

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL DATA

Current position *Independent Consultant*
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Born/Place September 5th, 1965 / Telemark
Marital status Cohabitant / Engaged (one son and one stepdaughter)
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LANGUAGES

English Fluent written and oral
German Some

KEY QUALIFICATIONS / PROFILE

Extensive project-, logistic- and finance management experience from large organizations, establishing, running and restructuring companies, solid experience from large IT/ERP implementations, business development, Supply chain management and purchasing. Comprehensive international experience.
Profile: Motivating and analytical, good human relation and management skills. High energy level and ability to create good relations across internal and external company cultures.

PREVIOUS POSITION

01.2000-dd **GEIR WALAAS UTVIKLING**
Independent consultant engaged primarily in the industrial, technology and distribution segment. Engaged as board member/chairman, management for hire and senior consultant working in areas such as business development, project and logistic management, organizational development and financial strategy. Also engaged in several startup companies as active owner.

06.2002-12.2003 **IBM NORGE AS**
Business Development & Alliance Manager /eBusiness Hosting Services
Reported to Nordic alliance organization and national sales organization. Responsible for business development, identifying and pursuing strategic alliances for IBMs eBusiness hosting services and general sales activities related to these alliances.

06.1999 – 01.2000 **INTERSPED AS**
Owned by Varner Group and Qvale Group
Managing Director
Reported to the company Board. Brought in to lead the company's transition/program to finetune the owners national distribution network. As Qvale Group suffered extreme financial difficulties and subsequently went bankrupt I lead the company through a full restructuring and downsizing.

01.1995-06.1999 **ELOPAK AS**
Owned by Tiedemann (Andresen family)
1996-1999 *Corporate Project Director – Mercury Project*
Reported to COO/Executive Steering Committee. Manager of Elopaks preparations, design and implementation of a common ERP system world wide. In addition to managing the corporate project I was corporate HQ's representative in all the National/local Steering Committees.
1997-1999 *Senior Manager Logistics, planning and QA*
Reported to Vice President Operations. Responsible for the overall logistics planning and strategy for Elopak operations in Board and blanks (cartons) manufacturing, Filling machines and Spare parts.
1995-1996 *Logistics Manager Board & Blanks Manufacturing*
Reported to Vice President Board & Blanks Manufacturing. Responsible for the overall logistics, distribution and production planning/allocation for the board and blanks (cartons) production in the company.

05.1992-08.1994

LOOC AS

Governmental company for arranging the 17. Olympic Winter games

Head of Division, Warehousing and Distribution

Responsible for all material logistic services for the winter games in Lillehammer. Included departments/sub projects for Sentral warehousing, Distribution/Transportation, Venue logistics and Distribution of volunteer clothing. Extensive co-operation with the large, international Sponsors (i.e. IBM, CBS, SAS, NSB) and the National Olympic Committees related to the importation, distribution and return of goods before, during and after the games. Responsible for the sale and allocation of all olympic goods after the games (goods where return sales were not agreed upon with vendor).

1986-1994

ROYAL NORWEGIAN AIR FORCE (RNOAF)

1992-1994

Leave of absence (employed in LOOC AS)

1991-1992

Instructor/Lieutenant at the Air Force School Center, Stavern

Instructor for AF Academy, NCO training school and courses (sivillian and military) in Logistics/SCM, project management and administration.

1989-1991

Manager/Lieutenant Warehousing and Transportation, Andøya AFB

Responsible for technical supply- and transportation- services and fuel readiness services at the Air force base.

1986-1987

Section chief/Sergeant, SCM section, 330 squadron, Banak AFB

Responsible for technical supply services at the rescue squadron, Banak Air Force Base.

EDUCATION

1996-1997

Norwegian School of Management - BI, Oslo

Master of Management module in Investment and Finance

1995-1996

Norwegian School of Management - BI, Oslo

Master of Management module in SCM / Logistics

1991-1996

Norwegian School of Logistics (MRD), Molde

Candidate/Bachelor in Materials Management

1990

Universitetet of Tromsø (UiT), Tromsø

Examen Philosophicum

1987-1989

Air Force Academy, Trondheim/Stavern

Administration / Supply chain Management

1985-1986

Air Force NCO Training School, Stavern/Kjevik

Administration / Supply chain Management

APPOINTMENTS

2002-2004

Mobile Computer Innovation AS

Chairman of the board

2002-dd

Lindra AS

Chairman of the board

2000-dd

Boyesen & Munthe AS

Member of the board

REFERENCES

Jørn TB Larssen

IT Director, Orkla ASA

Was IT Director in Elopak AS and we worked closely together, especially during the ERP implementation project.

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My manager in the planning and execution of the Lillehammer Olympics in 1994.

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IBM Norge AS

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