

Curriculum Vitae 2021

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Personal details

Born in 1969 in Horred, Sweden; 1989-1998: undergraduate and graduate studies in History, Political Science, History of Religions, International Relations, French and Hebrew languages at Lund University, Sweden, l'Université Catholique d'Angers, France and Hebrew University of Jerusalem; 1999-2005 Ph.D. studies in History at Lund University; 2005: Ph.D. on the dissertation *Ambivalent Friendship: Anglican Conflict Handling and Education for Peace in Jerusalem 1920–1948* (Lund University, 2005) which concerns inter-faith peace efforts initiated by Anglican bishops and missionary teachers in British Mandate Palestine; 2006-2007: student adviser, Dept. of History, since 2006: lecturer in Peace- and Conflict Research, Lund University; 2008-2015: research fellowship from the Swedish Research Council (VR) on the project “Alma and the Armenians. A Swedish missionary woman and the civil society in armed conflict.” The project deals with humanitarianism and the 1915 Armenian Genocide with a gender perspective. The focus is on the Swedish missionary Alma Johansson and her work to support and empower Armenian refugee women through the organization *Kvinnliga Missionsarbetare* (Women Missionary Workers); since 2015: co-ordinator of the National Graduate School of History and senior lecturer in Peace and Conflict Studies, Lund University; 2018-2019: affiliated researcher at the Center for Middle Eastern Studies (CMES), Lund University. On parent leave: 2007-2008; 2010-2011.

Present position

Associate Director of Studies, National Graduate School of Historical Studies

Senior Lecturer in Peace and Conflict Studies, Lund University

Main research interests

Gender, war and peace

Humanitarianism, cosmopolitanism and care ethics

The Armenian Genocide and witness narratives

The Israeli-Palestinian conflict and conflict transformation

Interfaith dialogue, friendship and peacebuilding

Peace education and interculturalism

Missionary history and postcolonial theory

Memberships

Swedish Network of Peace, Conflict and Development Research

Swedish Network of Gender History
The Research Collegium of the Swedish Research Institute in Istanbul
Nordic Network of Global History

Selected publications

Maria Småberg, 2020: "Medkänslans olika ansikten. Alma Johansson och armenierna". In Svante Lundgren, Elizabeth Melikian, Inger Marie Okkenhaug, Kate Royster, Maria Småberg, *Folk mord, flyktingar och fortlevnad. Tre skandinaviska kvinnors arbete för armeniska kvinnor och barn*, Artos, Skellefteå 2020.

Småberg, Maria, 2019: "Att ge röst åt de utsatta – Maria Anholm och de yezidiska kvinnorna". In Klas-Göran Karlsson, Emma Severinsson och Ulf Zander (red.), *I historiens virvlar. Biografiska betraktelser tillägnade Eva Helen Ulvros*, Historiska Media, Lund.

Maria Småberg, "Material help and self-help. Materiality and cosmopolitan care in the Swedish humanitarian work among Armenian refugees in Thessaloniki, 1923-1947" in Andreas Schmoller (ed.), *Middle Eastern Christians and Europe: Historical Legacies and Present Challenges*. *Orientalia–Patristica–Oecumenica* 13. Lit, Wien et.al. 2018. * (peer review)

Maria Småberg, "Mission and cosmopolitan mothering. Saving Armenian mothers and orphans, 1902-1947", *Social Sciences and Missions*, 30, 2017. * (peer review)

Maria Småberg, "On mission in the cosmopolitan world. Ethics of care in the Armenian refugee crisis, 1920-1947", *Scandinavian Journal of History*, Vol. 40, Issue 3, 2015. * (peer-review)

Seija Jalagin, Inger Marie Okkenhaug, Maria Småberg, "Introduction: Nordic missions, gender and humanitarian practices: from evangelizing to development", *Scandinavian Journal of History*, Vol. 40, Issue 3, 2015. * (peer review)

Maria Småberg, "The Swedish Mayrik". Saving Armenian mothers and orphans 1902-1941" in Lars Hillås Lingius (ed.): *In Times of Genocide 1915-2015*, Bilda, 2015.

Maria Småberg, "Witness Narratives as Resistance and Recovery. Alma Johansson and the 1915 Armenian Genocide" in Anders Ahlbäck & Fia Sundevall (eds.) *Gender, War and Peace. Breaking up the borderlines*. University Press of Eastern Finland, Joensuu 2014.

Maria Småberg, "Peacemakers" from the "Bridge Church": The Anglican Church as a Third Party in Palestine 1920-1948" in Kjell-Åke Nordquist (ed.) *Gods and Arms. On Religion and Armed Conflict*, Pickwick Publications, Eugene, OR, 2013.

Maria Småberg, "Witnessing the Unbearable. Alma Johansson and the Massacres of the Armenians 1915" in Karin Aggestam & Annika Björkdahl (eds.) *War and Peace in Transition. Changing Roles of External Actors*, Nordic Academic Press, Lund 2009.

Maria Småberg, "Peacemaking through Friendships - Ambivalent Anglican discourses in Jerusalem 1920-1948" in SMT (Swedish Missiological Themes), Vol. 94, No. 2, 2006.

Maria Småberg, *Ambivalent Friendship. Anglican Conflict Handling and Education for Peace in Jerusalem 1920-1948*, Lund University, Lund 2005 (dissertation).

Teaching

(*in English)

- Conflict Resolution (lecturer, examiner, undergraduate level), Peace and Conflict Studies, Lund University.
- Globalization, (in)security and identity (lecturer, examiner, undergraduate level), Peace and Conflict Studies, Lund University.
- * War and peace in the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict (lecturer, examiner, undergraduate level), Peace and Conflict Studies, Lund University.
- Meeting place Jerusalem (lecturer, examiner, undergraduate level), Department of History, Lund University.
- The Arab-Israeli Conflict (undergraduate level), Campus Helsingborg, Lund University.
- *The Role of Religion in the Middle East Conflict (lecturer, undergraduate level), Centre for Theology and Religious Studies, Lund University.
- * Peace for God's Sake (lecturer, undergraduate level), Centre for Theology and Religious Studies, Lund University.
- Supervisor and examiner of undergraduate thesis, Department of Individual and Society, Malmö University.
- Supervisor and examiner of undergraduate thesis (BA-level), Department of History, Lund University.
- Supervisor and examiner of undergraduate thesis (BA-level), Peace and Conflict Research, Lund University.
- Assistant supervisor of a PhD student, Lund University.
- Assistant supervisor of a PhD student, Örebro University.
- Assistant supervisor of a PhD student, Malmö University.

Pedagogical Education

- 2009 luPOD Academic Trainee Program, Lund University
- 2009 Basic course for Ph D tutors, Lund University
- 2002 Examination in Change, Lund University.
- 2001 Teaching Course for the Humanities, Lund University.
- 2000 Communication Course for the Humanities, Lund University.

Academic community services

Member of the Board of the National Graduate School of Historical Studies, 2014-
Member of the Board of Centre of Middle Eastern Studies, Lund University, 2007-2009.
Member of the Examination Board of a Ph D dissertation at Centre of Theology and Religion, Lund University, 2008.
Member of the Examination Board of a licentiate's dissertation at Centre of Theology and Religion, Lund University, 2008.
Member of the Board of the Forum for Intercultural Pedagogical Research, Lund University, 2005-2007.

Awards, Grants, Research Funding

The Swedish Research Council

The Swedish Institute

The Crafoord Foundation

The Birgit and Gad Rausing Foundation for Humanistic Research

The Fondazione Famiglia Rausing

The Royal Society of Letters at Lund

The Faculty of Humanities, Lund University

The Knut and Alice Wallenberg Foundation

The County Governor Per Westling Memorial Fund

The Bokelund Foundation History & Geography Grant Fund

The Bokelund Foundation Travel Grant Fund

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