

# Curriculum Vitae for **TOBIAS ANKER STRIPP**



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## **PERSONAL**

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## **EDUCATION**

- 2022 Religion, Spirituality, and Health workshop w. Dr. Harold Koenig at Duke University, Durham, NC, USA
- 2022 Key concepts of causal inference at CAUSALab, Department of Biostatistics, Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health, Boston, MA, USA
- 2021 Graduate courses on grant writing, project management, biostatistics, questionnaire psychometrics and academic writing at various Danish Universities
- 2020 Authorization license to practice medicine
- 2019 Medical Doctor (cand.med.) at the University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark (*MA and BA thesis top grade*)

## **EXPERIENCE**

- 2022- Research affiliate with the Human Flourishing Program, Institute for Quantitative Social Sciences, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, USA
- 2022 Visiting Research Fellow at Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health w. Prof. Tyler VanderWeele.
- 2021 MD at family medicine clinic, *Lægerne Bøgh & Falkensteen, Copenhagen*
- 2020- PhD candidate, Institute of Public Health, University of Southern Denmark

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- 2020 MD, Covid-19 department, Holbæk Hospital  
2019-20 Intern MD (Clinical Basis Education), Capital region, Denmark  
2019-20 Guest researcher, Institute of Public Health, University of Southern Denmark, Odense  
2018 Co-Founder of STROM, a med-tech startup based at incubator SUND-HUB, Copenhagen  
2016-18 Undergraduate medical doctor at:  
Sexological clinic, Rigshospitalet, Copenhagen  
Psychiatric emergency dep., Slagelse Hospital, Slagelse  
Abdominal surgery dep., Rigshospitalet, Copenhagen  
Cardiology dep., Holbæk Hospital, Holbæk

### **AWARDS AND NOMINATIONS**

- 2022 Scholarship awardee for the Duke University “Religion, Spirituality, and Health” program by Dr. Harold Koenig.  
2022 Candidate nominee by the Institute of Public Health, SDU for the national EliteResearch travel grant.  
2020 University of Southern Denmark PhD Scholarship

### **GRANTS**

Tobias Kvist Stripp has been co-investigator/PI on grants for the EXICODE project (appr. 1.5 mio DKK)

### **CONSULTING**

- 2022 On the conference organizing board for the annual *Scandinavian Conference in Psychology of Religion*  
2021-22 Medical consultant for the innovative health company Addit Nature, additwater.com  
2020- Webmaster and -designer for the “Nordic Network for Research in Faith and Health” homepage: [www.faith-health.org](http://www.faith-health.org)  
2019-22 Support and consulting for documentarist Theis Mølstrøm Christensen regarding a documentary production on near-death experiences.  
2020 Support and consulting for Teater Katapult, Aarhus, regarding a play on near-death experiences.

### **LANGUAGE**

Reads, speaks, writes: Danish, English, Swedish  
Reads, speaks: German  
Reads: Spanish

### **IT**

Skilled: MS Office, NVivo, STATA, Endnote, WordPress, Zoom, Itslearning, PollEverywhere.  
User: Adobe Suite, R.

### **ACADEMIC REVIEWER**

Regularly reviews scientific and academic papers for high-quality journals such as Scientific Reports (Springer Nature), BMJ Primary Care, Religions (MDPI), and others.

### **PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS**

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1. **Stripp, T. K.**, Viftrup, D. T., Nissen, R. D., Wehberg, S., Sondergaard, J., and Hvidt, N. C. (2022), "Testing the acceptability and comprehensibility of a questionnaire on existential and spiritual constructs in a secular culture through cognitive interviews," *Survey Research Methods*, Accepted, in publication.
2. **Stripp, T. K.**, Wehberg, S., Büssing, A., Andersen-Ranberg, K., Jensen, L. H., Henriksen, F. L., Laursen, C. B., Søndergaard, J., and Hvidt, N. C. (2022), "Protocol for EXICODE: the EXIstential health COhort DENmark—a register and survey study of adult Danes," *BMJ Open*, 12 (6), e058257. DOI: 10.1136/bmjopen-2021-058257.
3. **Stripp, T.K.**, Wehberg, S., Büssing, A., Andersen-Ranberg, K., Jensen, L.H., Henriksen, F., Laursen, C.B., Søndergaard, J. & Hvidt, N.C. (2022). Validation and clinimetric properties of the Danish version of the Flourish Index and Secure Flourish Index, *Society for Epidemiological Research annual meeting, abstract*.
4. **Stripp, T. K.**, Büssing, A., Wehberg, S., Andersen, H. S., Kørup, A. K., Pedersen, H. F., Søndergaard, J., & Hvidt, N. C. (2022). Measuring Spiritual Needs in a Secular Society: Validation and Clinimetric Properties of the Danish 20-Item Spiritual Needs Questionnaire. *Journal of Religion and Health*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10943-022-01533-5>
5. **Stripp, T. K.** (2021). Near-death experiences and the importance of transparency in subjectivity, ontology, and epistemology. *Brain Communications*. <https://doi.org/10.1093/braincomms/fcab304>
6. Nissen, R. D., Falkø, E., **Stripp, T. K.**, & Hvidt, N. C. (2021). Spiritual Needs Assessment in Post-Secular Contexts: An Integrative Review of Questionnaires. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 18(24), [12898]. <https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph182412898>
7. van Randwijk C.B., Opsahl T., Assing Hvidt E., **Stripp T.K.**, Bjerrum L., Herrstedt J., et al. Similarities and Differences between Danish and American Physicians' Religious Characteristics and Clinical Communication: Two Cross-Sectional Surveys. *Religions*. 2021;12(2):116.
8. Hvidt N.C., Nielsen K.T., Kørup A.K., [...] **Stripp T.K.**, Steinfeldt V.Ø., Søndergaard J., Wæhrens E.E. What is spiritual care? Professional perspectives on the concept of spiritual care identified through group concept mapping. *BMJ Open* 2020;10:e042142. doi:10.1136/bmjopen-2020-042142
9. Prinds, C., Viftrup, D., Falkø, E., Thomsen, K., Moestrup, L., Nissen, R., **Stripp, T.K.**, Søndergaard, J., & Hvidt, N. (2020). [Beauty in the shade of the corona pandemic.] *Tidsskrift for Forskning I Sygdom Og Samfund*, 17(33). doi: 10.7146/tfss.v17i33.123592
10. **Stripp T.K.**, Søndergaard J. [Possible unregistered SARS-CoV-2 infection in a young man with anosmia and ageusia]. *Danish Medical Journal* . 2020;182(16).
11. **Stripp T.K.**, Jorgensen M.B., Olsen N.V. Anaesthesia for electroconvulsive therapy - new tricks for old drugs. *ACTA Neuropsychiatrica*. 2018 Apr;30(2):61-69. doi: 10.1017/neu.2017.12

### NON-PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

1. **Stripp TK.** Research and social media: A dangerous cocktail or winged messenger? Opinion article, *Researcher Zone, Science Nordic*. 2021. Available at: <https://sciencenordic.com/denmark-research-ethics-social-media/research-and-social-media-a-dangerous-cocktail-or-a-winged-messenger/1820056>
2. **Stripp TK.** [Doctor: The narrative on near-death experiences should be based on a more nuanced foundation]. *Debate, Kristeligt Dagblad*. 2020.

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3. C Prinds, DT Viftrup, E Falkø, JA Wallin, KF Thomsen, L Moestrup, RD Nissen, **TK Stripp**, J Søndergaard, NC Hvidt. [Denmark passed the existential test]. Chronicle, Politiken. 2020.
4. **Stripp TK**. [Near-death experiences challenge our view on consciousness]. Chronicle, Kristeligt Dagblad. 2020.

### **ORAL PRESENTATIONS**

1. Presentation: “Existential and spiritual needs of cancer patients and cardiac arrest survivors” held at the annual conference in the *Nordic Network for Research in Faith and Health*.

### **POPULAR MEDIA APPEARANCE**

Appearance in live national radio, NOVA, program: [The evening club – Meaning in life with Tobias Kvist Stripp]

Interview in national magazine “SØNDAG” on near-death experiences. Spring 2021.

Appearance in the podcast: ‘Faith out of the closet’ by Lone Lund. Fall 2020

Key speaker and debate on seminar: “Fear of death and near-death experiences” in Vor Frue Kirke, Aarhus. Fall 2020

Appearance on live national radio, P1, program: [Superthoughts – How does it feel to be dead?] Summer 2020

Appearance on live national television in: “Go’Morgen Danmark” regarding near death experiences. Winter 2019

More than 20 interviews for newspapers, podcasts. 2019-2022