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Short Bio

Dr Karen G. Villholth is Director of **Water Cycle Innovation (Pty) Ltd (WCI)**, a unique consultancy specialized in water for climate resilience, food security, and water cooperation, serving the needs of policy makers, donors, governments, UN organizations and international institutions, non-governmental institutions (NGOs), and the private sector. In this role, she has supported, *inter alia*, UNESCO, World Bank, Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC)/Skat/RésEAU, and University of Copenhagen.

She holds more than 25 years of experience in research for development. She chaired for more than 5 years the **Groundwater Solutions Initiative for Policy and Practice (GRIPP)**, a global partnership of 30 international organizations with mandates in development, use and sustainable management of groundwater. She has led and managed multiple international research projects in developing and developed countries and has experience managing large research teams and collaborating with diverse stakeholders. She also has expertise in capacity development, science-to-policy communication, and information management.

Her areas of expertise include groundwater resources assessment and integrated modelling, climate change and impacts on groundwater, transboundary waters, groundwater-dependent ecosystems, groundwater-based natural infrastructure ([GBNI](#)), groundwater quality and protection, conjunctive or 'Whole of the Water Cycle' management, and water governance. She embeds her technical and groundwater expertise into advisory services on policy making and implementation related to the UN Sustainable Development Goals, national water policies, climate change adaptation and mitigation, transboundary water cooperation, and food system transformation addressing climate, food, water, and environmental challenges.

Dr Villholth co-authored four chapters of the UN World Water Development Report of 2022, entitled 'Groundwater – Making the Invisible visible', i.e., the chapters on Groundwater and Agriculture, Groundwater and Ecosystems, Groundwater and Climate Change, and Transboundary Aquifers.

Her portfolio embraces significant interdisciplinary approaches, collaborations and advisory roles, including for UN-Water and UNESCO on the [UN 2023 Water Conference](#) and the 2022 [UN-Water Summit on Groundwater](#), the World Bank on the Flagship Report on Groundwater 'The Hidden Wealth of Nations - The Economics of Groundwater in Times of Climate Change', the African Minister's Council on Water ([AMCOW](#)); [UNESCO International Shared Aquifer Resources Management \(ISARM\)](#), [UN WWAP](#) and the World Water Development Reports; the Expert Group under [FAO](#) on Environmental Flows supporting SDG 6.4.2; the Expert Group under [UNECE](#) on Water Allocation in Transboundary Context; UNESCO and the [Sustainable Water Future Program](#) under Future Earth on the [UN 2023 Water Conference](#); UN-Water Task Force on Unconventional Water Resources under [UNU-INWEH](#); Friends of Groundwater under [UNEP's World Water Quality Program](#); the [SuSanA](#) Network on Sanitation; the [Groundwater Project](#); [WHO](#) on the 2012 Indian Ocean tsunami, [IAEA](#) on groundwater vulnerability, the [Global Groundwater Sustainability Statement and Call to Action](#); [African Groundwater-Network](#); [Rural Water Supply Network](#); [IWA](#); [IWRA](#); [IAH](#), [GSA](#), etc.

Dr Villholth holds a PhD and an MSc from Technical University of Denmark and an MSc from University of Washington, USA. She previously worked for the International Water Management Institute (IWMI), DHI-Water and Environment,



and Geological Survey of Denmark and Greenland. She is editor of eleven books and special issues and author of more than 100 peer-reviewed international journal articles and book chapters.

Education

01.10.1989 - 24.03.1994 Ph.D. Civil Engineering. Specialized in flow and transport processes in soil and groundwater. Technical University of Denmark.

01.09.1988 - 01.09.1989 M.Sc. Civil Engineering. Specialized in soil physics, hydrology, hydrodynamics, groundwater flow, solute transport and computational hydraulics. University of Washington, Seattle, USA.

01.09.1982 - 31.01.1988 M.Sc. Chemical Engineering. Technical University of Denmark.

Language Skills

	<u>Written</u>	<u>Spoken</u>
Danish	Mother tongue	Mother tongue
English	Fluent	Fluent
Spanish	Good	Fluent
German	Fair	Fair
French	Basic	Basic

Professional Experience

2022 - date Consultant, UNESCO.

2022 - date Consultant, World Bank.

2022 - date Director, Water Cycle Innovation (WCI).

2020 - 2022 Principal Researcher, Coordinator Groundwater, International Water Management Institute (IWMI), CGIAR Research Centre, Pretoria, South Africa.

2017 - 2019 Principal Researcher, Research Group Leader - Resilient and Sustainable Groundwater, International Water Management Institute ([IWMI](#)), CGIAR Research Centre, Pretoria, South Africa.

2016 - 2022 Chair of [GRIPP](#), Groundwater Solutions Initiative for Policy and Practice.

2016 - 2017 Principal Researcher, sub-Theme Leader - Groundwater and Underground Solutions, International Water Management Institute (IWMI), CGIAR Research Centre, Pretoria, South Africa.

2012 - 2016 Senior Researcher, Groundwater Management, International Water Management Institute (IWMI), CGIAR Research Centre, Pretoria, South Africa.

Sep. 2007 - 2011 Senior Researcher, GEUS, Geological Survey of Denmark and Greenland, Copenhagen, Denmark.

2007 - 2008 Senior Associate, International Water Management Institute (IWMI), CGIAR Research Centre with headquarters in Colombo, Sri Lanka. Working from Denmark.

2004 - 2007 Senior Researcher, Groundwater Management, International Water Management Institute (IWMI), CGIAR Research Centre with headquarters in Colombo, Sri Lanka.

2001 - 2004 Water Resources and Soil and Groundwater Specialist, Water Management Department, Water Resources Division, DHI Water & Environment, Denmark.

2000 - 2001 Technical Advisor, Environmental Sector Programme Support, Danida, Bolivia.

1996 Danida-seconded Faculty, Asian Institute of Technology, Thailand.

1994 - 2000 Research Professional. Department of Groundwater, Solid Waste and Microbiology, VKI, Denmark.

1994 - 2000 Associate Lecturer and Research Associate, Institute of Hydrodynamics and Water Resources (ISVA), Technical University of Denmark.

1990 - 1994	Consultant. Hydrological field investigations and numerical modelling. Water Resources Department, Danish Hydraulic Institute
1993	Research Associate, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, USA.
1989 - 1993	Ph.D. Student and Teaching Assistant. Flow and transport phenomena in clay till soils with macropore structure. Field, laboratory and numerical Investigations. Institute of Hydrodynamics and Hydraulic Engineering (ISVA), Technical University of Denmark.
1990	Consultant. Field investigation techniques and parameter estimation guidelines for hydrological modelling, India. Danish Hydraulic Institute.
1988	Research Assistant. Modelling of hydrological processes in forest ecosystems. Institute of Hydrodynamics and Hydraulic Engineering (ISVA), Technical University of Denmark.

Assignments and Projects

2026 - 2030	Generating peri-Urban Aquifer Resiliency in the Dakar-Thiès-Mbour Triangle (GUARD). Project Investigator. <i>Client: Danida.</i>
2025 - date	Invited Guest Editor to Groundwater for Sustainable Development special issue on Managed Aquifer Recharge (MAR): From Theory to Implementation and Operation.
2024	Invited Keynote Speaker for the launch event of the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC)/Skat/RésEAU Learning Journey on Groundwater . Oct 2024.
2023 - date	Invited Main Author to the World Bank report: "Expansion without Exhaustion - Tackling Groundwater Sustainability in Farmer-led Irrigation Development in Sub-Saharan Africa."
2022 - 2024	Invited Individual Specialist to UNESCO on various assignments related to the UN-Water Summit on Groundwater Dec 2022, the UN 2023 Water Conference, and strategic proposal development, including to SDC selective tender on transboundary aquifers in Central Asia, Middle East, East and West Africa: "Governance and Cooperation on Transboundary Aquifers (UNESCO GCTA)".
2022 - 2023	Invited International Collaborator on the World Bank report: The Hidden Wealth of Nations: The Economics of Groundwater in Times of Climate Change .
2022	Invited Peer Reviewer for Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Denmark (MFA) on grant proposal 'Enhancing resilience of COastal communities: "Towards sustainable FISHeries and a healthy marine environment (ECOFISH)" for development research activities under the Danish Fellowship Centre DFC.
2022 - 2025	Enhancing Sustainable Groundwater Use in South Africa, 2 nd phase (ESGUSA-2). Co-Project Leader. <i>Client: Danida.</i>
2021	Invited Member of External Advisory Panel of Department of Planning, Industry and Environment-Water Division (DPIE-Water), New South Wales, Australia for the development of the Groundwater Strategy for New South Wales.
2021 - 2023	Sustainable Groundwater Development and Management for Humans, Wildlife, and Economic Growth in the Kavango Zambezi Transfrontier Conservation Area (KAZA-GROW). Project Leader. <i>Client: Resilient Waters Program/USAID.</i>
2020 - 2022	E-flows for the Limpopo River - building more resilient communities and ecosystems through improved management of transboundary natural resources. Project Investigator. <i>Client: Resilient Waters Program/USAID.</i>
2019 - 2022	Groundwater for Resilience in Africa Network (GRAN). Project Leader. <i>Client: UKRI/GCRF.</i>
2018 - 2019	Conjunctive Management in SADC's Shared Waters: Generating Principles through Fit-for-Purpose Practice. Focus: Tuli Karoo Aquifer. Project Investigator. <i>Client: USAID.</i>
2018 - 2019	Conjunctive Water Resources Management in the Shire River Basin (Shire ConWat). Project Leader. <i>Client: World Bank/SADC-GMI.</i>
2018 - 2021	Enhancing Sustainable Groundwater Use in South Africa (ESGUSA). Project Investigator. <i>Client: Danida.</i>

2018 Contributor to the RAMSAR Resolution XIII.19 on 'Sustainable Agriculture in Wetlands', adopted during 13th Meeting of the Conference of the Contracting Parties to the Ramsar Convention on Wetlands, Dubai, United Arab Emirates, 21-29 October 2018. https://www.ramsar.org/sites/default/files/documents/library/xiii.19_agriculture_e.pdf.

2017 - 2019 Managing Groundwater for Drought Resilience in South Asia. Project Investigator. *Client: World Bank*, under South Asia Water Initiative II.

2017 - 2019 Resilience in the Limpopo Basin: The Potential Role of the Transboundary Ramotswa Aquifer (RAMOTSWA-2). Project Leader. *Client: USAID Global Development Lab*.

2016 - 2022 Groundwater Solutions Initiative for Policy and Practice (GRIPP). Chair. *Client: Water, Land and Ecosystems Research Program under CGIAR*.

2015 Independent Reviewer on proposals for DFID/NERC call on Future Climate for Africa.

2015 - 2018 Groundwater Recharge in the Limpopo River Basin (GRECHLIM). Project Leader. *Client: USAID-PEER (Partnerships for Enhanced Engagement in Research) and National Research Foundation, South Africa*.

2015 - 2017 Resilience in the Limpopo Basin: The Potential Role of the Transboundary Ramotswa Aquifer (RAMOTSWA). Project Leader. Flagship project. *Client: RESILIM and USAID*.

2015 - 2019 Groundwater Futures (GroFutures). A project under the UPGro (Unlocking the Potential for Groundwater for the Poor - Sub-Saharan Africa) Program. Project Investigator. *Client: DFID, NERC and ESRC*.

2014 Co-organised a workshop under the CGIAR Water, Land and Ecosystems Program entitled: 'Managing Smallholder Groundwater-dependent Agrarian Socio-ecologies using an Ecosystem Service and Resilience Based Approach', Colombo, Sri Lanka. Nov. 04-07, 2014.

2013 - 2015 A Global Study on Linking Food Production with Groundwater Depletion and Potential. A component of the Policies, Institutions and Markets Program (PIM). Project Leader. *Client: CGIAR*.

2014 Assessment of Groundwater Availability from Instream Flow Requirements and Recession Flows of Rivers in South Africa. Project Leader. *Client: Water Research Commission of South Africa*.

2013 - 2014 GroFutures – Groundwater Futures. A project under the UPGro (Unlocking the Potential for Groundwater for the Poor - Sub-Saharan Africa) Program. Project Investigator. *Client: DFID, NERC and ESRC*.

2012 - 2021 Sustainable Groundwater. A component of the Water, Land and Ecosystems Research Programme (WLE). Project Leader. *Client: CGIAR*.

2011 - 2016 SuGWM - Community-based Sustainable Groundwater Management through Social Regulations and Local Governance, Andhra Pradesh, India. Resource Person. *Client: European Commission (EuropeAid)*.

2011 Independent Expert and Evaluator on the call FP7-ENV-2011, Theme 6 'Environment (including climate change)'. *Client: European Commission*.

2010 - 2011 Expert Reviewer on IPCC Special Report: 'Managing the Risks of Extreme Events and Disasters to Advance Climate Change Adaptation', published Nov. 2011. https://www.ipcc.ch/site/assets/uploads/2018/03/SREX_Full_Report-1.pdf.

2010 - 2011 Southern African Development Community SADC Groundwater and Drought Management Project. Project Leader for component: Regional Groundwater Vulnerability Mapping. *Client: World Bank/GEF, Washington D.C., USA*.

2009 - 2014 CLIVET - Impacts of Climate Change on Water Resources and Agriculture - and Adaptation Strategies in Tanzania (2009-2014). Project Leader. *Client: Consultative Research Committee for Development Research (FFU), Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Denmark*.

2009 - 2010 'The long-term impacts of point source pollution sources on groundwater quality' (In Danish: Punktkilders langsigtede påvirkning af grundvandsressourcens kvalitet.). Project Leader. *Client: Miljøstyrelsen/Region Hovedstaden*.

2009 - 2011 'Demonstration of the Groundwater for Emergency Situations (GWES) methodology for identifying, characterizing, and managing strategic groundwater resources in Orissa state, east coast of India, impacted by recurrent storms and related coastal floods'. A pilot project under the GWES Project. Scientific Core team Committee Member. *Client: UNESCO IHP.*

2008 - 2010 Coordination Unit for Adaptation to Climate Change Research (KFT). Senior Research Advisor. Established under the Danish Government's strategy for adaptation to climate change in Denmark.

2008 - 2011 SPLASH, European Union Water Initiative European Research Area Network (EUWI Era-Net). Researcher. *Client: EC FP6.*

2008 - 2010 Adaptive and sustainable water management and protection of society and nature in an extreme climate (CLIWAT). Modelling of impacts of climatic change on saltwater intrusion in coastal areas in the North Sea Region and options for mitigation. Project Participant. *Client: The Interreg. IVB, North Sea Regional Programme.*

2008 - 2010 Prediction of Climatic Impacts on Pesticide Leaching to the Aquatic Environments (PRECIOUS). Modelling of impacts of climatic change on agricultural practices and pesticide leaching in Denmark and options for mitigation. Project participant. *Client: Danish Environmental Protection Agency.*

2007 IWRM – ABOVE AND BELOW GROUND. Extending GWP's support for IWRM approaches in River Basins and Water Catchments to effective management of groundwater aquifers. Consultant. *Client: Global Water Partnership (GWP).*

2006 - 2008 Tsunami Area Resources Management Initiative (TARMI). Groundwater assessment, rehabilitation and optimal use in the wake of the tsunami. Project Leader. *Client: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada.*

2005 - 2007 Comprehensive Assessment of Water Management in Agriculture (2001-2007). Contributing to the assessment of the role of groundwater in agriculture. Lead Author on Ch.10 of final Synthesis Report.
https://www.iwmi.cgiar.org/assessment/files_new/synthesis/Summary_SynthesisBook.pdf.
Client: Governments of the Netherlands, Switzerland, Sweden, Taiwan, Japan, Austria, as well as the CGIAR, FAO, OPEC, CGIAR Challenge Program on Water and Food, the CGIAR Gender and Diversity Program, the EU through the ISIIM Project, and the Rockefeller Foundation and in-kind contribution from assessment participants.

2005 - 2007 Groundwater Governance in Asia – Capacity Building through Action Research in the Indo-Gangetic Basin (IGB) and the Yellow River Basin (YRB) (2005-2008). Project Leader. Training and research program development for groundwater managers and journalists in five Asian countries. <http://www.waterandfood.org/gga/index.htm>. *Client: CGIAR Challenge Program on Water and Food.*

2005 - 2006 Bridging Relief Work with More Long-term Assessment and Remediation of Tsunami Effects on Groundwater and Water Supply in Sri Lanka (2005-2006). Project Leader. Groundwater monitoring and relief support to groundwater rehabilitation. *Client: CARE.*

2003 Danish Water Environment Plan III, Denmark. Project Participant and Modeller. Various measures to reduce nutrient load to Odense Fiord were evaluated through the development of an integrated surface water and groundwater model. The model is based on the MIKE SHE and MIKE 11 modelling codes. *Client: DMU for Danish Forest and Nature Agency.*

2003 Piedmonte Water Resources Action Plan, Italy (2002-2004). Project Participant and Modeller. A water action plan with emphasis on agricultural and industrial load to the groundwater and surface water system was developed for the Piedmonte Region, Italy. The region covers an area of more than 25.000 km² and several water resources numerical tools have been applied as support for the planning. *Client: Intecno-DHI for Region Piedmonte.*

2002 - 2003 Development and Validation of Model for Risk Assessment of Pesticides in Surface Water, Denmark (PestSurf) (1998-2002). Project Participant and Modeller. Development of a numerical model tool for evaluation of the risk of pesticide exposure in surface waters. The tool was produced for the Danish EPA and is used for pesticide registration purposes. *Client: Danish Environmental Protection Agency.*

2001	Strategic Review Mission of the component 'Water and Watershed Resources Management in the Estelí River Basin' (Follow-up on the Water Action Plan)" under the Environmental Sector Programme Support, Nicaragua (2001-2002). Hydrologist and Watershed Expert. <i>Client: Nordeco for Danida.</i>
2000 - 2001	Environmental Sector Programme Support, Bolivia. Technical Advisor to the component "Environmental Management in the Potosí Department", which included capacity development in the local environmental authorities, awareness raising, watershed management, and implementation of environmental, technical solutions, <i>Client: Danida.</i>
1999	Human Resources Development in Relation to Water, Burkina Faso. Water Resource Management Specialist. Danish Delegation to Burkina Faso Concerning Human Resources Development in Relation to Water. <i>Client: Danida.</i>
1999	Investigation of the Chemical Speciation of Arsenic in Contaminated Groundwater, Denmark. Project Participant. Field investigation and chemical speciation modelling of arsenic groundwater contamination. <i>Client: Information Centre on Contaminated Sites.</i>
1999	Consultancy Mission for Danida project: "Water Resources Management Sector Study", Bangladesh. Hydrogeologist and Water Quality Specialist. <i>Client: Danida.</i>
1995 - 1998	Transport of Pesticides from Agricultural Areas to the Water Environment via Colloid-facilitated Leaching through Macropores, Denmark. Project Manager. Field, laboratory and numerical modelling investigation of the effect of colloids on pesticide transport in soils. <i>Client: Danish Environmental Protection Agency.</i>
1995 - 1997	Transport of PAH-Compounds via Mobile Colloids in Soil and Groundwater, Denmark. Project Manager. Field and laboratory investigation of the effect of colloids on PAH mobility in groundwater. <i>Client: Danish Environmental Protection Agency.</i>
1998	Consultancy Mission for Danida project, Guatemala. Trainee. Consultancy mission for Danida project: "Proposal for a Regional Conference on Integrated Water Management in Central America". Initial support and technical assistance in the process of improving, consulting and validating a regional water status action plan for Central America. <i>Client: Danida.</i>
1997	Review Mission of Danida project, Uganda. Trainee. Review Mission of Danida project: "Strengthening of Water Resources Monitoring and Assessment Services". Analysis and assessment of the progress and status of an on-going project, including recommendations for adjustment in project organization, budget and timing. <i>Client: Danida.</i>
1996	Teaching at Asian Institute of Technology (AIT), Thailand. Danida-seconded faculty. Teaching the Master of Science level course "Water Quality Management". School of Environment, Resources, and Development.

Professional Affiliations and Invited Roles

2025 - date	Invited Member of the International Advisory Board of the Office of the Manav Rachna Educational Institutions (MREI), Office of International Affairs & Collaborations (OIAC), Faridabad, India.
2025 - date	Invited Advisory Board Member for the Danida/DFC-project "Enhancing resilience of Tanzanian coastal communities: Towards sustainable fisheries and a healthy marine environment (ECOFISH)".
2025 - date	Invited Member of Expert Group for Conjunctive Water Management by United Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE).
2024 - date	Member of the Core Team of the International Association of Hydrogeologists (IAH) network: Liaison with United Nations Activities Network (LUNA), established at the 51 st International IAH Conference in Davos, Switzerland, Sep 08-13, 2024.
2024	Invited Peer Reviewer for European Research Council (ERC) Advanced Grants 2024, Feb 2024.

2023 - 2024	Member of the Prize Committee of the Zuckerberg Water Prize awarded for the second time during the International Water Summit. Midreshet Ben-Gurion, Sde Boqer Campus, Ben-Gurion University (BGU), Israel, May 27-28, 2024.
2023 - 2024	Member of the International Scientific Program Council of the 3 rd International Conference: 'Toward Sustainable Groundwater in Agriculture - Linking Science and Policy', Burbank/San Francisco, Calif., USA, Jun. 17-20, 2024, organized by UC Davis and Water Education Foundation.
2023	Played a key role in supporting UNESCO's high-level side event on 'Groundwater: An Invisible Cross-Sectoral Fundament for Implementation of the Water Action Agenda', UN 2023 Water Conference 'Uniting the World for Water', New York, New York, Mar 22-24, 2023.
2023	Invited Moderator of virtual side event 'Enabling Water Security through Science, Research, Innovation and Policy - From Test Beds to Practice' by Univ. of Johannesburg, Dept. of Water and Sanitation, and Rand Water, South Africa. UN 2023 Water Conference 'Uniting the World for Water', New York, New York, Mar 22-24, 2023.
2023	Invited Panel Speaker to Transboundary Groundwater Resilience Network Panel Series: Demystifying Data and Developing Future Leaders, Feb 01, 2023. https://tgr.nmwri.nmsu.edu/event/tgr-panel-series-demystifying-data-and-developing-future-leaders/ .
2022	Played a key role in supporting the UN-Water Summit on Groundwater , Paris, France, Dec 06-08 Dec, 2022: 1. Moderated one of the ten high-level plenary sessions, on ' Governance ', 2. Drafted and finalized the UN-Water Joint Message and Call for Action on Groundwater in consultation with UN-Water Member and Partner organizations as a contribution to the UN 2023 Water Conference and beyond; 3. Acted as General Rapporteur, providing main messages of the Summit sessions and side events in the Closing Ceremony; 4. Drafted the Highlights and Call for Commitments from the Groundwater Summit ; and 5. Supported UNESCO and UNECE in the development of the background paper for the Interactive Dialogue on Cooperation for Water.
2022	Invited as Member of the high-level task force on 'Science towards supporting SDG 6 and other related SDGs' for the UN 2023 Water Conference, by UNESCO-IHP and the Sustainable Water Future Programme.
2022	Invited to give plenary opening comments and setting the scene for the virtual CGIAR NEXUS Gains' Groundwater Governance Workshop, Nov 10, 2022.
2022	Invited as Panelist to the Pivotal Event at the World Water Day for the official launch of the 2022 World Water Development Report 'Groundwater – Making the Invisible Visible', Dakar, Senegal, Mar 22, 2022.
2022	Member of the Prize Committee of the Zuckerberg Water Prize, established and awarded at the first International Water Summit, Sde Boqer Campus, BGU, Israel, May 22- 3, 2022.
2021	Contributed to keynote presentation by AMCOW at the 4 th SADC Groundwater Conference (virtual) 'Towards a Water Secure SADC - Groundwater Systems Thinking', Nov 10-12, 2021.
2021	Co-organized the AMCOW-led 8th African Water (AWW8) (virtual) 'Water Security for Development and Human Health', Nov 22-26, 2021.
2021	Invited as Member of the Stakeholder Panel to participate in the Final Review of the GeoERA Programme under the European Union's Horizon 2020 research and innovation programme.
2021	Invited by SIWI as co-Convenor for the Special Seminar on Groundwater for the World Water Week in 2022, the year of Groundwater – Making the Invisible Visible (later handed over to IWMI).
2021	Invited as Expert/Thought Leader to the Technical Advisory Group Meeting for the 8th Replenishment Cycle of the Global Environment Facility (GEF) Trust Fund in the expert cluster on 'Environmental and Transboundary Freshwater Security'.
2020 - 2021	Invited as Author and Contributor to the World Water Development Report 2022 on Groundwater – Making the Invisible Visible.
2020 - 2021	Member of the Technical Reference Group for the OKACOM Groundwater Assessment Project in OKACOM (The Permanent Okavango River Basin Water Commission).

2020 - date	Member of the Advisory Committee of the Groundwater Project, https://gw-project.org/ .
2020 - 2021	Member of the Technical Programme Committee of the ISARM (Internationally Shared Aquifer Resources Management) Conference, Dec. 06-08, 2021. https://en.unesco.org/conference/isarm2021 .
2020 - 2022	Member of GeoERA Stakeholder Council, https://geoera.eu/organisation/ .
2020 - date	Associate Editor of the Editorial Board of Water and Human Health, a specialty section within Frontiers in Water.
2020 - date	Founding Member of the IWRA (International Water Resources Association) Groundwater Taskforce Bureau.
2019	Member of the leadership team for the Global Groundwater Sustainability Statement and Call to Action .
2018 - date	Member of Technical Committee for the SADC-Groundwater Management Institute's (SADC-GMI) Annual Groundwater Conferences.
2018 - 2019	Member of Program Committee of the Chapman Conference on Quest for Sustainability of Heavily Stressed Aquifers at Regional to Global Scales, Valencia, Spain, Oct 21-24, 2018.
2018 - 2019	Member of Program Committee of Future Earth Conference 'Towards a Sustainable Water Future', Bengaluru, India, Sep 24-27, 2019.
2019 - date	Working Group Lead for the Sustainable Sanitation Alliance (SuSanA) Working Group on Groundwater Protection, https://www.susana.org/en/working-groups/groundwater-protection .
2018 - 2019	Member of UN-Water Taskforce on Unconventional Water Resources led by UNU-INWEH.
2017 - 2022	Associate Editor of Hydrogeology Journal (HJ).
2017 - date	Review Editor in Freshwater Science, part of the journal Frontiers in Environmental Science.
2016 - date	Co-Chair of the Groundwater Management Working Group in the Sustainable Water Future Program under Future Earth.
2016 - 2022	Editor-in-Chief of Groundwater Solutions Initiative for Policy and Practice (GRIPP) Case Profile Series.
2016 - date	Member of IWRA, International Water Resources Association, http://www.iwra.org/ .
2015 - 2016	Member of the Program Council for the international conference: 'Towards Sustainable Groundwater in Agriculture – An International Conference Linking Science and Policy, 2016', Jun. 28-30, 2016, San Francisco, CA, USA.
2015 - 2016	Theme Champion for theme: Groundwater and Hydrogeology for the 35 th IGC, Aug. 27-Sep. 4, 2016, Cape Town, South Africa, http://www.35igc.org/ .
2015	Member of the Scientific Advisory Board of the Water Resources Dialogue: ChinAfrica Series No. 3, Cape Town, South Africa, Aug. 17-19, 2015.
2014 - 2020	Founding Member and co-Chair of the IAH Commission on Transboundary Aquifers.
2014	Member of the Scientific Advisory Board of the Water Resources Dialogue: ChinAfrica Series No. 2, Guilin, China, Oct. 26-28, 2014.
2013 - date	Steering Committee Member of the African Groundwater Network (AGW-Net, http://agw-net.org/).
2013	External Examiner, Rhodes University, Grahamstown, South Africa.
2013 - date	Reviewer on various research proposals and member of reference groups for several projects for the Water Research Commission, South Africa.
2013	Member of the Scientific Advisory Board of the Water Resources Dialogue: ChinAfrica Series No. 1, Cape Town, South Africa, Jun. 26-28, 2013.
2009 - 2013	Member of the African Groundwater Network (AGW-Net, http://agw-net.org/).
2011 - 2015	Member of the Permanent Consultative Mechanism for the Groundwater Governance Project.

2011 - 2017	Founding member and co-Director of IAH Commission on Groundwater for Decision Makers.
2011 - 2012	Member of the Scientific Committee for the international conference: "Hydrogeology of Arid Environments", Mar. 14-17, 2012, Hannover, Germany.
2011 - date	Member of the working group Sustainable Groundwater Development of the Rural Water Supply Network (RWSN), http://www.rwsn.ch/ .
2011 - 2012	Member of the International Scientific Advisory Committee for the 39 th IAH Congress: 'Confronting Global Change', Sep. 16-23, 2012, Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada.
2010 - 2014	External Examiner, Faculty of Life Sciences, University of Copenhagen.
2009 - 2011	Core member of the Climate Change Task Force for research in development under the three Danish research networks: Danish Development Research Network (DDRN), Danish Water Forum (DWF), and Danish Research Network for International Health (ENRECA Health).
2009 - 2014	Founder and Chair of the Danish Chapter of IAH (International Association of Hydrogeologists). http://www.iah.org/ .
2009 - 2010	Member of the Program Council for the international conference: 'Towards Sustainable Groundwater in Agriculture – An International Conference Linking Science and Policy', Jun. 15-17, 2010, San Francisco, CA, USA.
2008	Member of the International Scientific Committee of the international conference: 'Water Unifies - Water Scarcity, Global Changes, and Groundwater Management Responses, Univ. of Calif., Irvine, CA, USA, Dec. 1-5, 2008.
2008 - 2010	Member of the Working Group of the GWES (Groundwater for Emergency Situations) project of the sixth phase of the UNESCO IHP Programme (2002-2007) under the title 'Identification and management of strategic groundwater bodies to be used for emergency situations as a result of extreme events or in case of conflicts'.
2008 - 2010	Senior Research Advisor, Coordination Unit for Research in Climate Change Adaptation (Koordineringsenhed for Forskning i Klimatilpasning (KFT)), Established under the government's strategy for adaptation to climate change in Denmark.
2007 - 2009	Member of the Botin Foundation Water Observatory, an interdisciplinary think tank to address global water issues. The Director is Professor Ramón Llamas, Emeritus Professor at the Complutense University, in Madrid, Spain.
2007 - 2009	Member of the Climate Change Task Force for research in development under the three Danish research networks: Danish Development Research Network (DDRN), Danish Water Forum (DWF), and Danish Research Network for International Health (ENRECA Health).
2008 - date	Member of IAH Burdon Groundwater Network, https://burdon.iah.org/ .
2007 - date	Member of IAH (International Association of Hydrogeologists), http://www.iah.org/ .
2007 - 2012	Member of IAHS (International Association of Hydrological Sciences), https://iahs.info/ .
2006 - date	Member of ISGSD (International Society of Groundwater for Sustainable Development), https://www.isgsd.org/ .
1988 - date	Member of IDA, the Society of Danish Engineers.
1988 - date	Reviewer on several international, scientific peer-reviewed journals, including Nature, Climatic Change, Water Resources Research, Water Resources Management, Natural Hazards, Water, Hydrogeology Journal, Journal of Hydrology, Frontiers in Environmental Science, Frontiers in Water, and many others.

Awards and acknowledgements

2026	Received Water Resources Research Editors' Choice Award for the paper: 'Groundwaterscapes: A Global Classification and Mapping of Groundwater's Large-Scale Socioeconomic, Ecological, and Earth System Functions.
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2022 Received a Certificate of Appreciation for '[exceptional services to advance the Objectives of the Commission for Managing Aquifer Recharge](#)' of the IAH-International Association of Hydrogeologists.

2022 Acknowledged by Stockholm International Water Institute (SIWI) as [Groundwater Champion](#) during a social media campaign associated with the Year of Groundwater 2022,

2021 The work I was leading at IWMI on the transboundary Ramotswa Aquifer from 2015-2019 was nominated and featured as a success story: Striving for a Groundwater-secure Future in the Limpopo. Success story. Summary output of the RAMOTSWA Projects. <https://www.iwmi.cgiar.org/success-stories/striving-for-a-groundwater-secure-future-in-the-limpopo/>.

2021 Invited as Renown Groundwater Specialist to give presentation and interview in the Water Underground Talks, <https://www.waterundergroundtalks.org/season-1.html>.

2014 Best Paper of the Year Award of the International Water Resources Association (IWRA) for the paper 'Groundwater Irrigation for Smallholders in Sub-Saharan Africa – A Synthesis of Current Knowledge to Guide Sustainable Outcomes' <https://www.iwra.org/best-paper-articles/>.

2010 Outcomes from post-tsunami support to recovery of drinking water supply in Sri Lanka was published in the IWMI-series Success Stories, Issue 7, 2010. https://www.iwmi.cgiar.org/Publications/Books/PDF/the_story_behind_the_success.pdf

2008 Best article and lecture in session nomination for the presentation 'A Conceptual Framework for How to Ensure Sustainable Use, Management, and Protection of Groundwater Resources for Water Supply during Disasters'. Paper invited for the XXXVI IAH Congress, Toyama, Japan, Oct. 26 to Nov. 1, 2008.

1988 Scholarship from the Valle Scholarship and Scandinavian Exchange Program for 1 one-year M.Sc. degree in civil and environmental engineering at the University of Washington, Seattle, Washington, USA.

Teaching and Training

2012 - 2022 Supervisor for several interns working on groundwater-related subjects with IWMI. Coordinated and implemented several training workshops under the RAMOTSWA and GRECHLIM Projects.

2013 Contributed to the planning and implementation of a series of **training programs for African basin organisations on groundwater management**, including a training manual: Integration of Groundwater Management into Transboundary Basin Organizations in Africa. First course for ORASECOM, Johannesburg, Sep. 23-27, 2013. Funded by Cap-Net, BGR, and IMAWESA, in partnership with AGW-Net.

2010 Contributed to the implementation and teaching of the course **Groundwater Management in an IWRM Framework** as part of the Splash Project 'Support of the African Groundwater Network (AGW-Net) in capacity development, **Partenariat National de l'Eau –Togo (PNE-Togo)**, Lomé, Togo, Africa, April 13 -16, 2010.

2009 Contributed to the planning and teaching of the course **Groundwater Management for Water Managers: A role of hydrogeological science** as part of the Splash Project 'Support of the African Groundwater Network (AGW-Net) in capacity development, University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa, July 6-10, 2009.

2004 - 2008 Supervised two Ph.D. projects in collaboration with the University of Copenhagen and IWMI: **Impact of Tsunami on Groundwater in Sri Lanka** and **Integrating Remote Sensing and Hydrological Modeling for Groundwater Resources Assessment and Sustainable Use in the North China Plains**.

2004 - 2007 Supervisor for several interns working on groundwater-related subjects with IWMI.

2009 Organized and taught the FIVA Ph.D. course **Groundwater Management in a Global Context** at the University of Copenhagen, May 11-15, 2009.

2009	Teaching three sessions on groundwater in disaster management at the M.Sc. Program Master in Disaster Management at the University of Copenhagen, Apr. 27, 2009.
2008	Teaching (in Spanish) the course 'El Agua Subterránea y su Gestión Técnica – Social' (Groundwater and its Technical and Social Management). ExpoAgua, Guanajuato, Mexico. Sep. 24-26, 2008.
2005 - 2008	Project leader for a large research and capacity building project on groundwater governance in five East and South East Asian countries. Two annual international research and training programs, each consisting of a 5-week intensive classroom course and 16-week field action research program for groundwater researchers and managers.
2001 - 2003	Performed capacity building activities for M.Sc. students at the Technical University of Denmark and visiting professionals at DHI within water resources management and the use and application of modelling decision support tools.
2000 - 2001	Developed, planned and implemented capacity building efforts within the Environmental Sector Programme Support in Potosí, Bolivia.
1999	Human Resources Development in Relation to Water, Burkina Faso. As a Water Resource Management Specialist, participated in a mission to assess teaching and research gaps in the water sector in Burkina Faso and to define collaboration possibilities with the Danish resource base.
1997 - 1998	Contributed to an in-house training course for professionals on "Integrated Environment and Water Management", VKI, Denmark.
1996	Conceived, developed and conducted a M.Sc. level course on "Water Quality Management" for engineering students at Asian Institute of Technology, Bangkok, Thailand.
1994 - 2000	While associated with the Institute of Hydrodynamics & Water Resources, Technical University of Denmark as a Research Associate: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Reviewed new textbook on hydrodynamics – Conducted various M.Sc. courses (Hydrology, Irrigation & Water Resources, Groundwater Hydrology) – Advised Master and Ph.D. students on soil and groundwater hydraulics and contaminant transport and numerical modelling – Conceived, developed, and conducted a new M.Sc. course in "Integrated Water Resources Management" – Developed a Ph.D. course in "Colloid-Facilitated Transport in Soil and Groundwater"

Media

2009 - date	Participated in several public media coverages (national television, radio, newspapers), and were invited to feature in online/magazine op-eds related to groundwater, water management, and water security in development (National Geographic, The Atlantic, The Conversation, SciDev, The Guardian, Devex, Thomson Reuters, Zilient, Desert Sun, The Mail & Guardian, ReliefWeb, Preventionweb, truthout, Advanced Science News, WaterWorld, Phys.org, IISD, Smart Water Magazine, Green Climate Fund, New Business Ethiopia, etc.). Contributed to several project websites, blogs and podcasts. Responsible for the Water Cycle Innovation (www.watercycleinnovation.com) and GRIPP (http://gripp.iwmi.org/) websites.
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Peer-reviewed Books and Special Journal Issues

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R177 2019 **Villholth, K.G.**: Lessons learned from the RAMOTSWA Project. LIMCOM/SADC-GMI Meeting to launch the LIMCOM Groundwater Committee, Gaborone, Botswana, Feb 28-Mar 01, 2019.

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