

Academic positions

2019.03–*present*: Professor, Centre for Journalism, University of Southern Denmark

2016.01–2019.02: Professor with special responsibilities, Centre for Journalism, University of Southern Denmark

2012.04–2015.12: Associate Professor, Centre for Journalism, University of Southern Denmark

2012.09–2013.01: 'Gastprofessor', Institute of Mass Communication and Media Research (IPMZ), University of Zurich, Switzerland

2009.06–2012.03: Assistant Professor, Centre for Journalism, University of Southern Denmark

2009.02–2009.05: Research Assistant, Centre for Journalism, University of Southern Denmark

Academic degrees

2009: Ph.D., University of Southern Denmark

2006: M.Sc. in Political Science, University of Aarhus, Denmark

2003: B.Sc. in Political Science, University of Aarhus, Denmark

Awards and honours (selection)

2019: Fyens Stiftstidendes Forskerpris

2012: Young Elite Researcher Award, Danish Research Council (DFF)

1998: Invited to the official celebrations of the German national day, "Tag der Deutschen Einheit" (for voluntary school political activity)

1998: Received in audience by Her Majesty Queen Ingrid, awarded a travel grant from Ingrid Fonden for Sønderjylland (for voluntary school political activity)

Larger research and teaching grants

2020-2023: NORFACE: 1,495,768 EUR (~11,150,000 DKK), project leader

2019–2022: Danish Environmental Protection Agency: 2,827,983 DKK (~380,000 EUR), PI

2018–2020: Danish Ministry of Culture, Sydslesvigudvalget: 320,900 DKK (~43,000 EUR) (with Grænseforeningen and Flensborg Avis)

2014-2018: European Cooperation in the field of Scientific and Technical Research, COST: ~167,000 € p.a., co-applicant (PI: Prof Toril Aalberg, NTNU Trondheim)

2012–2014: Danish Research Council (Social Sciences, Sapere Aude): 998,028 DKK (~134,000 €), individual applicant

2012–2014: Danish Research Council (Social Sciences): 2,396,033 DKK (~322,000 €), individual applicant

2012–2013: EU INTERREG 4A South Denmark-Schleswig-K.E.R.N. program: 2,513,205 DKK (337,343 €), joint application with Prof Tobias Hochscherf, University of Applied Sciences Kiel (Interreg-lead partner), Germany

2009–2011: Det Kommunale Momsfond: 490,000 DKK (~66,000 €), co-applicant (PI: Prof Ulrik Kjær, University of Southern Denmark)

Study administrative tasks (selection)

2017–2020: Planning and organisation of an international teaching project for journalism students at the Centre for Journalism, University of Southern Denmark (with Grænseforeningen and Flensburg Avis AG)

2011-2013: Planning and organisation of the Danish part of a joint teaching project for MA journalism students at the Centre for Journalism, University of Southern Denmark, and the University of Applied Sciences Kiel, Germany (with Morten Skovsgaard)

2011: Planning and organization of a joint teaching project for MA journalism students at the Centre for Journalism, University of Southern Denmark, and the Department of Communication and Media, Lund University, Sweden (November-December) (with Morten Skovsgaard and Mia-Marie Hammarlin); funded by Dansk-Svensk Kulturfond

2009–*present*: External examiner (censor), political and social sciences at the Universities of Aarhus, Copenhagen and Southern Denmark and the Copenhagen Business School

2009–2013: Head of Journalism Elective Programme, Centre for Journalism, University of Southern Denmark

Academic committee service (selection)

2020: Head, assessment committee for associate professorships, Centre for Journalism, University of Southern Denmark

2019: Member, review panel HS-E: Political science, peace and conflict research, media and communications, Swedish Research Council

2017–*present*: Member, Media & Communication group under the bibliometric research indicator, Universities Denmark

2013–2020: Member, since August 2014 head of Ph.D. committee, Dept. of Political Science, University of Southern Denmark

2013–2016: Vice Chair, Political Communication Section, European Communication Research and Education Association, ECREA

2011–*present*: Member, Science and Teaching Committee (FUU) of the Danish Confederation of Professional Associations, Akademikerne

2011–2012: Member of Study Board, Centre for Journalism, University of Southern Denmark

2009–2011: Member, University Committee of the Danish Association of Lawyers and Economists (DJØF)

Other activities (selection)

2020–*present*: Supervisory board member (Aufsichtsrat), Flensburg Avis Aktiengesellschaft, Flensburg, Germany

2020–*present*: Board member, TJEKDET.DK–National portal for combating fake news, Denmark

2020–*present*: Advisory board member, faktaogfake.dk, Henrik Poulsen – Medier og Læring I/S, Denmark

2019–*present*: Affiliated researcher (VARME project), Dept. of Journalism, Media and Communication, University of Gothenburg

2013–2020: Member, editorial board, Politologisk Årbog (Political Science Yearbook)

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