**Susanne Both**

**Nominated by the Danish association of social workers**

**Positions held in my nominating organisation**

* Member of the national executive committee
* Member of regional executive comittee East Denmark
* Member of the international coordinating comittee
* Member of professional board of social workers in trade unions
* Member of equality & LGBT+ network (also a delegate at the Danish Womens Council) and eco-social network

**CV Social work experience**

**2023 –** Social worker with focus on employment and work accidents, **3F Frederiksborg**

3F is Denmark's largest trade union and unemployment fund and has 64 branches throughout the country. My work is mainly concentrated on employment related issues like sickness, helping trade union members with their cases at the local job centres, work accidents, retention at work, sexual harassment, etc.

I am also in charge of matters regarding equality in my local branch.

**2021 – 2023** Social worker with focus on employment and work accidents, **3F BJMF**

**2018 – 2020** Social worker with focus on employment and work accidents, **3F Vestegnen**

**2016 – 2018** Social Worker, **Accident helpcare line** (**Ulykkeslinjen), UlykkesPatientForeningen (NGO)**

I worked for this help care line where we helped citizens, relatives and professional workers with issues related to accidents.

**2011 – 2016** Social Worker, **Jobcenter Frederiksberg municipiality**

I worked with unemployed citizens with physical, mental or social problems.

Furthermore, I was a union representative for approximately 45 social workers.

**2010** Social worker with focus on employment and work accidents, **3F Hotel & Restauration**

**2006 Field research in Cambodia** for my bachelor project about sex trafficking

I stayed three months in Cambodia for field research on sex trafficking, visiting Cambodian Women’s Crisis Center from my practice placement again and other NGOs.

Again, I was a part of a weeklong programme with Roskilde Festival (Denmarks largest music festival with a social profile) and the NGO Dan Church Aid. As a group we visited different NGOs and outreach projects regarding human trafficking and human rights because Roskilde Festivals humanitarian focus in 2005 and 2006 was on human slavery and trafficking.

**2005 – 2009** Social worker, **Reden International crisis center for foreign prostitutes and sex trafficking victims (NGO)**

I worked in the shelter with foreign prostitutes and sex trafficking victims from mostly Eastern Europe and Nigeria, but also Thailand, Ghana, Brazil etc..

**2005** Social work practice placement **Cambodian Women’s Crisis Centre (CWCC), Phnom Penh, Cambodia**

I worked at this NGO for 4 months where I was located mainly in the office in the capital, but I was also at the crisis centre periodically and visited the other offices and shelters in Siem Reap and Poipet.

During this period, I also visited rural areas for repatriation visit and other projects throughout the country.

I traveled for a week with Roskilde Festival and Dan Church Aid again with the same focus on human slavery and sex trafficking as mentioned above.

**Social work education**

2014 – 2015 further education with focus on employment, “Employment & society” and “Rehabilitation in the employment sector”

2002 – 2009 Bachelor intercultural and international social work, School of Social Work, Copenhagen, Denmark