

Curriculum Vitae - Carl Anders Härdig

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Highlight of key qualifications

Native of Sweden. Ph.D. Candidate. Masters degree in International Relations (Economics minor). Lived and studied in Beirut, Lebanon (undergraduate studies 2000-2001; graduate studies 2001-2002), travel regularly to Lebanon 2002 – present, most recently as a research affiliate at the Center for Arab and Middle Eastern Studies (CAMES) at the American University of Beirut (AUB) in the summer of 2006. Basic proficiency in Arabic.

EDUCATION

American University, Washington, D.C.**School of International Service**

Ph.D. Candidate 2005 - (2009)

Oral Qualifying Exam completed May 2006

Fields of examination: International Politics (January 2006)
Comparative and Regional Studies (March 2007)

Linköping University

Master of Political Science (210 points) September 2003

Master Thesis: *Brothers in Arms: An Analysis of the Syrian Military and Political Domination of Lebanon* (Pass with Distinction)

Bachelor of Political Science (120 points) June 2001

Senior Thesis: *The Reluctant Sheriff: The U.S. Relationship to the UN and Role in World Politics* (Pass with Distinction)

American University of Beirut, Lebanon

Focus on International Relations in the Middle East, Graduate Aug 2001 - Feb 2002

Courses: Theories of International Relations
Graduate Seminar in International Relations: Middle East
Beginners Arabic as a Foreign Language

Focus on International Relations in the Middle East, Undergraduate Courses: International and Regional Organizations The Origins and Evolution of the Arab-Israeli Conflict Politics and Government: The United States of America Politics in Lebanon	Aug 2000 - Feb 2001
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MAJOR GRANTS, AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

Tekn. Dr. Marcus Wallenbergs Stiftelse för Utbildning i Internationellt Industriellt Företagande (Sweden)	2007 - 2008
Dean's Fellowship, School of International Service, American University	2007 - 2008
Tekn. Dr. Marcus Wallenbergs Stiftelse för Utbildning i Internationellt Industriellt Företagande (Sweden)	2006 - 2007
Dean's Fellowship, School of International Service, American University	2006 - 2007
Fulbright Fellowship (Sweden)	2005 - 2006
Dean's Fellowship, School of International Service, American University	2005 - 2006
Master Thesis Distinction, Linköping University	2003
Senior Fellow in the Political Science and Economics Club Linköping University	1998-1999

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Employment and Special Appointments

Asylum Case Officer, Swedish Migration Board <i>Areas of responsibility:</i> Lebanon, Syria, Jordan, West Bank, Gaza	2002 - 2005
Assisted the International Student Coordinator, Michael Lyons, American University of Beirut, Lebanon, with additional work arising as a result of the events of September 11, 2001	2001
Co-editor for the publication <i>Polemik</i> , Linköping University	1998-1999
Functionary, Political Science and Economics Club, Linköping University	1998-1999
Swedish Engineering Corps, Swedish Army	1995

Research

Field research as an affiliate at the Center for Arab and Middle Eastern Studies (CAMES), American University of Beirut, Lebanon	Summer 2006
Research assistant, School of International Service, James H. Mittelman	2006 - 2007
Research assistant, School of International Service, James H. Mittelman	2005 - 2006
Field research in Lebanon for a Master thesis in International Relations Title: <i>Brothers in Arms: An Analysis of the Syrian Military and Political Domination of Lebanon</i>	2001 - 2002
Field research in Lebanon	2001
Field research in Lebanon	2000

LANGUAGE

Swedish: Native speaker
English: Excellent writing and verbal skills
Arabic: Some writing and verbal skills
German: Some writing and verbal skills
Spanish: Some writing and verbal skills

REFERENCES

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