

# Curriculum Vitae

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### Birth

Copenhagen, 1953

### Civil status

Married, one son

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### Education

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**1991** • *Dr.philos.* University of Oslo, with thesis on *The Vietnamese Revolution of 1945*.  
**1982** • *Cand.philol.* in French (University of Århus) and History (University of Oslo).

### Recent Work Experience

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**2001-2009:** Director of the International Peace Research Institute, Oslo (PRIO).  
**1997-2001:** Professor II of Human Development Studies, Centre for Development and the Environment, University of Oslo.  
**1996-2000:** Asia Consultant in Statoil, Stavanger.  
**1995-1998:** Senior Research Fellow at the Nordic Institute of Asian Studies, Copenhagen.  
**1992-1995:** Research professor at the Nordic Institute of Asian Studies, Copenhagen.

### Research Administration and Board Memberships

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**2007-** Member of the Board of NORFUND (Norwegian Investment Fund for Developing Countries)

**2003-** Member of the programme committee for Peace and Conflict Studies (PECOS) at University of Oslo.

**2003-** Member of the Board of the Swedish School of Advanced Asia Pacific Studies (SSAAPS).

**2003-2008** Member of the Board of CARE Norway.

- 2003-2006** Member of the Board of the Norwegian Network of Social Science Research Institutes.
- 1998-2001** Leader of programme committee in the Research Council of Norway for 'Globalisation and Marginalisation: Cross-disciplinary research on development paths in the South (Utviklingsveier i Sør).'
- 1993-1998** Member of a programme committee in the Research Council of Norway for 'State and Society, Democracy and Political Change in the Third World,' and 'Public Administration in Developing Countries.'
- 1994-1995** Deputy Director, Nordic Institute of Asian Studies (NIAS).

### Research Interests

Peace research. World History. East Asian Peace. Maritime conflicts. Energy and security. Nationalism and national identity. Vietnam.

### Select Publications

- *Vietnam 1946: How the War Began*, Berkeley CA: California University Press, 2009 (forthcoming).
- 'The Class Route to Nationhood: China, Vietnam, Norway, Cyprus – and France', *Nations and Nationalism* (forthcoming).
- 'Energy Security and Climate Change: The Potential Role of China and India', in Gunnar Fermann, ed., *Political Economy of Energy in Europe: Forces of Fragmentation and Integration*. Berlin: Berliner Wissenschaftsverlag, forthcoming: 188–220.
- 'Hva er nytt i krig?' [What's New in War?], in Hege Skjeie, Inger Skjelsbæk and Torunn L. Tryggestad, eds, *Kjønn, krig, konflikt: jubileumsbok til Helga Hernes* [Gender, war, conflict, anniversary book to Helga Hernes], Oslo: PAX, 2008: 127-137.
- 'The Case for a Proactive Indian and Chinese Approach to Climate Change and Energy Security,' *Strategic Analysis* 31(3): 417–445, 2007.
- 'Franklin Roosevelt, Trusteeship, and Indochina: A Reassessment,' in Mark Atwood Lawrence & Fred Logevall, eds, *The First Vietnam War: Colonial Conflict and Cold War Crisis*. Cambridge MA: Harvard University Press, 2007: 56–73.
- 'Regionale stormakters globale rolle. Kina, India, Brasil og Sør-Afrika' [The Global Role of Regional Powers: China, India, Brazil and South Africa], *Internasjonal politikk* 64(1): 73–94, 2006.
- 'The South China Sea in the Age of European Decline,' *Modern Asian Studies* 40(1): 1–57, 2006.
- 'Regime Stability in the Middle East,' PRIO Report 3/2005, PRIO (with Are Hovdenak, Øystein Noreng, & Hilde Henriksen Waage).
- 'The Imperial Temptation,' *Security Dialogue* 35(3), September 2004: 329–343.
- 'Globalising national states', *Nations and Nationalism* 10(1/2), January/April 2004: 179-194 [Special Issue on History and National Destiny: Ethnosymbolism and its Critics].
- 'National divisions in Indochina's decolonization,' in Prasenjit Duara, ed., *Decolonization*, London: Routledge, 2004: 253–277.
- 'Hanoi's Long Century,' in Robert Buzzanco & Marilyn Blatt Young, eds, *A Companion to the Vietnam War*, London: Blackwell, 2002: 1-16.

- 'China and the South China Sea: A Peace Proposal,' *Security Dialogue* 31(3), September 2000: 307-326.
- 'Les pays nordiques et l'Asie,' in Michel Foucher, Michel Bruneau, François Durand-Dastès, Gilles Lepasant & Philippe Pelettier, *Asies nouvelles*, Paris, Belin, 2002: 428-431.
- 'Vietnam in the Asian Crisis,' in Claes Brundenius & John Weeks, eds, *Globalization and Third World Socialism*, London: Palgrave, 2001: 168–196.
- 'The Layered State of Vietnam,' in Kjeld Erik Brødsgaard and Susan Young, eds, *State Capacity in East Asia: China, Taiwan, Vietnam, and Japan*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2000: 236–268.
- With Hans Antlöv, eds, *Asian Forms of the Nation*, London: NIAS/Curzon Press, 1996.
- With Hans Antlöv, eds, *Imperial Policy and Southeast Asian Nationalism 1930–1950*. London: NIAS/Curzon Press, 1995.
- *The Vietnamese Revolution of 1945: Roosevelt, Ho Chi Minh and de Gaulle in a World at War*, London: SAGE, 1991.
- *1946: Le déclenchement de la guerre d'Indochine - les vèpres tonkinoises du 19 décembre*, Paris: l'Harmattan, 1987.

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