

JØRGEN STRANGE-HANSEN CURRICULUM VITAE



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- 1. Surname:** Strange-Hansen
2. Name: Jørgen
3. Date of birth: 20 October 1946
4. Nationality: Danish
5. Civil status: Divorced
6. Education: M.Sc. in Economics

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| <i>Institutions</i> | University of Copenhagen, Veterinary & Agriculture Faculty |
| <i>Date (from-to)</i> | 1967 – 72 |
| <i>Degree(s) or diploma(s)</i> | M.Sc. Agriculture |

7. Language skills: (Mark 1 to 5 for competence, where 5 is the highest)

| <i>Language</i> | <i>Passive</i> | <i>Spoken</i> | <i>Written</i> |
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| Danish | Mother tongue | Mother tongue | Mother tongue |
| English | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| Spanish | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| Portuguese | 4 | 4 | 3 |
| French | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| German | 3 | 3 | 2 |

In addition, used to speak reasonable Farsi and Bangla, learnt during long-term postings to Afghanistan and Bangladesh.

8. Other skills: Computer literate, - in excel, word, and power point

9. Present position: Owner, Strange-Hansen Consult; Senior Associate, Development Associates ApS

10. Years within the company: Associated to Development Associates Since 2013 – 5 years.

11. Key qualifications:

Extensive experience from formulation, planning, implementation and evaluation of projects and programme assistance obtained during more than 25 years of long-term postings to developing countries in technical and management positions for Danida, NGOs and FAO; as well as the last 15 years as a consultant undertaking short-term assignments. Although various assignments have been technically oriented towards agriculture and rural development (such as; extension & research; rural financial services; marketing & processing; rural roads; land security and titling; buffer zone development; farmer organisations; and agricultural education), long-term postings to countries in the process of economic and political transition have had a focus on policy level issues including the strengthening of public sector institutions; public/private sector relations; and donor coordination and harmonization in the context of country development and poverty reduction strategies, lately with a focus on programs in support of production and employment. Responsibilities as country representative and chief sector adviser for Danish bilateral development assistance have added experience on development assistance modalities & management, including negotiations at government level, within a context of increased attention to programme assistance, harmonization and alignment. This has included long term involvement in the formulation and initial implementation of the joint-donor financed PROAGRI programme in Mozambique – as well as several short-term assignments during recent years to identify, formulate, appraise, review and evaluate donor financed project and (sector) programme support; most recently including interventions based on approaches such as value chains, sustainable livelihoods, Making markets work for the Poor (M4P), and climate resilience.

12. Specific experience (in non-EU member countries):

| <i>Country</i> | <i>Date</i> | <i>Name and brief description of the project</i> |
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| <i>Contracts for Development Associates and Consia Consultants since 2002</i> | | |
| Uganda, Danish Embassy, Kampala | 2016-17 | Agriculture expert, Assessment of challenges and opportunities in Northern Uganda concerning development and forced displacement to inform the Danish Country Programme for Uganda 2018-2022. |
| Afghanistan, Danish Embassy, Kabul | 2013 | Agriculture and agribusiness specialist – formulation of Danida support to agri-based growth & employment |
| Tanzania, Ministry of Foreign Aff. Danida | 2013 | Team member, Appraisal of the fourth phase of Danish support to business sector development – BSPS IV. |
| Bangladesh, Danish Emb., Dhaka | 2012 | Agribusiness specialist, Member of joint donor team for the evaluation of the Katalyst programme phase II – an internationally recognized programme for spearheading the M4P programme for PSD value-chain based development focusing the poor |
| Nicaragua, Danish Emb., Managua | 2012 | Agriculture specialist, Elaboration of Programme Completion Report for PASA II |
| Bangladesh, Danish Emb., Dhaka | 2011 - 2012 | Agribusiness specialist, Team Leader, formulation of agri-business component of the Danish support to Agriculture and Rural Development with specific attention to the rural poor. |
| Bolivia, Danish Ministry of Foreign Aff., Danida | 2011 | Agriculture & Rural Development specialist, member of ASAP Inception Review mission. |
| Vietnam, WB | 2011 | Evaluation Systems Specialist: Review of M&E activities on the C2 component of the Vietnam Road Safety Project. |
| Bangladesh, Danish Embassy, Dhaka | 2010 | Team leader, Technical review of the Danish Support to Agriculture and Rural Development, phase II (ASPS II). Apart from the TL the team integrated international expertise on economics, rural infrastructure and aquaculture. |
| Bolivia, Danish Embassy, La Paz | 2009 | Agriculture, rural development, program assistance and institutional specialist on assignment to identify/prepare a Program to support production and employment. |
| Nicaragua, Danish Embassy, Managua | 2009 | Team leader, preparation of completion report for second phase of Danish support to the agricultural sector (PASA II), and assessment of selected PRORURAL indicators. |
| Mozambique, Danish Min of Foreign Aff., Danida | 2009 | Agriculture specialist on Sector Review of Agriculture Sector Programme Support, Phase II. |
| Uganda, Danish Embassy, Danida | 2009 | Rural Development and programme support specialist, formulation of Rural Infrastructure Component, Danish support to U-growth Program |
| Rwanda, World Bank | 2008-2009 | Team Leader, Final Program evaluation of the Rwanda Demobilisation & Reintegration Program (RDRP) |
| Mozambique | 2008 | Preparation of proposal on Road Safety capacity project for ANE (Administração Nacional de Estradas) |
| Bolivia, NDF | 2008 | Coordinating inception phase of the project: Servicio técnico especializado para implementar la seguridad vial en la Administradora Boliviana de Carreteras (ABC) |
| Vietnam, ADB | 2008 | Team Leader, Study to assess potential of Dak Nong Province within 11 sub-sectors related to agriculture, fisheries, forestry and natural resources management. The study was part of the Capacity Building to Dak Nong Province project |
| Vietnam, Danish Embassy | 2008 | Participating in the further development of B2B feasibility study on the establishment of partnership between SCC, Vietnam and Consia Consultants. |
| Lesotho, WB | 2007 | Contract negotiations with Ministry of Transport for Technical Assistance to the Road Safety Department. |

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| Nicaragua, Danish Min. of Foreign Aff., Danida | 2007 | Participating in Review of the Danish Support to the Agricultural Sector, PASA, and the Joint Review of donor support to the Nicaraguan Program for Agriculture and Rural Development, PRORURAL. Paying special attention to Program Support, harmonization and alignment aspects. |
| Rwanda, World Bank | 2007 | Team Leader/Institutional specialist for the evaluation team tasked with conducting the second annual evaluation of the Rwanda Demobilization and Reintegration Program (RDRP), assessing program relevance and effectiveness of service delivery during the period June – August 2007. |
| Nicaragua, Embassy of Finland, Managua | 2007 | Team Leader, Evaluation of the FOMEVIDAS rural development and poverty alleviation programme in the Chontales and Boaco Departments. |
| South Africa, Danish Embassy, Pretoria | 2007 | Participating in a feasibility study regarding the establishment of a Joint Venture between Consia and Africon, financed under the Danish B2B programme. |
| Malawi, NDF | 2006 | Institutional specialist to the National Roads Authority for the revision of operational manuals adjusted to the upcoming institutional separation of the Roads Fund. |
| Kenya, Danish Min. of Foreign affairs | 2006 | Project identification & formulation consultant for the implementation of the Copenhagen Consensus Competition project in Kenya. |
| Benin, Cotonou | 2006 | Consultancy services to the Ministère des Travaux Publics et des Transports to facilitate the process to revise the statutes for the “Centre National de Sécurité Routière” (the National Centre for Road Safety). |
| Mozambique, Danish Emb., Maputo | 2006 | Consultant to the Min. of Agriculture facilitating the clarification of strategic issues for implementation of PROAGRI-II: “DEFINIÇÃO DE FUNÇÕES MÍNIMAS E ACÇÕES ESTRATÉGICAS NO ÂMBITO DO PROAGRI”. |
| Vietnam, WB | 2005 | Chief negotiator for Consia – Contract negotiations regarding the “Viet Nam Road Safety Improvement – Phase 2 & Heavy Traffic Management Study” under the WB financed Mekong Transport and Flood Protection Project. |
| Bangladesh, Danish Embassy, Dhaka | 2005 | Team Leader / Process Consultant – Formulation of ASPS II covering several missions over a 5 months period. |
| Kenya, Danida | 2005 | Institutional Specialist, preparation of project documentation for Danida support to “Institutional Strengthening for the Implementation of the Refugee Bill” |
| Bolivia, Danish Emb., La Paz | 2004 | Team leader, formulation of Component 1 of APSA II concerning Danish support at the policy level and to national programmes within the agricultural sector |
| Bolivia, Danish Emb., La Paz | 2004 | Participation in Mid-term Review of SIBTA and further preparation of future Danish support to National Programmes in the agricultural sector |
| Bangladesh, Danida | 2004 | Institutional and programme support specialist on Technical Review of Danida support to Agriculture and Fisheries in Bangladesh |
| Tchad, WB | 2004 | Rural development specialist on a study of the pilot project for reintegration of demobilized soldiers in preparation of a national level programme |
| Bolivia, Danish Emb., La Paz | 2003 | Team Leader, Identification/Preparation of a Second Phase of the Danish Programme Support to the Agricultural Sector (APSA) |
| Nicaragua, Danida | 2003 | Formulation of Phase II of Danish Agricultural Sector Program Support (ASPS/PASA); responsibility for Agricultural Technology component |

| <i>Country</i> | <i>Date</i> | <i>Name and brief description of the project</i> |
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| Mozambique, Min. of Agriculture (MADER) | 2002 | Evaluation of PROAGRI; the joint donor program support to the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development, MADER. |
| Nicaragua, Danida | 2002 | Team Leader, Technical Review of Danish Agricultural Sector Program Support (ASPS/PASA). |
| Uganda, Danida | 2002 | Assessment of the Organisational Set-up and Management Structure of the Danish Assistance to the Agricultural Sector (ASPS). |
| <i>Contracts as Freelance Consultant – 2000 - 2001</i> | | |
| Mozambique, Danida | 2001 | Team Leader – joint donor assessment of the implementation of the new Land Law as part of joint donor assistance to PROAGRI. |
| Nicaragua, Danida | 2001 | Assessment of Danish Support to the Agricultural Sector; Institutional Development and Programme Support specialist. |
| Mozambique, Danida | 2000 | Formulation of Danish Programme Assistance to the Educational Sector; Institutional and Programme Support specialist. |
| <i>Contracts as Freelance Consultant – 1987 - 1989</i> | | |
| Namibia, Danchurchaid | 1989 | Agriculture and rural development specialist in the identification and formulation of support from Danchurchaid within agriculture and rural development to the new independent Namibian State. The assignment involved proposals for the organisation of extension services under semi-arid conditions with severe degradation of vegetation and soil fertility. |
| Honduras, Ibis (WUS) | 1989 | Evaluation of phase 1 and elaboration of proposal for phase 2 of the Lean-La Masica Agricultural Development Project implemented by the CNTC farmer's organisation. The assignment involved both institutional, animal husbandry and crop production aspects. |
| Bangladesh, Danida | 1988 | Identification mission as part of the preparations for an Area Development Programme in Patuakhali and Barguna districts. Responsible for rural development, livestock and crop-production. |
| Bangladesh, Care/Danida | 1988 | Appraisal of project proposal presented by Care-Denmark to support horticultural production by women using manual irrigation techniques in an area adjacent to Dhaka. |
| Bolivia, Danida | 1988 | Appraisal of proposal for "Horticultural Production based on Appropriate Technologies among Aymara Indian Smallholders on the Bolivian Altiplano" presented by an NGO. |
| Bolivia, WB | 1988 | Agriculture/rural development specialist in the elaboration of a World Bank poverty profile for rural areas in the lowlands of Bolivia. |
| India, Danida | 1988 | Review/appraisal of Danida support for the "Women and Youth Training and Extension Project" (WYTEP) in Karnataka with responsibility for the areas of extension services and small-scale farming. |
| Nicaragua, Ibis (WUS) | 1987 | Team leader, appraisal and formulation of the "Manuel Lopez" project providing support to UNAG for smallholder cattle and crop production under semi-arid conditions in the El Sauce municipality. |
| Nicaragua, Danchurchaid | 1987 - 1988 | Appraisal and supervision (total of 4 assignments during 2 years) of support to cooperatives to improve cattle-raising and dry-land farming under semi-arid conditions. |

13. Professional experience:

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| Date | 2013 - |
| Location | Copenhagen Denmark |
| Company | Strange-Hansen Consult |
| Position | Owner/Consultant |

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| Date | 2002 - 2012 |
| Location | Copenhagen, Denmark |
| Company | Consia Consult ApS |
| Position | Senior Consultant |
| Description | Senior Consultant taking part in building up the newly started company taking specific responsibility for assignments within Agriculture and Rural Development |

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| Date | 2000 -2002 |
| Location | Copenhagen, Denmark |
| Company | - |
| Position | Freelance consultant |
| Description | Various assignments (mainly for Danida) – including various team-leader positions |

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| Date | 1995 – 2000 |
| Location | Maputo, Mocambique |
| Company | Danish Embassy, Danida |
| Position | Chief Technical Adviser to the Agricultural Sector |
| Description | Located at the Danish Embassy and later in the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development (MADER), Maputo, with responsibility for the transformation of Danish project assistance towards Sector Program Support to agriculture in close coordination with other donors and the Government, within a process to develop a national strategy for agriculture (PROAGRI), involving profound institutional reform of the Ministry. |

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| Date | 1994 - 1995 |
| Location | Managua, Nicaragua |
| Company | Danish Embassy |
| Position | Chargé d'affaires |
| Description | In charge of opening the new Danish Embassy in Nicaragua with overall responsibility for the Danish bilateral development assistance implying support within the following sectors: Transport; Environment & Natural Resources Management; Agriculture; Health; Decentralization & Local Government. |

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| Date | 1990 - 1994 |
| Location | Managua, Nicaragua |
| Company | Danish General Consulate and office for Danish Technical Development Assistance |
| Position | Danish Consul General & Danida Country Representative for Nicaragua |
| Description | Under the Danish Embassy in Costa Rica having responsibility for establishing a Danida office (“Misión Técnica Danesa”) in Managua in 1990 and developing the Danish bilateral assistance program to Nicaragua. In 1993 Nicaragua became one of approx. 20 preference countries for Danish bilateral development assistance. |

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| Date | 1987 - 1990 |
| Location | Buerup, Denmark |
| Company | - |
| Position | Freelance Development Consultant |
| Description | Various assignments, mainly for Danida and Danish NGOs, as Agriculture and Rural Development specialist; including several team-leader positions. |

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| Date | 1986 - 1987 |
| Location | Bolivia |
| Company | Danchurchaid |
| Position | Project Coordinator |
| Description | Responsible for the "Pucarani" health and rural development project on the Bolivian Altiplano. |

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| Date | 1983 - 1986 |
| Location | Bangladesh |
| Company | Danish Embassy, Dhaka, Danida |
| Position | Agricultural Adviser |
| Description | Assigned to the Danish Embassy with responsibility for agric. & rural dev projects, incl a project in Nepal. |

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| Date | 1977 - 1982 |
| Location | Bolivia |
| Company | Danchurchaid |
| Position | Farm Management Adviser |
| Description | Responsible for implementation of a dairy-farming project among Aymara-indian smallholders on the Bolivian Altiplano. |

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| Date | 1975 - 1976 |
| Location | Somalia |
| Company | FAO |
| Position | Associate expert |
| Description | Associate expert, animal by-products project. Directly involved in project activities to produce blood- and bone meal for animal feed, and testing these in a project feedlot. Assisting the management at two government dairy farms. |

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| Date | 1972 - 1974 |
| Location | Afghanistan |
| Company | FAO |
| Position | Associate expert |
| Description | Associate expert, animal husbandry project. Assisting in the management of 3 govt dairy farms in cooperation with the animal husbandry department of the Ministry of Agriculture. Organizing extension activities among smallholders in surrounding villages |

Others:

Courses: Institutional Development and Organisational Strengthening (IDOS).
MDF, the Netherlands, September 2001.

Project Management and Programme Administration (PMC).
MDF, the Netherlands, September-October 2001.