

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Elias Eriksson was born in 1956 and began his studies in medicine at the University of Gothenburg in 1975. Having had his scientific training at the department of pharmacology, Eriksson became Med Dr (PhD) in 1985, docent (associate professor) in 1988 and researcher at the Swedish MRC in 2000. From 2001 he has been professor of pharmacology at the University of Gothenburg and from 2013 the head of the department.

Eriksson is the author of >200 papers mainly in the fields of preclinical and clinical psychopharmacology. He has been invited speaker at >75 scientific international meetings. He has been main supervisor for 14 PhD students who have completed their PhD training.

He was recently (2016) elected secretary for the *International College of Neuropsychopharmacology* and has previously been chairman of the *Swedish Society for Biological Psychiatry* (2004-2007) and the *Swedish Serotonin Society* (2004-2010) and a board member of the *Scandinavian College of Neuropsychopharmacology* (1993-1999); he was also among the founding members (and a board member) of *Swedish Schizophrenia Foundation*. He is an honorary member of the *Swedish Society for Biological Psychiatry* and the *Swedish Serotonin Society*. He is also (2013-) a member of the *Scientific Council for Medicine and Health* at the *Swedish Research Council*.

Eriksson is a member of the editorial staff of *The World Journal of Biological Psychiatry* and *Archives of Women's Mental Health* and has been a member of the editorial board of *Journal of Neural Transmission* (1997-2000). He has been a member of a DSM task group on premenstrual dysphoric disorder (PMDD) and of many international expert panels, mostly regarding depression, anxiety and PMDD.