

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

## Mats Westerberg



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## WORK EXPERIENCE

01/05/2012–Present

**Professor**

Luleå University of Technology, Luleå (Sweden)

-Research focusing on entrepreneurship and innovation, and specifically aspects linked to entrepreneurship education

-Teaching both at the university and in commissioned courses - broadly within business administration and industrial management. And with a special interest in entrepreneurship education

- Research education, both teaching and supervision

01/10/2011–30/04/2012

**Associate Professor**

Luleå University of Technology, Luleå (Sweden)

-Research focusing on entrepreneurship and innovation, and specifically aspects linked to entrepreneurship education

-Teaching both at the university and in commissioned courses - broadly within business administration and industrial management. And with a special interest in entrepreneurship education

- Research education, both teaching and supervision

01/02/1999–30/09/2011

**Assistant Professor**

Luleå University of Technology, Luleå (Sweden)

During 1999- 2005

-Research focusing on business administration

-Teaching at the university - broadly within business administration and industrial management.

- Research education, both teaching and supervision

2006-2011

-Research focusing on entrepreneurship and innovation,

-Teaching both at the university and in commissioned courses - broadly within business administration and industrial management. And with a special interest in entrepreneurship education

- Research education, both teaching and supervision

## EDUCATION AND TRAINING

01/02/1993–01/12/1998

**PhD Business Administration**

Luleå University of Technology, Luleå (Sweden)

## PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s)

Swedish

Foreign language(s)	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
French	B1	B1	A2	A2	A2
Spanish	B1	B1	A2	A2	A2

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** Good communication skills gained through extensive teaching experience in both Swedish and English.

Proficient networker where I have set up and maintained many professional networks.

**Organisational / managerial skills** - Project management

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

Digital skills - Self-assessment grid

**Driving licence** B

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### CV PROFESSOR MATS WESTERBERG



Mats Westerberg, Born 1964, Earned PhD at LTU 1998. Professor in Entrepreneurship & Innovation at Luleå University of Technology since May 2012. Has a passion for collaboration and development. Heads LTUs Center for entrepreneurial learning – a multidisciplinary competence center LTU that work in close collaboration with local, national and international partners.

#### Research and development focus

Entrepreneurship and innovation in relation to collaboration. Entrepreneurial learning in the education system and in society

#### Teaching interests

Entrepreneurial learning, entrepreneurship & innovation, collaboration & networking, leadership, management control, quantitative methods

#### Supervision experience

Has been involved in 15 PhD student committees, four as main supervisor – currently has one PhD student as assistant supervisor. Has extensive experience as supervisor of master and bachelor theses.

#### Examples of project experiences

- 2014 -: Heads Center for entrepreneurial learning at Luleå University of Technology. The center contains research (e.g. one PhD student that I supervise), education and competence development programs.
- 2014 –2016: Manages the LTU part of the ELMA project – a Kamprad family foundation funded project aimed at developing links between problem solving in math and entrepreneurial learning in early school years (pre-school to sixth grade).
- 2010- ; Managing LTUs part in the Swedish School Agency’s program about entrepreneurial learning in the Swedish school system (ongoing)
- 2010-2016; Project leader Development Arena for Research and Entrepreneurship (DARE); Luleå University of Technology in cooperation with Umeå University (ongoing).
- 2009-2012; Project leader for the research project ”Horsepower for Entrepreneurship” Mainly a PhD project where I supervised Lena Forsberg
- 2008-2014; Project leader in the project Innopreneurship and Innopreneurship21 (EU Interreg project).
- 2006- 2014; Member of senior research group, Faste Laboratory, LTU (national research excellence centre funded by VINNOVA).
- 2006-2010; Achieving competitiveness through externally oriented capabilities (PhD project supervising Vinit Parida)
- 2007-2009; Project member in the research program and university consortium “Dynamic European Entrepreneurial Processes (DEEP).
- 2001-2006, Manager for the research school “Arena Networking”
- 2006-2007; Member project team for the program “Research platform for Entrepreneurship in the North (PEN)”.

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