

## Biography

**Christian Felber** (9 December 1972, Salzburg) is a university professor of economics, Austrian, dancer, writer and popularizer in matters of economics and sociology. He is a specialist in sustainable economy and alternatives for the financial markets. Has developed a new economic model international organization to be known as the economy of the common good (Gemeinwohl-Ökonomie). He is a founding member of the global justice movement [Attac](#) in Austria and initiator of the so-called Democratic Banking.

Felber studied in Vienna and Madrid, Philology, spanish and political science, as well as psychology and sociology. He graduated in 1996 with a master's degree in Philology. Since then she has worked as a freelance writer. Felber is an active member of [Attac](#) in Austria from the year 2000 to the year 2003, of the organization of which he was a member of the board and spokesman until the year 2004, is currently the spokesperson. From the autumn of 2008 is professor of economics at the University of Vienna (Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien).

The 31 of October 2008 (Day of the Protestant Reformation) next to Frank Crusemann Collection, Ulrich Duchrow, Heino Falcke, Kuno Fussel, Detlef Katterle Hensche, Siegfried, Arne Manzeschke, Silke Niemeyer, Segbers, Ton veerkamp Franz and Karl Georg Zinn were the first signatories of the Frieden mit dem Kapital? Ein Aufruf wider Die Anpassung der Evangelischen Kirche an die Macht der Wirtschaft. ('in peace with the Capital? An appeal against the regularization of the Evangelical Church and the power of the economy)

In 2009 he co-founded the Bewegungsstiftung Österreich (Austria), and in 2010 began the Democratic Banking project. Together with a group of entrepreneurs Felber developed the model known as the Common Good economy or economy of the public welfare, as a theoretical alternative to capitalism and the market economy.

In 2010 the magazine lifestyle at its annual call for representatives of civil society in sustainable economy together with the Austrian Association of Public Relations nominated Felber as a communicator of the year.

Christian Felber is a dancer of contemporary dance from 2004, an activity that aligns with the teacher and popularizer of the theory of the Economy of the Common Good.