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Academic degrees

Supplementary journalistic exam, The Danish School of Journalism, 1995

PhD, Aarhus School of Business, 1993

MSc Business Economics and Auditing, Aarhus School of Business, 1987

BSc Economics and Business Administration, Aarhus School of Business, 1985

Professional experience

2009 – present: Professor of financial accounting, Aarhus University, Denmark

2003 – 2009: Professor of financial accounting, Aalborg University, Denmark

1996 – 2003: Associate Professor, Aarhus School of Business, Department of Accounting

1993 – 1996: Assistant Professor, Aarhus School of Business, Department of Accounting

1990 – 1993: Doctoral student, Aarhus School of Business, Department of Accounting

1987 – 1990: Auditor, Seier-Petersen, State Authorized Public Accountants, Aarhus

Research

Frank Thinggaard's research interests are centered around the use and relevance of financial reports, accounting regulation, and subjects related to the audit profession, such as the use of joint audits. He has published papers in scientific journals such as *The European Accounting Review*, *Accounting and Business Research*, *Accounting in Europe*, *International Journal of Auditing*, *Managerial Auditing Journal*, *Scandinavian Journal of Management*, *Nordisk Tidsskrift for Selskabsret*, and in more practitioner-oriented journals such as *Balans*, *Revision og Regnskabsvæsen*, *finans/invest*, and he has contributed to several books about financial accounting.

Teaching

Frank Thinggaard has taught a variety of accounting courses on e.g., IFRS regulations, Group Accounts, and International Financial Accounting at the Master's and Bachelor's level. He is also an experienced lecturer at the executive education.

Administrative experience

2009 – present: Director of Studies/Program coordinator MSc. Business Administration program in Accounting and Auditing, Aarhus University, Business and Social Sciences. Several years as course coordinator of graduate and undergraduate courses in financial accounting.

External Board and committee memberships

2009 – present: member of the Accounting Council under the Danish Commerce and Companies Agency

2017 – 2021: member of the European Financial Reporting Advisory Groups (EFRAGs) Academic Panel

2004-2010: member of the European Accounting Association's Financial Reporting Standards Committee

2008-2008: Substitute member of the Danish Securities Council

Awards

2002: Award as teacher of the year, The Aarhus School of Business

2007: Award for Best paper in the Swedish Journal Balans.