

CURRICULUM VITAE – Lone Friis Thing



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RESEARCH AREA

Sociology of Health and Health Promotion; Sport Sociology; Sociology of the Body and the Emotions

EDUCATION

- 1995 - 1998 PhD in Sociology, Department of Sociology, UCPH. "Sport - en emotionel affære. Kvinder, holdsport og aggression".
1988 - 1993 BSc & Master: Human and Social Sport Sciences, UCPH. Thesis: "Aggression og oplevelse".
1984 - 1988 BSc Biology (several subjects at master level), UCPH.

Funding in relation to the early qualification/education – self managed

- 1991-1993 Master Thesis: Funded by "Team Denmark"
1995-1998 PhD-Project Funded by "Team Denmark" & DFF (Danish Research Council)
2000-2002 Post.doc Period Funded by DFF (Danish Research council)

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENTS AND MANAGEMENT EXPERIENCE

- 2020-2024 Head of Department for "Idrett og samfunnsvitenskap», NIH.
2019- Professor at NEXS, Copenhagen University (UCPH).
2017 - 2021 Board Member of the Steering Committee at "Norwegian School of Sport Sciences". Oslo. Norway.
2015 -2020 Head of the Section 'Sport, Individual and Society', Department of Nutrition, Exercise and Sports (NEXS), University of Copenhagen (UCPH).
2010 - 2019 Head of Studies for two Master Programmes (Human Physiology – 120 ECTS & Humanities and Social Sport Sciences – 120 ECTS) at NEXS, UCPH.
2008 - 2019 Head of Studies; Master Education Program *Sport & Welfare* (60 ECTS), NEXS, UCPH.
2007 Substitute for Representative, Department of Exercise and Sport Sciences, UCPH.
2007 - Associate Professor at Department of Exercise and Sport Sciences, UCPH.
2006 - 2007 External Lecturer at the Cand.Scient.San. -Education in qualitative methods and Health.

- 2004 - 2007 Course Manager and lecturer at UCSF's (Universitetshospitalernes Center for Omsorg- og Sygeplejeforskning, Rigshospitalet) Postgraduate Course in Research methodology.
- 2003 - 2007 Senior Researcher at UCSF: University Hospitals Centre for Nursing and Care Research. Rigshospitalet, Copenhagen.
- 2000 - 2003 Postdoc scholarship [National Social Scientific Research Council]: Assistant Professor at Department of Sociology connected to the project: "Bodies at Risk".
- 1999 - 2007 Employed as part-time Lecturer in 'Sociology' & 'Qualitative Methods' at the Master Programme of Public Health, Department of Public Health, UCPH.
- 1999 - 2000 Part-time Lecturer: 'Body & Society' and 'Micro Sociology' (1999), and 'Sociology of Health' (2000), Department of Sociology, UCPH.
- 1994 - 1995 Research Assistant of Associate Professor Charlotte Bloch, Department of Sociology, UCPH, in the Research Project *Stress and Flow in everyday life*.

BOARD MEMBERSHIP AND ORGANISATIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2018 - Editorial Board IRSS (International Review for the Sociology of Sport)
- 2017 - 2021 Member of the Board at Norwegian School of Sport Sciences (NIH), Oslo
- 2015 - Co-Editor of Annals of Leisure Research
- 2014 - 2019 Co-Editor of EJSS (European Journal for Sport and Society)
- 2012 - Board member of the Steering Group for "Koordinationen for Kønsforskning (Gender research)". UCPH.
- 2012 - 2013 ERASMUS Coordinator – International relations between countries in Europe.
- 2011 - 2014 Member of the Board in REPS: *Research Education Program in Sport Sciences*. A partnership between the sport departments of universities in Denmark where the objective is to strengthen and coordinate the training of researchers in Denmark
- 2010 - 2013 Member of steering committee for "Head of Study Forum", University of Copenhagen, as a representative for The Faculty of Science.
- 2008 - 2012 Board member in IDAN (Danish Institute for Sports Studies) set up by the Danish Ministry of Culture.
- 2005 - 2011 The Health Insurance Foundations (Helsefonden) Research appointed by The Danish Council for Independent Research Social Sciences (FSE/DFF).
- 1995 - 2000 Editor for the Journal 'Sport & Psyke', Publisher "Dansk Idrætspsykologisk Forum".
- 1994 - 1999 Member of the Board "Dansk Idrætspsykologisk Forum", DIFO.

OTHER SCIENTIFIC QUALIFICATIONS

- 2006 - 2022 Member of the Danish National Body of Censors for "Public Health and Related Programs" & "Sport Educations" (Appointed by the Ministry of Higher Education and Science).

REVIEWER

- Scandinavian Journal of Medicine & Science in Sports
- Danish Sociology
- Sport in Society. Cultures, Commerce, Media, Politics
- Health, Risk and Society

- International Review for the Sociology of Sport
- Critical Public Health
- Annals of Leisure Research
- Leisure Studies
- European Journal for Sport and Society

ACADEMIC REWARDS

- 2012 The Teaching Award of The Department (Institut For Idræt). UCPH.
 2011 The Award of Communication at the Department (Institut for Idræt). UCPH.

RESEARCH GRANTS from 2009- (PHD): as PI

- 2009 - When the evidence meet resistance: Incorporation of Physical Activity in the everyday life of people suffering from heart diseases. Helsefonden (500,000 DKK)
- 2013 - Lifestyle changes in practice - Community and overweight. An analysis of Ueberup Højskole lifestyle courses (1 PhD), part of UCPH 2016 programme.
- 2013 - A study of sport and everyday life with focus on Work-Life-Leisure Balance and a healthy everyday life - the implementation of physical activity as a lifestyle changing potential (1 PhD), CWS 2016, part of UCPH 2016. 600,000 DKK.
- 2009 - 2015 GIHL - Gymnasiums as Innovative Health Laboratories, Rysensteen Gymnasium (250,000 DK). UNIK "Food, Fitness and Pharma", UCPH programme (1 PhD).
- 2016- Grant for the EASS Conference. 60.000 kr. Carlsberg.
- 2015 - 2017 Træningsvanernes forandring [collaborative research with Loughborough University/ Professor Joe Maguire]. Ministry of Culture. 250,000 DKK.
- 2016 - 2018 Established and Outsiders: PE in the secondary School (1 post.doc). 913,644 DKK. Ministry of Culture (Stine Frydendal Nielsen)
- 2018-19: Doping project; Anti-Doping Denmark co-research with S. Frydendal; S. de Dominicis & N. Nordsborg. 200.000 kr.
- 2023- DAiSI. Marie Curie; EU-Grant (HORIZON-MSCA-2022-DN-01-01). Joint PhD-Program between KU Leuven; Johannes Gutenberg-University Mainz; Swansea University; University of Lausanne and Norwegian School of Sport Sciences. 4 mill Euro.

SUPERVISOR OF GRADUATE STUDENTS AND DOCTORAL STUDENTS

PhD: 9 PhD students (8 finished), currently supervisor for two PhD-students

FINISHED PHD'S

- 2008 - 2011: Annette Michelsen La Cour: *"Idrætsforeningers velfærdspotentiale. En sociologisk analyse af sammenhængen mellem velfærdspolitik, social kapital og socialt entreprenørskab i 21 idrætsprojekter for vanskeligt stillede, overvægtige børn"*. Department of Nutrition, Exercise and Sports, Copenhagen University.
- 2009 - 2014: Linnea Ytting: *"Når evidensen møder modstand: Inkorporering af fysisk aktivitet i hjertesygges hverdagsliv"*. Department of Nutrition, Exercise and Sports, Copenhagen University.
- 2010 - 2013: Annette Mollerup: *"Hand eczema. Self-management and prognosis"*. Faculty of Health and Medical Sciences, Gentofte Hospital.
- 2010 - 2014: Stine Frydendal: *"Gymnasieskolen som innovativt sundhedslaboratorium: et processtudie om idræt og demokrati i en ungdomskultur"*. Department of Nutrition, Exercise and Sports, Copenhagen University.
- 2013 - 2017: Troels Thorsteinsson: *"Rehabilitation including social and physical activity in children and teenagers with cancer"*. Faculty of Health and Medical Sciences.
- 2013 - 2017: Maria Hybholt: *"Kvinder, sundhed og træning I det tidspressede hverdagsliv. En mikrosociologisk undersøgelse af midaldrende kvinders deltagelse i en forskningsbaseret træningsintervention med spinning"*. Department of Nutrition, Exercise and Sports, Copenhagen University.
- 2014 - 2017: Anette Bentholt: *"Du må ikke løbe uden for banen. En processociologisk undersøgelse af inklusion af elever med autisme og ADHD i skoleidrætten"*. Department of Nutrition, Exercise and Sports, Copenhagen University.
- 2015 – 2019: Pernille Guldager Knudsen: *"Holdspil og sundhedsfremme i folkeskolen. Et interventionsstudie med ultimate frisbee i 6. klasse"*. Department of Nutrition, Exercise and Sports, Copenhagen University.

PHD STUDENTS IN PROGRESS:

- 2014-2019: Louise Vestergaard: *"Lifestyle changes in practice - Community and overweight. An analysis of Ukkerup Højskole lifestyle courses"*. Department of Nutrition, Exercise and Sports, Copenhagen University.

Supervision of MASTER STUDENTS – 120 ECTS programs: numerous finished:

- Have supervised more than 100 master students (2003-2018): from 3 different Departments at KU.

INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Head of 6 PhD committees (NEXS & SDU & Umeå); and two more in 2019 (UK and Norway).

- Partaking in the Accreditation for UCPH – 2017-18
- Accreditation for the two Master Programs at NEXS
- Organizing Member of the scientific committee, 13th European Association for the Sociology of Sport Conference, Copenhagen, 1-4 May 2016. Duties included co-ordination and contribution to peer review of abstracts, funding the conference (Carlsberg)
- Co-creator of Copenhagen ‘Summer School’ PhD course, 2018

GUEST LECTURES – SOME CHOSEN

- Videnskabsteoretisk seminar i Kvalitative netværk: “Fænomenologi og kvalitative metoder”. 19. september 2012, 13-16. SFI Det Nationale Forskningscenter for Velfærd
- Temadag for børnesygeplejersker i Region Syddanmark: Familie-centreret sygepleje i pædiatrien. 10. maj 2012. Odense Universitets Hospital
- Lægmandsopfattelse af risiko og livsstil. Onsdag den 20. februar 2013. Institut for Folkesundhedsvidenskab. KU.
- Sport og civilisering – to gæsteforelæsninger. Institutt for Sosiologi og Statsvitenskap. Thondheim University. NTNU. 2013.
- Sport og civilisering – to gæsteforelæsninger. Institutt for Sosiologi og Statsvitenskap. Thondheim University. NTNU. 2014.
- IDAN (Idrættens Analyse Institut).”Sport Light conceptualisering” 17. september 2014.
- Speaker at PhD-Course for Copenhagen Centre for Team Sport and Health. 2014.
- Second Global Excellence in health Prize Conference, 12-13 May 2016 (OPUS; Hovedstads-Regionen)
- Keynote at “8th Nordic Health Promotion Research Conference”, 20-22 of June 2016, University of Jyväskylä, Finland.
- Exercise and Presentative Medicine. 31.1. 2017: “Football Fitness for Health? The Perspective of female players. Loughborough University. UK.
- Speaker: “Social Research Methods in Sport” at PhD-Course “Culture, Sport and Society”: Wirtschafts- und Sozialwissenschaftliche Fakultät Institut für Sportwissenschaft Arbeitsbereich Sozial- und Gesundheitswissenschaften des Sports. Tübingen, Germany. 2018.

TEACHING ACTIVITIES – SOME CHOSEN

1996	Research Assistant in <i>Classic Sociology</i> : Department of Sociology. UCPH
1999 - 2007	External lecturer: <i>Sociology and Qualitative Research Methodology</i> . The Department of Public Health, UCPH.
2006 - 2007	Extern Lecturer at Cand. Scient. San. UCPH: <i>Qualitative Method and Health Science</i> .
1999	Extern Lecturer: <i>Body and Society</i> : Department of Sociology, UCPH. Master Program.
1999	Extern Lecturer: <i>Microsociology</i> , Department of Sociology, UCPH.
2000	Extern Lecturer: <i>Health in a Sociological Perspective</i> , Department of Sociology, UCPH.
2001	Extern Lecturer in PhD.-course. <i>Qualitative Methodology</i> : in Hermeneutic and Phenomenology. Faculty of Health, Aarhus University. 24-28. September.

- 2005 Coordinating the Research Symposium at UCSF. "Evidence based Practice". Rigshospitalet with 300 participations (in collaboration with associate professor PH.D. Ingrid Egerod).
- 2004 – 2007 Course convenor of the postgraduate one year course in Science Research Methodology and Theory of Science for nurses, physiotherapists and midwives at UCSF, Rigshospitalet. I structured this course, hire other Extern Lecturers, hold examinations and teach.
- 2007 -2019 Associate Professor at the Department of Exercise and Sport Sciences, University of Copenhagen. Course leader of:
- Health Sociology (Master Program course: 40= N students)
 - Innovation, Evidence & Research Design (Master Program course: 23 students)
 - Knowledge of Science (Bachelor level Course: 120=N students from 2009-2018)
 - Sports- and body cultures (Bachelor level course: 144=N students from 2007-2019)

PUBLIC COMMUNICATION - NEWSPAPER ARTICLES AND PUBLIC DEBATES (some chosen):

- Information: *Maskulinitet, fodbold og krop*. 1996.
- Information: *Hårdt Man(duelt) arbejde*. 1998.
- Information: *Sportens uheldige helte*. 1999.
- Politiken, Sports Magasinet: *Hjerneforskjel*. 2000
- Politiken: *Arrene på kroppen*. 2002
- Danish Radio: 'en times radioudsendelse med introduktion af den nye grundbog i idrættssociologi
- Television: DR2-DAGEN, 2013, Pain & Injury
- Television: DR2-DAGEN, 2013, Sport & Health