

Curriculum Vitae

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PROFILE

Jens Furuholmen finished a master's degree in economics at the University of Oslo in 2016. In the spring of 2017 he began working at Vista. Jens wrote his master thesis at the Frisch Centre for Economic Research. It was an empirical study of the sharing economy in Norway. He has been the editor of the student publication Observator and has experience in writing. Jens has worked part time at Hedmark Incubator, a local centre for innovation and business development.

EDUCATION

2014 – **2016.** Master in economics, University of Oslo

Master thesis: The effect of Airbnb on the Norwegian hotel industry.

2011 – 2014 Bachelor in economics, University of Oslo. Additional courses in political

science

LANGUAGES

Norwegian First language

English Fluent

WORK EXPERIENCE

2017 – today Consultant, Vista Analysis

2012-2017. Consultant, Hedmark Incubator.

Part time. Hedmark Incubator helps local start-ups.

Tasks were gathering and analysing data. Writing presentations, newspaper chronicles. Writing the workplace website and leaflets.

PROJECT EXPERIENCE

2017 – today Industry and trade analysis Elverum

Elverum municipality

2017 – today Industry and trade analysis Fyllingsdalen town centre

Citycon

2017 – today Analysis of effects on area use from transport investment

Norwegian public roads administration

Identifying and documenting effects on area use from transport investments with

Torggata in downtown Oslo as a case.

2017 – today Climate adaption in Poland

EU-grants

Vista Analysis is involved in a project on climate adaption in 106 Polish towns. The project is performed in cooperation with the Polish Institute of Environmental Protection. Training seminars are held for about 500 public servants. During the seminars, Vista shares experiences from the best practises of climate adaption in

Norway.

2017 Public funding of private school

Abelia

Vista Analysis investigated how public funding covers the costs to building maintenance for Norwegian private schools. The goal was to highlight differences in income and costs between private and public schools. The report also considered effects of the public funding scheme for municipalities, regional governments and private schools themselves.

2017 The costs of physical inactivity

Norsk friluftsliv

Vista Analysis has performed an economic analysis of society's cost of physical inactivity. The report considers how the cost is distributed between employers, municipalities and the state. Vista calculated four future scenarios, where they assumed that the Norwegian population's lifestyle was worsened.

PUBLICATIONS

2017 The impact of Airbnb on the hotel industry in Norway. Samfunnsøkonomen no 3

2017

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