



Deputy Prime Minister of Sweden,

Ms Lena Hjelm-Wallén

Curriculum Vitae

Born on the 14th of January 1943 in Sala, Sweden

1962 Upper Secondary School Certificate

1965 M.A, University of Uppsala

1966-1968 Teacher in Sala

1968- Member of the Executive Committee of the Social Democratic Party in Västmanland

1969-Member of Parliament

1974-1976 Minister with Special Responsibility for Schools at the Ministry of Education and Cultural Affairs

1976-1982 Member of the Social Democratic Parliamentary Party Executive Board

1978-Member of the Board of the Social Democratic Party

1982-1985 Minister of Education and Cultural Affairs

1985-1991 Minister with Special Responsibility for International Development Cooperation

1986-1995 Chairman of the Social Democratic Party in Västmanland

1987-Deputy Member of the Social Democratic Party Executive Committee

1993-Member of the Social Democratic Party Executive Committee

1991-1994 Vice-Chairman of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Education

1994-1998 Minister for Foreign Affairs

1998-Deputy Prime Minister of Sweden

Former Chairman of the Swedish Social Democratic Party Youth League in Västmanland, Chairman of the National Federation of Social Democratic Women in Västmanland, Member of the Executive Committee of the Swedish Social Democratic Youth League and Member of the Board of the Federation of Workers' Educational Associations.