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I do research on global migration, immobility and transnationalism. My work seeks to explain how migration arises, and how it affects societies, families and individuals. These questions have led me to research on specialized topics, including migrant smuggling, remittance transactions, and migration aspirations. I combine my background in Human Geography with perspectives from other disciplines and use both ethnographic and statistical methods. Beyond my thematic specialisms, I have an interest in academic writing, visualization and research communication.

Education and positions held

EDUCATION AND ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

- 2011** Promotion to Research Professor (equivalent to full professor)
Migration and transnationalism studies
- 2007** Ph.D. Human Geography, University of Oslo. Thesis title:
Transnationalism in the context of restrictive immigration policy.
- 2001** M. phil. (Cand. polit.) Human Geography, University of Oslo
Thesis title: *Aspiration and ability in international migration.*
- 1998** B.A. (Cand. mag.) Social Sciences, University of Oslo
Economics, Demography, Human geography, Japanese
- 1993** International Baccalaureate, United World College of the Atlantic,
Wales, United Kingdom

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2011–** Research Professor, Peace Research Institute Oslo
- 2007-11** Senior Researcher, Peace Research Institute Oslo
- 2002-07** Researcher, Peace Research Institute Oslo
- 2001** Editorial fellow, Norwegian Demographic Society (3 months)
- 1999** Research Assistant, Statistics Norway (2 months)
- 1998** Research Assistant, Institute for Social Research (2 months)
- 1997** Research Assistant, Statistics Norway (2 months)

LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

- 2012-13** Research Director, Peace Research Institute Oslo
- 2009-11** Programme Leader, Peace Research Institute Oslo



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11 November 1974

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CAREER BREAKS

- 2014** Paternity leave (7 months)
2009 Paternity leave (5 months)

VISITING APPOINTMENTS

- 2016** United Nations University MERIT and Maastricht University, Netherlands (4 months)
2010 Asia Research Institute, National University of Singapore, Singapore (3 months)
2005 Centre on Migration, Policy and Society, University of Oxford, United Kingdom (4 months)
2003 Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute, NIDI, Netherlands (4 months)

Research experience

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR EXPERIENCE

- 2019-24** *Future Migration as Present Fact (FUMI)*, European Research Council Consolidator Grant. Role: Principal Investigator.
Project budget: €2.0 Million
- 2018-23** *Aligning Migration Management and the Migration–Development Nexus (MIGNEX)*, European Commission; Role: Project Leader.
Project budget: €5.0 Million
- 2014-19** *Transnational Lives in the Welfare State (TRANSWEL)*, Research Council of Norway. Role: Project Leader.
Project budget: €1.2 Million
- 2011-16** *Possibilities and Realities of Return Migration (PREMIG)*, Research Council of Norway. Role: Project Leader;
Project budget: € 2.1 Million
- 2009-14** *Theorizing Risk, Money and Moralities in Migration (TRiMM)*, Research Council of Norway. Role: Project Leader;
Project budget: € 540,000
- 2007-12** *Remittances from Immigrants in Norway (RIN)*, Research Council of Norway. Role: Project Leader;
Project budget: € 620,000
- 2002-07** *Transnational Migration and Mobility Conflicts*, Research Council of Norway. Role: Independent doctoral researcher;
Project budget: € 260,000

Smaller projects and consultancies are listed in a separate section

OTHER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE IN LARGE PROJECTS

- 2017-20** *Financial Exclusion, Islamic Finance and Housing (FINEX)*, Research Council of Norway. Role: Responsible for quantitative analysis of religiosity and home ownership
- 2016-20** *Migration management and how migrants manage (MIGMA)*, Research Council of Norway. Role: Contributor of analysis of representations of migration and migrant smuggling

In this project I lead a small team based at PRIO and doing empirical research in West Africa. We pursue the following research question: ‘How does migration that has not yet taken place shape the lives of individuals and the development of societies?’ This question is addressed through a research design that weaves together three streams: theory development, ethnographic fieldwork, and surveys. [↗]

MIGNEX is one of the largest-ever European-funded research projects on migration, involving 9 institutions. We collect data in 25 local areas across 10 countries in Africa, the Middle East and Asia to understand how migration and development processes affect each other. [↗]

- 2016-20** *Migration for Welfare (WELLMIG)*, Research Council of Norway
Role: Contributor to analyses of social mobility in the context of migration
- 2010-13** *Theorizing the Evolution of European Migration Systems (THEMIS)*, NORFACE. Role: Member of Norwegian project team and questionnaire development team
- 2010-12** *Imagining Europe from the Outside (EUMAGINE)*, European Commission. Role: Co-applicant and WP leader, responsible for overall methodology
- 2006-10** *Informal Child Migration in Europe (ICME)*, Research Council of Norway. Role: Co-applicant and WP leader, responsible for Cape Verde case study
- 2002-05** *Europe Looking Outwards*, Research Council of Norway. Role: Responsible for sub-project on the role of migration in external relations
- 2007-09** *Europe under Threat*, Research Council of Norway. Role: Responsible for sub-project on the perceived threat of migration

FIELDWORK EXPERIENCE

- 2020** Cape Verde (six weeks; research on migration and development)
- 2019** Cape Verde (two weeks; research on migration aspirations)
- 2016** Cape Verde (six weeks; research on transnational lives)
- 2016** Spain (one week; research on transnational lives)
- 2007** Cape Verde (one month; research on transnational families)
- 2007** Italy (two months; research on transnational motherhood)
- 2003** Cape Verde (two months; research on Chinese business)
- 2003** Netherlands (four months; research on transnational practices)
- 2002** Cape Verde (four months; research on transnational practices)
- 2000** Cape Verde (five months; research on emigration)

CONSULTANCY PROJECTS

- UNDP
- Norwegian National Security Authority
- Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- Norwegian Ministry of Justice and the Police
- International Organization for Migration
- Asian Development Bank
- Unicef

Publications

EDITED BOOKS AND SPECIAL ISSUES

- 2021** Carling, J., Erdal, M.B. and Talleraas, C. 'Transnational lives: the meanings and implications of living in two countries.' *Population, Space and Place*.
- 2018** Collins, F. and Carling, J. 'Aspiration, desire and drivers of migration.' *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 44(6).

Doing fieldwork in Cape Verde over a period of two decades has allowed me to see how migration and development interact over time. Cape Verde has been one of the world's most migration-dependent countries.

- 2014** Carling, J. and Erdal, M.B. 'Return migration and transnationalism.' *International Migration*, 52(6).
- 2014** Carling, J. Lee, J. and Orrenius, P., eds, '50th Anniversary Issue.' *International Migration Review*, 48(s1).
- 2012** Carling, J., Menjívar, C. and Schmalzbauer, L., eds 'Transnational parenthood.' *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, 38(2).
- 2008** Batalha, L. and Carling, J., eds *Transnational Archipelago. Perspectives on Cape Verdean Migration and Diaspora*. Amsterdam: Amsterdam University Press.
- 2002** Carling, J., ed. *Nordic demography: Trends and differentials*. Oslo: Unipub.

ARTICLES IN INTERNATIONAL PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS

- in press** Carling, J., Erdal, M.B. and Talleraas, C. Living in two countries: Transnational living as an alternative to migration.' *Population, Space and Place*, e2471: 1-11 [[Open Access](#)].
- in press** Erdal, M.B. and Carling, J. 'New economics of transnational living.' *Population, Space and Place*, e2410: 1-11 [[Open Access](#)].
- 2021** Schutte, S., Vestby, J., Carling, and Buhaug, H. 'Climatic conditions are weak predictors of asylum migration.' *Nature Communications* 12, 2067 [[Open Access](#)].
- 2020** Carling, J. and Haugen, H.Ø. 'Circumstantial migration: how Gambian journeys to China enrich migration theory.' *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*. [[Publisher's version of record](#)] [[Open access manuscript](#)] [[Video abstract](#)]
- 2018** Carling, J. and Schewel, K. 'Revisiting aspiration and ability in international migration.' *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 44(6):945–963 [[Open Access](#)].
- 2018** Carling, J. and Collins, F. 'Aspiration, desire and drivers of migration.' *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, 44(6):909-926.
- 2017** Carling, J. 'Visualizing the transnational connections of China's most African neighbourhood.' *Environment and Planning A*, 49(6):1209–1213.
- 2014** Brown, R.P.C., Carling, J., Fransen, S. and Siegel, M. 'Measuring remittances through surveys: Methodological and conceptual issues for survey designers and data analysts.' *Demographic Research*, 31:1243–1274. [[Open access](#)]
- 2014** Lee, J., Carling, J. and Orrenius, P. 'The *International Migration Review* at 50: Reflecting on Half a Century of International Migration Research and Looking Ahead, *International Migration Review*, 48(s1):S3–S36.
- 2014** Carling, J. 'Scripting Remittances: Making Sense of Money Transfers in Transnational Relationships.' *International Migration Review*, 48(s1):S218–S262. [[Open access](#)]
- 2014** Carling, J. and Erdal, M.B. 'Return Migration and Transnationalism: How Are the Two Connected?' *International Migration*, 52(6):2–12.
- 2014** Carling, J. and Pettersen, S.V. 'Return Migration Intentions in the Integration–Transnationalism Matrix.' *International Migration*, 52(6):13–30.

◀ This article combines insights from my own fieldwork with analyses of more than a hundred ethnographic studies as underpinnings of a new conceptual framework for understanding remittance transactions.

- 2014** Horst, C., Erdal, M.B., Carling, J. and Afeef, K. 'Private Money, Public Scrutiny? Contrasting Perspectives on Remittances', *Global Networks*, 14(4):512–532.
- 2014** Carling, J, Erdal, M.B. and Ezzati, R. 'Beyond the insider–outsider divide in migration research.' *Migration Studies*, 2(1): 36-54.
- 2013** Carling, J. and Tønnessen, M. 'Fathers' whereabouts and children's welfare in Malawi', *Development Southern Africa*, 30(6):724–724.
- 2013** Carling, J. and Hoelscher K. 'Capacity and desire to remit: comparing local and transnational influences', *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, 39(6): 939–958.
- 2012** Hernández-Carretero, M. and Carling, J. 'Beyond "Kamikaze Migrants": Risk-Taking in West African Boat Migration to Europe', *Human Organization*, 71(4):407–416.
- 2012** Carling, J., Erdal, M.B. and Horst, C. 'How does conflict in migrants' country of origin affect remittance-sending? Financial priorities and transnational obligations among Somalis and Pakistanis in Norway.' *International Migration Review*, 46(2):283–309.
- 2012** Carling, J., Menjívar, C. and Schmalzbauer, L. 'Central themes in the study of transnational parenthood.' *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, 38(2):191–217. [Introduction to special issue]
- 2012** Åkesson, L., Carling, J. and Drotbohm, H. 'Mobility, moralities and motherhood: navigating the contingencies of Cape Verdean lives.' *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, 38(2):237–260.
- 2011** Carling, J. and Hernández-Carretero, M. 'Protecting Europe and protecting migrants? Strategies for managing unauthorized migration from Africa.' *British Journal of Politics and International Relations*, 13(1):42–58.
- 2009** Carling, J. and Åkesson, L. 'Mobility at the heart of a nation. Patterns and meanings of Cape Verdean migration.' *International Migration*, 47(3): 123–155.
- 2008** Carling, J. 'Toward a demography of immigrant communities and their transnational potential.' *International Migration Review*, 42(2): 449–475.
- 2008** Carling, J. 'The human dynamics of migrant transnationalism.' *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, 31(8) 1452–1477.
- 2008** Carling, J. 'The determinants of migrant remittances.' *Oxford Review of Economic Policy*, 24(3): 582–599.
- 2007** Carling, J. 'Unauthorized migration from Africa to Spain.' *International Migration*, 45(4):3–37.
- 2007** Carling, J. 'Migration control and migrant fatalities at the Spanish-African borders.' *International Migration Review*, 41(2):316–343.
- 2005** Haugen, H.Ø. and Carling, J. 'On the edge of the Chinese diaspora: The surge of baihuo business in an African city.' *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, 28(4):639–662.
- 2004** Carling, J. 'Emigration, Return and Development in Cape Verde: The Impact of Closing Borders.' *Population, Space and Place*, 10(2):113–132.
- 2003** Carling, J. 'Cartographies of Cape Verdean transnationalism.' *Global Networks*, 3(4):533–539. [Featured graphic with commentary]

◀ This article examines how the solidarity of transnationalism is mixed with frustrations and conflict.

- 2002** Carling, J. 'Migration in the age of involuntary immobility: Theoretical reflections and Cape Verdean experiences.' *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, 28(1):5-42.

OTHER SCIENTIFIC ARTICLES

- 2015** Carling, J., Siegel, M., and Paasche, E. Finding Connections: The Nexus between Migration and Corruption. *Migration Information Source*. Washington, DC: Migration Policy Institute.
- 2004** Carling, J. 'Transnacionalismo "olandese-capoverdiano". Denaro, cultura e parentela.' *Afriche e Orienti*, 6(1-2):186-202.
- 2004** Carling, J. 'Innvandrere prioriterer å sende penger til familien.' *Samfunnsspeilet*, 18(6):53-63.
- 2003** Carling, J. 'Crescem ou descem as remessas de Holanda para Cabo Verde?' *Letras das Ilhas*, 2(1):2.
- 2002** Carling, J. 'Cape Verde: Towards the End of Emigration?' *Migration Information Source*. Washington, DC: Migration Policy Institute.
- 1997** Carling, J. 'Figuring out the Cape Verdean diaspora.' *Cimboa*, 4(2):3-9.

BOOK CHAPTERS

- 2020** Carling, J. 'Remittances: Eight analytical perspectives.' In Bastia, T. and Skeldon, R. Eds, *Routledge Handbook of Migration and Development*, London: Routledge, 114-124.
- 2017** Carling, J. 'On conjunctures in transnational lives: linear time, relative mobility and individual experience.' In Mavroudi, E., Christou, A., and Page, B. Eds, *Timespace and International Migration*. Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, 33-47.
- 2017** Carling J. 'Migrasjon', in Jordhus-Lier, D. and Stokke, K. eds, *Samfunnsgeografi. En innføring*, Cappelen Damm: Oslo.
- 2016** Carling, J. 'West and Central Africa', in McAuliffe, M., and Laczko, F. eds, *Migrant Smuggling Data and Research: A Global Review of the Emerging Evidence Base*. Geneva: International Organization for Migration, 25-53.
- 2016** Carling J. 'Trajetórias transnacionais de mães e crianças nas famílias cabo-verdanas.' In Furtado, C.A., Laurent, P.J. and Évora, I. Eds, *As Ciências Sociais em Cabo Verde*. Praia: Edições Uni-CV, 187-206.
- 2015** Carling, J. 'Migration as Engagement with Place.' in Collyer, M., Erciyas, J.C., Vullnetari, J. and Money, J. (eds) *A 70th Birthday Tribute to Russell King*. Falmer: School of Global Studies and the Department of Geography, University of Sussex, 72-73.
- 2015** Carling, J. 'Making and breaking a chain: Migrants' decisions about helping others migrate.' in Bakewell, O., Engbersen, G., Fonseca, L., and Horst, C. eds, *Beyond Networks: Feedback In International Migration*. Basingstoke: Palgrave, 156-182.
- 2015** Carling, J. and Jolivet, D. 'Exploring 12 Migration Corridors: Rationale, Methodology and Overview.' in Bakewell, O., Engbersen, G., Fonseca, L., and Horst, C. eds, *Beyond Networks: Feedback In International Migration*. Basingstoke: Palgrave, 18-46.
- 2012** Carling, J. 'Collecting, analysing and presenting migration histories.' in Vargas-Silva, C. (ed.) *Handbook of Research Methods in Migration*. Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, 137-162.

- 2011** Carling, J. 'The European paradox of unwanted immigration.' in Burgess, J.P. and Gurtwirth, S. (eds) *Security, Migration, Integration*. Brussels: Vrije Universiteit Brussel (VUB) Press.
- 2008** Carling, J. 'Interrogating Remittances: Core Questions for Deeper Insight and Better Policies' in Castles, S. and Wise, R.D. (eds) *Migration and Development: Perspectives from the South*. Geneva: International Organization for Migration, 43–64.
- 2008** Carling, J. 'Cape Verdeans in the Netherlands.' in Batalha, L. and Carling, J. (eds) *Transnational Archipelago. Perspectives on Cape Verdean Migration and Diaspora*. Amsterdam: Amsterdam University Press, 91-100.
- 2008** Carling, J. and Batalha, L. 'Cape Verdean Migration and Diaspora.' in Batalha, L. and Carling, J. (eds) *Transnational Archipelago. Perspectives on Cape Verdean Migration and Diaspora*. Amsterdam: Amsterdam University Press.
- 2008** Carling, J. and Haugen, H.Ø. 'Mixed Fates of a Popular Minority: Chinese Migrants in Cape Verde.' in Alden, C., Large, D. and de Oliveira, R.S. (eds) *China Returns to Africa. A Rising Power and a Continent Embrace*. London: Hurst & Company, 319-337.
- 2007** Carling, J. 'Diaspora', 'Immigration', 'Emigration', 'Population', and 'Remittances.' in Lobban, R.A. and Saucier, P.K. (eds) *Historical Dictionary of the Republic of Cape Verde*. Lanham, MD: Scarecrow Press.
- 2005** Carling, J. 'Incorporer certains enseignements des recherches sur la migration dans les politiques des transferts de fonds.' in OCDE (ed.) *Migrations, transferts de fonds et développement*. Paris: Organisation de Coopération et de Développement Économiques (OCDE), 309-316.
- 2005** Carling, J. 'Incorporating Insights from Migration Research into Policy on Remittances.' in OECD (ed.) *Migration, Development and Remittances*. Paris: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD), 289-296.

REPORTS AND BRIEFS

- 2019** Carling, J. *Measuring migration aspirations and related concepts*, MIGNEX Background Paper. Oslo: Peace Research Institute Oslo.
- 2019** Dempster, H., Carling, J., Hagen-Zanker, J. and Leach, A. 'Communication and impact', *MIGNEX Handbook Chapter, 5*. Oslo: Peace Research Institute Oslo.
- 2019** Carling, J. 'Research ethics and research integrity', *MIGNEX Handbook Chapter, 4*. Oslo: Peace Research Institute Oslo.
- 2019** Carling, J., Czaika, M., Duquenne, A., Erdal, M.B., Hagen-Zanker, J. and Vargas-Silva, C. 'Data management plan', *MIGNEX Handbook Chapter, 3*. Oslo: Peace Research Institute Oslo.
- 2018** Carling, J. (2018) 'Key concepts and definitions in the migration–development nexus', *MIGNEX Handbook Chapter, 2*. Oslo: Peace Research Institute Oslo.
- 2018** Carling, J. and Duquenne, A. 'Project management and quality assurance', *MIGNEX Handbook Chapter, 1*. Oslo: Peace Research Institute Oslo.
- 2018** Carling, J., Erdal, M.B., Harstad, B., Knutsen, C.H., Lappegård, T., Skardhamar, T. and Østby, G. 'At the crossroads of open access to research. An assessment of the possible consequences of Plan S for publishing, research quality and research environments'. Oslo: PRIO.

- 2017** Carling, J. Carling, Jørgen How Does Migration Arise?, *Migration Research Leaders Syndicate in Support of the Global Compact for Migration*. Geneva: International Organization for Migration.
- 2017** Carling, J. How should migrant smuggling be confronted?, *Migration Research Leaders Syndicate in Support of the Global Compact for Migration*. Geneva: International Organization for Migration.
- 2017** Carling, J. *Expert Panellist Statement on the Smuggling of Migrants*, Fifth Informal Thematic Session in the process towards a Global compact for safe, orderly and regular migration. Vienna: Office of the President of the General Assembly, United Nations.
- 2017** Carling J. *Refugee Advocacy and the Meaning of 'Migrants'*. PRIO Policy Brief 2017/2. Oslo: Peace Research Institute Oslo.
- 2016** Carling, J. and Erdal, M.B. *Sikkerhetsklarering av personer med tilknytning til andre stater*. Report to the Norwegian National Security Authority (Classified). Oslo: PRIO.
- 2016** Carling, J. and Talleraas, C. Root causes and drivers of migration. Implications for humanitarian efforts and development cooperation, PRIO Paper. Oslo: Peace Research Institute Oslo.
- 2015** Carling, J., Gallagher, A. and Horwood, C. *Beyond Definitions: Global migration and the smuggling–trafficking nexus*, RMMS Discussion Paper, 2. Nairobi: Regional Mixed Migration Secretariat.
- 2015** Carling, J. and Pettersen, S.V. *The Matrix of Attachment*, PRIO Policy Brief, 8. Oslo: PRIO.
- 2015** Carling, J. and Pettersen, S.V. *Tilknytningsmatrisen [The Matrix of Attachment]*, PRIO Policy Brief, 8. Oslo: PRIO.
- 2013** Carling, J. Ensuring the welfare of children who stay when parents migrate. Summary report of an online consultation. PRIO Policy Brief 2013/8. Peace Research Institute Oslo.
- 2013** Carling, J. Who wants to go to Europe? Results from a large-scale survey on migration aspirations. PRIO Policy Brief 2013/4. Peace Research Institute Oslo.
- 2013** Carling, J. Fall, PD., Hernández-Carretero, M., Sarr, MY. And Wu, J. *Migration aspirations in Senegal: Who wants to leave and why does it matter?*, European Policy Brief, European Commission.
- 2011** Carling, J., Mortensen, EB. and Wu, J. *A Systematic Bibliography on Return Migration*, PRIO Paper, Peace Research Institute Oslo.
- 2010** Horst, C., Carling, J. and Ezzati, R. *Immigration to Norway from Bangladesh, Brazil, Egypt, India, Morocco and Ukraine*, PRIO Paper, Peace Research Institute Oslo.
- 2008** Carling, J. Policy Challenges Facing Cape Verde in the Areas of Migration and Diaspora Contributions to Development. PRIO Paper. Oslo: International Peace Research Institute, Oslo (PRIO).
- 2007** Carling, J. *Transnationalism in the context of restrictive immigration policy*, Unpublished thesis, Oslo: Department of Sociology and Human Geography, University of Oslo.
- 2007** Carling, J., Erdal, M.B., Horst, C. and Wallacher, H. *Legal, Rapid and Reasonably Priced? A Survey of Remittance Services in Norway*. PRIO Report, 2007/3. Oslo: International Peace Research Institute, Oslo.
- 2006** Carling, J. *Migration, Human Smuggling and Trafficking from Nigeria to Europe*. Migration Research Series, 23. Geneva: International Organization for Migration.

- 2005** Carling, J. *Migrant remittances and development cooperation*. (Commissioned by the Norwegian Agency for Development Cooperation), PRIO Report 2005/1. Oslo: International Peace Research Institute, Oslo.
- 2005** Carling, J. *Gender dimensions of international migration*. Global Migration Perspectives, 35. Geneva: Global Commission on International Migration.
- 2005** Carling, J. *Fra Nigeria til Europa. Innvandring, menneskesmugling og menneskehandel*. Report to the Norwegian Ministry of Justice and the Police. Oslo: International Peace Research Institute, Oslo (PRIO).
- 2004** Carling, J. *Policy options for increasing the benefits of remittances*. COMPAS Working Paper, 04-08. Oxford: Centre on Migration, Policy and Society, University of Oxford.
- 2001** Carling, J. *Aspiration and ability in international migration: Cape Verdean experiences of mobility and immobility*, Dissertations and theses, 2001/5, Oslo: Centre for Development and the Environment, University of Oslo.
- 1999** Carling, J. *Arbeidsinnvandring og familiegjenforening 1967-1980. En oversikt med hovedvekt på statistikk*. Bergen: Norges forskningsråd and Senter for kulturstudier.
- 1996** Carling, J. *International Labour Migration: Consequences for countries of origin*. Occasional Paper #21, Human Geography. Oslo: Department of Sociology and Human Geography, University of Oslo.

BOOK REVIEWS

- 2015** Carling, J. Review of Castles, S. de Haas, H., and Miller, M.J. 'The Age of Migration, 5th Edition.' *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, 38(13): 2373-2376.
- 2015** Carling, J. Review of Martin, S.F., Weerasinghe, S. and Taylor, A. (Eds) 'Humanitarian Crises and Migration'. *Journal of Refugee Studies*, 28(1): 138- 140
- 2014** Carling, J. Review of Betts, A. 'Survival Migration.' *Journal of Modern African Studies*, 52(2):332-333.
- 2012** Carling, J. Review of Moodie, E. 'El Salvador in the Aftermath of Peace: Crime, Uncertainty, and the Transition to Democracy.' *Journal of Peace Research*, 49(1): 264-265.
- 2007** Carling, J. Review of Vigh, H. 'Navigating Terrains of War: Youth and Soldiering in Guinea-Bissau', *Journal of Peace Research*, 44(3):371-372.
- 2007** Carling, J. Review of Porter, E., Robinson, G., Smyth, M., Schnabel, A., and Osaghae, E. (eds) 'Researching Conflict in Africa: Insights and Experiences.', *Journal of Peace Research*, 45(1):124-125.
- 2005** Carling, J. Review of Cornelius, W.A., Tsuda, T., Martin, P.L., and Hollifield, J.F. 'Controlling Immigration: A Global Perspective, 2nd edition', *Journal of Peace Research*, 42(4):510-510.
- 2005** Carling, J. Review of Chabal P., 'A History of Postcolonial Lusophone Africa', *Journal of Peace Research*, 42(1):116-116.
- 2005** Carling, J. Review of Castles, S. and Miller, M.J. 'The Age of Migration, 3rd Edition', *Journal of Peace Research*, 42(4):509-510.
- 2004** Carling, J. Review of Koser, K. (ed.) 'New African Diasporas', *Journal of Peace Research*, 41(5):642-642.

- 2003** Carling, J. Review of Weiner, M. 'Demography and National Security', *Journal of Peace Research*, 40(3):356-356.
- 2003** Carling, J. Review of Weiner, M and Teitelbaum, M.S. (eds) 'Political Demography, Demographic Engineering', *Journal of Peace Research*, 40(3):356-356.
- 2002** Carling, J. Review of Anthias, F. and Lazaridis, G. (eds) 'Gender and Migration in Southern Europe: Women on the Move', *Asian and Pacific Migration Journal* 11(3): 399-401.

BOOKS FOR NON-ACADEMIC AUDIENCES

- 1997** Carling, J. *Det Beste av Oslo*, Oslo: Scandinavian Film Group.
- 1995** Carling, J. and Broch, S. *Rådhuset i Oslo*, Oslo: Normanns Kunstforlag.
- 1991** Carling, J. *I enhjørningens skygge*. Oslo: Cappelen.

Research communication

WEB DEVELOPMENT AND SOCIAL MEDIA

- Creation and maintenance of personal website jorgencarling.org [↗]
- Creation and maintenance of meaningofmigrants.org [↗]
- Active participation in planning and commissioning mignex.org [↗]
- Twitter account (7000+ followers): @jorgencarling [↗]

VIDEO PRODUCTION

- 2020** Video abstract: Carling, J. and Haugen, H.Ø. 'Circumstantial migration: how Gambian journeys to China enrich migration theory.' *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* [↗]
- 2019** Video abstract: Haugen, H.Ø. 'The social production of container space.' *Environment and Planning D: Society and Space*. [↗]
- 2019** Social media video: Who are migrants? The UN Refugee Agency has it wrong, but you can get it right. [↗]
- 2018** Project presentation video: *Future Migration as Present Fact*. [↗]
- 2018** Video abstract: Carling, J. and Schewel, K. 'Revisiting aspiration and ability in international migration.' *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 44(6):945-963 [↗]

INVITED OR COMMISSIONED PRESENTATIONS OUTSIDE ACADEMIA

- European Research Area and Innovation Committee
- Confederation of Norwegian Enterprise
- Global Commission on International Migration
- Global Forum on Migration and Development
- International Organization for Migration
- NORDEA Markets
- Norwegian Agency for Development Cooperation
- Norwegian Church Aid
- Norwegian Directorate of Immigration
- Norwegian Immigration Appeals Board

- Norwegian Ministry of Finance
- Norwegian Ministry of Justice and the Police
- Norwegian Parliament
- Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
- Research Council of Norway
- United Nations, Office of the President of the General Assembly
- The World Bank

MEDIA INTERVIEWS (SELECTED)

Aftenposten (Norway)	Dagens Næringsliv (Norway)	Newsmax (USA)
Al Jazeera English (UK)	Dagsavisen (Norway)	ORF Radio (Austria)
Associated Press (USA)	Economist (United Kingdom)	Reforma (Mexico)
BBC World Service (UK)	Klassekampen (Norway)	TIME Magazine (USA)
Bistandsaktuelt (Norway)	Knack (Belgium)	TV2 (Norway)
Dagbladet (Norway)	New York Times (USA)	VG (Norway)

POSTS ON EXTERNAL BLOGS (SELECTED)

- 2017** Migrant Smugglers Are Winning. Here's Why. *World Economic Forum Agenda*, 1 November (with Anne Gallagher)
- 2017** A PhD by Publication Allows You to Write for Real and Varied Audiences, Inviting Intellectual Exchanges that Benefit your Research. *LSE Impact Blog*, 30 May.
- 2016** The end of migrants as we know them?. *UNU-MERIT Blog*,
- 2015** Refugees are also Migrants. And All Migrants Matter. *Border Criminologies*, 3 September.

OPINION PIECES (SELECTED)

- 2019** DORA has become an alibi for Plan S failure. *Medium*, 14 January
- 2019** DORA har blitt et alibi for å mislykkes med Plan S. *Khrono*, 13 January
- 2018** Er Forskningsrådet virkelig et offer i debatten om Plan S? *Khrono*, 21 November
- 2018** Forskningsreformen svikter fortsatt. *Aftenposten* 3 October
- 2018** Forskningsrådet vil snu opp ned på hvordan forskning kvalitetssikres, forbedres, vurderes og deles, *Aftenposten*, 12 November (with Marta Bivand Erdal, Bård Harstad, Carl Henrik Knutsen, Trude Lappegård, Torbjørn Skardhamar, Gudrun Østby)
- 2018** Ikke steng døren til forskningsfronten! *Aftenposten*, 19 September
- 2018** Bærekraftig innvandring, *Vårt Land* (with Marta Bivand Erdal), 25 June.

◀ As part of the preparations for the negotiations of the Global Compact on Migration, I gave an Expert Panellist Statement on the smuggling of migrants. [\[↗\]](#)

- 2015** Er menneskesmuglerne problemet? *Aftenposten* 30 December
- 2015** Stakkarsliggjøring av etterlatte barn, *Aftenposten*, 18 March (with Guri Tyldum)
- 2013** En langvarig utfordring, *NRK Ytring*, 4 October
- 2013** Twitter-plikt for forskere? *Aftenposten*, 30 August

Roles in the scientific community

PHD EXAMINATIONS

- 2017** University of Oslo, Tone Maia Liodden: The burdens of discretion. Managing uncertainty in the asylum bureaucracy (Sociology).
- 2015** University of Maastricht, Michaela Vanore: The Psychosocial Health of Children 'Left Behind' by Migrant Kin in Moldova and Georgia (Public Policy).
- 2015** University of Trento, Milena Belloni: Cosmologies of destinations: roots and routes of Eritrean forced migration towards Europe (Sociology).
- 2012** University of Copenhagen, Martin Lemberg-Pedersen: Externalization and Border-induced Displacement: A critical assessment of the European borderscapes (Philosophy).

EVALUATIONS FOR PROMOTION

- University of Bristol
- University of Kent
- University of Maastricht
- University of Manchester
- University of Oxford
- University of Sussex

EXTERNAL AFFILIATIONS AND BOARD MEMBERSHIPS

- *Advisory Board member*, Centre on Global Migration, University of Gothenburg
- *Advisory Board member*, Migration Policy Centre, European University Institute, Florence
- *Advisory Board member*, Testing the Impact of Interventions on Migration Decision-Making in West Africa (MIGCHOICE) project, University of Birmingham

POSITIONS IN RESEARCH NETWORKS

- 2020–** IMISCOE Standing committee on Migrant Transnationalism (MITRA), Board member
- 2016–** *Europe Asia Migration Network (EAMiN)*
Founding member and team leader
- 2015-19** International Migration, Integration and Social Cohesion in Europe (IMISCOE), Board member

- 2013-15** *Norwegian Network on Geographies of Mobilities*, Research Council of Norway.
Founding member
- 2014-18** Transnational Migration, Citizenship and the Circulation of Rights and Responsibilities (TRANSMIC), Marie Curie Initial Training Network.
Associated partner

INVITED LECTURES (RECENT)

- 2021** *The concept of involuntary immobility*. Masterclass, Swiss Peacebuilding Platform (KOFF), Bern (online)
- 2018** *The complexity of global migrations*. Aula Mediterrània lecture, European Institute of the Mediterranean, Barcelona.
- 2017** *How does migration arise?* Invited presentation. International Organization for Migration Council, Geneva.
- 2017** *Rumour and migration*. Invited lecture in research seminar series, Department of Sociology, Hitotsubashi University,
- 2017** *Migrant smuggling issues, patterns and policy challenges*. Keynote lecture, Conference on Counter Migrant Smuggling, International Organization for Migration, Istanbul.
- 2016** *Unravelling the causes of migration*. Keynote lecture, The Hugo Conference: Environment, Migration, Politics, University of Liège.
- 2016** *What is transnational? Exploring the ontologies of an evocative adjective*. Keynote lecture, New Perspectives on Transnational Living, University of Maastricht.
- 2015** *Migration as imagination*. Invited seminar. Sussex Centre for Migration Research and Department of Geography, University of Sussex.
- 2015** Migration desires, migration risks, and the roles of smugglers. Invited seminar. Erasmus University Rotterdam.

ORGANIZATION OF WORKSHOPS AND CONFERENCE PANELS (SELECTED)

- 2018** *Two-step approaches to understanding migration*. IMISCOE Annual Conference, Barcelona, Spain [Joint organization of conference panel, with Kerilyn Schewel].
- 2018** *Managing relationships in research on Mediterranean migration*. IMISCOE Annual Conference, Barcelona, Spain [Organization of conference panel].
- 2018** *Transnational lives: economies, bureaucracies, and desires*, Peace Research Institute Oslo [joint organization of workshop, with Marta Bivand Erdal and Cathrine Talleraas]
- 2017** *African migration imaginaries: rumours, cosmologies, representations*. European Conference on African Studies, Basel, Switzerland [Organization of conference panel].
- 2016** *Mobilizing value across time and space*. RGS-IBG Annual Conference, London, United Kingdom [Joint organization of conference panel, with Marta Bivand Erdal].
- 2015** *Pathways out of waithood*. European Conference on African Studies, Paris, France [Organization of conference panel].

EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBERSHIPS

- 2021–** *Migration Studies* (Editorial Board)
- 2019–** *International Migration* (Editorial Board)
- 2012–** *International Migration Review* (Editorial Board)
- 2011–** *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* (Editorial Advisory Board)
- 2010–** *Migration Letters* (Editorial Advisory Board)
- 2002–08** *Journal of Peace Research* (Editorial Board)

REVIEWING FOR PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS

African Diaspora	Ethnic and Racial Studies	Journal of Intercultural Studies
African Studies Review	Ethnos: Journal of Anthropology	Journal of International Migration and Integration
Africa Today	Gender, Place and Culture	Journal of Marriage and Family
Ambio	Geography Compass	Journal of Modern African Studies
American Sociological Review	Global Networks	Journal of Peace Research
Anthropological Quarterly	Human Organization	Journal of Population Economics
Antipode	International Development Planning Review	Latin Americanist
British Journal of Political Science	International Migration	Migration Letters
Climate Risk Management	International Migration Review	Migration Studies
Comparative Migration Studies	International Journal of Comparative Sociology	Mobilities
Demographic Research	International Journal of Population Research	Pacific Affairs
Demography	Island Studies Journal	Philippine Journal of Development
Development Southern Africa	Journal of Conflict Resolution	Political Geography
Diaspora, Indigenous, and Minority Education	Journal of Development Studies	Population, Space and Place
Environment and Planning D	Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies	Progress in Human Geography
Environment, Development and Sustainability		Quality & Quantity

Refugee Survey Quarterly	Social Science Research	Transactions of the IBG
Regional Studies	Societies	Transfers
Security Dialogue	Sociological Forum	World Bank Economic Review
Social and Cultural Geography	Theoretical Criminology	World Development
Social Inclusion	Theory and Society	
Social Science & Medicine	Tidsskrift for velferdsforskning	

REVIEWING AND ENDORSEMENTS FOR PUBLISHERS

Amsterdam University Press	International Organization for Migration	University of California Press
Ashgate	Lexington Books	United Kingdom Government Office of Science
Berghahn	Routledge	Zed Books
Cambridge University Press	Palgrave Macmillan	

REVIEWING FOR RESEARCH FUNDING BODIES

- Agence nationale de la recherche (ANR), France
- Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC), United Kingdom
- European Science Foundation (ESF), Europe-wide
- Fonds National de la Recherche (FNR), Luxembourg
- Fonds voor Wetenschappelijk Onderzoek – Vlaanderen (FWO), Belgium
- Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies, Finland
- Independent Scholar Research Fellowship (ISRF), United Kingdom
- The Leverhulme Trust, United Kingdom
- Ministry of Education and Science of the Russian Federation, Russia
- Nederlandse Organisatie voor Wetenschappelijk Onderzoek (NWO), Neth.
- Österreichischer Wissenschaftsfonds (FWF), Austria
- Riksbankens Jubileumsfond (RJ), Sweden
- Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Canada
- Université libre de Bruxelles (ULB), Belgium
- University of Vienna, Austria

Supervision and teaching

PHD SUPERVISION

- 2020** *The encounter between the institutions of the welfare state and people who lead transnational lives*, Cathrine Talleraas, PhD dissertation, Human Geography, University of Oslo (Co-supervised with Grete Brochmann, University of Oslo).
- 2019** *Migration, development, and changing aspirations in rural Ethiopia*, Kerilyn Schewel, PhD dissertation, Sociology, University of Amsterdam (Co-supervised with Hein de Haas).
- 2016** *Return Migration and Corruption: Experiences of Iraqi Kurds*. Erlend Paasche, PhD dissertation, Sociology, University of Oslo (Co-supervised with Katrine Fangen, University of Oslo).
- 2016** *Return Migration and Social Change: Creating Distinctions in the Social Field*. Tove Heggli Sagmo, PhD dissertation, Human Geography, University of Oslo (Co-supervised with Kristian Stokke, University of Oslo).
- 2016** *Leaving to belong. Migration, transnational connectedness and social becoming*. María Hernández Carretero, PhD dissertation, Sociology, University of Oslo (Co-supervised with Katrine Fangen, University of Oslo).
- 2012** Transnationalism, integration and the Norwegian policy environment: Remittance practices and integration among Pakistanis in Norway. Marta Bivand Erdal, PhD dissertation, Human Geography, University of Oslo (Co-supervised with Kristian Stokke, University of Oslo).

MASTER THESIS SUPERVISION

- 2013** *Dreaming of Europe. Migrant networks and migration aspirations in four areas of Senegal*. Ida Johanne Warnes Kjeøy, MA Thesis, Sociology, University of Oslo (Co-supervised with Torkild Lyngstad, University of Oslo).
- 2010** *Regulation of Informal Remittances in Europe*. Jonas Rusten Wang, MA Thesis, Political Economy, Norwegian School of Management (Co-supervised with Gudmund Hernes, Norwegian School of Management).
- 2009** *Children in Malawi not living with their parents*. Marianne Tønnessen, MA thesis, Economics, University of Oslo (Co-supervised with Øystein Kravdal, University of Oslo).
- 2008** *At home in the city. A study of images of the city among West and Central African immigrants* [in Norwegian]. Emma Catherine Rodriguez Krogstad, MA thesis, Human Geography, University of Oslo (Co-supervised with Per Gunnar Røe, University of Oslo).
- 2008** *Risk-taking in unauthorized migration*. Maria Hernández Carretero, MA thesis, Peace and Conflict Transformation, University of Tromsø.
- 2007** *'Everybody wants to go abroad.' An ethnographic analysis of migration motivations in Morocco*. Miriam Latif Sandbæk, MA thesis, Anthropology, University of Copenhagen (Co supervised with Hans Christian Korsholm Nielsen, University of Copenhagen).

- 2006** *Diasporas of the network society. How can ICT-based interaction change the social fields of transnational migrants?* [in Norwegian]. Stian-Are Tvette Zachrisen, MA thesis, Human Geography, University of Oslo (Co-supervised with Per Gunnar Røe, University of Oslo).
- 2005** *Contested transnationalism among Mauritanian deportees in Senegal.* Erik Hagen, MA thesis, Human Geography, University of Oslo (Co-supervised with Jan Hesselberg, University of Oslo).

PHD-LEVEL TEACHING AND CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

- 2019** Joint co-ordination and teaching of the PhD course *Doing migration research today*, Research School on Peace and Conflict Studies, PRIO, University of Oslo and the Norwegian University of Science and Technology (with Marta Bivand Erdal and Cindy Horst, PRIO).
- 2017** Joint teaching of *Academic publishing*, IMISCOE PhD workshop, Erasmus University Rotterdam (with Sawitri Saharso, VU University Amsterdam).
- 2011–16** Joint co-ordination and teaching of the PhD course *Fieldwork methodology: approaches, tools and ethics*, Research School on Peace and Conflict Studies, PRIO, University of Oslo and the Norwegian University of Science and Technology (with Cindy Horst, PRIO).
- 2015** Teaching of the PhD and post-doc course *Academic publishing in migration studies*, part of the Marie Curie Initial Training Network Transnational migration, citizenship and the circulation of rights and responsibilities, University of Liège, 17–18 December 2015.
- 2015** Joint co-ordination and teaching of the PhD course *Politics of Human Mobility*, Department of Sociology and Human Geography, University of Oslo (with Per Gunnar Røe, University of Oslo)
- 2013** Assisting field director, Dissertation Proposal Development Fellowship (DPDF) workshop *Mobility, Empowerment and Precarity in African Migration*, Social Science Research Council (SSRC), United States.
- 2013** Joint co-ordination and teaching of the PhD course *Transnational networks and migration processes*, Department of Sociology and Human Geography, University of Oslo (with Oliver Bakewell, University of Oxford)
- 2008–10** Co-ordination of *Training for International Publishing on International Migration and Ethnic Relations*, in association with the Sussex Centre for Migration Research, University of Sussex.
- 2007** Co-ordination of the PhD course *Remittances and Transnational Livelihoods*, in association with the Department of Sociology and Human Geography, University of Oslo.

MASTER-LEVEL TEACHING AND CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

- 2016** *Power relations in transnationalism.* Lecture at GDS4003 Transnational Migrant Networks and Flows, University of Maastricht.
- 2013** *Transnational relationships and families.* Lecture at SOS 4800: Internationalisation, migration and citizenship, University of Oslo.
- 2006–12** *Conflict and Peace.* Course development and coordination (20 ECTS), University of Stellenbosch, South Africa (taught in Oslo).¹

¹ Coordination responsibilities were gradually shifted to faculty at Bjerknes Høgskole.

2006–12 *Migration and Ethnicity*. Course development and coordination (20 ECTS), University of Stellenbosch, South Africa (taught in Oslo).¹

2006–12 *Nations and Regions*. Course development and coordination (20 ECTS), University of Stellenbosch, South Africa (taught in Oslo).¹

BACHELOR-LEVEL TEACHING AND CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

2017 *Introduction to Migration and Refugee Studies*. Joint development of online course (10 ECTS) Bjørknes Høyskole, Oslo.

2016 *Migrasjon*. Video lecture at SG01001 Innføring i samfunnsgeografi

2016 *Migration, remittances and development*. Lecture at SG02600 Migration, Transnationalism and Development, University of Oslo. (Also taught in previous years)

2016 *Migration control and settlement*. Lecture at SG02600 Migration, Transnationalism and Development, University of Oslo. (Also taught in previous years)

2013 *Migrasjonspress, innvandringskontroll og menneskesmugling*. Lecture at SOS2800: Flukt, migrasjon og flerkulturelle spørsmål, University of Oslo.

2013 *Migrasjon og transnasjonalisme*. Lecture at Journalistutdanningen. Høgskolen i Oslo og Akershus.

OTHER TEACHING AND TRAINING (SELECTED)

2017 Crafting titles that explain and inspire. Internal training seminar, PRIO.

2017 *Excel beyond budgets*. Internal training seminar, PRIO.

2016 *Migrasjonens historie: hvorfor flytter folk?* Forsvarets sjefskurs, Forsvarets høyskole.

2016 *Hvorfor og hvordan reiser asylsøkere til Norge?* Internt kurs. Politiets utlendingsenhet.

2015 Flyktningkrisen: hva skjer, hvordan og hvorfor? Politihøgskolen.

2012 *Migration: Patterns, processes, perspectives*. Oslo School of Architecture and Design

Skills

SOFTWARE

Word	●●●●●●●●
Excel	●●●●●●●●
PowerPoint	●●●●●●●●
EndNote	●●●●●●●○
CorelDraw	●●●●●●●○
Camtasia	●●●●●●○○
NVivo	●●●●○○○○
Stata	●●●●○○○○
Illustrator	●●●●○○○○
InDesign	●●●○○○○○
Photoshop	●●○○○○○○

LANGUAGES

Norwegian	●●●●●●●●
English	●●●●●●●●
Cape Verdean	●●●●●○○○
Portuguese	●●●●○○○○
Spanish	●●●○○○○○
Italian	●●●○○○○○
Dutch	●●●○○○○○
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French	●●●○○○○○
Japanese	●○○○○○○○
Mandarin	●○○○○○○○