

## PERSONAL INFORMATION



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## PERSONAL STATEMENT

With several years experience as a LAG and FLAG manager, I have an extensive knowledge of the European Rural Development Programme and the European Maritime and Fisheries Programme.

I have a passion for public speaking and communication and thus pride myself in being able to get the right message across – whether it being in person or in writing.

I am very dedicated my work, a fast thinker and I always deliver results.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

01/12/2016–Present

**Owner**

HelleBreindahl, Aarhus (Denmark)

Freelance consultanting.

- Workshop facilitation
- Communication
- Community Led Local Development
- Small-scale coastal fishery and maritime innovation
- Public speaking
- Business and life coaching.

02/01/2017–Present

**Geographical expert**

FAME Support Unit, Brussels (Belgium)

- Collecting information
- Interviews with the MA
- Good practice stories.

01/05/2015–Present

**Manager/coordinator**

LAG Djursland, Ebeltøft/Allingåbro (Denmark)

A local action group under both the rural development programme and the fisheries programme.

- Extensive knowledge of the rural development programme and the fisheries programme in relation to LAG's and FLAG's from both the 2007-2013 and 2014-2020 programmes.
- Highly experienced in both development and implementation of local projects
- Guiding applicants and projectowners through the LAG/FLAG process.
- Working with local stakeholders and volunteers e.g. in Natur Park Randers Fjord (a local nature park)
- Financial managing of the LAG/FLAG finances, bookkeeping, reporting etc.
- Responsible for communication and coordination with local stakeholders such as municipalities, regional authorities etc.
- PR, facebook, webpage

06/02/2011–30/04/2015

**Manager/Coordinator**

LAG Djursland, Ebeltoft/Allingåbro (Denmark)

- Extensive knowledge of the rural development programme and the fisheries programme in relation to LAG's and FLAG's from both the 2007-2013
  - Development and implementation of local projects
  - Guiding applicants and projectowners through the LAG/FLAG process. More 100 succesfully completed LAG/FLAG funded projects over the years and many more applications.
  - Implementation of LAG initiated projects.
  - Facilitating workshops, information meetings, thematic meetings etc.
  - Financial managing of the LAG/FLAG finances, bookkeeping, reporting etc.
  - Responsible for communication and coordination with local stakeholders such as municipalities, regional authorities etc.
- PR, facebook, webpage

15/09/2013–31/03/2014

**Project coordinator**

Norrdjurs Municipality, Allingåbro (Denmark)

Running a project on utilizing the tourism potential in three small villages along the coastline of Norrdjurs Municipality.

01/02/2008–01/07/2008

**Intern**

Central Denmark EU Office, Bruxelles (Belgium)

Internship at the Central Denmark EU Office which is a regional office representing the 19 municipalities in the region and its regional government.

**EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

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07/09/2016–18/03/2017

**Cetified Life- and Business Coach**

ManningInspire, Aarhus (Denmark)

**Facilitering i praksis (practical facilitation)**

Facilitator, Aarhus (Denmark)

01/09/2007–01/11/2009

**Master in philosophy**

Aarhus University, Aarhus (Denmark)

Dissertation titel "Discrimination – What is it and What Makes it Morally Wrong?"

Exert from the censors comments "*Breindahl's dissertation is among the very best and (...) displays a degree of intellectual maturity and philosophical sophistication that goes much beyond what one can expect from a Master's dissertation.*"

01/09/2004–31/08/2007

**Bachelors in philosophy and political theory**

Aarhus University, Aarhus (Denmark)

I wrote my bachelors on dependency relations and their influence on peoples abilities to act as autonomous moral agents.

**PERSONAL SKILLS**

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Mother tongue(s)

Danish

Other language(s)	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C2	C2	C2	C2	C1

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user - B1 and B2: Independent user - C1 and C2: Proficient user  
Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Communication skills

- I can convey a clear message that people will remember – by accepting that people will never remember everything and focussing on the key points that I need to get across.
- Great communication skills gained through my experience as a LAG manager and from my public speaking training during my coach training.
- Several public speaking appearances at international seminars organized ENRD and FARNET. E.g. Milan, September 2015 on international LAG cooperation and Helsinki, May 2016 on animating the local community to execute the new local FLAG strategy.
- Numerous talks and presentations on LAG Djurslands strategy, local work and results, applications processes and results and experiences from our own projects.
- Workshop facilitation on themes such as cooperation across villages.

Organisational / managerial skills

- Head of secretary (2014-present)
- Development and implementation a LAG-run project that created 4 jobs in local businesses in less than a year.
- Skilled at planning and executing meetings, workshops and seminars from small scale numbers to larger events.
- Facilitating workshops, information meetings, thematic meetings etc.
- Financial managing of the LAG/FLAG budgets, bookkeeping, reporting etc.
- Assisting in the development and writing of the local development strategies for both the LAG and FLAG Djursland for the 2014-2020 programme.
- On the board of my local homeowners association.

Job-related skills

- Chosen by the Danish LAG and FLAG managers to represent the western Danish LAG/FLAG managers in the coordinating meetings with the MA/NN and the LAG/FLAG chairmen. The group consists of the MA/NN, four chairmen and two managers.
- Part of the MA/NN's optimization group for the Danish guidelines to LAG and FLAG applicants (2014-present)

Digital competence

SELF-ASSESSMENT				
Information processing	Communication	Content creation	Safety	Problem solving
Proficient user	Proficient user	Independent user	Independent user	Independent user

Digital competences - Self-assessment grid