Prof. Dr. Oliver B. Büttner - Curriculum Vitae

Professor of Economic and Consumer Psychology

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Research Interests

visual attention and eye tracking, impulsive buying and self-control, motivation and goals, retail environments and in-store marketing, sustainable consumption

Five Key Publications

- Riefler, P., Büttner, O. B., & Davvetas, V. (2024). Indulge or reduce? A cross-country investigation of consumption patterns following pandemic lockdowns. *Journal of International Marketing*, 32(2), 49-64.
- Streicher, M. C., Estes, Z., & Büttner, O. B. (2021). Exploratory shopping: Attention affects in-store exploration and unplanned purchasing. *Journal of Consumer Research*, 48, 51-67.
- Büttner, O. B., Wieber, F., Schulz, A. M., Bayer, U. C., Florack, A., & Gollwitzer, P. M. (2014). Visual attention and goal pursuit: Deliberative versus implemental mindsets affect breadth of attention. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin, 40*(10), 1248-1259.
- Büttner, O. B., Florack, A., Leder, H., Paul, M. A., Serfas, B. G., & Schulz, A. M. (2014). Hard to ignore: Impulsive buyers show an attentional bias in shopping situations. *Social Psychological and Personality Science*, 5(3), 343-351.
- Büttner, O. B. & Göritz, A. S. (2008). Perceived trustworthiness of online shops. *Journal of Consumer Behaviour*, 7(1), 35-50.

Professional Experience

since 2016	Professor (W2) of Economic Psychology, Department of Computer Science and Applied Cognitive Science, University of Duisburg-Essen, Germany
2014 – 2015	Visiting professor, Chair of Marketing and Consumer Behavior, Zeppelin University, Friedrichshafen, Germany
2010 – 2016	Assistant professor, Applied Social Psychology and Consumer Research, Department of Psychology, University of Vienna, Austria
2008 – 2010	Assistant professor, Strategic Communication, Zeppelin University, Friedrichshafen, Germany
2002 – 2008	Research and teaching associate, Institute of Marketing and Retailing, University of Göttingen, Germany

Education

2018	Habilitation (venia docendi) in Psychology, University of Vienna, Austria.
2008	PhD in marketing/economic sciences (Dr. rer. pol.), University of Göttingen, Germany.
2002	Diplom (M.Sc. equivalent) in psychology (minor: computer science) at the University of Erlangen-Nürnberg, Germany

Research Grants (selection)

2021 – 2023	Fast Fashion, Fast Decisions – Consumer psychology interventions to promote sustainable and conscious purchasing decisions in fashion retailing, funded by the German Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Nuclear Safety and Consumer Protection (BMUV)
2017 – 2020	Social Media, Distraction, and Self-Regulation; German Research Foundation (DFG), additionally funded project within the research training group User-Centered Social Media (GRK 2167/1)
2011 – 2014	Marie Curie Career Integration Grant, European Union. Project "IPOROSOCIP: Impulse Purchases and Overspending: The Role of Shopping Orientations and Consumer Information Processing" (FP7-PEOPLE-2011-CIG-293577).

Awards and Honors (selection)

2023	Best Retail Paper Award 2023, Retail & Pricing SIG, American Marketing Association (AMA) for the article: Streicher, M. C., Estes, Z., & Büttner, O. B. (2021). Exploratory shopping: Attention affects in-store exploration and unplanned purchasing. <i>Journal of Consumer Research</i> , 48, 51-76.
2019	Best Teacher Award 2019, Fachschaft Angewandte Kognitions- und Medienwissenschaft (KOMEDIA)
2009	Preis der Deutschen Marktforschung "Nachwuchsforscher 2009" (2. Preis) [German Market Research Award "Young Scientist 2009"] awarded for the dissertation by Berufsverband Deutscher Markt- und Sozialforscher e.V. (BVM) and Verband der Marktforscher Österreich (VMÖ)

Membership in Expert Boards

Since 2023	Member of the Sachverständigenrat für Verbraucherfragen [Advisory Council for Consumer Affairs] at the German Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Nuclear Safety and Consumer Protection (BMUV)
2011 – 2015	Member of the coordination committee of the <i>Netzwerk Verbraucherforschung</i> [network consumer research], appointed by the German Federal Ministry of Justice and Consumer Protection (BMJV)

Reviewing (selection)

Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG, German Research Foundation); Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council Canada; National Science Center Poland

Cognitive, Affective, and Behavioral Neurosciences; Computers in Human Behavior; European Journal of Marketing; European Journal of Personality; Journal of Consumer Behaviour; Journal of Consumer Policy; Journal of Consumer Psychology; Journal of Economic Psychology; Journal of Experimental Social Psychology; Journal of Psychology; Journal of Retailing and Consumer Services; Social Psychology

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