

CV

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Regarding candidacy to Conciliation Panel, EGP.

I am 54 years old and live in Växjö, Sweden with my wife and have two adult children who are now studying at university.

I am currently deputy mayor in the city of Växjö (south of Sweden) where I am primarily responsible for social sustainability issues. I have been an active member of Miljöpartiet de gröna (MP) since 2008 and have had different assignments for the party over the years.

Since 2019 I have been a member of the national board of MP and at the same congress I was elected as a delegate for the party to EGP. I am also since 2021 a member of the board of Green Forum (MP:s global development organization).

In the national board of MP I have been responsible for our programme on social justice that was decided on our congress in 2021. Currently I am responsible for working on a new foreign policy program.

Political assignments

2012-2014 Substitute on the school board

2014-2018 Member of the social committee

2017-2019 Chairman of MP in Växjö municipality

2018-2022 Chairman of the Sustainability Committee, member of the municipal board.

2019-2021 Chairman of MP in Kronoberg county

2019- Member of the national board of MP

2019- EGP-delegate

2021- Member of the board of Green Forum

2023- Deputy Mayor, vice chairman of the social committee, chairman of the board of guardians, vice chairman of Växjö Municipal Company AB.

In 1999 I was ordained as a minister in the Church of Sweden. I have not been working a lot as a parish priest and instead I have had other duties. Primarily I have been working with international-, refugee-, and environmental issues for the diocese of Växjö. It meant working a lot with development work in Costa Rica, India, Ethiopia and Eritrea but also with sister church relations with Oxford and Greifswald. For some time I have also been responsible for different

courses for the diocese including leadership training and courses in ecotheology. In 2010 I wrote a book: "Another world is possible! Theology in the time of climate crisis."

During my studies I spent one year in Austria and one year in Finland. I speak fairly fluent English and German and some Spanish.

After being working for some years I found it was time to go back to university to fill up on my knowledge and for some years I have tried to manage at least one minor course per semester.

Education

1993-1998 Bachelor of Theology (Major in behavioral science), Lunds university

1995 Sociology (15 ECTS), Lunds University

2006-2007 MA in Leadership, Uppsala University

Minor university courses (7,5 ECTS)

2020 Politics and policy in the European Union, Luleå University

2021 Climate change, Linnaeus University

2021 International politics, Karlstad University

2022 Historical perspectives on international relations, Karlstad University

2022 Introduction to Peace and Conflict Studies, Umeå University

2022 Sustainable development, Uppsala University

2023 Introduction to human rights in Africa, College of Dalarna

2023 Diversity in the Balkans: history, culture and social life, Uppsala University

2024 Arab world, political and social history, Göteborg University

2024 Poland yesterday and today, Stockholm University