

**CURRICULUM VITAE**  
**Annette Skovsted Hansen**

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**Current Position:** Associate Professor (Lektor) in History and Japan Studies, School of Culture and Society, AU, DK

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Connectivity and life-long learning defines my CV and inspires my transdisciplinary research in Global Studies, which has its foundation in History and Japan Studies and over the past 5 years has included a specific focus on Africa Studies. I thrive from engaging with multiple perspectives representing geographic, disciplinary, and human diversity. I have travelled in more than 60 countries, lived, studied, and worked in four (Denmark, US, Japan, and Israel). I have always chosen to work in highly diverse settings from United Nations Headquarters to Global Studies at AU, because I find them the most inspiring. My research and research-based teaching have greatly benefitted from transdisciplinary teamwork. My theoretical research approach is founded in my studies of diversity as resource at Teachers College, Columbia University, and builds on 18 years of managing and participating in transdisciplinary research teams and on 22 years of university teaching. Based on my experience from my 8-year tenure at the Department of Public Information at the United Nations, I have widely contributed with media interviews, public lectures, and knowledge-sharing as outreach activities. I have brought my expertise in history and Japan Studies to all research projects, in which I have participated, and, thereby, learned more about both, as they engage with other disciplines and places in Africa, Asia, the Americas, and Europe.

**Current research topics**

Global History:

1. Global Ports and Shipping: Africa in shipping and maritime studies with a focus on Denmark, Ghana, Israel, and Japan
2. Japan in global networks of private sector development
3. Socio-cultural Histories of Capacity Development in Development Assistance Initiatives, 1947-2015.

A history of national language dictionaries in France, Denmark, and Japan, 1636-1936.

**Publications:**

2021 Aryee, Jonas, Casper Andersen, and Annette Skovsted Hansen. "The Social-Political Embeddedness of Import Clearance: Twenty Years of Digital Transformation at Tema Port in Ghana." In print *World Customs Journal*.

2021 Nicolaisen, Martin Arvad and Annette Skovsted Hansen. "In the Parliament of the Port: Humour, Transparency and the Management of Distrust in Port Operations in Tema, Ghana." Under review with *Journal of Business Ethics*.

- 2021 Aryee, Jonas Nii Ayi and Annette Skovsted Hansen. "De-Politicization of Digital Systems for Trade Facilitation at the Port of Tema: A Soft Systems Methodology Approach." Submitted for review to *Case Studies on Transport Policy*.
- 2021 Nicolaisen, Martin, Phillip Stenmann Baun, Casper Andersen, Jonas Aryee, and Annette Skovsted Hansen. "Keeping the Port of Tema Afloat During COVID-19: Media Responses to User Informational and Conversational Needs." Submitted for review to *Journal of African Media Studies*.
- 2021 Li, Rui and Annette Skovsted Hansen. "十八至十九世纪日本荷兰语词典编纂的兴衰与谱系" [The Compilation History and the Genealogical Relations of Japanese-Dutch/Dutch Japanese Dictionaries during the 18th and 19th Centuries]. In print 辞书研究[Lexicographical Studies].
- 2021 Li, Rui and Annette Skovsted Hansen. "Tracing References: Re-dating and Interpreting Abel-Rémusat's Chinese-French Dictionary Manuscript." Submitted for final review to *International Journal of Lexicography*.
- 2021 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. *Living Global History: The Diversification of Agency as Impact of Japan's ODA, 1959-2019*. Book proposal submitted for review at Cambridge University Press.
- 2019 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Uses of Meiji: Redefining history to repeat a success story" in *Japan's Future and a New Meiji Transformation: International Reflections* edited by Ken Coates, Kimie Hara, Carin Holroyd, and Marie Söderberg. London and New York: Routledge, 130-137.
- 2018 Hansen, Annette Skovsted and Rui Li. "A remarkable compilation shift: A genealogical study of Medhurst's Chinese and English dictionary (1842–1843)." *Historiographia Linguistica* 45:3, 263-288.
- 2018 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Africa-Asia Regional Partnerships and South-South Development Cooperation" chapter 22 in *Routledge Handbook of Africa-Asia Relations* edited by Pedro Miguel Amakasu de Medeiros Carvalho, David Arase, and Scarlett Cornelissen. Oxford: Routledge, 335-351.
- 2017 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Developing Globalization: How Japanese ODA created channels for globalization processes, 1954-2012." *Globalization: Strategy and Effect* edited by Bent Jesper Christensen and Carsten Kowalczyk, Springer, 527-543.
- 2017 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Meijirevolutionen." *Højdepunkter i verdenshistorien in 50 begivenheder*, volume 5 edited by Morten Fink-Jensen og Bertel Nygaard. Aarhus: Aarhus Universitetsforlag, 148-153.
- 2016 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "At nytænke udviklingspolitik." *Slagmark* 73 (May 2), 239-243.
- 2016 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Tojo: Kejsereens loyale beskytter." *De uforsvarlige: politiske masse mordere* edited by Mikkel Thorup. Aarhus: Aarhus Universitetsforlag, 99-112.
- 2016 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Skelsættende skælv: Historier om bevægelse i Japan" in *Japan i bevægelse* co-edited with Anemone Platz and Jørn Borup. Aarhus: forlaget univers, 22-28.
- 2015 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Global Alumni Networks: The Inclusion of Fellow Experts from Developing Countries in Epistemic Communities." *Forum for Development Studies* 42:2, 357-378.
- 2014 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Re-vitalizing an indigenous language: Dictionaries of Ainu languages in Japan, 1625-201.3" *Lexicographica* 30, 2014: 547-578.
- 2014 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Practicing Kokugo: Teachers in Hokkaido and Okinawa Classrooms, 1895-1904." *Journal of Japanese Studies*, 40:2 (Summer), 329-351.
- 2014 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Velkomst." *FAU NYT* 2014:2, 1-2.
- 2014 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Asking Questions in Academia" and "Multi-cultural Group Work" for online university teaching resource *Undervisermetro*.

- 2013 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Japan – dannelsen af en avanceret stat uden for Europa." *Historie på tværs: Magt og Mennesker* edited by David Kyng og Ulla Nedergaard Pedersen. København: Gyldendal, 81-106.
- 2011 Hansen, Annette Skovsted and Lene Ipsen. *Japan mellem øst og vest*. København: Systime.
- 2010 Kjær, Anne Mette and Annette Skovsted Hansen. "Introduction: Political Agency and the State in Development." *Forum for Development Studies*, 37:1, 3-6.
- 2008 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Developing Memories: Alumni Newsletters in Japanese Development Assistance." *The Power of Memory* edited by Sven Saaler and Wolfgang Schwentker. Folkestone, UK: Brill, Global Oriental, 116-132.
- 2008 Jerve, Alf Morten and Annette Skovsted Hansen. "Introduction: Conceptualizing Ownership in Aid Relations" in *Aid Relationships in Asia: Exploring Ownership in Japanese and Nordic Aid* co-edited with Alf Morten Jerve and Yasutami Shimomura. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 3-21.
- 2008 Sudhindra, Sharma, Annette Skovsted Hansen, Tatsuro Fujikura and Juhani Koponen. "Nepal and Its Donors" in *Aid Relationships in Asia: Exploring Ownership in Japanese and Nordic Aid* edited Alf Morten Jerve, Yasutami Shimomura, and Annette Skovsted Hansen. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 133-150.
- 2008 Brunbech, Peter Yding, Kristine Midtgaard, and Annette Skovsted Hansen "Indledning." *Historier om dansk udviklingsbistand* edited Peter Yding Brunbech, Kristine Midtgaard, and Annette Skovsted Hansen, *Den Jyske Historiker* 120, 5-17.
- 2007 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Anmeldelse af Niels Kayser Nielsen: Steder i Europa: Omstridte byer, grænser og regioner." *KONTUR: Tidsskrift for Kulturstudier* 15, 84-85.
- 2006 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Globalt netværk på weekend i Aarhus: lokale forskere, studerende og frivillige møder Danidastipendiater." *Aarhus i Verden* edited by Søren Bitsch Christensen and Nina Javette Koefoed. Aarhus: Aarhus Universitetsforlag, 173-185.
- 2005 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Japan og Kinas kamp om historien." *Historie Nu*, 1-9.
- 2005 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Shogunatets opløsning." *Japan: Kultur og kunst I Edo-tiden: En opblomstringstid under shogunens herredømme* edited by Birgit Jenvold. Viborg: Museet på Koldinghus/Thanning, 74-77.
- 2005 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "From Keeping to Building Peace in 1992: A History of the Main Conceptual Differences" *FAU Conference 2005: Reconstructing Post-Conflict Societies – Challenges and Possibilities, Report*. Copenhagen: Foreningen af Udviklingsforskere i Danmark, 80-85.
- 2005 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Introduction: Challenges and Possibilities of International Intervention in the Post-Cold War Era" *FAU Conference 2005: Reconstructing Post-Conflict Societies- Challenges and Possibilities, Report*. Copenhagen: Foreningen af Udviklingsforskere i Danmark, 4-7.
- 2005 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "[Encountering Culture in Development: The Experience of Course Participants in Japan, 1962-2002.](#)" *KONTUR: Tidsskrift for Kulturstudier* 12, 15-20.
- 2005 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Tidlige dansk-japanske kulturelle forbindelser som led i udviklingen af nationalidentitetsmarkører: boganmeldelse af Yoichi Nagashimas *De dansk-japanske kulturelle forbindelser 1600-1873.*" *KONTUR: Tidsskrift for Kulturstudier* 11, 109-110.
- 2004 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "[Writing Indigenous Belonging: Ownership in the Construction of Identity in Japan.](#)" *The Politics of Multiple Belonging* edited by Flemming Christiansen and Ulf Hedetoft. Hants, UK, and Burlington, VT: Ashgate Publishing Company, 221-237.

- 2004 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Anmeldelse af *Human Development Report 2004: Cultural Liberty in Today's Diverse World*." *FAU NYT* (39), 20-22.
- 2004 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Japan i verden – En indledning," "Kort om kort – Det rumlige Japan," 1799-1872 – En historisk oversigt," "1919-1956 – En historisk oversigt." *Den jyske historiker* nr. 106-107 (December), 5-21, 50-62, and 85-98.
- 2004 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Japan rustet sig til en ny verdensorden." *Berlingske Tidende Magasinet* (August 18), 13.
- 2004 Hansen, Annette Skovsted and Mona Dahms. "Leder." *FAU NYT* (39), 1.
- 2004 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Review of *De dansk-japanske kulturelle forbindelser 1600-1873* by Yoichi Nagashima." *European Journal of Asian Studies* 3:2, 382-385.
- 2004 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Anmeldelse af Brett L. Walker *The Conquest of Ainu Lands: Ecology and Culture in Japanese Expansion 1590-1800*." *Nyt fra Historien*, LIII: 1, 47-48.
- 2004 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Anmeldelse af Carl Jung *Kaross and Kimono Hottentotten und Japaner im Spiegel der Reiseberichts von Carl Peter Thunberg (1743-1828)*." *Nyt fra Historien*, LIII: 1, 43-44.
- 2004 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Anmeldelse af Elise K. Tipton *Modern Japan: A Social and Political History* and L.M. Cullen *A History of Japan, 1582-1941: Internal and External Worlds*." *Nyt fra Historien*, LIII: 1, 15-16.
- 2003 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Variations on a Theme: Cultural Encounters Reflected in Japanese Bilingual Dictionaries of the Nineteenth Century." *KONTUR: Tidsskrift for kulturstudier* nr. 8 (4. årgang), 37-42.
- 2003 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Forskning i Japan." *FAU NYT* 37 (10), 21-22.
- 2003 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Kommentar til 'Hvad vil du egentlig med dit studium?'" *Ris på Gaflen* (3), 10.
- 2002 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Department of Public Information," "United Nations Development Programme," "UNESCO," "United Nations University," and "World Intellectual Property Organization." *The Encyclopedia of the United Nations* edited by John Allphin Moore and Jerry Pubantz, J.. New York: Facts on File, 88-89, 326-329, and 353-354.
- 2002 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Livet som akademiker 2." *Ris på Gaflen* (11), 8.
- 2002 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "ASEM IV i København og Hillerød." *FAU -NYT*, Nr. 35, (10.2002), 23-24.
- 2002 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Livet som akademiker." *Ris på Gaflen*, 11.
- 2002 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Japan med på banen." *Ris på Gaflen*, 6-8.
- 2001 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Anmeldelse af Jeffrey P. Mass: *Yoritomo and the Founding of the First Bakufu: The Origins of Dual Government in Japan*." *Nyt fra Historien*, XLX: 1, 162-163.
- 2001 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Anmeldelse af Conrad Totman: *A History of Japan*." *Nyt fra Historien*, XLX: 1, 148-149.
- 2001 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Anmeldelse af Sebastian Conrad: *Auf der Suche nach der verlorenen Nation: Geschichts-schreibung in Westdeutschland und Japan 1945-1960*." *Nyt fra Historien*, XLIX: 1, 73-74.
- 2001 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. *The Institutionalization of Language in Nineteenth Century Japan*, University of Copenhagen, PhD dissertation.
- 1996 Hansen, Annette Skovsted. "Leaders in Change: the Way to Official Language Reform" in *Leaders and Leadership in Japan* edited by Ian Neary. Richmond, Surrey: Japan Library, 89-102.

**Edited volumes:**

CV – Annette Skovsted Hansen

- 2016 Borup, Jørn, Annette Skovsted Hansen, and Anemone Platz (eds). *Japan i bevægelse*. Aarhus: forlaget univers.
- 2010 Kjær, Anne Mette and Annette Skovsted Hansen (eds). *Forum for Development Studies: The Nordic Journal of Development Research* 37:1.
- 2008 Alf Morten Jerve, Yasutami Shimomura, and Annette Skovsted Hansen (eds). *Aid Relationships in Asia: Exploring Ownership in Japanese and Nordic Aid*. New York: Palgrave Macmillan.
- 2008 Brunbech, Peter Yding, Kristine Midtgaard, and Annette Skovsted Hansen (eds). *Historier om dansk udviklingsbistand* in *Den Jyske Historiker* nr. 120 (June)
- 2004 Hansen, Annette Skovsted (ed). *Japan i verden* i *Den Jyske Historiker* nr. 106-107 (December)

### **Academic Appointments**

- 2005 - Associate Professor in History and Japan Studies, Aarhus University (Denmark)
- 2001-2005 Assistant Professor in History and Japan Studies, Aarhus University (Denmark)
- 2000-2001 Japanese teacher at Frederick Douglass Academy, Harlem (New York)
- 1997-1999 Adjunct in Japan Studies, Aarhus University (Denmark)
- 1990-1992 Japanese Language Instructor and Program Coordinator (Launched the Japanese program) County College of Morris, Randolph, NJ, USA

### **Other work experience**

- 2000 - 2001 Japanese Teacher, Frederick Douglass Academy, New York, NY, USA
- 1991 – 1997 Public Information Assistant, United Nations Headquarter, New York, NY, USA
- 1992 – 1994 Consultant for developing WRITE KANJI a pen-based software program for writing Japanese, Hilton Systems, Inc., Huntsville, AL, USA
- 1988 – 1989 Museum Educator, Viking Ship Museum, Roskilde, Denmark

**Maternity leaves:** October 2003-April 2004 and July -December 2007

**Research semesters:** April-August, 2003 and August-December, 2016.

### **Education**

- 2001, Doctor of Philosophy in Japanese history, University of Copenhagen, Denmark (Supervisor: Professor Inga Floto)
- 1992, Master of Arts in Japanese history, Columbia University, USA (Supervisor: Professor Carol Gluck)
- 1993-1998 ABD for M.A. in International Education Development, Teachers College, Columbia University, USA

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1993-1994 10-month Japanese for researchers program, Inter-University Center, Yokohama, Japan

1990 9-week Japanese Immersion Program, Middlebury College, Vermont, USA

1989 Bachelor of Arts in Japanese Studies, University of Copenhagen, Denmark

#### Continued education courses

2020, October (scheduled) Hands-on course on media dissemination of research findings, AU.

2020, Research Integrity, Digital course, AU

2019-2020, Research Management, AU

2018-2019, Digital Literacy, AU

2006-2007, Research Management, CBS

2018, PhD supervision, AU

2005-2006, Kollegial Supervision, AU

2002-2003, Adjunktpædagogikum, AU

#### **Research Management and External Funding**

2019-2022 Port Efficiency and Public Private Capacity (PEPP). Five partners in Ghana and Denmark.  
Danida Research Grant from Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Denmark (Coordinator) 4,997,029 DKK

2014- *Asian Aid Relationships in Africa* – organized panels at Asian Studies in Africa Conference in Accra, Ghana with participants from 3 African, 3 Asian, and 3 EU countries. Funded by each institution

2002-2008 Co-organizer of research project Forging Partnerships: Nordic and Japanese Aid in Asia with a budget of 2 million DKK from NORAD, Finida, and SIDA with 25 researchers from 13 countries in Europe and Asia, which included a conference, a workshop, and an edited volume *Aid Relationships in Asia: Exploring Ownership in Nordic and Japanese Development Assistance* from Palgrave MacMillan.

2008 Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan, host Professor Yoshiaki Abe, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science grant 400,000 JPY

2004-2008 Coordinator in the research focus area Globalization at the University of Aarhus.

#### **Invited inter-disciplinary research participation**

2020 “A Global History of State Enterprises in Developing Countries, 1950-Present,” virtual seminar by invitation only at Humboldt University, Berlin (November 26-27)

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- 2019 Global Japon(s): Histoire du monde – histoire des mondes vu du Japon Ecole des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociale, Paris. European Research Council starting grant host: Dr. Aleksandra Kobiljski
- 2017 Celebration of 60-years of diplomatic relations between Ghana and Japan at Centre for Asian Studies, University of Ghana. Host: Professor Lloyd Amoah.
- 2015-2016 Routledge Handbook on Africa – Asia Relations with an article on ‘Africa-Asia regional partnerships and South-South development cooperation.’ (Host: Pedro Carvalho Raposo)
- 2015- Asian Studies in Africa: Africa-Asia: A New Nexus of Knowledge conferences in Accra, Ghana, Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania, and the next in Senegal, but postponed because of COVID19
- 2012-14 AU Ideas Project: Infertility and endometriosis in Denmark and Japan: Focus on the implantation in pregnancy managed by micro-biologist Pia Møller Martensen
- 2011-13 Building Stronger Universities’ platform *Stability, Democracy, and Rights*. Danish Universities’ engagement with universities in the Global South. Including Unpacking the Concepts of ‘Stability,’ ‘Democracy,’ and ‘Rights’: Conceptual Investigations Conference (April 11-13), Kathmandu, Nepal. (Professor Jens Seeberg)
- 2010 The Role of Women in Security, organized by the US Embassy and the Danish Ministry of Defense
- 2009- Member of Europe Japan Advanced Research Network (EJARN) (20 members from 10 EU countries) (Host: Professor Marie Söderberg, European Institute for Japanese Studies)
- 2006 Member of the World History Network Research Agenda Symposium in Boston, USA.
- 2004 Globalisering, materiel kultur og identitetsdannelse (Project manager: Professor Helle Vandkilde, Arts, AU)

### **Talent Development: Supervision and Mentoring**

BA students: Japan Studies (33) History (47)

MA students: Japan Studies (4) International Studies (6) European Studies (1), and History (8)

PhD students:

- 2020- Jonathan Niklas Puntervold, Japan Studies
- 2019- Jonas Nii Ayi Aryee, Ghana Research Project (PEPP)
- 2018-2019 Li Rui (China, Post Doc, 1 year)
- 2018 Li Rui (China, 3 months visit)
- 2018 Shira Taube (Israel, 1 month visit)
- 2014- Jette Baagø Klockmann, History
- 2012 Assistant professor pedagogical course (Adjunktpædagogikum Rivka Eisner)

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2015 - Mentor program *Styrk Talentet* at AU. So far, I have been mentor for four mentees across faculty and discipline lines/boundaries

### **Editorial Boards and Committees**

2019 – Editorial Board, University of Ghana Centre for Asian Studies' *Working Paper Series* and *Policy Brief Series*

2019- Editorial Board, *TEMP: Tidsskrift for historie*

2010-2019 Editorial Committee, *TEMP: Tidsskrift for historie*

2011- Editorial Committee, *Forum for Development Studies Journal*

2004 -2008 Editorial Committee, *KONTUR: Culture, History, Politics - Tidsskrift for Kulturstudier, AU*

2002 -2010 Editorial Committee, *Den Jyske Historiker*

### **Professional Activities**

2020 - Academic Council, School of Culture and Society

2020- Board member of the Alumni Club Denmark, Japan Society for Promotion of Science

2015-2017 Member of Council for Development Research (FFU) under the Danish Foreign Ministry

2016 -2019 Institute Forum, School of Culture and Society, Chair

2014- Member of the Historie Censorkorps (National External Readers Corps)

2012 Uddannelsesfagligt udvalg (UFU) substitute

2010 Institute Forum, Institute for History and Area Studies

2006-2010 Member of Female Researchers at Aarhus University (FrAU)

2006 Globalization focus area, member

2006 Samfundsvidenskabeligt fakultet: Globalization: Migration and Capital Flows

2005- Spokesperson, Association of Development Researchers in Denmark (FAU)

2004- Member of Erhvervsprogligt Censorkorps (National External Readers Corps)

2003- Member of the Japansk censorkorps (National External Readers Corps)

### University Assessment Committees

- 2020 (Chair) Doctoral Student Mads Skovlund Yding *Appropriating Foreign 'Development: ' An oral history of Turkana experiences from 1926 to 1990*
- 2017 Head of school, Culture and Society
- 2016 (Chair) Assistant Professor, Japan studies
- 2019 Study Associate Professor in Japanese Language
- 2014 (Chair) Doctoral Student Paula Pannu *The Production and Consumption of Knowledge in Colonial Malaya*
- 2013 (Member) Doctoral Student Erja Hänninen *Legitimizing Aid: Donors and Policy Making in the Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Sector in Nepal*. Helsinki University, Helsinki, Finland.
- 2012 Study Assistant Professor in Hindi Language
- 2012 (Chair) Study Assistant Professor Japanese Language
- 2007 (Chair) Doctoral Student Peter Yding Brunbech *Dansk Udviklingspolitik 1949-1971: en analyse af den tidlige udviklings- og bistandspolitik over for ulandene og dens funktion i dansk udenrigspolitik*
- 2007 (Chair) Assistant Professor International Studies

### International Conference and Panel Convenor:

- 2019 'Maritime Domains as Research Frontiers: Ghana and Beyond' Transdisciplinary panel debate, Aarhus University (December 3), Aarhus, Denmark
- 2018 'Natural Resources Bringing Japan and Africa Closer' Japan Society of Promotion of Science Alumni Activity Club Seminar, Aarhus University (October 11), Aarhus, Denmark
- 2015 Panels: Asian Aid Relationships in Africa I: Comparing Japan and China and Asian Aid Relationships in Africa II: A Broader Temporal and Geographic Perspective, A New Nexus of Knowledge: Asian Studies in Africa conference, University of Ghana Legon, (September 24-26) Accra, Ghana
- 2014 Panel: Japanese Foreign Aid in Africa: Responses to African and Non-African Interests and Actions, Association of Asian Studies Annual Conference (March 27-30), Philadelphia, USA
- 2013 The Ninth Nordic Association for the Study of Contemporary Japanese Society Conference (March 14-15), Aarhus, Denmark.
- 2007 FAU Conference 2007: Financing Development: Competing flows of resources, Gjerrild, Denmark
- 2006 FAU Conference 2006: Breaking New Ground? Development Research 2005-2015 and beyond, Gjerrild, Denmark
- 2005 FAU Conference 2005: Reconstructing Post-Conflict Societies – Challenges and Possibilities, Gjerrild, Denmark

- 2002 Workshop on ‘Global Images and Identities’ for Asia Europe Meeting (ASEM) Youth Dialogue on Globalisation: A World Without Borders? Asia-Europe Youth Responses to Globalisation organized by Dansk Ungdoms Fællesråd (DUF) og Asia-Europe Foundation (ASEF), Hillerød, Denmark (September 23-24)
- 2002 Panel: Power and Respect: Language and Representation in Japan, 54th Annual Meeting of the Association for Asian Studies Annual Conference (April 4-7), Washington D.C., USA
- 1999 Symposium on World History at the Turn of the Millennium: Imagining, Inventing, and Negotiating Our Future, AU, Aarhus, Denmark

### **Invited Guest Lectures and International Conference Paper Presentations:**

- 2021 “FN I krisenes spændingsfelt,” Digital Fællesfaglig Dag på Historie (March 12), virtual, Aarhus University, Denmark
- 2021 “Denmark’s Engagement with Africa” Mapping Africa’s Global Engagement by Reconfiguring African Studies (January 30), virtual, JNU and Association of African Studies, New Delhi, India
- 2021 “Capacity Development: When Development Studies meets Human Resource Management,” Africa Knows! Conference (January 20), virtual, Haag, Netherlands
- 2019 “Port Efficiency, Digitalization, and Public Private Capacity Development at Tema Port, Ghana,” Panel at the 5th Nordic Conference on Development (June 27), Copenhagen Business School, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2019 “Slaves, Fish, and Oil: How Shipping has connected 'Ghana' through the Oceans, 1658-2018,” European Conference on African Studies (June 14), Edinburgh, Scotland
- 2019 “Japan and EU/Denmark at Tema port, Ghana,” Europe Japan Advanced Research Network Annual Meeting (June 7), Paris, France
- 2018 “Definitions, Language Learning, and Trans-/Intraregional Understanding of Asia,” Roundtable Concept Note for conference entitled A New Axis of Knowledge: Asian Studies in Africa at University of Dar Es Salaam (September 10), Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania
- 2018 “Decolonization of Academia,” Subtheme: Academic partnerships and decolonization of knowledge. Southern African Nordic Centre (SANORD) Conference: Academic Citizenship: Recognition, Resilience or Resistance? (August 15-17), Jyväskylä, Finland.
- 2018 “The ‘Exotic’ Like-minded: Japanese and Danish Foreign Aid Practices, 1947- 2017,” Europe Japan Advanced Research Network Annual Conference (June 9), Stockholm, Sweden
- 2017 “Observation, Inspiration, Impact: Ghanaian Alumni from Overseas Technical and Management Courses in Japan, 1957- 2017,” for Ghana-Japan 60 Years of Diplomatic Relations Conference, University of Ghana (November 1), Legon, Accra, Ghana
- 2017 “Inspiration and Competition: Japanese and Danish Foreign Aid Schemes, 1947- 2017,” Celebration Conference for Professor Yoichi Nagashima, University of Copenhagen (March 21), Copenhagen, Denmark

- 2016 “Uses of Meiji: Redefining History to Repeat a Success Story” Japan’s Future seminar, Europe Japan Advanced Research Network and Canada Japan (December 11), Narita, Japan
- 2016 “Two Nepali Sisters: Diaspora as a Network Strategy,” Diaspora and International Migration in Development: Comparative Global Experiences, Jawaharlal Nehru University (January 10-12), New Delhi, India
- 2015 “Networking for the Future: Human Resource Development in Japanese Development Cooperation,” Conference on Development Cooperation in a Post-MDG Era: Can Japan Effectively Continue to Contribute Towards Global Development? (October 31 - November 2) Osaka, Japan
- 2015 “Private Sector Involvement: Continued and New Initiatives” The Future of Official Development Assistance Symposium (October 1), Stockholm, Sweden
- 2015 “Time and Trust: Impact of historical networks on aid distribution in Africa,” A New Nexus of Knowledge: Asian Studies in Africa, University of Ghana Legon, (September 24-26) Accra, Ghana
- 2015 “Telling Success: Impact of Japanese ODA,” XXIIth International Congress of Historical Sciences conference (August 26-29), Jinan, China
- 2015 “World Network of Friends: Africa-Asia regional partnerships and South-South development cooperation” Europe Japan Advanced Research Network Annual Conference (June 3), Pavia, Italy
- 2014 “Networking Capacity: The Inclusion of Experts from the South in Epistemic Communities, 1947-2014,” Making Scientific Capacity in Africa Conference (June 13-14), Cambridge, UK
- 2013 “Impact of Historical Networks on Official Development Assistance Distribution in Africa” Europe Japan Advanced Research Network Annual Conference: Towards stronger and deeper relations between Japan and EU, OECD (June 24-25), Paris, France
- 2013 “Global Networks of Expertise: The Inclusion of Experts from the South Through Technical Assistance Courses in Japan” Nordic Association for the Study of Contemporary Japanese Society Conference (March 15), Aarhus, Denmark
- 2012 “Japanese Official Development Assistance (ODA) Seen From a European Perspective” Japanese International Cooperation Agency Research Institute (November 8), Tokyo, Japan
- 2012 “ヨーロッパから見た HIDA/AOTS: 2011 年度事業評価報告書を基に考察 [HIDA/AOTS Seen From Europe: Thoughts on the 2011 Evaluation Report],” Association of Overseas Technical Scholarships/Overseas Human Resources and Industry Development Association (AOTS/HIDA) Annual Review Meeting (November 7), Tokyo, Japan
- 2012 “Nepal Networking: How Two Nepali Sisters have Built and Used Their Personal Networks by Participating in Technical Assistance Courses in Denmark and Japan” Unpacking the Concepts of ‘Stability,’ ‘Democracy,’ and ‘Rights’: Conceptual Investigations Conference (April 11-13), Kathmandu, Nepal
- 2012 “A Facebook Group’s Responses to the 2011 Triple Catastrophe in Japan” Nordic Association for the Study of Contemporary Japanese Society Conference (March 22-23), Göteborg, Sweden

- 2011 “Global Networks of Expertise: How a Bi-product of Technical Assistance Courses Financed by Japanese Foreign Aid Contributed to Globalization” Globalization: Strategies and Effects (November 9), Kolding, Denmark
- 2011 “Responses to the 2011 Earthquake on Facebook” Europe Japan Advanced Research Network Annual Meeting (June 9), Stockholm, Sweden
- 2010 “Development of Female Entrepreneurs,” The Role of Women in Security conference organized by the US Embassy and the Danish Defense Ministry of Defence (October 29), Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2010 “Fostering an East Asian Community: Technical assistance courses finances by Japanese foreign aid, 1959-2009,” Europe Japan Advanced Research Network Annual Meeting (June 10-11), Stockholm, Sweden
- 2010 “Developing Global Networks: Alumni Channels of Communication in Japanese Foreign Aid Programmes” Association of Asian Studies Annual Conference (March 25-28), Philadelphia, USA
- 2009 “Building Personal Networks: AOTS and JICA Course Alumni,” International Conference for Asia Scholars: Think Asia (August 6-9), Daejeon, Republic of Korea
- 2009 “Places Connected: Denmark and Japan as Temporarily Experience by Fellows, 1954-2008,” Globalizing Historiography Panel, American Historical Association Conference (January 2-5), New York, USA
- 2008 “Developing Global Networks: Personal Ties Financed by Japanese and Danish Foreign Aid, 1947-2007,” University of Zürich (October 16-19), Zürich, Switzerland
- 2008 “The Trust of History: Ownership in the Relationships of Nepal and Vietnam to Their Donors,” FASID Seminar on Aid Relationships in Asia – Exploring Ownership in Japanese and Nordic Aid (May 23), Tokyo, Japan
- 2008 “Cold War Friends: Fellows and Scholarship holders financed by Danish Development Assistance,” Foreign aid: Projects and Policy in a Historical and Comparative Context (October 9-12), Sandbjerg, Denmark
- 2006 “Research Networks in Practice and Content,” World History Network Research Agenda Symposium (November 11), Boston, USA
- 2006 ”Globale netværk i udvikling: Alumne fra kurser finansieret af dansk og japansk udviklingsbistand 1954-2006” Panel entry on the usefulness of Danish development assistance, Debatdag om ulandsbistand, StudenterHus. Aarhus, Denmark.
- 2005 “Fellows as Developers, Owners, and Partners in Knowledge Production,” Conference on Capacity Development: Japanese and Danish Approaches (June 15), Aarhus, Denmark
- 2005 “Japan Facing Asia: Friendship Vocabulary in Japanese Development Assistance,” New York Conference of Asian Studies (October 27-30), New Paltz, USA
- 2005 “Developing Friendships: Memories of Enemies and Friends in Japanese Development Assistance,” The 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference of the European Association for Japanese Studies (September 1), Vienna, Austria

- 2005 “Partnership in Action: Nordic and Japanese Assistance in Nepal,” Forging Partnerships? Research Network (June 16-19), Stockholm, Sweden
- 2005 “The Role of Friendship in the Practice of Inviting Fellows from Developing Countries to Japan and Denmark,” Foreign Aid Seminar (May 18-19), Oslo, Norway.
- 2005 “Developing Communication Venues: Japanese Development Assistance as Dialogue,” Nordic Association for the Study of Contemporary Japanese Society Conference (April 28-30), Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2005 “Japanese and Danish Approaches: Fellows as Developers, Owners, and Partners in Knowledge Production,” FAU Conference 2005: Reconstructing Post-Conflict Societies – Challenges and Possibilities. Association of Development Researchers in Denmark (FAU) annual conference (March), Gjerrild, Denmark
- 2004 “Traces of a Full Circle: ‘Capacity Development’ as History,” 25. Nordiske Historikermøde (August 4-8), Stockholm, Sweden
- 2003 “Fellowship and Trainee Programs in Technical Cooperation and Partnership,” 10<sup>th</sup> International Conference of EAJS (August 27-29), Warsaw, Poland
- 2002 “Empowering Language: Investing Power in Language by Compiling and Publishing Dictionaries of Indigenous Languages,” 54<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Association for Asian Studies (April 4-7), Washington, DC.
- 2002 “Training as Capacity Building: Implications for Equality in Partnerships,” Partners in development? Association of Development Researchers in Denmark (FAU) Conference (March 7-9), Gjerrild, Denmark
- 2000 “Writing for Survival: The Role of Writing in Defining the Identities of Indigenous Peoples,” poster at European Association of Japanese Studies (August), Lahti, Finland
- 1999 “Warming-Up: Languages and Identities in Early Empire-Building” Nordic Institute for Asian Studies Workshop: Japan and the National Identity of Its Asian Neighbors during and after the Imperial Era (June), Copenhagen, Denmark
- 1999 “Assimilating Difference within the Imperial Nation through Japanese Language Teaching: The Cases of Okinawa and Ainu,” British Association of Japanese Studies Annual Conference (April), Winchester, UK (April)
- 1997 “Within the Nation or Without? Why Language Became an Issue in the Education of Ainu, Koreans, and Okinawans,” Mid-Atlantic Conference on Asian Studies (October 23-25), West Chester, PA, USA
- 1994 “Leaders in Change: An Interpretation of the Role of the Meirokusha and Other Intellectuals, 1866-1912,” European Association of Japanese Studies (August 24), Copenhagen, Denmark
- 1994 “Nagasaki kara mita hyōjungo,” Inter-University Center (June), Yokohama, Japan
- 1993 “Language as an Issue in Nineteenth-Century Nation-Building: A Comparison of the Debates in Denmark and Japan,” New York Conference on Asian Studies (October 15), New Paltz, NY, USA

1992 “Meirokeisha’s role in formulating language policy in Japan,” Columbia University Graduate Student Conference (February), New York, NY, USA

### **International Exchange:**

#### **Host**

2018 Li Rui, Dr., Post Doc, Jinan University, Guangzhou, China (12 months)

2018 Rotem Kowner Department of Asian Studies, Haifa University, Israel (1 week)

2018 Li Rui, PhD, Jinan University, Guangzhou, China (4 months)

2016 Ajay Dubey, Centre for African Studies, School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India (3 months)

#### **Visits**

2019 CRJ-EHESS (Centre de Recherches sur le Japon-Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales), Paris, France (Directrice du Centre de Recherches sur le Japon Aleksandra Kobiljski)

2019 Department of Asian Studies, Haifa University, Israel (Professor Rotem Kowner)

2018 Centre for Asian Studies, University of Ghana, Ghana (Professor Lloyd Amoah)

2017 Department of Asian Studies, Haifa University, Israel (Professor Rotem Kowner)

2017 Centre for Asian Studies, University of Ghana, Ghana (Professor Lloyd Amoah)

2017 Ghana Academy of Arts and Sciences, Ghana (Mr. Francis Ankrah)

2016 Kilimanjaro Christian Medical Centre, Tanzania

2016 The State University of Zanzibar, Tanzania

2016 University of Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania

2008 Graduate School of Asia Pacific Studies (Japan Society for Promotion of Science grant), Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan (Professor Yoshiaki Abe)

2003 History Department, Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan (Professor of Modern Japanese History Koichi Okamoto)

2003 Department of Japanese Studies, Hong Kong University, China (Professor and Head of Department Kirsten Refsing)

2002 Bibliothèque Nationale de France, France

### **Memberships of external organizations:**

2008 -- European Japanese Advanced Research Network (EJARN)

CV – Annette Skovsted Hansen

- 2004- Member of American Historical Association (AHA)
- 2001- Dansk-Nepalesisk Selskab
- 2000- Member of World History Association (WHA)
- 1997- Member of Association of Development Researchers in Denmark (FAU)
- 1997- Dansk-Japansk Venskabsforening
- 1993- Kokugo kenkyūkai [Research Group on Japanese National Language]
- 1990- Member of Association of Asian Studies (AAS)
- 1986- Member of European Association of Japanese Studies (EAJS)
- 1986- Member of Dansk-Japansk Selskab

### **Knowledge Exchange, Volunteering, and Outreach**

2020 Future Strategic Directions for Danish Development Research. Zoom event co-organized between Association of Development Research in Denmark and Danish Institute of International Studies (June 25)

### **Private companies:**

- 2019 Ghana TV3: Documentary on Ghana shipping
- 2019 Zentropa: advising on movie idea on the Gold Coast
- 2017- Maersk Group, development of the PEPP research project about port efficiency
- 2017- Meridian Port Services, development of the PEPP research project about port efficiency
- 2009- Association of Overseas Technical Scholarships funded by Japanese Foreign Aid and Japanese Companies such as Toyota, Suzuki, and Honda.

### **Civil society:**

- 2002 Images of Asia: Black Box
- 1997 Association of Development Researcher in Denmark (members and conference participants include NGOs and Danida employees for example organized workshop in 2002 together with Projektrådgivningen (now CISU: Civilsamfund I Udvikling)

### **Government institutions:**

- 2015- Danish Foreign Ministry/Danida (Consultative Committee on Development Research member)
- 2016 FFU travel to Vietnam
- 2016 and 2018 FFU travel to Tanzania
- 2016 FFU travel to Nepal
- 2016, 2017, and 2019 FFU travel to Ghana  
CV – Annette Skovsted Hansen

2012 Ministry of Economy, Trade, and Industry, Japan (talk in Japanese)

### **Media**

- 2020 'Japans recession kan afspejle fremtiden for verdens økonomier' i *Arbejderen* (September 21)
- 2020 'Kvaliteten af forskningen og undervisningen er den samme som før dimensioneringen' i *Omnibus* (July 2)
- 2020 Radio 4 Kraniebrud: Hiroshima Atombomben (August 6)
- 2020 Radio 4 Kraniebrud: FN 75 år (June 26)
- 2020 Radio 4 Kraniebrud: Krig – FN (May 4)
- 2020 Danmarks Radio P1 Morgen: Carlos Ghosn flygter fra Japan (January 3)
- 2019 Danmarks Radio P1 Morgen: 'Tokyo International Conference of Africa's Development (TICAD) konferencen i Tokyo og Japans bidrag til Afrika' (August 27)
- 2019 *AHA Newsletter*: "American Historical Association member spotlight: Annette Skovsted Hansen," (February 13)
- 2016 Danmarks Radio P1: Okinawa – amerikanske baser, handelsnetværk og Ryukyu (December 21)
- 2016 Danmarks Radio P1 eftermiddag: Den japanske kejsers video om sit ønske om abdicering (August 8)
- 2016 *Kristeligt Dagblad*: Terrordrab viser bistandsarbejderes sårbarhed (July 8)
- 2016 Danmarks Radio P1 Orientering: Amerikanske baser på Okinawa (March 18)
- 2016 Indian National Television Doordarshan: International Diaspora (January 19)
- 2015 Danmarks Radio P1 eftermiddag: Japans hvalfangst og udviklingsbistand (December 7)
- 2015 Danmarks Radio P1 eftermiddag: Kulturnyt (August 6)
- 2015 Danmarks Radio P2 Morgen: Japans negative befolkningsvækst (January 3)
- 2014 *Politiken*: Sony censurerede blodigt drab (December 23)
- 2014 *Weekendavisen*: Vor tids shintoist (December 19)
- 2014 Danmarks Radio: Skal vi være bange for krig mellem Japan og Kina (January 23)
- 2013 *Metroexpress*: Japansk sexslaveri udløser blodig protest (May 24)
- 2012 *Fortidende*: At rejse er at leve (December 21)
- 2012 Interview for article: "Jintekishisan no jūyōsei," *Kokusaikaihatsu jyaanaru: International Development Journal* (IDC): 33. (December 13)
- 2005 Danmarks Radio P1: Søndagsorientering: Valget i Japan (September 18)

2005 *JydskeVestkysten, Fyens Stiftstidende, Nordjyske Stiftstidende*: Bomben der ændrede verden (August 6)

2004 Danmarks Radio Orientering: Japan i Irak (October 14)

**Research-based non-academic presentations and events:**

2021 "Samtale om Japan" Skanderborg Gymnasium, 2X (February 11), Teams, Skanderborg, Denmark

2020 "Historier i Japans Nutid" Serie: Japan NU. Folkeuniversitetet Aarhus Universitet (Aarhus October 19 and Odense November 2)

2020 "FN 75 år" panel with Tonny Brehms. Folkeuniversitetet Syddjurs (October 8), Ebeltoft, Denmark

2019 Historielærernes Dag: Når historier samler og splitter: Nanjing Massakren (October 23 and 24) Jelling and Roskilde, Denmark

2019 "Dannelsen af nationen Japan" og "Krig og fred i Japan" Serie: Japans historie. Folkeuniversitetet Aarhus Universitet (September 17 repeated in 2020 and 2021)

2019 "Jorden Rundt – japansk mad og litteratur" Panel Folkeuniversitetet Aarhus Universitet (June 18), Aarhus, Denmark

2019 "Den gule fare" Folkeuniversitetet Aarhus Universitet (March 1), Aarhus, Denmark

2017 "Japan" Serie: Asiens imperier. Folkeuniversitetet Aarhus Universitet (Aarhus April 25 and Emdrup October 23)

2017 "Dansk Udenrigspolitisk fremtid." Panel Folkeuniversitetet Aarhus Universitet (March 18) Aarhus, Denmark

2017 "Verdensmagten Japan" Serie: Indblik i Asien. Folkeuniversitetet Aarhus Universitet (Januar 16 repeated in 2018 and 2019 both in Aarhus and Emdrup)

2016 "Skelsættende Skælv: Historier om Bevægelse af Japan" Serie: Japan i bevægelse. Folkeuniversitetet Aarhus Universitet (September 6 repeated in 2017, 2018, 2019, and 2020 both in Aarhus and Emdrup with more than 80 attendants each time)

2015 "Forsvundne Imperier i Afrika: Ghana, Mali og Songhay," Serie: Forsvundne Imperier. Folkeuniversitetet Aarhus Universitet (April 13)

2015 "Japans sproghistorie" Serie: Japan – Sprog, litteratur og kultur. Folkeuniversitetet Aarhus Universitet (November 19 repeated in Emdrup 2016)

2009 4. maj kollegiet årlig seminar: Danskere i japanske interneringslejre i Anden Verdenskrig: Japanske interneringslejre i Andens Verdenskrig: Ekspansion og krigerkultur

2009 Workshop: Students on the Move: Global Networking Among Students and Academics

2006 Studenterhus Aarhus: Debatdag om ulandsbistand: paneloplæg om nytten af dansk udviklingsbistand

2006 Aarhus Katedralskole: Japan i FNs Sikkerhedsråd

- 2004 'Nationalbygning i Irak: Kan det lykkes?' Panel debate organized by International Debat, en studenterorganisation ved statskundskab i København, May 3, 19-21:30.
- 2003 "Nynationalisme i Japan?" Sprogskolen på Kalø, Rønne, Denmark
- 2003 "A Nation and Its Language," Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan
- 2002 "Landsbyliv i Nepal," Dansk-Nepalesisk Selskab, Aarhus, Denmark
- 2002 "Enjoying Teenage Tours," Department of Public Information, United Nations, New York, USA
- 2002 "Knowledge Transfer in Japanese Development Assistance," Lunch Talk, Nordic Institute of Asian Studies (February 10), Copenhagen, Denmark.
- 2002 'The Softer Side of Japanese Development Assistance' Aalborg University (March 4), Aalborg, Denmark.
- 2002 'Danida and the Danida Fellows Today and Before' International Student Centre (March 10), Aarhus, Denmark
- 2002 "Store næser for små detaljer," Europa – Riget I Midten? Seminar organized by History students at Institute for History and Area Studies, AU (March 15), Aarhus, Denmark

### **Volunteering:**

- 2011- Rønne School Board, Chair
- 2000-2001 Building With Books, USA based NGO, participated in 3-week school-building project in Nepal
- 2000-2001 Adult Literacy Program, New York Public Library Centers for Reading and Writing
- 1997-1999 and 2001-2003 Danida Fellows host, International Student Centre, AU
- 1993-1994 Yokohama Association for International Communications and Exchanges