

Curriculum vitae with track record (01.10.2025)

John-Arne Skolbekken

* PERSONAL INFORMATION

*Family name, First name:	Skolbekken, John-Arne		
*Date of birth:	13.07.1957	*Sex:M	
*Nationality:	Norwegian		
Researcher unique identifier(s) (ORCID, ResearcherID, etc.):	0000-0002-1924-9207		
URL for personal website:	https://www.ntnu.no/ansatte/john-arne.skolbekken		

* EDUCATION

	Name of faculty/department, name of university/institution, country
2012	Dr philos, Department of Health Science and Social Work, NTNU
1985	Cand psychol, Department of Psychology, University of Oslo

* POSITIONS (academic, business, industry, public sector, national or international organisations)

Current Position

	Job title/name of employer/country
2024-	Professor emeritus, Department of Community medicine and Nursing, NTNU, Norway

Previous positions held (list)

	Job title/name of employer/country
2017-2024	Professor, Department of Community medicine and Nursing, NTNU, Norway
2012-2016	Professor, Department of Health Science and Social Work, NTNU, Norway
2008-2012	Associate professor, Department of Health Science and Social Work, NTNU, Norway
1998-2008	Associate professor, Department of Psychology, NTNU, Norway
1997-1998	Associate professor, Department of Psychology, University of Tromsø, Norway
1993-1996	Research fellow, Department of Psychology, University of Oslo, Norway
1987-1996	Researcher, SINTEF, Norway
1985-1987	Safety Analyst, Quasar Consultants, Norway

MOBILITY

Research stays abroad lasting more than three months

	Name of faculty/department/centre, name of university/institution/country
2012-2013	Center for Science, Technology, Medicine & Society, UC Berkeley, USA
Spring 2022	Department of Public Health, Copenhagen University, Denmark

SUPERVISION OF GRADUATE STUDENTS AND RESEARCH FELLOWS

	No. of	Master's students/ Ph.D./Postdocs	Name of faculty/department/centre, name of university/institution/country
1997-2024	87	Master's	University of Tromsø/NTNU/University of Oslo
2003-	7	PhD	NTNU

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

	Teaching position – topic, name of university/institution/country
1991- 2024	Psychology, sociology, philosophy of science, research ethics, and public health at NTNU, the University of Oslo and the University of Tromsø

INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

Member of a committee/graduate student advisor etc.

	Name of university/institution/country
2013-2017	Deputy head of department, Dept of Health science and Social work, NTNU

COMMISSIONS OF TRUST IN ACADEMIC, PUBLIC OR PRIVATE ORGANISATIONS

Scientific advisory board/review board/review panel member/editorial board/scientific advisory board/reviewer/scientific evaluation/etc.

	Name of university/institution/country – and role
2000-	NTNU, member of assessment committees for phd-fellowships, post docs, professorships
1999-	Reviewer, 12 international and 3 national academic journals
2005	University of Oslo, member of assessment committee for professorship in qualitative methodology
2010-	NTNU, member of assessment committees for phd-dissertations
2010-2019	Extrastiftelsen, member of review panel for research applications
2016	University of Bergen, member of assessment committee for phd-dissertations

Other commissions of trust - in business, organisations or public life

	Name of board/body/country – and role
2004-2006	Member of The Regional Committee on Functional Genomics (Midt-Norge)

2006-2012	Member of The National Committee for Medical and Health Research Ethics
2017-2021	Deputy member of The National Commission for the Investigation of Research Misconduct
2022-	Member of The National Commission for the Investigation of Research Misconduct

MEMBERSHIPS OF ACADEMIES / SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES / NETWORKS (if applicable)

	Name of academies, scientific societies, networks
2016 -	Fellow, The Royal Norwegian Society of Sciences and Letters

Track record

In the track record, please provide:

1. 48 peer reviewed journal articles, 9 book chapters, 12 research reports (SINTEF).
2. 10 most cited papers (Google scholar)

Skolbekken J-A. (1995). The Risk Epidemic in Medical Journals. *Soc Sci Med*, 40, 291-305.(456 citations)

Rudmin, F. W., Ferrada-Noli, M. & Skolbekken, J-A. (2003). Questions of culture, age and gender in the epidemiology of suicide. *Scand J Psychol*, 44, 371-379. (159 citations)

Skolbekken, J-A. (1998). Communicating the risk reduction achieved by cholesterol reducing drugs. *BMJ*, 316, 1956-1958. (155 citations)

Østerlie, W., Solbjør, M., Skolbekken, J-A., Hofvind, S., Sætнан, A. R. & Forsmo, S. (2008). Challenges of informed choice in organised screening. *Journal of Medical Ethics*, 34, e5. (81 citations)

Steinsbekk, K.S., Ursin, L., Skolbekken, J-A. & Solberg, B. (2013) We're not in it for the money. Lay people's moral intuitions on commercial use of 'their' biobank. *Medicine, Health Care & Philosophy*, 16, 151-162. (75 citations)

Skolbekken, J-A., Ursin, L.Ø., Solberg, B., Christensen, E. & Ytterhus, B. (2005). Not worth the paper it's written on? – Informed consent and biobank research in a Norwegian context. *Critical Public Health*. 15 (4), 335-347. (72 citations)

Skolbekken, J-A. (2008). Unlimited medicalization? Risk and the pathologization of normality. In Petersen, A. and Wilkinson, I. (eds) *Health, Risk and Vulnerability*. London: Routledge. (59 citations)

Hofmann, B & Skolbekken, J-A (2017) Surge in publications on early detection. *BMJ*357 (35 citations)

Solbjør, M., Skolbekken, J-A., Sætнан, A.R., Hagen, A.I. & Forsmo, S. (2012). Mammography screening and trust: the case of interval breast cancer. *Social Science & Medicine*, 75, 1746-1752. (34 citations)

Solbjør, M., Forsmo, S., Skolbekken, J-A. & Sætнан, A.R. (2011). Experiences of recall after mammography screening – a qualitative study. *Health Care for Women International*, 32(11), 1009-1027. (31 citations)

Backe, B., Hunskaar, S. & Skolbekken, J-A. (1992). General practitioners' attitudes to estrogen prescription in the menopause: A national survey in Norway. *Scandinavian Journal of Primary Health Care*, 10, 179-184. (28 citations)