing and implementing sustainability reporting in line with CSRD as the Sustainability Manager at Koelnmesse. In this role she is also responsible for coordinating footprint calculations, serves as the contact person for both internal and external sustainability matters and contributes to association work. Furthermore, she evaluates and implements sustainability certifications.