

Curriculum vitae with track record

Personal information

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Education

Year	Faculty/department - University/institution - Country
2025	Leadership program, NORCE (2024-2025)
2023	Leadership program, NORCE (2021-2023)
2018	Research Leadership Programme, Uni Research, Norway (2016-2018)
2009	Ph.D. Comparative Politics, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Bergen (UiB), Norway. Disputation date: 28.05.2009
2005	Master, Comparative Politics, Faculty of Social Sciences, UiB, Norway

Positions - current and previous

Year	Job title – Employer - Country
2026-	VP Research and Innovation, Democracy and Society, and Research Professor
2023-2026	Senior Vice President of Department of Sustainability and Renewal and senior researcher, Division of Health & Social Sciences, NORCE, Norway
2019-2023	Research director of research group on <i>Restructuring of the public sector</i> (Omstilling i offentlig sektor) and senior researcher, NORCE Norwegian Research Centre, Department of Health and Social Sciences, Norway
2013-2018	Research leader and senior researcher, Uni Research Rokkan Centre, Norway
2009-2013	Senior researcher, Uni Research Rokkan Centre, Norway
2005-2008	PhD candidate, Department of Comparative Politics, University of Bergen, Norway

Career breaks

Year	Reason
2009, 2012	Parental leave 3 months

Project management experience and project participation experience (selected)

Year	Project owner - Project - Role - Funder
2025-2026	Centre for Defense and Preparedness - Area manager Societal Security and Safety - NORCE
2023-2023	The Centre for Research on Civil Society and Voluntary Sector – Elderly and voluntary work (Eldre og frivillig innsats) - project manager - Ministry of Culture
2021-2025	NORCE - Co-production of health- and welfare services between local governments and voluntary organizations in Norway and Germany – work package leader - HELSEVEL, Norwegian Research Council, NRC
2020	NORCE - Brukerstyrt personlig assistanse - betinget suksess eller helt katastrofe? (The user-controlled personal assistance model – conditional success or complete catastrophe?) - project manager - KS, the Norwegian Association of Local and Regional Authorities
2020-	Centre for research on civil society and the voluntary sector - The roles of voluntary actors in regional development projects - participating researcher - Ministry of culture
2018-2019	NORCE - Municipalities' collaboration with the private sector in the implementation of the introduction programme – project manager - Directorate of Integration and Diversity, IMDi
2019-2022	NORCE - Promoting labour market participation of the chronically ill – a comparative study - participating researcher - HELSEVEL, NRC
2017-2020	Dep. of Health Management and Health Economics, UiO - Evaluation of the free choice of provider treatment reform - local project manager of process evaluation - HELSEVEL, NRC
2017-2019	Norwegian University of Science and Technology - Prioritizing care: Emerging dilemmas in the Norwegian care service landscape <i>PriCare</i> - participating researcher - HELSEVEL, NRC
2017-2017	The Centre for Research on Civil Society and Voluntary Sector - Coordination between voluntary and public actors in elderly care - project manager - Ministry of Culture
2016-2016	Uni Research Rokkan Centre, “Smart Omsorg”: Innovation with researcher participation - project leader - HELSEVEL Pre-project for Innovation Project, RCN
2016-2016	Uni Research Rokkan Centre - The voluntary sector and social housing work - project manager - The Norwegian State Housing Bank
2016-2016	University of Bergen - Sustainable intEgrated care modeLs for multimorbidity: delivery, Financing and performance (SELFIE) - participating researcher - Horizon 2020, EU
2015-2017	Uni Research Rokkan Centre, Formative evaluation of the user-controlled personal assistance model - participating researcher - Norwegian Directorate of Health
2013-2016	Uni Research Rokkan Centre - Responding to welfare state services: An analysis of users, media, and public institutions - participating researcher - VAM, RCN
2012-2015	Uni Research Rokkan Centre - Reforming the Welfare State. Accountability, Democracy and Management - participating researcher - VAM, RCN
2011-2014	Institute for Social Research - It happened here. The Norwegian pension reform, process and content - participating researcher - EVAPEN, RCN
2009-2013	Uni Research Rokkan Centre - The Policy Ideas and Practice of Active Ageing: Political, Economical and Cultural challenges in Europe - participating researcher - VAM, RCN

2005-2008	Uni Research Rokkan Centre - Policy Discourses, International Actors and National Welfare Policy: Norway in Comparative Perspective - PhD-candidate - VFO, RCN
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Other relevant professional experiences

Year	Description - Role
2025 -	Member of steering committee of the Centre for Climate and Energy Transformation (CET), UiB
2024-2025	Member of organizing committee for Nordic Conference on Civil Society Studies in Bergen (Norway) 28-29 April 2025
2024	Member of organizing committee for the Health Services Research Conference in Bergen (Norway) 12-13 November 2024
2022-	Editorial board member of the Norwegian Journal of Political Science (redaksjonsråd Norsk statsvitenskapelig tidsskrift)
2021-2025	Member of the Scientific Committee of the Norwegian Panel of Public Administrators Digital Social Science Core Facility (DIGSSCORE) (vit. komite Norsk Forvaltningspanel, NFP)
2019-	Member of scientific advisory board for PhD-project on dementia and voluntary work; FRIDE – Frivillighet i demensomsorgen, Western Norway University of Applied Sciences
2014-2018	Research leader of research group on <i>Democracy, Civil Society and Public Administration</i> (Demokrati, sivilsamfunn og forvaltning), Uni Research Rokkan Centre, Norway, 20 group members; professional leadership, personnel, project administration
Various years	Member of committees assessing candidates for position as researcher/PhD-candidate, research leader or administrative staff at Uni Research Rokkan Centre/NORCE
2013-2014	Research leader of research group on <i>Democracy, Welfare and Public Administration</i> (Demokrati, velferd og forvaltning), Uni Research Rokkan Centre, Norway, 15 group members; professional leadership, personnel, project administration
2013	Guest editor with S. Kuhnle for a special issue of the Norwegian journal of welfare research on the financial crisis and the European welfare State
Various y.	Reviewer of national and international journals
Various y.	External examiner at undergraduate and graduate level at the University of Bergen, Molde University College and University of Stavanger
Various y.	Guest lecturer at the University of Bergen, University of Stavanger, Molde University College and University of the Faroe Islands

Track record

PUBLICATIONS

- Total *number* of publications during the career: 39 (dissertations, journal articles, books and book chapters. Research reports, popular science dissemination and book reviews not included).
- **Peer reviewed journal articles last three years:**
- **Lindén, T. S.** and Trætteberg, H.S. (2026): How to Co-Produce Elderly Care: Volunteer Coordination by Municipalities or Voluntary Organisations? *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*, 55(4): 938-960. <https://doi.org/10.1177/08997640251374272>
- Trætteberg, H. S. and **Lindén, T. S.** (2025). Civil society in welfare – The roles and potentials of professional nonprofits and voluntary organizations. *Journal of Civil Society*, 21(2), 121–138. <https://doi.org/10.1080/17448689.2024.2448172>
- Ervik, R., Hellang, Ø. and **Lindén, T. S.** (2025): “Why Do We Need it? Coproduction in Elderly Care According to Local Actors in Norway” *Nordic Journal of Social Research*, 16(1), 1-15. <https://doi.org/10.18261/njsr.16.1>
- Radlick, R., Bentsen, H.; Ervik, R., Islam, K.; Kjerstad, E.; **Lindén, T. S.**, and Rydland, H. (2024): User perspectives on the role of local services in promoting labor market participation of people with chronic illnesses, *Disability & Society*, 40(4); 998-1016. DOI: [10.1080/09687599.2024.2323449](https://doi.org/10.1080/09687599.2024.2323449)
- Trætteberg, H.S., **T. S. Lindén** and Eimhjellen, I. (2024): Third-Sector Organizations in Area-Based Initiatives: Instruments for Public Policies or Partners in Co-Production? *VOLUNTAS: International Journal of Voluntary and Nonprofit Organizations*, 35; 315-325. DOI: [10.1007/s11266-023-00595-7](https://doi.org/10.1007/s11266-023-00595-7)
- **Lindén, T. S.**, Ervik, R., Kjerstad, E. and H.T. Rydland (2023): BPA-ordningen: En analyse av klager til Statsforvalteren før og etter rettighetsfesting (The UPA-scheme: Analyzing complaints to the county governor before and after statutory right legislation). *Tidsskrift for velferdsforskning*, 26(2):1-16, <https://doi.org/10.18261/tfv.26.2.1>
- Rydland, Håvard; Bentsen, Henrik; Ervik, Rune; Grønning, Kjersti; Islam, Kamrul; Kjerstad, Egil; **Lindén, T. S.** (2023): Promoting labor market inclusion of the chronically ill: A scoping review of Scandinavian countries’ efforts. *Scandinavian Journal of Public Health*. 51(8), 1097-1107. DOI: [10.1177/14034948221096005](https://doi.org/10.1177/14034948221096005)

FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS AND PRIZES (selected)

Year	Name of institution/country
2007, 2008, 2010, 2017	Travel grants from the University of Bergen’s Meltzerfond
2004, 2006, 2013	Travel grants E.ON Ruhrgas Scholarship Programme for Political Science
2010	Travel grant NCoE NordWell (Nordic Centre of Excellence: The Nordic Welfare State – Historical Foundations and Future Challenges)
2005	PhD scholarship in “Policy Discourses, International Actors and National Welfare Policy. Norway in a Comparative Perspective”, funded by NFR.