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Oslo, Norway

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Nationality: Norwegian

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EXECUTIVE PROFILE

Senior public sector executive with extensive experience at Director General level within central government and national regulatory authorities. Proven track record in strategic leadership, legal and regulatory governance, international cooperation and policy development, with expertise in EU/EFTA processes, international negotiations and regulatory frameworks. Experienced advisor to political leadership and senior management, with capability in leading large, multidisciplinary organisations in demanding national and international environments.

CORE COMPETENCIES

- Executive leadership and governance
- Legal and regulatory strategy
- International relations and negotiations (EU/EFTA)
- Public policy development and implementation
- Strategic advisory to Ministers and senior leadership
- Organisational leadership and change management
- Inter-ministerial and cross-government coordination
- Economic and regulatory impact analysis

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2021- The Norwegian Food Safety Authority,
Director of department of legal and international affairs

Overall responsibility for legal and international affairs within the Norwegian Food Safety Authority. Oversight of national implementation of EU legislation and international obligations.

Contribution to organisational development, governance structures and strategic priorities

- 2015- 2021 The Norwegian Food Safety Authority,
Director of fish and seafood departement
- 2014 - 2015 The Norwegian Ministry of Fisheries and Trade
Deputy Director General, Departement of Industrial Policy,
- 2001 - 2014 The Ministry of Fisheries and Coastal Affaires,
Deputy Director General/Assistant Director General, Departement of Aquaculture, Industry and Export
- 1997-1998 Ministry of Industry and Trade
Senior advisor, Department of Internationalization and Shipping
- 1995-1996 Ministry of Foreign Affaires
Advisor, department og European Policy, Section of Foreign Policies
- 1992-1995 The Ministry of Fisheries and Coastal Affaires
*Advisor, Departement of Aquaculture, Industry and Export (1994-1995)
Advisor, departement of Administration (1992-1994)*
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EDUCATION

University of Oslo - Department of Economics
Advanced Degree in Economics
1989 - 1992

Specialisation in microeconomics, macroeconomics, international trade, economic planning, environmental and resource economics, and development economics.

Master's thesis:

Structural causes of monopoly formation and regulation of natural monopolies, with the Norwegian cement market as a case study.

University of Trondheim - Department of Economics
1986 - 1989

University of Trondheim
Examen philosophicum - 1985

Trondheim Cathedral School

Upper secondary education (general studies) - 1982-1985

LANGUAGES

- **Norwegian:** Native
 - **English:** Fluent, written and spoken
 - **French:** Reading knowledge
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BOARD AND ORGANISATIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Alternat member at EFSA management Board
 - Program Committee Member The Research Council of Norway - Multiple appointments
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