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Present employments:

- Consultant, PhD, Head of Section of Population-based Epidemiology, Research Centre for Prevention and Health (RCPH), the Capital Region of Denmark (2003+)
- Professor, Rigshospitalet and Glostrup University Hospital, Department of Clinical Medicine, The Faculty of Health and Medical Sciences, University of Copenhagen (2014+)

Present administrative experience/positions:

- Management board of RCPH (2004+)
- Head of Section of population-based Epidemiology, RCPH (2004+)
- Day-to-day head of 7 members of the non-academic staff, two post-docs, 1 senior researcher, and 3 PhD students
- Member of The Research Council at Glostrup University Hospital (2008+)

Education and academic degrees

1994 Medical doctor the University of Copenhagen. Average mark 9.9 (scale 13)

1995 Accomplished compulsory graduate terms of hospital service

1996 12 months introduction position for becoming a specialist in internal medicine

2001 PhD at the Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Copenhagen. Title: Allergic rhinitis and IgE sensitisation in an adult population – changes in prevalence and smoking as a risk factor for IgE sensitisation. Defended 30 October 2001

Scientific focus areas:

I have a broad background within the field of population-based epidemiology, genetic epidemiology, clinical epidemiology, registry-based research, and biomarker research. My primary field of interest has been allergic and immunological diseases (such as respiratory allergy, contact allergy, asthma, eczema, and autoimmune disease including celiac disease), diabetes, and cardiovascular disease.

Previous employment:

1994-2000: Registrar at several hospital departments of internal medicine, surgery, and dermatology

2000-2003: Clinical epidemiologist at the National Indicator Project for monitoring quality of health care

2000-2003: Part-time Assisting physician at the Allergy Clinic, Hellerup, headed by Flemming Madsen

Total number of scientific publications: 292 (peer review and non-peer review)

- Peer-reviewed original articles: 230 articles
- Peer-reviewed review articles: 15 articles
- H-index: 31 (as of 1 January 2015)

Contribution to scientific societies and journals

- Member of the Board of the Danish Society of Allergology (2006 to 2008)
- Member of the board of the Danish Epidemiological Society (2005 to 2011)
- Associate editor at the Journal of Clinical and Experimental Allergy (from 2009)

Research awards

- The Schering-Plough Research Award in Allergology 2000. Awarded by the Danish Association of Allergology to a young and promising researcher
- Grete Stampe's Grant in recognition for research in allergic diseases. The grant was awarded at the Danish Society for Allergology's annual meeting August 16, 2013