

# Curriculum vitae with track record (for established researchers)

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

\*Family name, First name: Villa, Mariann

\*Date of birth: 29.05.1963

\*Sex: Female

\*Nationality: Norwegian

## \*EDUCATION

2005 Dr. polit: **Disputation date:** *April 2005*  
Department of Sociology and Political Science, Faculty for Social Sciences, Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU)

1990 Master  
Department of Sociology and Political Science, Faculty for Social Sciences, Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU)

## \*CURRENT AND PREVIOUS POSITIONS

2015- Associate Professor, Department of Sociology and Political Science, Faculty of Social and Educational Sciences, Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU)

2016- Researcher, Centre for Rural Research (CRR), Trondheim, Norway (19% position)

2014 - 2015 Associate Professor, Department of Geography, Faculty of Social and Educational Sciences, Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU) (20% position)

2012 - 2014 Research Manager, Centre for Rural Research, Trondheim, Norway

1998- 2015 Researcher, Centre for Rural Research, Trondheim, Norway

1990-1994 Research Assistant, Centre for Rural Research, Norway

## FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

1994-1999 Dr. polit Scholarship, Centre for Rural Research/NTNU, Norway

## SUPERVISION OF GRADUATE STUDENTS AND RESEARCH FELLOWS

2017- 1 Master Student  
Department of Sociology and Political Science, Faculty of Social and Educational Sciences, Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU)

## TEACHING ACTIVITIES

2015-2017 SOS3007 Qualitative methods (master), SOS3605 Cultural sociology (master), SOS2010 Social inequality, family and welfare (bachelor). Department of Sociology and Political Science, NTNU, Norway

2014-2015 GEO2005 Regional changes – settlement and migration (bachelor), GEO1000 People and places. Department of Geography, NTNU, Norway

2013-2015 Guest lecturing Department of Geography, NTNU, Norway

1996, 1997, 1999 Guest lecturing Department of Sociology and Political Science, NTNU

1998, 1999 Guest lecturing Nord-Trøndelag College, Norway

1995 Guest lecturing Sogn og Fjordane College, Norway

1994 Guest lecturing Molde College, Norway

1993, 1999 Guest lecturing Rogaland College, Norway

## **ORGANISATION OF SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS**

- 2017 Arranger of international seminar: Small communities and the future of local schools, 2. February 2017, Oslo, Norway (CRR and co-arr. NIBR & University of Latvia, 30 participants).
- 2016 Group coordinator: Local schools in rural contexts – threatened, disputed and defended. Nordic Conference for Rural Research, Iceland 22-24 May (Villa & Knutas, 15 participants).
- 2012 Group coordinator: Rural tranquillity. Nordic Conference for Rural Research, Finland, 21-23 May (Luoto & Villa, 9 participants).

## **INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 2017 Member of PhD committee, Department of Sociology and Political Science, NTNU
- 2006-2017 Member of committee: Graduate students (several), Department of Sociology and Political Science, NTNU
- 2013 Member of committee: Applicants for associate professor, University of Tromsø, Norway
- 2011 Member of PhD committee, School of Philosophy, Anthropology and Social Inquiry, University of Melbourne, Australia
- 2012 Member of committee: Applicants for associate professor, University of Agder, Norway

## **COMMISSIONS OF TRUST**

Reviewer: *Sociologia Ruralis* (2011, 2012, 2015, 2016, 2017), *Southern Rural Sociology* (2007), *Journal of Youth Research* 2001, 2008), *Journal of Sociology* 1997, 2004, 2009), *Gender, Place and Culture* (2017), *Heimen* (2017).

- 2011 - Member of *Sociologia Ruralis* Editorial Board
- 1995-1996, 2011-12 Deputy Board Member, Centre for Rural Research
- 2001– 2002 Member of Executive Committee, European Society for Rural Sociology
- 1995 – 1999 Secretary, European Society for Rural Sociology (ESRS)
- 1996 Deputy Council Member, Norwegian Agricultural Economics Research Institute

## **MEMBERSHIPS OF SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES**

- 2014 - Nordic network for research on welfare in rural areas (NOWRA)
- 2013 - Network partnership: Democracy, equity, and the local community: Welfare and education in a globalized world (financed by Research Council Norway, Villa network manager)
- 2013 - 2014 Network partnership: In the field of arctic studies between Iceland and Norway (Icelandic Centre for Research/Norwegian Centre for International Cooperation in Education)
- 2013 - Network partnership: Forest in urban and rural studies (European Forest Institute/Nordic Forest Research Co-operation Committee)
- 2008 Member of Committee for County Master Plan Trøndelag 2009-2012
- 2007 Jury Member; architect contest “Modern housing in rural areas”

## **MAJOR COLLABORATIONS**

Project: The multiethnic rural community: Exclusion or inclusion of immigrants? (Norwegian Institute for Urban and Regional Research (NIBR), Oslo, Norway, Norwegian Research Council 2012-2017)

Project: Rural Mobility (Agder Research, Norwegian Research Council 2007-2010)

Project: Local cultural life in change (Institute for Church, Religion, and Worldview Research, Art Council Norway 2007-2009)

Projects:

Exploring national funding for place attractiveness (DAMVAD, Ministry of Local Government and Modernisation 2014-2015)

Island communities – exploring municipality structures (Ministry of Local Government and Modernisation/10 Island municipalities 2014-2015)  
Local Community Study (Centre for Rural Research 2011-2015)  
Demography and requirements due to new fighter air base (Rambøll, Trøndelag R&D Institute, SINTEF Technology and Society, Ørland and Bjugn municipalities dec 2012 - april 2013)  
Evaluating Governmental Rural Campaign (project manager, Ministry of Local Government and Regional Development 2007-2010)  
Project management in local development (Centre of Competence on Rural Development 2010)  
Rural Images (Norwegian Research Council 2005-2008)  
Social networks in rural areas (Foundation of Health and Rehabilitation 1998-2001)

### **CAREER BREAKS**

1993/1994      Child birth  
2000/2001      Child birth  
2003             Child birth

### **Track record**

1.        The total number of publications during the career: 47

Villa, M. (2016) Lokalsamfunn til kamp for skulen. (Local communities fighting for their school) In M. Villa and M. S. Haugen, eds, Lokalsamfunn. Oslo: Cappelen Damm Academic publisher, pp. 177-197.

Villa, M. and M. S. Haugen, eds (2016) Lokalsamfunn (Local communities). Oslo: Cappelen Damm Academic Publisher

Villa, Mariann and Arve Hjelseth (2013) Der ingen skulle tru... Rurale festivalar i spenninga mellom tradisjon og modernitet [Rural festivals between tradition and modernity]. In A. Tjora, ed, Festival! Mellom rølp, kultur og næring. Oslo: Cappelen Damm, pp. 195-209.

Villa, Mariann (2012) Småsamfunn tek sats [Rural areas go for it]. In M. B. Bringslid, ed, Bygdeutviklingas paradoks. Scandinavian Academic Press, pp. 37-61.

Villa, Mariann (2012) Skisportturist i fjellbygda og deltidsfrosting ved fjorden – mellom destinasjon og bygd [Second home tourism in different rural destinations]. In M. Forbord, G.-T. Kvam and M. Rønningen, eds, Turisme i distriktene. Trondheim: Tapir Academic Publisher, pp. 189-208.

Blekesaune, Arild, Marit S. Haugen and Mariann Villa (2010) Dreaming of a Smallholding. Sociologia Ruralis, Vol 50 (3) 225-241.

Vik, Jostein and Mariann Villa (2010) Books, Branding and Boundary Objects: On the Use of Image in Rural Development. Sociologia Ruralis, Vol 50 (2)156-170.

Almås, Reidar, Marit S. Haugen, Johan Fredrik Rye and Mariann Villa, eds, (2008) Den nye bygda [The new rural]. Trondheim: Tapir Academic Publisher.

Villa, Mariann and Karoline Daugstad (2007) Summer farmers: Gender Discourses in New Arenas. Journal of Comparative Family Studies, Vol 38 (3) 395-408.

Haugen, Marit S. and Mariann Villa (2006) Big Brother in rural societies. Youths' discourses on gossip. Norwegian Journal of Geography, Vol 60 (3) 209-216.

2.        Research monographs

Aagedal, Olaf, Helene Egeland and Mariann Villa (2009) Lokalt kulturliv i endring [Local culture in change]. Bergen: Fagbokforlaget

Villa, M (2005) Bygda som bustad. [Living in the rural] Dr. polit thesis. Department of Sociology and Political Science, Faculty for Social Sciences, Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU)

3. Organisation of international conferences in the field of the applicant (membership in the steering and/or organising committee)

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| 2011 - 2012 | Member of planning and scientific committee of the 2nd Nordic Conference for Rural Research, Joensuu, Finland, May 21-23 2012 (145 participants)                  |
| 2012-2014   | Member of steering, organising and scientific committee of the 3rd Nordic Conference for Rural Research, Trondheim, Norway, September 8-10 2014 (80 participants) |
| 2014-2016   | Member of planning and scientific committee of the 4th Nordic Conference for Rural Research, Akureyri, Iceland May 22-24 2016 (300 participants)                  |
| 2004        | Member of organising committee, XI World Congress of Rural Sociology, Trondheim, Norway, April 25-30 2004 (400 participants)                                      |