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Profession Marine Biologist, Ph.D.

Current position Scientist at the Demersal Department, Faroe Marine Research Institute

Education

2009 - 2013	PhD, Philosophiae Doctor, Faculty of Biosciences, Fisheries and Economics, University of Tromsø, Norway
1995 - 1998	Candidatus Scientiarum in Biology (marine resources). Norwegian College of Fishery Science (NFH), University of Tromsø, Norway
1992 -1995	Cand. Mag., Norwegian College of Fishery Science (NFH), University of Tromsø, Norway

Main qualifications and research experience

Experience in:

- Sampling and examination of biological material
- Data handling in Excel, Access, Oracle and R
- Fish tagging (cod and anglerfish)
- Fish assessment (saithe, greater silver smelt, ling)

Participation in:

- Research cruises as both research leader and assistance with commercial and research vessels
- ICES working groups:
 - North-Western Working Group (NWWG) (since 2001)
 - Working Group on the Biology and Assessment of Deep-Sea Fisheries Resources (WGDEEP) (since 2006)
- Nordic projects about anglerfish and Greenland halibut

Project leader for several projects funded by Faroese Fisheries Research Fund

Language capacity

Norwegian	Mother tongue
English	Good
Faroese	Good

Employments

1998 - present	Fishery biologist at the Faroe Marine Research Institute
Spring 2000	Part-time teaching "Vertebrate Zoology" at the University of Faroe Islands
Spring 1998	Part-time teaching in fishery biology at the Norwegian College of Fishery Science (NFH), University of Tromsø, Norway
1996-1998	Worked part-time as biological assistance on classification of benthic material and data entry at Akvaplan Niva, Tromsø, Norway

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