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site-adapted, sustainable land use, esp. production of biomass as raw materials; nature protection and biomass use from marginal lands, esp. peatlands; economic evaluation of land use on farm scale, land use and landscape analysis; ground water and solute movement models, soil physics		
Short Description of your Institution:		
<p>The working group for peatland studies and palaeoecology is a department at the Institute for Botany and landscape ecology at Greifswald University. Our department studies peatlands in an integrative way at the crossroads between:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • palaeo-ecology (palynology, macro remain analysis, geochemistry) • ecology (bio indicators, peat formation and accumulation) • landscape ecology (eco-hydrology, mire and landscape development, human impact, climate change) • nature conservation (classification, biodiversity, restoration) • wise use (paludiculture, Reed- and Sphagnum cultivation). <p>https://botanik.uni-greifswald.de/en/peatland-studies-and-palaeoecology/</p> <p>Together with the Institute for sustainable development of landscapes (DUENE e.V.) and the Michael Succow Foundation Greifswald University is one column of the Greifswald Mire Centre.</p>		
Role in the project:		
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