

Jakob Rutqvist

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Summary of key skills and experiences

- Top mark education in economics and political science from Harvard and Uppsala University
- Analytical mind and solid writing skills, accomplishments includes publishing a book
- International leadership experience and appearances at places such as the EU-parliament, United Nations, Globe Forum and Peking University
- Professional experience includes initiating, leading and expanding projects with considerable turnover and international impact
- Used to working in multicultural settings with practical experience from five continents

Work Experience

- 2010.12
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Present
- MANAGEMENT CONSULTANT, *Strategy, Accenture***
- Management consultant work
- 2010.03
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2010.12
- DIRECTOR, *Environment Program, FORES***
- Leading the environment program, coordinating research and outreach projects
 - Editor of a publication series on environmental economic policy
 - Head organizer of international conferences and events
- 2008.05
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2010.03
- PROJECT LEADER, *GlobalFOCUS***
- Initiated, managed and supervised international projects
 - Supervised and coached student groups in project leading and thesis writing
 - Results featured in international and national media, including CNN, Deutsche Welle and China Radio International
- 2007.07
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2008.05
- CONSULTANT, *WWF (World Wide Fund for Nature)***
- Co-founded and developed a \$700 000 youth leadership project
- 2004.01
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Present
- SELF EMPLOYED, *Rutqvist Policy Consulting***
- Founder and CEO of Rutqvist Policy Consulting

Education

- 2008-2009 **HARVARD UNIVERSITY, Cambridge, MA, USA**
Master studies in economics and government
- 100% A/A-
 - Honors/Awards: Earth Awards finalist, Clinton Global Initiative University delegate
 - Scholarships: Ennerfelts for international studies
- 2005-2008 **UPPSALA UNIVERSITY, Uppsala, Sweden**
BSc, Economics & Political Science
- 100% top grade (VG)
 - Selected Honors/Awards: Nova 100 member, Shanghai challenge finalist
 - Scholarships: Embl. Sundberg, Otterlins, Östlings, Linnaeus-Palme
- 2005-2008 **Uppsala Center for Sustainable Development**
Special studies in economic globalization and sustainable development

Swedish National University Aptitude Test

Top 1.5% group

Publications

Books:

Rutqvist, Jakob, et al. (2010). "A Bretton Woods for the Climate", Stockholm: FORES

Papers/Reports:

Rutqvist, Jakob, et al. (2010). "Vinnare och Förlorare", FORES, Sjuhäradsbygdens Tryckeri AB, Borås

Rutqvist, Jakob (2009). "Porter or Pollution Haven? – An analysis of the dynamics of competitiveness and environmental regulations", Harvard & Uppsala University

Rutqvist, Jakob (2008). "12 Climate Entrepreneurs – Revolutionary innovations for a carbon-free future", WWF/GlobalFOCUS, Swepografiska, Stockholm [*Available in Swedish and English*]

Leadership

- 2009 **ACCREDITED OBSERVER, United Nations Climate Change Conference "COP15"**
- Participated in the UNFCCC Copenhagen Conference as an accredited observer
 - Engaged in advocacy work and moderated discussions on youth leadership
- 2009 **INITIATOR and LEADER, May9th at Harvard**
- Organized a student-led conference on practical solutions for sustainable development
- 2007-2008 **NORDIC AMBASSADOR, Climate Change College**
- Completed a nine month intensive business leadership program

- Joined a group of scientist to the arctic and took part in research projects
 - Received funding for running a national campaign
- 2007-2008 **BOARD MEMBER, Uppsala Center for Sustainable Development**
- Represented 400 students
- 2007 **BOARD MEMBER, Department of Economics, Uppsala University**
- Represented 1 000 students
 - Launched a broad collaboration between student groups and faculty that resulted in several concrete changes to operations as well as curriculum
- 2006-2007 **NATIONAL COORDINATOR, Global Climate Campaign**
- Led the team that coordinated all Swedish activities. In 2006 ten cities participated and in 2007 we synchronized activities in more than 20 cities
- 2006 **FOUNDER and PROJECT LEADER, E-Rebuild, Indonesia**
- Initiated and executed an aid program in cooperation with local organizations
 - Acquired and distributed supplies and reconstruction materials to over 200 families
- 2001-2002 **TRUSTEE, Military Police Unit, Swedish Military**
- Served as a unit leader in a highly selective military police program
 - Elected representative of 150 conscripts

Skills & interests

Computers

- Proficient in MS Office Suite, Windows, Stata, PHP and Adobe Photoshop
- Basic knowledge of Linux/Unix systems and server management

Cultural

- Traveled, worked, studied or lived in over 60 countries on five continents

Languages

- Fluent Swedish, Norwegian and English (TOEFL iBT: 117/120)
- Basic Spanish and German

Public speaking

- Invited to speak at various meetings, conferences and universities (e.g. EU-Parliament, United Nations Headquarters (CSocD), Sciences Po, Globe Forum Dublin and Peking University)
- Spoken for audiences of up to 500 people

Sports

- Advanced diving certificate
- Mountain climber
- Enjoy the outdoors, particularly skiing and hiking

Writing

- Experience of producing material for mainstream media, blogs and of report writing
- Published a book (so-far printed in 2000+ copies plus many eBook downloads)

References

Provided on request