

# Curriculum Vitae

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### EDUCATION AND DEGREES

- 2003 MA (Magister) in political science, Uppsala University.
- 2011 PhD. (Fil.dr) in political science, Uppsala University
- 2019 Associate professor (docent) in political science, Uppsala University

### EMPLOYMENT RECORD

- 2003- 2011 Ph.D. Candidate, Department of Government, Uppsala University
- 2005- 2006 Scholarship at the Swedish Parliament (Riksdagsstipendiat)
- 2012 Researcher and University Teacher, Department of Government, Uppsala University, January- October.
- 2012- 2014 Secretary in a Governmental Inquiry lead by Professor emiritus Leif Lewin which investigated the effects of the municipalisation reform of the Swedish school system (Utredningen om skolans kommunalisering U2012:09), October 2012- February 2014.
- 2014- 2020 Researcher and University Teacher, Department of Government, Uppsala University.
- 2020- Senior lecturer in Political Science, Department of Government, Uppsala University, 2020- present

### EXTERNAL RESEARCH PROJECTS

- 2012 Research Project financed by IFAU [Institute for Evaluation of Labour market and Education Policy] lead by associate professor Per Adman at the Department of Government Uppsala University, *Inflytande på arbetet och 1990-talets gymnasiereform* [Influence at work and the Upper secondary reform of the 1990's]

- 2014- 2018 Research Project financed by Vetenskapsrådet [The Swedish Research Council] lead by professor Sven Oscarsson, co-applicant and member, *Skolad i demokrati? Två skolreformers effekter på politisk jämlikhet* [Schooled in in democracy? The effects of two educational reforms on political equality]
- 2019-2021 Reserach Project financed by Forte, lead by Christina Bergqvist, co-applicant and member, “How can trade unions contribute to increased gender equality in worklife? A study of LO as a gender eqaulity actor”
- 2019- 2022 Junior research project, financed by Forte [The Swedish Research Council for Health, Working life and Welfare], lead by myself as PI, co- applicants Cecilia Josefsson and Christina Bergqvist. “Is parliament a gender equal workplace?”
- 2023-2025 Research Project financed by Forte [The Swedish Research Council for Health, Working life and Welfare], lead by Giulia Mariani, co-applicant and member, “The Struggle for Influence: Gender and Sexual Equality Policymaking at the European Union”
- 2023-2026 Research Project financed by Vetenskapsrådet [The Swedish Research Council], lead by myself as PI, co-applicants Cecilia Josefsson and Sandra Håkansson. “What does it take to make leadership gender equal? Studies of political leadership in a gender balanced context”

*Granted but declined because of overlap with other projects:*

- 2019-2021 Research Project financed by VR [The Swedish Research Council], myself as the main applicant, co-applicants Cecilia Josefsson and Christina Bergqvist *Parlamentet som könad arbetsplats – En studie av den svenska riksdagens arbetsvillkor och dess inverkan på ledamöternas uppträdande* [The Parliament as a gendered workplace— A study of the Swedish Parliament’s working conditions and its impact on legislators’ behavior]

## PUBLICATIONS

- 2011 Book chapter: Erikson, Josefina “Att kriminalisera sexköparen. Kvinnor som politiska aktörer” in Freidenvall, Lenita & Rönnbäck, Josefin (eds.) *Bortom rösträtten. Kön, politik och medborgarskap i Norden*. Stockholm: Samtidshistoriska institutet. [To criminalize the buyer of sexual services. Women as political actors]
- 2011 Doctoral thesis: Erikson, Josefina *Strider om mening. En dynamisk frameanalys av den svenska sexköpslagen*. Uppsala: Acta Universitatis. [Struggles of meaning. A dynamic frame analysis of the Swedish purchase of sexual services act].
- 2012 Book chapter: Erikson, Josefina “The various “problems” of prostitution- a dynamic frame analysis of Swedish prostitution policy “ in Coy, Maddy ed.: *Prostitution, Harm and Gender Inequality*. Farnham: Ashgate

- 2013 Working paper: Erikson, Josefina “An Upper Secondary School for Everyone - Analyzing Problem Framings and Conflicts in Swedish Educational Policy” 2013:7 Working papers series of the Department of Government, Uppsala University.
- 2014 Chapter 3 in the Governmental Inquiry Report *Staten får inte abdikera- om kommunaliseringen av den svenska skolan*, SOU 2014:5. [The state should not abdicate- About the municipalisation of the Swedish school]
- 2015 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina "Ideas and actors in policy processes: where is the interaction?" *Policy Studies*
- 2016 Report: “Jämställdheten i riksdagen- en enkätstudie” Rapport till riksdagens arbetsgrupp för jämställdhet [Gender equality in the Parliament- evidence from a survey, report to the Swedish Parliament’s gender equality group]
- 2016 Book chapter: Erikson, Josefina “Lärarfacken och den dubbla rollen- tjänsteman och profession.” in Björnsson, Anders ed., *Tjänstemännen och deras rörelser. Fackligt arbete bland svenska tjänstemän ur ett hundraårigt perspektiv*, Tam-Arkiv [The Teachers’ trade unions and the double role- civil servant and profession.]
- 2017 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina ”An upper secondary school for all or a school for the labour market?: Analysing the goal formulation of the Swedish upper secondary reform of 1991.” *Scandinavian Journal of Educational Research*
- 2017 Report, “Riksdagsledamöters erfarenheter och upplevelser av jämställdheten i riksdagen- en intervjustudie” Rapport till riksdagens arbetsgrupp för jämställdhet [Legislators’ experiences of gender equality in the Swedish parliament- an interview study, report to the Swedish Parliament’s gender equality group]
- 2017 Book: Erikson, Josefina *Criminalising the client: Institutional change, Gendered Ideas, and Feminist Strategies*, New York: Rowman and Littlefield International.
- 2018 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina & Josefsson, Cecilia "The Legislature as a Gendered Workplace: Exploring MPs’ Experiences of Working In the Swedish Parliament" *International Political Science Review*
- 2018 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina “En dynamisk frameanalys av policyskapande och policyeffekter” Statsvetenskaplig tidskrift, Special issue on Ideas in political science, editor Evert Vedung. [A dynamic frame analysis of policymaking and policy effects]

- 2018 Peer review article: Björnehed, Emma & Erikson, Josefina "Making the most of the frame: Developing the analytical potential of frame analysis" *Policy Studies*
- 2018 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina "Institutions, gendered perceptions and frames of meaning. Explaining strategic choices of women MPs in Swedish prostitution policy" *Journal of Women, Politics & Policy*
- 2019 Peer review article: Erikson Josefina & Josefsson, Cecilia "Equal Playing Field? On the Intersection between Gender and Being Young in the Swedish Parliament" *Politics Groups and Identities*
- 2019 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina & Josefsson, Cecilia "Does Higher Education Matter for MPs' in their Parliamentary Work? Evidence from the Swedish Parliament." *Representation*
- 2019 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina "An Ideational Approach to Gendered Institutional Change: Revisiting the Institutionalization of a New Prostitution Regime in Sweden" *Nordic Journal of Feminist and Gender research*
- 2020 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina & Larsson, Oscar L. "How platforms facilitate collaboration across organizational boundaries: fighting human trafficking in Sweden" *Policy Sciences*
- 2020 Peer review article: Freidenvall, Lenita, & Erikson, Josefina "The speaker's gender equality group in the Swedish parliament—a toothless tiger?" *Politics, Groups, and Identities*
- 2020 Report, "Politiskt ledarskap och kön- en forskningsöversikt" Rapport till Jämställdhetsmyndigheten 2021-1 [Political leadership and gender- a review of research, report to the Gender Equality Agency]
- 2021 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina and Freidenvall, Lenita "A legislative gender-equality norm as a catalyst for change? Discursive convergence in the case of the Swedish Parliament" *European Journal of Politics and Gender*
- 2021 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina "A special fund for gender equality? Institutional constraints and gendered consequences in Swedish collective bargaining" *Gender, Work & Organization*
- 2021 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina "Class and gender in conflict? Exploring intersectionality in practice in Swedish gender equality bargaining" Accepted for publication in *Politique Européenne*
- 2021 Report, "Jämställdhet och ledarskap i Riksdagen" Rapport till riksdagens arbetsgrupp för jämställdhet. [Gender equality and political leadership in Parliament, report to the Swedish Parliament's gender equality group]

- 2021 Book chapter: Erikson, Josefina “Conflicts over gender equality bargaining: The introduction of a gender equality fund in Sweden” forthcoming in *Social Partners, Power and (In)Equalities in Europe- Gendered Corporatism in Times of Neoliberalization* eds. Anna Elomäki, Johanna Kantola and Paula Koskinen Sandberg
- 2021 Erikson, Josefina, Håkansson, Sandra and Josefsson, Cecilia “Three Dimensions of Gendered Online Abuse: Analyzing Swedish MPs’ Experiences of Social Media” *Perspectives on Politics*
- 2022 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina & Larsson, Oscar L. “Beyond Client Criminalization: Analyzing Collaborative Governance Arrangements for Combatting Prostitution and Trafficking in Sweden” *Regulation & Governance*
- 2022 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina & Josefsson, Cecilia “The Parliament as a Gendered Workplace: How to Research Legislators’(UN) Equal Opportunities to Represent” *Parliamentary Affairs*
- 2022 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina & Verge, Tània “Gender, Power and Privilege in the Parliamentary Workplace” *Parliamentary Affairs*
- 2023 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina & Josefsson, Cecilia “Feminine Leadership Ideals and Masculine Practices: Exploring Gendered Leadership Conditions in the Swedish Parliament” *Politics & Gender*
- 2023 Peer review article: Erikson, Josefina & Freidenvall, Lenita “Exploring Sustainability in Parliamentary gender equality work. Insights from the Swedish Riksdag” *Nordic Journal of Feminist and Gender research*
- 2024 Edited book: Erikson, Josefina & Freidenvall, Lenita ”Suffrage and its legacy in the Nordics and beyond: Gender, Institutional Constraints and Feminist Strategies” forthcoming, Palgrave Macmillan, *forthcoming*.

## INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION AND ASSIGNMENTS

- 2018-2021 Co-convenor of the Gender-Focused Parliamentary Institutions Research Network (GenParlNet) An international network of reserachers intetersted in Parliaments from a gender perspective.
- 2020 Guest editor in the journal *Parliamentary affairs* together with Tània Verge on a special issue *The Parliament as a gendered workplace*
- 2021 Member of the Excecutive board of International Political Science Association’s (IPSA) section on Gender Politics and Policy, RC19
- 2022 Section chair of the conference committee of Eurpean Conference of Politics and Gender (ECPG), 2022 Ljubljana

2023 Director of the Feminism and Institutionalism International Network. A network of scholars interested in theory and methodology related to gender and institutional perspectives.

## REVIEW ASSIGNMENTS, ACADEMIC JOURNALS

American Political Science Review; Critical Policy studies; European Journal of Politics and Gender; Gender Work and Organization; International Political Science Review; Journal of Educational Policy; Political Research Quarterly; Politics and Gender; Political studies; Social Politics etc.

## OTHER PROFESSIONAL ENGAGEMENTS AND EXPERIENCES

2012 Consultant for the Swedish National Audit Office (Riksrevisionen) together with a research team at the Centre for Gender studies, Uppsala University

2015- 2019 Member of the Faculty of Social Science board, Uppsala University.

2015- present Consultant for the Swedish Parliament, the Speaker's network on Gender Equality

2017 Member of an Expert group on School issues preparing Uppsala University's remiss response on a Governmental Inquiry *Politisk information i skolan – ett led i demokratiuppdraget SOU 2016:4* [Political information in the School—part of the democratic assignment].

2016- 2019 Member of the election committee for the local trade union ST's board at Uppsala University

2017 Member of an Expert group on School issues preparing Uppsala University's remiss response on a Governmental Inquiry *Samling för skolan. Nationell strategi för kunskap och likvärdighet SOU 2017:35* [Uniting for school. National strategy for knowledge and equivalence].

2020 Consultant for the Swedish Gender Equality Agency (JÄMY), writing a knowledge overview on political leadership and gender *Politiskt ledarskap och kön- en forskningsöversikt, rapport 2021-1*

2021 External reviewer for the OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (ODIHR), of the report "ODIHR Guide on Gender Sensitive Parliaments in the OSCE Region".

- 2021 Grading committee, Narola Olsson PhD thesis “Crime, punishment, and counselling – a study of the local judicial and social work application of prostitution policy in Sweden”, Gothenburg University, Sweden.
- 2022 Pre-examinator, Valentine Berthet PhD thesis, “The Discursive Politics of Gendered Violence and Bodily Rights in the European Parliament”, University of Tampere, Finland.
- 2023 Consultant as an expert on parliaments and gender on the EIGE (the European Institute for Gender Equality) report on Gender sensitive parliaments, and in development of an EIGE tool-kit for Gender equality action plans.
- 2023 Faculty opponent, Anna Ehrhart PhD thesis “Between Strategic Political Power and a Daunting Task. Exploring Dimensions of Women’s Political Participation in Hybrid Regimes”, Mid University, Sweden
- 2023 Grading committee, Max Persson PhD thesis “Turning Privilege Into Merit. Elite schooling, Identity, and the Reproduction of Meritocratic Belief”, Uppsala University, Sweden.

## SUPERVISION PHD STUDENTS

- 2013- 2021 Co-supervisor, Lars Wikman, Department of Government, Uppsala University (oral defense and degree awarded in 2021)
- 2019- 2021 Co-supervisor, Giulia Nanni, in Applied Social Sciences, University of Rome, La Sapienza (oral defense and degree awarded in 2021).
- 2019-ongoing Co-supervisor Johannes Jarlebring, Department of Government, Uppsala University
- 2020-ongoing Supervisor Luise Bendfeldt, Department of Government, Uppsala University
- 2021-2023 Co-supervisor Sandra Håkansson, Department of Government, Uppsala University

## TEACHING

Currently serving as Head teacher and lecturer of the Masters course “Gender Power and Institutions”; Leading the “Introduction group” of first year PhD students at the department, supervision and examination of Bachelor/master theses, Uppsala University.

Various teaching assignments since 2011, including Head teacher of the Bachelor thesis course, lectures and seminars on methodology, and gender and politics.

## LANGUAGES

Swedish: Mother tongue.

English: Excellent reading, writing, and speaking competence

Spanish: Excellent reading, writing, and speaking competence.

Danish: Reading competence

Norwegian: Reading competence.