

Curriculum Vitae – Erik Lindahl

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1. Higher education & degrees

2007 Reader (Swedish ‘docent’), Theoretical chemistry, Stockholm University

2001-06-29 PhD in Theoretical Biophysics, KTH, Stockholm, Sweden

2000-04-07 Licentiate in Theoretical Biophysics, KTH, Stockholm, Sweden

1992-1993 Studies in Russian language, Stockholm University (Part of military service)

1991-1995 Master of Science in Engineering Physics, Lund University, Sweden

2. Positions/appointments

2010- Professor of Biophysics, Dept. Applied Physics, KTH

2009- Professor of Biophysics, Dept. Biochemistry & Biophysics, Stockholm University

2004-2009 Assistant & associate professor, Dept. Biochemistry & Biophysics (VR position)

2004 Visiting scientist, École Normale Supérieure & Institut Pasteur, Paris, France

2001-2003 Postdoctoral scholar, Stanford University School of Medicine, USA, w. Michael Levitt

2001 Postdoctoral scholar, Groningen University, Netherlands, w. Herman Berendsen

4. Awards & prizes

2021 The Wallmark Prize, Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences

2019- Member of the Royal Swedish Academy of Engineering Sciences

2017 Intel Parallel Programming Award

2016 CECAM Annual lecture, Lausanne, Switzerland

2011-2017 Senior Research Fellow of the Swedish Research Council

2011-2016 Founding member of the Young Academy of Sweden

2009 Wallenberg Consortium North Star Award

2008 SSF Future Research Leaders III

2006 SSF Ingvar Carlsson Award

2005 Sven and Ebba-Christina Hagberg Prize, Royal Academy of Sciences

2003 “Prix Jeune Chercheur Blaise Pascal”, École Normale Supérieure

1996 Fellowship of Excellency for PhD studies 1996-2001, KTH, Stockholm

5. Selected research funding track record

2022-2025 Project grant from Swedish Research Council, SEK 5.15M (PI)

2022-2024 The European PILOT, EuroHPC hardware consortium, 0.4M€ (co-investigator)

2021-2026 NIH project grant, structure of acetylcholine receptors (co-investigator)

2021-2024 LIGATE, EuroHPC project for drug discovery, 0.4M€ (co-investigator)

2021-2023 PerMedCoE, EU Center-of-Excellence in personal medicine, 0.4M€ (co-investigator)

2020-2022 Postdoctoral funding, lipid-protein interactions, SciLifeLab/SU, SEK 2M (PI)

2020-2021 Exscalate4CoV, EU Horizon 2020 Covid-19 project, 0.15M€ (co-investigator)

2020-2025 Strong Research Environment, Swedish Research Council, SEK 16M (PI)

2019-2022 BioExcel2, EU Center-of-Excellence, EUR 8M€ total (scientific director, my part 1M€)

2019-2022 Software infrastructure for structural biology, Swedish Research Council, SEK 4M (co-PI)

2019-2021 PRACE 6IP; EU software libraries for molecular modeling, 0.2M€ (Scientific lead)

2018-2021 Project grant from Swedish Research Council, SEK 3.8M (PI)

2018-2023 Strong Research Environment, Swedish Research Council, SEK 17M (co-investigator)

2017-2022 NIH project grant for biomolecular software (co-investigator)

2017-2020 Cryo-EM computational infrastructure, Science for Life Laboratory, SEK 3M (PI)

2015-2020 SSF Infrastructure Fellow development project, supporting scientific PI

2015-2018 BioExcel, EU center-of-excellence, EUR 0.6M€ (lead scientist)

2014-2020 KAW “Dynamics and regulation of mammalian channels”, SEK 26M (co-PI)
2014-2017 Project grant from Swedish Research Council, SEK 3.6M (PI)
2012-2013 ERC Proof-of-Concept grant, 120k€ (PI)
2011-2016 STINT institutional collaboration grant SU-University of Virginia, SEK 1.6M (PI)
2011-2014 EU CRESTA, FP7, €0.4M (co-investigator)
2011-2013 Project grant from Swedish Research Council, SEK 2.4M (PI)
2010- 1/10 PIs for the Swedish eScience Research Center (SeRC) strategic research area
Including project grant/researcher funding averaging ~1MSEK/year since 2011.
2010-2013 EU FP7, Scalable Life Science Software Infrastructure grant, SEK 3.6M total (co-PI)
2008-2013 SSF Future Research Leaders award, SEK 8.5M (PI)
2008-2013 ERC independent researcher grant (consolidator category), €1.3M (PI)
2008-2011 EU Drug Initiative for Channels & Transporters (EDICT), FP7, SEK 1M (co-PI)
2008-2010 Project grant from Swedish Research Council, SEK 2.1M (PI)
2007-2011 Vetenskapsrådet infrastructure grant, compute cluster, SEK 3M (PI)
2007-2010 Human Frontier Science Program “biodiversity of the voltage sensor”, SEK 1M (co-PI)
2006-2009 SSF Ingvar Carlsson Award Grant, SEK 3M (PI)
2006-2008 SSF Strategic center for biomembrane research (co-investigator)
2006-2011 STINT institutional collaboration grant SU/UU-Stanford University (co-PI)
2005-2008 SSF Bio-X grant “membrane protein interactions” (co-investigator)
2004-2008 Project grants & position from Swedish Research Council, SEK 6M total (PI)
2001-2003 Postdoctoral fellowship from the Knut & Alice Wallenberg foundation (PI)
1996-2001 Fellowship of Excellence for PhD studies

6. Recent research evaluation/assessment outcomes

- For the last two rounds, Lindahl’s applications to the Swedish Research Council have been awarded scores of 7 out of 7 both for the research project, track record, and overall priority.
- Lindahl is main PI of one “strong research environment” grant from VR, and co-PI on a second.
- Lindahl’s software GROMACS has repeatedly been selected as one of KTH’s main impact cases

7. Supervision of students & postdoctoral fellows

- Guided 10 students to PhD degrees as main advisor, 2 to licentiate degree
- Primary current research team with 6 PhD students, 4 postdoctoral fellows, 6 researchers
- Mentored 12 previous postdoctoral fellows.
- 7 previous students/postdocs now have PI positions: Magnus Andersson, Umeå University (tenure); Björn Wallner, Linköping University (tenure); Per Larsson, Uppsala University (tenure); Peter Kasson, University of Virginia (tenure); Berk Hess, KTH (tenure, ERC awardee); Jens Carlsson, Uppsala University (tenure, ERC awardee); Laura Orellana, Karolinska Institutet (tenure track).
Four more are currently postdoctoral scholars abroad, and four are senior researchers in academia.

8. PhD/Habilitation thesis opponent appointments

Perttu Niemelä (Helsinki University of Technology, Finland 2007); Hector Martinez-Seara (Universitat de Barcelona, Spain, February 2010); Lucie Delemotte (Université de Nancy, France, July 2011); Johan Kraft (Aarhus University, Denmark, March 2012); Marina Kasimova (Université de Lorraine, France, December 2014); Ivan Ivani (Universitat de Barcelona, Spain, Dec 2016); José Miguel de la Rosa Trevin (Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Spain, October 2017); Fredrik Robertsen (Åbo Akademi, Finland, May 2018); Ludovic Sauguet (Habilitation, Institut Pasteur, Paris, France, May 2018); Lucy Ladefoged (Aarhus University, Denmark, Jan 2019); Anna Sinelnikova (Uppsala University, Uppsala, Sweden, March 2021).

9. Didactic merits

- Introduction to university didactics (KTH, 1997); PhD supervision didactics (SU, 2005);
Advanced university didactics (SU, 2009)

- Developed masters-level classes on computational structural biology (Stanford), bioinformatics (SU), molecular modeling (SU), protein physics (KTH), and molecular biophysics (KTH/SU). Taught over 25 class rounds, comprising ~700 lecture hours.
- Development of master's program ("bioinformatics"), SU 2007
- Speaker & mentor, International HPC Summer School XSEDE/PRACE/RIKEN 2010-
- Development of master's program in "Molecular Techniques for Life Sciences", and program co-director, jointly KTH-SU-KI, 2015. The program now attracts >350 first-hand applicants for 24 positions, and of the class starting fall 2021, 13 students are fee-paying. The program was lifted as a prime example of KTH-KI-SU collaborations by the SciLifeLab international advisory board.
- The flipped-classroom lectures using a lightboard for my "Molecular Biophysics" class are [published on YouTube](#), with more than 2,000 international students following the channel.
- Developed new communicating science class, PhD level class, Stockholm University, 2021
- PhD-level classes overall responsibility, Chemistry section, Stockholm University, 2021-

10. Community & Industrial Engagement

- Returning speaker on Nobel week, Nobel breakfasts, commenting Nobel prizes on Swedish TV.
- Outreach talks at "Vetenskapens hus", The Berzelius days, Folkuniversitetet, public classes at SU.
- Our simulation software is used by millions of volunteers all over the world as part of the Folding@Home distributed computing citizen science project, in particular for Covid-19 work, with in-kind or monetary support e.g. from Bahnhof, Amazon and Intel.
- Intel OneAPI Technical Advisory Board, USA, 2020-
- Khronos SYCL advisory group, USA, 2020-
- IVA Mentor4Research industrial collaboration program, 2006-2007
- Startups: Founder BinaryBio AB; Scientific advisor/collaborator, ERCO Pharma AB.
- Acted as mentor to students in IVA's student council and assistant professors at KTH & SU

11. Selected commission of trust, administrative & leadership positions

- 2023 Organization Committee, European Biophysical Society Conference, Stockholm
- 2021-2022 Stockholm trio expert group on research assessment/reward systems, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2021-2022 DDLS recruitment group for 20 new PI positions in data-driven life science in Sweden
- 2021-2022 EU-Japan task force on High-performance computing-based biomedical research
- 2021 Stockholm University strategic research profile areas selection group
- 2021 Organizer, EMBO workshop on advances in biomolecular simulation (Brno/virtual)
- 2021 "Beyond Transformative Agreements", National Library of Sweden Open Access group
- 2021 PASC21, Interdisciplinary dialogue chair, Geneva, Switzerland
- 2021- Natural Science Faculty board, Stockholm University
- 2021- KAW Data-driven life science (DDLS) project national steering board
- 2021- Vice dean, chemistry section, Stockholm University
- 2020 External evaluation committee for PhD program in biochemistry, Uppsala University
- 2020- Swedish EuroHPC Competence Center steering board, Uppsala University
- 2020 KTH Digital Futures "Rich & Healthy Life" working group
- 2020 EPSRC grant evaluation panel member, Swindon, UK
- 2020 EU-US international task force for Covid-19 rapid research infrastructure access
- 2020 Chair, Applications track, Supercomputing 2020, Atlanta, USA
- 2019 Academy of Finland panel chair, Helsinki, Finland
- 2019- Vice chair, Chapter VII of the Royal Swedish Academy of Engineering Sciences
- 2019- PASC Project & Conference Steering board, ETH Zurich, Switzerland
- 2019 Organizing committee, CompBioMed conference, London, UK
- 2019-2021 EuroHPC RIAG (Research & Industrial Advisory Group), Luxembourg

- 2018 PRACE Ada Lovelace prize selection committee, Brussels
- 2018 Academy of Finland panel member, Helsinki, Finland
- 2018 Editor-in-chief, PRACE/EuroHPC Scientific Case for Computing in Europe
- 2018 Chair, PASC18 Conference, Basel, Switzerland
- 2018- Teacher appointment board, faculty of science, Stockholm University
- 2017 European Commission Digital Summit, presenter, Tallinn, Estonia
- 2017-2018 Board of Directors, EU PRACE HPC infrastructure, Brussels, Belgium
- 2017 Digital Infrastructures for research (DI4R) program committee, EUDAT, Brussels
- 2017-2018 Chair, Scientific Steering Committee, EU PRACE HPC infrastructure
- 2017 PRACEdays17 organizing committee, Brussels, Belgium
- 2016- Vetenskapsrådet panel member (apart from years I applied), NT-9/NT-F
- 2016 CECAM Bernie J Alder Prize judging panel, Lausanne, Switzerland
- 2016- Scientific advisory board, CSCS, Zurich, Switzerland
- 2016- Council member, Centre Européen de Calcul Atomique et Moléculaire, Lausanne
- 2016- Scientific advisory board, Multiscale genomics consortium, Barcelona, Spain
- 2016 Vice chair, Scientific Steering Committee, EU PRACE HPC infrastructure
- 2015- Scientific director, BioExcel Center of Excellence in Biomolecular Simulation
- 2015 Academy of Finland panel member, Helsinki, Finland
- 2014- Co-director, Swedish e-Science Research Center
- 2014 EU Innovation Convention, speaker, Brussels, Belgium
- 2013-2015 Scientific Steering Committee, EU PRACE computing infrastructure
- 2012-2016 Board of directors, Swedish National Infrastructure for Computing
- 2012-2019 Platform director for Bioinformatics, Science for Life Laboratory, Stockholm
- 2011-2013 Chair of election panel, Young Academy of Sweden
- 2011-2016 Gender equality board, School of Engineering Science, Royal Inst. Technology
- 2009-2014 Steering group, Swedish eScience Research Center
- 2008-2010 Board of directors, Center for Parallel Computers, Royal Institute of Technology

12. Research impact metrics

>130 publications, 62,000 citations, 2 pubs above 10,000, 5 above 5,000, 6 above 1,000, 40 above 100.

h-index 60, m-index 2.6 (h/years-since-1st-paper), i10-index 116, >100 invited talks.

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