

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### **Education:**

1979            PhD in Theoretical Physics, Aarhus University, Denmark  
1976            MSc in Physics and Chemistry, Aarhus University, Denmark

### **Professional career:**

2019-2023      Chair, Danish National Research Foundation  
2018-            Villum Kann Rasmussen Professor, Department of Physics, Technical University of Denmark  
2014-2018      Senior Fellow, Precourt Institute for Energy, Stanford University  
2013-2014      Director, Chemical Science Division, SLAC National Accelerator Laboratory  
2010-2018      Leland T. Edwards Professor in the School of Engineering, Stanford University  
2010-2018      Professor, Departments of Chemical Engineering and Photon Science, Stanford University and SLAC National Accelerator Laboratory  
2010-2018      Director, SUNCAT Center for Interface Science and Catalysis, Stanford University and SLAC National Accelerator Laboratory  
2009-2010      Director, Catalysis for Sustainable Energy Initiative, Technical University of Denmark  
2006-2010      Director, Center for Atomic-scale Materials Design (CAMD), Technical University of Denmark  
2004-2009      Director, DTU Nano-technology Center, Technical University of Denmark  
2001-2008      Chair, Danish Center for Scientific Computing (DCSC)  
1993-2003      Director, Center for Atomic-scale Materials Physics (CAMP), Technical University of Denmark  
1992-2010      Professor of theoretical physics, Department of Physics, Technical University of Denmark  
1987-1992      Professor by special appointment of the Danish Minister of Research, Laboratory of Applied Physics, Technical University of Denmark  
1982-1985      Assistant Professor, Nordita, (Nordic Institute for Theoretical Physics), Copenhagen  
1981, 85-87    Scientific Staff, Haldor Topsøe A/S, Lyngby  
1979 -1981    Post Doctoral Fellow Aarhus University, IBM T. J. Watson Research Center, New York; Nordita, Copenhagen;

### **Research:**

Research interests in the theoretical description of surfaces, catalysis, materials, and nanostructures with special focus on energy transfer and sustainable chemistry. 700+ published papers (cited >220 000 times, H-index 217, according to ISI; cited >280 000 times H-index 240 according to Google Scholar), 22 patents or patent applications. For the full list of publications, see <https://scholar.google.com/citations?hl=da&user=hvthl-MAAAAJ>

### **Recent awards and honors:**

- Ørsted Gold Medal, Society for the Dissemination of Natural Science, 2024
- Eni Award for Frontiers in Energy, Rome, Italy, 2022
- Havinga Medal, Leiden University, 2019
- Honorary plaque at the Danish Society of Engineers, 2019
- Niels Bohr International Gold Medal, 2018
- ETH Zurich Chemical Engineering Medal, 2018
- Clarivate Citation Laureate, 2017
- European Inventor Award, European Patent Office, 2016
- Murray Raney Award, Organic Reactions Catalysis Society, 2016
- The Carlsberg Foundation Research Prize, Royal Danish Academy of Science and Letters, 2015
- Rigmor og Carl Holst-Knudsen's Award, Aarhus University, 2015
- Irving Langmuir Prize in Chemical Physics, American Physical Society, 2015
- Michel Boudart Award for the Advancement of Catalysis, American and European Catalysis Societies, 2013

Member of the Royal Danish Academy of Science and Letters, the Danish Academy of Engineering (ATV), Academia Europea, and foreign member of the US National Academy of Engineering.

Honorary doctorates at Eindhoven University of Technology, Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Technical University of München, University of Jyväskylä.