

ICC Judicial Nomination – curriculum vitae of Judge Krister Thelin

FAMILY NAME:	Thelin	
FIRST NAME:	Krister	
MIDDLE NAME:	Hans	
GENDER:	Male	
DATE OF BIRTH:	8 December 1947	
NATIONALITY:	Swedish	
REGIONAL CRITERIA:	WEOG	
SECONDARY NATIONALITY: (IF APPLICABLE)		
MARITAL STATUS:	Married	
LIST A/LIST B	List A	
LANGUAGES	Mother tongue: Swedish	
- ENGLISH	(written) Advanced	(oral) Advanced
- FRENCH	(written) Basic	(oral) Basic
- OTHERS	German : (written) Basic	(oral) Basic
EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS: <i>Date, institution, qualification(s) obtained (starting with most recent)</i> - Please copy/paste if more entries are needed		
<p>08/1975 - 06/1976</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Institution:</i> Harvard Law School - <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i> Master of Laws (LLM) <p>09/1967 - 06/1972</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Institution:</i> Lund University - <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i> Juris kandidat (LLB) 		

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE: *Date, employer, post title, other information (starting with most recent)*
- Please copy/paste if more entries are needed
- Please indicate the relevance of the experience to the candidacy under list A or list B, as appropriate

09/1998 – to the present day

- *Employer:* Scania and Blekinge Court of Appeal, Malmö
- *Post title:* Senior Judge of Appeal (on leave)
- *Other information:*

05/2010 – to the present day

- *Employer:* Council of Europe
- *Post title:* *Ad hoc* judge of the European Court of Human Rights
- *Other information:*

09/2008 – 12/2012

- *Employer:* United Nations
- *Post title:* Member of the UN Human Rights Committee
- *Other information:*

12/2003 – 08/2008

- *Employer:* United Nations
- *Post title:* Judge *ad litem* at the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia (ICTY).
- *Other information:*

09/2001 - 11/2003

- *Employer:* European Union
- *Post title:* Director of the Policy and Legal Advice Centre, Belgrade, Serbia
- *Other information:*

04/2000 – 08/2001

- *Employer:* Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Sweden
- *Post title:* Chairman of the South East Europe Stability Pact (eSEEUROPE Initiative)
- *Other information:*

06/1998 – 03/2000

- *Employer:* European Union and the Government of the United States of America
- *Post title:* Director-General of the Independent Media Commission of Bosnia and Herzegovina (the country's supreme media regulatory body)
- *Other information:*

09/1997 – 05/1998

- *Employer:* European Union
- *Post title:* Team Leader of a project on the building of constitutional institutions in Bosnia and Herzegovina
- *Other information:*

10/1991 – 10/1994

- *Employer:* Government of Sweden
- *Post title:* State Secretary at the Ministry of Justice
- *Other information:*

09/1990 – 08/1998

- *Employer:* Scania and Blekinge Court of Appeal
- *Post title:* Judge of Appeal
- *Other information:*

09/1984 – 03/1986

- *Employer:* Government of Sweden
- *Post title:* Legal adviser at the Ministry of Justice (International Division)
- *Other information:*

08/1984 - 12/1989

- *Employer:* Scania and Blekinge Court of Appeal
- *Post title:* Associate Judge of Appeal
- *Other information:*

03/1975 – 08/1978

- *Employer:* Scania and Blekinge Court of Appeal
- *Post title:* Law clerk
- *Other information:*

07/1972 – 02/1975

- *Employer:* District Court of Lund
- *Post title:* Law clerk
- *Other information:*

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

- Please copy/paste if more entries are needed

03/1995 – 11/2011

Activity: Chairman of various law commissions on civil law, international private law, border security law and extradition law

06/1987 – 09/1991

Activity: Advisor on International Humanitarian Law to the Swedish Armed Forces

09/1978 – 09/1991

Activity: Secretary to various law commissions on social insurance law, civil law, data protection law, and other areas of law

MOST RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS1. Monographs, textbooks, commentaries

Sverige som rättsstat [Sweden and the rule of law], Stockholm, 2001 (Timbro)

The Swedish Code of Judicial Procedure (with Anders Bruzelius), New York, 1979 (Fred B Rothman & Co)

2. Articles (selected)

FN:s MR-kommitté – i teori och praktik [The Human Rights Committee: in Theory and Practice"], Juridisk Tidskrift, 2009-2010 No 4, 865-888

Krigsförbrytartribunalen i Haag: Genomfört uppdrag eller kostsamt misslyckande? [The International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia: Mission accomplished or costly failure?], Juridisk Tidskrift, 2007-2008, No 3, 626

Media and the Rule of Law: The Importance of Media Regulation for the Peace Process in Bosnia and Herzegovina" (with Katrin Nyman Metcalf), Juridisk Tidskrift, 1999-2000 No 3, 579-590

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND SOCIETIES

2000-2001 Vice-chair of Judges' Forum, International Bar Association

1992-1997 President, Sällskapet för Domstolsforskning (The Society for Judicial Research), Sweden

AWARDS AND HONOURS

1. Frank Boas Harvard Scholarship 1976

2. Fulbright Scholarship 1975

3. Lund University Premium Award 1972

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Literature, history, golf and tennis

