Background:

**Work:**

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| Mayor of Oppdal | 2019/23 |
| Honorary professor National University of Singapore | 2018 |
| Deputy member the Parliament of Norway | from 2017- |
| President European Forum for Health Promotion Research | 2016-> |
| Leader for Public Health and Community Medicine (leave for the years of Mayor) | 2016 -> |
| President International Forum of Health Promotion Research | 2012-> |
| Leader of NTNU Center for Health Promotion | 2007/19 |
| Honorary professor Australian National University | 2008/19 |
| Head of Department | 2003/09 |
| Professor Public Health | 1999-> |
| Associate Professor | 1991/1994 |
| Lecturer | 1991 |
| Research assistant/Fellow sport sciences | 1989/91 |
| Copywriter advertising | 1986/89 |
| Research Fellow psychiatry | 1986/87 |
| Head night nurse in psychiatry | 1983/86 |
| Working in secondary schools | 1981/83 |
| Work for Concordia College, Minnesota | 1981 |
| Working for gas stations/dairies etc during high school years | 1973/76 |
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| In addition, I have held several positions of thrust. |  |
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| **Education** |  |
| PhD in health psychology | 1994 |
| Degree in marketing economy | 1988 |
| Mater in Psychology | 1986 |
| Sports college | 1983/84 |
| Nursing education | 1978/81 |
| Military officers training | 1976/78 |
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