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### Professional Experience:

2011- *Present position:* Head of Agency, Swedish Fiscal Policy Council;  
2010-2011 Senior Economist, Copenhagen Economics, Stockholm Office;  
2009-2010 Deputy Director General and Head of the Climate Policy Secretariat, Prime Minister's Office, Sweden;  
2007-2009 Deputy Director General and Head of the Secretariat to the Commission on Sustainable Development (chaired by Prime Minister Fredrik Reinfeldt), Prime Minister's Office, Sweden;  
2005-2007 Director and Head of the Secretariat at the Expert Group on Environmental Studies, Sweden;  
2002-2004 Director of Planning at the Ministry of Finance, Sweden;

- 2001-2002 Director of Planning and Head of the Political Secretariat at the Prime Minister's Office (responsible for policy advice to Prime Minister Göran Persson), Sweden;
- 1999-2001 Political Adviser on economic policy and social security issues to Prime Minister Göran Persson, Prime Minister's Office, Sweden;
- 1997-1998 Head of Section at the Budget Department, Ministry of Finance, Sweden;
- 1992 Research Assistant to Professor Peter Bohm, Stockholm University;
- 1991-1992 Teaching Assistant for undergraduates in *Macroeconomic Theory* and *Applied Macroeconomic Theory*, Stockholm University;
- 1987 Fieldwork on a tobacco farm in Zambia;
- 1983-1990 Freelance work as a journalist for Sveriges Radio, Sundsvalls Tidning, and others.

**Selected publications:**

- 2010 "Dags för EU att lämna FN:s klimatförhandlingar!", ("It's time for EU to leave the UNFCCC negotiations!"), [Dagens Nyheter](#);
- 2010 "Dags att tänka om! Rapport om EU:s vägval i den internationella klimatpolitiken.", [Rapport till Expertgruppen för miljöstudier](#); (and in [English](#));
- 2010 "Som om han plötsligt bestämt sig för att tystna", ("As if he suddenly decided to be silent"), [Svenska Dagbladet](#);
- 2009 "Människans natur boven i krisens drama", ("The human nature is the villain in the crisis drama"), [Svenska Dagbladet](#);
- 2008 "Lagarbete för en friskare värld", ("Teamwork for a healthier world"), [Svenska Dagbladet](#);

- 2007 “Avundsjuka och rationalitet i John Rawls *En teori om rättvisa*: några reflektioner”, (“Envy and rationality in John Rawls *A theory of Justice*: some reflections”), [\*Tidskrift för Politisk Filosofi\*](#);
- 2007 “Kyotoprotokollet sätter klimatet på spel”, (“The Kyoto Protocol puts the climate at stake”), [\*Svenska Dagbladet\*](#);
- 2002 ”Fattigdom är ett övergående tillstånd!”, (“Poverty is a temporary condition!”); co-authored with Ilja Batlja and Roland Spont; *Dagens Nyheter*, November 1;
- 1999 ”Political Stock Markets and Unreliable Polls”, co-authored with Peter Bohm, [\*The Scandinavian Journal of Economics\*](#);
- 1997 “Eliciting reservation prices: Becker-DeGroot-Marshak mechanisms vs. markets”, co-authored with Peter Bohm and Johan Lindén, [\*Economic Journal\*](#);
- 1996 “Determination of first movers in sequential bargaining games: An experimental study”, [\*Journal of Economic Psychology\*](#);

#### Miscellaneous

- 2013- Member of Mistra-SWECIA Programme Board;
- 2011 ”Evaluation of the research program *International climate policy* funded by the Swedish Energy Agency in the period 2006-2010”; co-authored with Asbjørn Torvanger, CICERO, (March 2011);
- 2008-2009 Member of a Norwegian Commission of inquiry on global environmental challenges, [\*NOU 2009:16\*](#);
- 2007 Peer review of the Norwegian sustainable development strategy; commissioned by the [\*Ministry of Finance, Norway\*](#);
- 2006-2007 Member of the Board of the Swedish Agency for Development Evaluation (SADEV);

1998-1999	Member of two Commissions of inquiry on the new Swedish pension system; SOU 1999:17 and SOU 1999:52;
1986-1987	Military service (mandatory) in the <i>Arctic Ranger Forces</i> , K4 Arvidsjaur; finishing with the rank of second lieutenant;  <i>Management training</i>
2007	LPU <sup>1</sup> at IFL <sup>2</sup> ;
2001-2006	Government Offices managerial development program;
2000	European negotiations;
1999	UGL <sup>3</sup> at Gällöfsta.

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<sup>3</sup> Utveckling, Grupp & Ledare (Development, Group & Leader).