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BRIEF BIOGRAPHY

I am Professor of Economics and Social Insurance at Stockholm University. My research is focused on the economics of the welfare state, social insurance and gender equality.

I received my PhD in economics from the University of Lund in 1977 with a thesis on the effects of the Swedish national supplementary pension system. While working on my dissertation and for a few years thereafter (to 1981) I was also employed by the Department of Economics as an assistant lecturer, substitute senior lecturer and subsequently, a research fellow. In 1981, I was Visiting Scholar at the Department of Economics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT). Since 1982, I have held an appointment as senior lecturer in social work, especially economics and social policy, at the Department of Social Work, Stockholm University. In 1989, I was appointed Associate Professor of Economics at Stockholm University. From 2000 to 2006 I held a Scientific Council research appointment for Research on Gender Equality in Economics. In 2005, I was appointed Professor of Economics and Social Insurance.

I have contributed to different international projects on social security and been engaged as adviser to several government enquiries and hearings on social policy issues. I served in the division for evaluation and research at the National Social Insurance Board in 1986 and was an expert adviser to two of Sweden's official pension investigations, covering the 1984-90 and 1991-94 periods. I also served in the 1993-1996 Committee on Sickness and Occupational Injuries. From 1994 to 1996 I was engaged as associate researcher by the Swedish Centre for Business and Policy Studies (SNS). Since its introduction in 1998, I have been a member of the editorial board of the *European Journal of Social Security*. Earlier, in 1987-88, I was the editor of the Swedish economic journal *Ekonomisk Debatt* where I have also served for many years as a member of the editorial council. In 2001, I held a short-term appointment as consultant to the staff of the World Bank. Since 2005, I am a member of the board of the Institute for labour market policy evaluation (IFAU), since 2006, a member of the Scientific council of the National Social Insurance Board (FK), and since 2007, a member of the board of the Swedish Council for Working life and Social Research (FAS). In 2009, I was advisor to the Research Council of Norway.