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## **CURRICULUM VITÆ**

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### **1. Examinations**

Fil.dr. (the higher Doctor's Degree) of economics in 1963 at the University of Stockholm.

Fil.lic. (the lower Doctor's Degree) of economics in 1957 at the University of Stockholm.

Pol.mag. (Master's Degree) of economics, statistics, political science and sociology in 1952 at the University of Uppsala.

### **2. Appointments**

- 1995 - Professor Emeritus, Institute for International Economic Studies, Stockholm University, Stockholm, Sweden
- 1995 - Senior Researcher, IFN (Research Institute of Industrial Economics), Stockholm, Sweden
- 1990 Visiting Researcher, International Monetary Fund, Washington DC, USA
- 1987 Lee Kuan Yew Distinguished Visitor, University of Singapore
- 1986-87 Visiting Researcher (Consultant), The World Bank, Washington DC, USA
- 1981 Visiting Scholar, Simon Fraser University, Summer 1981
- 1977 Visiting Fellow, Hoover Institution, Stanford University, USA
- 1976-77 Irving Fisher Visiting Professor in Economics, Yale University, USA
- 1971-95 Professor of international economics, Stockholm University, and Director of the Institute for International Economic Studies, Stockholm University
- 1970 Visiting Fellow, National University of Australia, Canberra, Summer 1970

- 1969 Ford Rotating Research Professor, University of California, Berkeley, USA
- 1968-69 Wesley Clair Mitchell Research Professor, Columbia University, USA
- 1964-71 Professor in economics at the Stockholm School of Economics
- 1963 Acting Professor in economics at the University of Stockholm
- 1962-63 Docent (Reader) in economics at the University of Stockholm
- 1959-60 Lecturer in economics at the University of Stockholm
- 1958 Visiting Assistant Professor in economics at the University of Michigan
- 1957-58 Rockefeller fellowship for studies and research at Yale University, the Federal Reserve Board, Washington, DC, and at the University of Michigan, USA
- 1955-56 Employed at the Economic Secretariat of the Treasury Department
- 1953-54 Part-time employment in the Treasury Department

### **3. Consulting**

Chairman of Economics Commission appointed by the Swedish Government (“the Lindbeck Commission”) 1992-1993.

Consultant to UNCTAD 1978 and 1981, The World Bank 1978-79, 1983-84 and 1985-87, and UNIDO 1983

Member of Government Delegation of Industrial Policy (Bjurel Committee), Sweden 1979 (printed report 'Roads to increasing prosperity', Stockholm 1979)

Member of group of experts in OECD (the McCracken Committee) on the possibilities of non-inflationary growth for the world economy 1975-77 (printed report: Towards full employment and price stability, 1977)

Member of the Swedish Board of Telecommunications 1973-1981

Member of the Swedish Government Economic Planning Council (Planeringsrådet) 1972-1982

Member of the Swedish Government Research Advisory Board (Forskningsberedningen) 1969-1981

Chairman of the Working Party on Social Science Research in Sweden 1967-68 (printed report: Social science research - problems and tendencies (Swedish), Lund 1968)

Member of group of experts in OECD on fiscal policy 1966-68 (printed report: Fiscal policy for a balanced economy, 1968)

Member of the Swedish Social Science Research Council 1965-68

Economic adviser to the Bank of Sweden 1964-68, 1972-74

Expert in the Department of Domestic Affairs (housing and location policy) 1964-66

Member of group of experts in OECD on agriculture and economic growth 1964-65  
(printed report: Agriculture and Economic Growth, 1965)

Member of the Swedish Government Agriculture Committee of 1960

Expert for the Government High-School (College) Committee of 1960 and the  
Government University Committees of 1963 and 1968

#### **4. Honors and Prizes**

Member of the Royal Swedish Academy of Engineering Sciences 1970-; of the Royal Academy of Sciences 1971-; of the Finnish Academy of Sciences 1972- of the Danish Academy of Sciences; of the Norwegian Academy of Sciences, 1995-. Honorary Member of The American Economic Association; Fellow of The Econometric Society; Honorary Doctor of Science (Economics), London University 1988; Honorary Doctor of the University of Helsinki. Foreign Honorary Member, American Academy of Arts and Sciences 1989; Member of the Committee for Prize in Economic Science in Memory of Alfred Nobel 1969-1994 (Chairman 1980-94); Member of Academia Europaea 1988-. Member of Advisory Board of European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) London 1991-1993. Member of Advisory Board of Center for Economic Policy Research (CERP) London 1992-. President of the European Economic Association 1991. Honorary Doctor of the University of Iceland 2006. The Ann-Kersti and Carl-Hakon Swenson Prize 2011 for research in the Humanities and Social Sciences awarded by The Royal Academy of Letters, History and Antiquities (Kungl. Vitterhetsakademien). The Myrdal Prize of 2010 for best article of the year in Ekonomisk Debatt – “Lärdomar av finanskrisen” (Lessons from the Financial Crisis) – awarded by the Swedbank. The Great Gold Medal of the Royal Swedish Academy of Engineering Sciences, 2001. The Frank E. Seidman Distinguished Award in Political Economy 1996, Rhodes College, Memphis. The Bernard Harms Prize in international economics of 1996, Kiel Institute. The Söderberg Prize 1987 for contributions to economic or legal research. Cultural Prize from Natur och Kultur (publishing house) 1981. Prize from the Olle Engkvist Foundation 1980 for scholarly work. Popular science publication award, donated by the Albert Bonnier Centennial Memorial Foundation 1978. The Herbert Tingsten Prize 1977 for important contribution in the spirit of Herbert Tingsten. The Arnberg Prize 1964 from the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences for the dissertation "A study in monetary analysis" published 1963. The Erik Lindahl Prize 1963 awarded to younger Swedish researchers in economics.