

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education

B.A. 1961; M.A. 1963; and Licentiate 1966; Ph.D. 1970 (psychology), University of Jyväskylä (JYU), Finland. Doctoral dissertation: A descriptive model of aggression and nonaggression with applications to children's behaviour (1969).

Docent in Personality Psychology, JYU, 1971; Post-doctoral studies in Social Psychology, Sussex University, U.K (with Professor Marie Jahoda), 1972-1973.

Documentation of Education on the Protection of Human Subjects, Indiana University, USA, 2001; University Leadership Training Course, JYU, 1987; National Civil Defence Course organized by the Finnish Ministry of Defence, Helsinki, 1982 (four weeks).

Current Position

Professor of Psychology, 1990 – 2005, emerita, JYU.

Professional Appointments

Director of the Human Development and Its Risk Factors Programme approved as the Centre of Excellence for Research by the Finnish Ministry of Education and the Academy of Finland; located at the JYU, 1997-2005.

Director of the Psykocenter, a core facility unit for research approved as the Centre of Excellence by the Academy of Finland, located at the JYU, 2000-2005.

Academy Professor at the Academy of Finland, 1996 – 2001; Advanced Researcher at the Academy of Finland, 2001-2002.

Professor of Psychology, 1990- (leave of absence, 1996-2002); Acting Professor of Psychology, 1982-1990; Associate Professor of Psychology 1972-1982; Associate Professor of Education 1970-1972; Lecturer in Applied Psychology 1965-70; Research and Teaching Assistant in Psychology 1961-64; University of Jyväskylä.

Scientific Expert Tasks

Member of the Expert Panel for Psychology in the project of the European Reference Index for Humanities (ERIH) sponsored by the European Science Foundation and European Commission ERA-NET project, 2007; and Member of the International Advisory Panel of NORFACE (New Opportunities for Research Funding Agency Co-operation in Europe), ERA-NET project (scheme within the European Union Sixth Framework Program), 2004 to present.

Chair of the Psychology Panel for the overall evaluation of research at Uppsala University, Sweden, 2007; and Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Minerva Center for Youth Studies, University of Haifa, Israel, 2001.

Appointed by the Finnish Government: Member of the Science and Technology Policy Council of Finland, chaired by Prime Minister, 2002-2005; the National Advisory Committee for Early Education in Finland, 2005-2007 and 1983-86; the Parliamentary Committee on Educational Objectives for Day Care in Finland, 1979-1980; and the Board of Governors for Statistics Finland (Tilastokeskus), 1996-2002. Member of the Council of the Finnish Board of Film Classification, 2005 -2006, appointed by the Finnish Ministry of Education.

Expert opinion invited by the Committee for Education and Culture and Committee for Social Affairs of the Finnish Parliament, several hearings from 1982 to 2007.

On the invitation by the Committee for the Future of the Finnish Parliament, evaluation of the impact of advancing information technology on social capital, particularly, in children and youth, 2002-2003.

Scientific Leader of an intervention program for experimenting an integrated school day in Finnish schools, invited by members of the Finnish Parliament, 2002-2005; contributing to the amendment of Finnish school legislation for providing morning and afternoon care and activities of children at school.

Member of the Grand Jury for the Marie Curie Excellence Awards, European Union, 2003; Panel Member, European Commission: Training and Mobility of Researchers Programme, 1997-1998.

Member of the Task Force for the National Strategy for the Centres of Excellence Policy in research, Academy of Finland and the Finnish Ministry of Education, 1997; and for the History of the Academy of Finland, 1999 – 2006.

Board member of the Research Center of Lutheran Church, Tampere, 1979-90.

External reviewer of research proposals invited by the Medical Research Council, Great Britain; Council for Social Sciences, Sweden and Estonia; Academy of Finland; Panel Member of the Young Investigator's and Dissertation Grants Programme sponsored by the Jacobs Foundation (Switzerland), 1992-1997.

Reviewer of the qualification of the applicants for: Associate Professor in Education, University of Jyväskylä, 1973; Associate Professor in Education, University of Turku, 1976; Associate Professor in Psychology, University of Turku, 1983; Professor in Education, UCLA, 1985; Professor in Psychology, University of Gothenburg, Sweden, 1990; Professor in Developmental Psychology, University of Bergen, Norway, 1991; Professor in Psychology, University of Michigan, 1992; Professor in Psychology, University of Stockholm, Sweden, 1993; Professor in Psychology, University of Umeå, Sweden, 1995; Professor in Criminology, University of Stockholm, Sweden, 1996; Docent in Criminology, University of Stockholm, Sweden, 1997; Professor in Psychology, Swedish University of Finland (Åbo Akademi), 2000; Director of the Center for Developmental Science, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, USA, 2000; Docent in Psychology, University of Stockholm, 2006; Professor in Developmental Psychology, University of Turku, 2006. Reviewer and opponent of doctoral dissertations at the Universities of Jyväskylä, Turku, Helsinki, and Gothenburg, Sweden.

Editorial Service: Editor of the monograph series "Jyväskylä Studies in Education, Psychology and Social Research" published by the University of Jyväskylä, 1974-80; Consulting editor for the European Journal of Personality 2001-2004 and the International Journal of Psychology, 1994-2005. Editorial Advisory Board memberships: e.g., Aggressive Behavior; Child Development Perspectives; Criminal Behaviour & Mental Health; Development and Psychopathology; International Journal of Behavioral Development; ISSBD Newsletter; Young: Nordic Journal of Youth Research; Zeitschrift für Soziologie der Erziehung und Sozialisation.

Columnist: Helsingin Sanomat, the leading Finnish newspaper, one column per month, 1983-1985; ISSBD Newsletter 1991 – 1996 (Notes from the President).

Referee for psychological journals, e.g., Aggressive Behavior; Child Development; Developmental Psychology; Criminal Behaviour & Mental Health; Development and Psychopathology; European Journal of Personality; International Journal of Behavioral Development; Journal of Adolescence; Journal of Personality; Journal of Occupational and Organizational Psychology; Psychological Bulletin; The Journal of Child Psychology and Psychiatry and Allied Disciplines.

Scientific Positions of Confidence and Administration: Domestic

Member of the Board of Governors for the Finnish Academy of Science and Letters (Academia Scientiarum Fennica) 2003 to present.

Vice Director of the *Agora Center* for human-centered technology, 2002-2005; and Member of the University Research Authority, University of Jyväskylä, 2002-2005.

Director of Psykonet (the Net University of Psychology across six Finnish universities), 1999-2001; and Chairperson of the Task Force of Psykonet for the reform of the decree on the degree system of psychology, 1995-1996.

Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences at the University of Jyväskylä 2002 and 1986-87, 1992; Vice-Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences, 1988-91.

Head of the Department of Psychology, University of Jyväskylä, 1976, 1978-79, 1982-85, 1990-92, 1993-1996.

Director of the Family Research Centre, University of Jyväskylä, 1990-96; and Chair of the Task Force for the establishment of the Family Research Centre, 1987-88.

Board member of the Niilo Mäki Foundation, Jyväskylä, Finland, 1991-2007; the Relief Association for the Haukkala Child Psychiatric Hospital, Jyväskylä, 1975 to present; the Reformatory School "Pernasaari", 1979-1990; and Central Finland's Child Guidance Clinic, 1972-84.

Chair of the Jyväskylä University Branch of the Union of Professors 1995-1996; Vice Chair, 1993-1994.

Member (1984-86) and Vice Chair (1987-89) of the section for Psychology and Education of the Finnish University Council (Korkeakouluneuvosto), under the Finnish Ministry of Education.

Member of a Committee on Women's Role in Security Policy of Finland, under the Finnish Ministry of Defense, 1984-86.

Vice Chair of the Task Force for the establishment of training program in Music Therapy at the University of Jyväskylä, 1983-85; and (member) for the establishment of the education of School Counselors in Finland, 1971-72.

Scientific Positions of Confidence and Administration: International

President of the International Society for the Study of Behavioural Development (ISSBD) 1991-1996; Acting President of ISSBD, 1998; Past President of ISSBD 1996 – 2000; Member of the Executive Committee of ISSBD, 1987 - 2000.

General Chair of the Tenth Biennial Meetings of ISSBD, Jyväskylä, Finland, 1989.

Member of the Program Committee for the Biennial Meetings of ISSBD: 7th Meetings, Munich, 1983; 10th Meetings in Jyväskylä 1989 (Chairman); 11th Meetings, Minneapolis, 1991; 12th Meetings, Recife, 1993; 13th Meetings, Amsterdam, 1994; and 14th Meetings, Quebec City, Canada, 1996; and 16th Meetings, Beijing, 2000.

Member of the organizing committees of ISSBD workshops in Yaounde, Cameroon, 1992; Bandung, Indonesia, 1993; Moscow, 1993; Recife, Brazil, 1993; Beijing, China, 1993; Switzerland, 1994; Abidjan, Ivory Coast, 1994; Tartu, Estonia, 1994; Chandigarh, India, 1995; Lusaka, Zambia, 1996; Windhoek, Namibia, 1998; Kampala, Uganda, 2000.

Organizer of the National Trend Poster Exhibition of Finnish Developmental Studies for the IXth Biennial Meetings of ISSBD in Tokyo, Japan, 1987.

Member of the Scientific Advisory Board for the XXVIIth Congress of Psychology, Stockholm in 2000, 1997 – 2000; Member of the Scientific Committee for the Third European Congress of Psychology, Tampere, Finland, 1993; and the Conference on European Psychologists for Peace, Helsinki, 1986.

Member of the Executive Committee of the Finnish Psychological Society 1989-1996.

Member of the Council of International Society for Research on Aggression (ISRA), 1981-90, 2002-2006; Chair of the Program Committee for the Sixth Biennial Meetings of ISRA, Turku, Finland, 1984.

Memberships in learned societies: Invited Member of the Academia Europaea, 1989 to present; and the Finnish Society of Sciences and Letters (Suomalainen Tiedekatemia), 1994 to present. Member of the Finnish Psychological Society, 1967 to present; British Psychological Society, 1973-1990; International Society for Research on Aggression, 1973 to present; International Society for the Study of Behavioural Development, 1977 to present; International Society for Twin Studies, 1996 to present; Society for Research on Child Development (SRCDD), 1977 to present; European Association of Personality Psychology, 1987 to present; Behavior Genetic Association, 1996 to present; European Society for Developmental Psychology, 2000 to present; Society for Research on Adolescence; Society for Research on Identity Formation, 2001 to present.

International visits

Visiting Scholar at the University of California, Berkeley Institute of Human Development, 9.11.1992 to 14.1.1993; Visiting Professor at the Department of Psychology, Arizona State University, Tempe, USA, 1.8.-31.12.1993; Visiting Scientist at the Center for Developmental Science, the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, USA, 7.3.- 8.4.1998; Overseas Visiting Scholar at St. John's College, University of Cambridge, U.K., 1.4.- 24.6.1999; Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst: Exchange Program for Professors, University of Jena, Germany, 22.10. - 5.11.2000; Visiting Scholar, Indiana University, Bloomington, USA, 22.2.-17.3.2002; Visiting Fellow at the Institute of Criminology, University of Cambridge, U.K., 12.2.-2.3.2007.

Invited addresses and presentations in symposia in tens of conferences in all continents, 1974-2007.

Honors

Distinctions received from the President of the Republic of Finland: The Knight Commander's Cross of the Order of the Lion (Suomen Leijonan Komentajamerkki), 2002; The First Class Decoration of the Order of the Lion (Suomen Leijonan I luokan ritarimerkki), 1982; Government Medal (Valtion virka-ansiomerkki) for 30 years service, 2001; Military Service Medal (Sotilasansiomitali), 1989.

The Finnish Science Prize 2001 from the Finnish Ministry of Education, Helsinki.

Distinguished Scientific Award 2006 from the International Society for the Study of Behavioural Development (ISSBD) for the Application of Behavioral Development Theory and Research. Melbourne, Australia.

Distinguished Scientific Contributions to Child Development Award 2005 from the Society for Research in Child Development (SRCD), Atlanta, USA.

Aristotle Prize in Psychology 2003 from the European Federation of Psychologists' Associations (EFPA), Vienna, Austria.

Professor of the Year, elected by the Finnish Union of Professors, 1992; Woman of the Year, elected by the Finnish Branch of the International Federation of Business and Professional Women, 1983.

Year 2007 Award for Working for the Benefit of Children (Lapsitekopalkinto) from Nuoret Kotkat; Jyväskylä Prize. Jyväskylä Prize 2005 from the Society of Jyväskylä; Elsa Enäjärvi-Haavio Award 2004 from the Family Federation of Finland, Helsinki; Arvo Ylppö -honor 2003 from the XXIV Medical Convention, Tampere; Vuoden Alvari 2003 from the City of Jyväskylä and the Junior Chamber Finland, Jyväskylä; Vuoden Käyttäytyjä 2003 from Tapaseura ry, Helsinki; The first Honorary Member of the Finland State Organization of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International, 2002 to present; Prize for scientific communication from the Association of the Newsletter Editors of Finnish Universities, 1992; Prize for making scientific findings public from the University of Jyväskylä Foundation, 1991; Publisher's (Gummerus) Prize 1978 for the book *Kotikasvatuksen psykologia*.

The article "Aggression in childhood and long-term unemployment in adulthood: a cycle of maladaptation and some protective factors" (by Katja Kokko and Lea Pulkkinen, published in *Developmental Psychology*, 36, 463-472) was selected as "the Article of the Month" by the *PREVENTION & TREATMENT* (the APA all-electronic journal) from other APA journals, July 2000; the best poster prize: "Current mood and mood evaluation as mediators in the relationship between the Big Five personality traits and emotion regulation" (by Marja Kokkonen and Lea Pulkkinen) at the 9th European Conference on Personality convened, University of Surrey, Guildford, UK, July, 1998; " Personality characteristics and physical symptoms: The mediating role of emotion regulation strategies" (by Marja Kokkonen and Lea Pulkkinen) the 2nd Conference on (Non)Expression of Emotions in Health and Disease in Tilburg, NL, June, 1999.