**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**Personal information**

Born: 13.02.1958 in Trondheim, Norway

**Education**

Dr.polit (PhD) in Sociology, Department of Sociology, University of Bergen 1996.

Sosialhøgskolen Trondheim, 1982.

**Academic appointments/Employment**

Head of Department of Sociology, University of Bergen (2017-2021)

Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Bergen (2011- present)

Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Bergen. (1999 – 2012)

Researcher, Centre for Social Research (SEFOS), University of Bergen (1996-2000).

Research Fellow, Department of Sociology, University of Bergen (1992-1996).

Research Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of Bergen (1991-1992).

Trondheim Bureau of Social Assistance (1985- 1986).

Research Assistant, Centre for Social Research, University of Trondheim (1982-1985).

**Department/administrational/appointments (selected)**

**-** Head of Department of Sociology, University of Bergen (2017-2021)

**-** Member of the committee for appointment for Excellent Teaching Practitioner at the Faculty of the social Sciences University of Bergen, 2019.

**-** Member of the Governmental appointed committee *Barnefamilieøkonomiutvalget (*2015-2017)

- Member of the Employment Board, Faculty of Social Sciences (2016-2021)

**-** Deputy Head Department of Sociology, University of Bergen 2009-2013.

- Member of the board of the Faculty of the Social Sciences, University of Bergen 2005-2009.

- Head of the Board of the Department of Sociology, University of Bergen, 2005 –2006, 2007- 2009.

- Head of education at the Department of Sociology, University of Bergen, 2000-2001.

**Research projects with external funding**

*Lone parents between paid and unpaid labour.* Funding from NORAS (1991), the faculty of Social Sciences, University of Bergen 1991-1996.

*Family, gender and individualisation.* Funding from the Norwegian Research Council 1996-1999.

*Family and togetherness*. Funding from the Norwegian Research Council 1999.

*Gender and power in the welfare state***.** Part of the Norwegian Power and Democracy Project 1998-2003.

*Evaluation of the reform of the Transitional allowance for lone parents*. Funding from the Ministry of Health and Social Affairs 1999-2003.

*EVA-NAV Evaluation of the Nav-reform Modul 6: “User experiences”* from 1/08-2007 to 2014. Funding from the Norwegian Research Council.

**Research stays abroad**

Visiting Scholar University of Manchester, the Morgan Centre for the study of Relationships and Personal Life, Social Sciences, Sociology spring 2007.

**Teaching and supervising**

Teaching experience on all levels of the discipline, supervised master students since 1999, and PhD candidates since 2007. Most recent course responsibility is a course in Welfare, Inequality and Lifecourse at master level (sos320) and the course for the Bachelor thesis (Sos202L and SOS202) autumn 2022 and 2023.

**Assessing academic qualifications**

On committees for accessing academic qualifications for positions as associate professor and professor at; SDU (Syddansk universitet), the University of Agder, Oslo and Akershus University College of Applied Sciences, Sogndal University College, Gøteborg University, University of Stavanger, Nord University, University of Tromsø and University of Bergen.

External member of PhD committees at the University of Tromsø, University of Oslo, Oslo MET, University of South-East Norway and internal member of several committees at the University of Bergen

Have reviewed papers for Dansk Sociologi, Sosiologisk tidsskrift, Tidsskrift for kjønnsforskning, Tidsskrift for velferdsforskning, Rokkansenterets skriftserie, Tidsskrift for samfunnsforskning, Community, Work and Family, Journal of European Social Policy, Demographic Research, Fontene Forskning, Comparative Social Work, Antropologisk tidsskrift, Qualitative Sociology, Social Policy & Society, Social Policy & Administration

**Internationally invited lectures (selected)**

2013 «The institutionalization of cohabitation: The case of Norway 1970-2013». Lecture at: “Cohabitation in Europe: Through Space and Time”, Vilnius University and Radbound University Nijmegen, Netherlands, Vilnius, 5-6th September.

2008 “Norwegian mothers experiencing the new employment strategy”, invited lecture at the symposium: “Lone mothers and Welfare to Work Policies: Insights from longitudinal Qualitative Research”. Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, Canada, 26-27th September.

2007 “Family, gender and class in late modernity”. Lecture at the Morgan Centre for research on relationships and Personal Life, Sociology, University of Manchester, 7th of March.

2003 ”Norway: Creating a work/welfare divide. Lone parents experiencing the new employment strategy”, invited lecture at the conference: “Lone parents and employment: International Comparisons of What Works”, Centre for Analysis of Social Policy, London 25th of June 2003.

**Selected publications**

**Books**

Christensen, Karen and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (eds) (2009): *Kvinners arbeid*. [Women’s Work] Oslo: Unipub.

Hansen, Hans-Tore, Kjetil G. Lundberg and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (eds)( 2013): *Nav – med brukeren i sentrum?[Nav- With the user in the centre?]* Oslo: Universitetsforlaget.

Christensen, Karen and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (eds) (2018): Myter om velferd og velferdsstaten [Myths about Welfare and the Welfare State] Oslo: Cappelen Damm Akademisk. Open Access.

**Peer-reviewed journal articles**

Fjær, Svanaug and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2005): Omsorg, tid og penger – enslige forsørgere og arbeidsmarkedet [Care, time and money – lone parents and the labour market]. *Tidsskrift for Velferdsforskning*, 8 (3): 146-159.

Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2006): Taking control of one's own life? Norwegian lone mothers experiencing the new employment strategy. *Community, work & family* 9(1):75-94.

Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2012): Sense and sensibility. Cohabitation in cohabitation-land. *Sociological Review*, 58 (3):444-462.

Hansen, Hans Tore, Lundberg, Kjetil G and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2012): Stiller en ny tid samfunnsforskere overfor nye metodiske utfordringer? Forskning om brukererfaring med Nav som case. [Does new times require new approaches?] *Sosiologisk Tidsskrift,* 20 (3): 203-224, 2012.

Christensen, Karen and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2013): Lønnsarbeid og kvinnearbeid – Tilbake til diskusjonen om arbeid. [Paid work and womens work. Returning to the discussion of work] T*idsskrift for kjønnsforskning,* 37 (2) 157-172, 2013.

Lundberg, Kjetil G. and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2013): Brukererfaringer med Nav i reformperioden; kompleks organisasjon, bakkebyråkrati og ustabile relasjoner. [User experiences: complex organisation, streetlevel bureaucracy and unstable relations] *Fontene Forskning* 13 (2):19-30.

Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2014): Cohabitation from illegal to institutionalized practice: the case of Norway 1972-2010. *The History of the family*. 20 (4):515-529. DOI:10.1080/1081602X.2014.963639.

Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2015): Paid and Unpaid Work in the Norwegian Welfare State – The Case of the Lone mother Allowance. *Analele Universitatii Bucuresti*, 17 (1): 5-18.

Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2015): Enslige mødre- forståelse av «problemet» og trygd gjennom 100 år [Lone mothers – understanding of «the problem» and allowance during 100 years]. *Tidsskrift for velferdsforskning ,*18(4): 328-338.

Lundberg, Kjetil G. og Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2016): Everyday interaction at the front-line- the case of the Norwegian all-in- one bureaucracy, *Journal of Organizational Ethnography,*  5 (2):152-166.

Hansen, Hans-Tore, Lundberg, Kjetil G. og Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2018): Digitalization, Street-Level Bureaucracy and Welfare Users’s Experiences. Social Policy & Administration, early view online publication. DOI: 10.1111/spol.12283.

Lorentzen, Thomas og Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2023) *'*If Unpartnered at the Birth of a Child, How Would You Fare? A Life-Course Perspective on Contemporary Single Motherhood*'* Community, Work & Family. DOI: 10.1080/13668803.2023.2207719

**Chapters in books**

Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2005): Fra trygg havn til vaklende fellesskap? [From safe haven to wavering togetherness], in Hårtveit, Håkon (ed): Perspektiver på parforhold. Oslo: Universitetsforlaget.

Bjørnsen-Vareberg, Marthe and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2013): «Alenemødre, frivillig og offentlig hjelp. Hva tilbyr de frivillige organisasjonene som Nav ikke har?» [Lone mothers, voluntary and public assistance. What do the voluntary organisations offer that Nav don’t?]I Hansen, Hans-Tore, Kjetil G. Lundberg and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (eds) 2013: *Nav – med brukeren i sentrum?* Oslo: Universitetsforlaget.

Brubakken, Gunhild and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2013): «Oppfølging av brukere. Muligheter og begrensninger i samtaler mellom brukere og Nav-veiledere».[Follow-up of users. Posibilities and limitations in encounters between users and Nav-advicers) In Hansen, Hans-Tore, Kjetil G. Lundberg and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (eds) (2013): *Nav – med brukeren i sentrum?* Oslo: Universitetsforlaget.

Lundberg, Kjetil G. and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2013): «Den «ene» døren. Møtet med Nav i mottak, telefon og på Internett». [The «one» door. Encounters with Nav in waiting rooms, the telephone and on Internet] In Hansen, Hans-Tore, Kjetil G. Lundberg and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (eds) (2013): *Nav – med brukeren i sentrum?* Oslo: Universitetsforlaget.

Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2013): «Brukeren» i debatten om Nav-reformen».[«The user» in the debate about the Nav-reform»] In Hansen, Hans-Tore, Kjetil G. Lundberg and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (eds) (2013): *Nav – med brukeren i sentrum?* Oslo: Universitetsforlaget.

Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2017): A sociological perspective on changes in family in Norway. I: Tilden, Terje and Wampold, Bruce (red.): *Routine Outcome Monitoring in Couple and Family Therapy. The Empirically Informed Therapist*. Springer.

Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2018): Myten om alenemødrene og velferdsstaten [The Myth about lone mothers and the Welfare State]. In Christensen, Karen and Syltevik, Liv Johanne (eds): Myter om velferd og velferdsstaten. Oslo: Cappelen Damm Akademisk.

Syltevik, Liv Johanne (2021): Familie og ulikhet. [Family and inequality] In Grønmo, Sigmund, Nilsen, Ann and Christensen, Karen (eds) (2021): *Ulikhet. Sosiologiske perspektiver og analyser.* Bergen: Fagbokforlaget.