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#### EDUCATION AND ACADEMIC DEGREES

B.Sc. (Economics), Lund University, Sweden, 1986.

Ph.D. (Economic Sciences), Stockholm School of Economics (SSE), 1992.

Docent, SSE, 1996.

Professor of International Business, Åbo Akademi University, Finland, 1999.

Docent, Åbo Akademi University, Finland, 2002.

Doctor Honoris Causa (Economic Sciences), Tartu University, Estonia, 2007.

Professor of International Business, Copenhagen Business School (CBS), 2009.

# PRESENT POSITIONS

Professor, Department of International Economics, Government and Business, CBS (2009-).

Research Associate, Nordic Institute of Asian Studies, Copenhagen (2010-).

Associate Fellow, The Ratio Institute, Stockholm (2013-).

Affiliated Professor, European Institute of Japanese Studies, SSE (2014-).

International Fellow, FETP/ Fulbright University. HCMC, Vietnam (2003-).

Member of the Scientific Council, SNS (Centre for Business and Policy Studies), Stockholm (2014-).

Member of Faculty Board, Faculty of Culture and Society, Malmö University (2016-).

Board member, Centre for Child Rights and Business, Stockholm (2016-).

### SELECTED PREVIOUS POSITIONS

Director, Asia Research Centre, CBS (2015-2018)

Director, China Economics Research Center, SSE (2008-2010).

Professor and Research Director, European Institute of Japanese Studies, SSE (2000-2008).

Chairman, Commission of Inquiry on Development of Swedish Exports, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, UD 2007:02 (2007-2008).

Member, Board of Directors, Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency, (1999-2007).

Professor of International Business, Åbo Akademi University, Finland (1999-2001).

Associate Professor, Dep't of Economics, SSE (1996-1999).

Assistant Professor, Dep't of Economics, SSE (1992-1996).

Consultancies for Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency (Sida); Swedish Agency for Research Cooperation with Developing Countries (SAREC); Secretariat for Analysis of Swedish Development Assistance (SASDA); Swedish Ministry of Foreign Affairs; Swedish Ministry of Finance: Swedish Agency for Growth Policy Analysis; Inter-American Development Bank (IDB); UNCTAD; Institute of Development Studies, Sabah, Malaysia; OECD; The World Bank; UNDP; UNIDO; WTO; The European Union; and private companies.

# **VISITING POSITIONS**

Visiting Chair in European Economics (Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Feb-Mar 1997).

Visiting Fellow (RSPAS, Australian National University, Canberra, July-Sept 1997).

Norfa Visiting Professor (Tartu University, Estonia, July 2002-June 2005) (part-time).

International Fellow (Fulbright Economics Teaching Program, Ho Chi Minh City Economics University, Feb 2003-) (part-time).

Visiting Fellow (ADB Institute, Tokyo, February-April 2007).

#### Ari Kokko – CURRICULUM VITAE

Visiting Fellow (Arndt-Corden Department of Economics, Australian National University, Canberra, February-May 2014).

Visiting Professor (College of Business, Rikkyo University, Tokyo, May-June 2014).

Visiting Professor (Sino-Danish University Center, SDC, Beijing, Oct 2013- ) (part-time).

Malmsten Visiting Professor (School of Business, Economics, and Law, University of Gothenburg, September 2017-August 2018) (part-time).

#### **TEACHING**

Major courses in microeconomics, international economics, international trade, international business, innovation management, and related subjects at Lund University, Stockholm School of Economics, Åbo Akademi University, HCMC Economics University, Copenhagen Business School, Rikkyo University, Tokyo, and Sino-Danish University, Beijing.

Extensive teaching experience from firm-specific training programs conducted through the Executive Development Department (Stockholm School of Economics) and other institutions.

#### SUPERVISION OF STUDENTS

I am presently involved in the supervision of 4 PhD students. During the past years, I have been supervisor or co-supervisor for 17 PhD theses, two Licentiate theses, and numerous Master's theses. I have also been a formal examiner for numerous PhD theses in Sweden, Denmark, and other countries.

### RESEARCH GRANTS AND AWARDS

Various research grants and stipends provided during the period 1986-2018 by the Swedish Council for Research in the Humanities and Social Sciences (HSFR); Torsten Söderbergs stiftelse, Handelns Utvecklingsråd, Östersjöstiftelsen, Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency (Sida); Swedish Agency for Research Cooperation with Developing Countries (SAREC); Swedish Council for Working Life and Social Research (FAS); The Jan Wallander and Tore Browaldh Foundation; Svenska Bankforskningsinstitutet; Stiftelsen Siamon; Bröderna af Jochnicks Stipendium.

Awarded prize as "Årets Lärare 1997" (Teacher of the Year 1997) by the Student Union of the Stockholm School of Economics and Nordbanken.

Awarded "Myrdalspriset" (The Myrdal Prize) for best article in *Ekonomisk Debatt* 1999 by FöreningsSparbanken.

## **REFEREE**

American Economic Review, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of International Business, Journal of International Development, Journal of Development Studies, World Development, The Economic Journal, Journal of Industrial Economics, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Transnational Corporations, Comparative Economic System, and others.

Member of Editorial Board, *Journal of International Business Studies*, 2011-Member of the Editorial Board, *Journal of Chinese Management*, 2014-

### **PUBLICATIONS**

6 monographs, 40 articles in refereed journals, 50 book chapters, 40 conference proceedings, research reports, and non-refereed journal articles.

Citations on Google Scholar: ca 15,000

h-index on Google Scholar: 38

Profile on Google Scholar: http://scholar.google.dk/citations?user=Dc0q\_s4AAAJ&hl=en&oi=ao