

CURRICULUM VITAE-SHORT

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Education

1. Examen Artium, Bardufoss 1986.
2. Can. Scient. phys., University of Tromsø 1991.
3. Dr. Scient. phys., University of Tromsø & UNIS 1996.

Jobs

1. Teaching Assistant in mathematics, University of Tromsø autumns 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991.
2. Teaching Assistant physics, University of Alaska spring 1992.
3. Research Assistant optics, University of Alaska autumn 1992 and spring 1993.
4. Research Assistant at UNIS from 1993 to 1996.
5. Scientist at the Norwegian Institute of Fisheries Aquaculture Ltd (1996-1998).
6. Research advisor at the Norwegian Institute of Fisheries since 1998 -.
7. Associate prof. in geophysics at UNIS (1998 – 2006).
8. Head of the Geophysical department at UNIS (1998 - 1999, 2001 - 2002, 2005)
9. Head of Station Science Board (SSB) for the Auroral Station in Adventdalen (2000 – 2006).
10. Presently Prof. in Optics and Atmospheric research UNIS, 2007 –
11. Head of the Kjell Henriksen Observatory (KHO), Svalbard, 2007 –
12. Birkeland Center for Space Science (UNIS node Center of Excellence UiB), 2012 –

Invited scientific talks

1. International Symposium on High Latitude Optics, Tromsø, Norway, June, 1993.
2. 28th Annual European Meeting on Atmospheric Studies by Optical Methods, Oulu, Finland, Aug., 2001.
3. 10th Assembly of Space Physics, Chinese Society of Space Research, Shanghai, China, October, 2003.
4. Norsk Geofysisk Forening, Geilo, Norway, September, 2004.
5. Lars Vegard Symposium on Proton and Ion Produced Auroras, Oslo, Norway, 2005.
6. The Svalbard Seminars, Longyearbyen, Norway, 2003 and 2007.
7. Nordlys-utstilling-seminar, Norsk Romsenter, Voksenåsen Oslo, Norway, 2007.
8. Bodø Air and Space Festival 2008, Bodø, June, 2008.
9. Alta Museum, Alta, November, 2010.
10. 50 Years of Science: Anniversary Symposium Andøya Rocket Range, August, 2012.
11. Svalbard Museum, Longyearbyen, February, 2014.

International awards / appointments

1. Awarded the European Commission Research Directorates General Marie Curie Host Fellowship (2001-2004): Training site: Aeronomy and Remote Sensing in the Arctic (ARSA)
2. WMO Norbert Gerbier - MUMM International Award 2005.
3. 1st opponent: Doctoral Thesis of Hanna Dahlgren, Multi-spectral analysis of fine scale aurora, KTH Electrical Engineering, Stockholm, Sweden, 2010.

Teaching at UNIS

1. AGF-207 Space activity and remote sensing.
2. AGF-301 The upper polar atmosphere.
3. AGF-210 The middle polar atmosphere.
4. AGF-331 Spectroscopy and Remote sensing.
5. AGF-218 Satellite and sounding rocket construction.
6. AGF-216 The Stormy Sun and Northern Lights

Students: Supervised at UNIS 15 master students and 11 PhD. students

Publications: Prof. Dr. F. Sigernes has 72 publications in international journals with referees. Attended / participated in 14 posters and in over 74 oral presentations on conferences. He has organized 3 international scientific conferences.