

Anders Knappe – Curriculum Vitae



Moderate Party (Conservative), European People's Party (EPP)

Born in 1955. Lives in Karlstad. Married, two grown-up children.

Vice-President of the Swedish Association of Local Authorities and Regions since 2015

President of the Swedish Association of Local Authorities and Regions 2007 – 2015

President of the Chamber of Local Authorities of the Congress of the Council of Europe since 2014

Vice-President of the Committee of the Regions since 2007

President of the Committee for Financial and Administrative Affairs (CAFA), Committee of the Regions since 2014

Executive president of the Council of European Municipalities and Regions (CEMR)

Member of the United Cities and Local Governments (UCLG) Executive Bureau and World Council.

MUNICIPALITY OF KARLSTAD

Elected Councilor of Karlstad Municipality since 1976

Mayor and Deputy Mayor of Karlstad 1988 – 2007

Chair of the City Council of Karlstad since 2014

CONGRESS OF LOCAL AND REGIONAL AUTHORITIES OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE

Member of the Congress since 1994

President of the Chamber of Local Authorities since 2014

Chair of the Swedish delegation to the Congress 2007 - 2015

Spokesperson on consultation process with governments

Rapporteur on local and regional democracy in Turkey

Among earlier rapporteurships:

Rapporteur on:

- Credentials (art. 3.2 of the European Charter of Local Self-Government);
- Follow-up Report on Citizens' Participation, Opinion on the draft additional protocol on Citizens' Participation

COMMITTEE OF THE REGIONS

Member of the CoR since 1995

Chair of the Swedish delegation to the CoR 2007 - 2015

Member of the CoR Bureau and the COTER commission

President of Committee for Financial and Administrative Affairs (CAFA)