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University Degrees

- 2009 **Master of Science**, Horticulture and Agronomy (Viticulture),
University of California, Davis
- 2001 - 2003 **Master of Science**, Land Resources, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 1996 - 1999 **Bachelor of Science (honors)**, Earth Systems (Biosphere track), Human
Biology minor, Stanford University

Doctorate

- 2003 - 2009 **Ph.D.**, Interdisciplinary Program in Environment and Resources,
Stanford University. *Supervisor*: Dr. Christopher Field
Dissertation: Global change in local places: Climate change and the future of
high-quality winegrowing in Napa and Sonoma, California

Current Position

- 2019-present **Director of PhD Studies**, Lund University Centre for Sustainability Studies,
Lund, Sweden
- 2014-present **Associate Professor** (senior lecturer, *sv: lektor*), Lund University Centre for
Sustainability Studies, Lund, Sweden

Previous Employment

- 2010 – 2014 **Assistant Professor** (lecturer, *sv: biträdande lektor*), Lund University
Centre for Sustainability Studies, Lund, Sweden
- 1999 - 2001 **Policy Analyst**, Clean Air Council, Philadelphia, PA

Supervision

To date, I have mentored 3 postdocs and researchers, 4 PhDs, 1 licentiate, and 28 MSc students to successfully complete their theses. Please see <http://www.kimmicholas.com/lab-members.html> for more information.

Received Research Funding

- 2019-2022 Swedish Research Council Formas. €300,000 (3m SEK)
PI: Kimberly Nicholas, co-PI: Johannes Stripple
"The takeoff of staying on the ground: Changing personal and political
narratives of aviation, climate, and the good life in Sweden."
- 2016-2017 Crafoord Foundation. €54,000.
Research Grant, Principal Investigator.
"Climate-neutralizing managed landscapes in Sweden."

- 2015-2018 Swedish Research Council (Vetenskapsrådet, VR). €650,000 (6m SEK) Project Grant for Junior Researchers, Principal Investigator. *"Agromes: Mapping the environmental, economic, and social tradeoffs of European farming systems across scales."*
- 2015-2016 Pufendorf Institute Advanced Study Group. €11,000. *"Governing sustainable land use in a changing climate." Leading a group of eight senior researchers from three faculties to analyze sustainable land use scenarios for Sweden as a global model.*
- 2015 Institut Français de Suède (French Embassy in Sweden). €3000. One of seven out of 50 applicants supported with a one-month mobility grant for developing collaborations between Swedish and French researchers.
- 2012-2017 European Union FP7 Environment Domain. €9,000,000 (€700,000 to Lund University). Project PI: Mark Rounsevell, University of Edinburgh. *"Operational Potential of Ecosystem Research Applications (OPERAs)." Task Lead and Work Package Co-Lead: Exemplar Cases, managing project implementation and reporting for 12 case studies involving over 70 partners across 17 institutions.*

Honors, Awards, and Fellowships

- 2019 Innovation in Sustainability Science Award, Ecological Society of America. "Recognizes authors of a peer-reviewed paper published in the past five years exemplifying leading-edge work on solution pathways to sustainability challenges." Awarded for "Seeds of a Good Anthropocene," Bennett et al. 2016.
- 2018 Second Place, "Science Slam," Almedalen. 5 minute talk, "[Människan vs klimatförändringarna.](#)" (börjar med 59:10) Almedalen, Gotland. 3 July.
- 2017 Best Paper 2017, Environmental Research Letters. Chosen for quality by the Editors. Most downloaded paper of 2017 out of IOP's range of > 70 journals.
- 2017 Vega Fellow in Science Leadership and Communication

Publications

Includes over 40 international peer-reviewed publications in journals such as Nature Climate Change, PNAS, Global Environmental Change, Climatic Change. Please see full list <http://www.kimnicholas.com/peer-reviewed-publications.html>

Outreach and communication

Regularly featured in international media (eg. BBC, Guardian, National Public Radio (US), Decanter, The Atlantic, Elle Magazine, Decanter) as well as Swedish (e.g., SVT, Sveriges Radio, DN, Sydsvenskan). See <http://www.kimnicholas.com/press.html>
Frequent public speaker for businesses, schools, museums, concerts, political debates. See <http://www.kimnicholas.com/upcoming-talks.html>