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Graduate and Postgraduate Studies

1990-1999: Graduate and postgraduate studies in the History of Religions, Classics, and Indo-European Linguistics at Uppsala University.

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1999: PhD in the History of Religions at Uppsala University (Title of thesis: *The Extended Voice: Instances of Myth in the Indo-European Corpus*)

Fellowships and Appointments

1999 (Fall/Winter): Research Fellow at the Swedish Research Institute in Istanbul.

2000-2001: Alexander-von-Humboldt-Fellow at the Universities of Augsburg and Erlangen- Nürnberg.

2002-2003: Junior Fellow at Harvard's Center for Hellenic Studies, Washington, D.C.

2003-2004: Visiting scholar at the University of Chicago Divinity School.

2004-2008: Associate Professor and (from 2007) Full Professor at the Dept. for Religious Studies, University of Tromsø, Norway.

From 2009: Professor in the History of Religions at Stockholm University.

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