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Commander of the Royal Norwegian Order of Merit
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Education

- University of Tromsø, Norway - Political Science
- University of Oslo, Norway - Russian language studies
- Naval Academy, Bergen, Norway – Operational Branch

Current position:

- Director, Nordic Council of Ministers Office in Lithuania

Previous:

- Senior Advisor, Humanitarian and Comprehensive response, NORAD (Aug 2024 – Aug 2025)
- Senior Advisor (Horn of Africa, Somalia / Kenya), Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Aug 2022 – Aug 2024)
- Ambassador to the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan (August 2020 – August 2022)
- Ambassador to Sahel, Royal Norwegian Embassy in Bamako, Mali (covering Mali, Niger, Mauritania, Burkina Faso, Chad) – September 2017 – August 2020
- Consul General, Royal Norwegian Consulate General, Murmansk, Russia, August 2013 – August 2017
- Ambassador Energy and Climate Initiative (Energy +), Ministry of Foreign Affairs June 2011 – August 2013
- Senior Advisor, Ministry of Foreign Affairs - January 2011 – June 2011
- Director, Ministry of Industry and Trade - October 2007 – January 2011
- Senior Advisor, Ministry of Foreign Affairs - August 2007 – September 2007
- Research fellow, Norwegian Institute for Defence Studies (IFS) - August 2006 – August 2007
- Project Manager, Ministry of Foreign Affairs – August 2004 – August 2006
- Advisor / Assistant Deputy Director (Acting), Ministry of Foreign Affairs – August 2002 – August 2004
- Counselor, Royal Norwegian Embassy in Moscow – December 1998 – August 2002
- Political Advisor to the Force Commander Kosovo Forces (KFOR), Kosovo – April 2001 – October 2001
- Embassy Secretary, Royal Norwegian Embassy in Paris – August 1996 – December 1998
- Embassy Secretary, Royal Norwegian Embassy in Kiev – September 1994 – August 1996
- Foreign Service Trainee, Ministry of Foreign Affairs – August 1992 – Sept. 1994
- Aid-de-Camp to the Inspector General of the Royal Norwegian Navy, Defense Command Norway – August 1990 – December 1991
- Lieutenant Commander, Royal Norwegian Navy Squadron – August 1989 – August 1990 (Deputy Commander/Navigator 22 Fast Patrol Boat Squadron)
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