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Year of birth: 1975

Main diplomas:

- MD: 2001, Norway
- Rheumatologist: In training
- PhD: 2008, MRI in Rheumatoid Arthritis

Current positions and hospital/university :

Leader, Clinical trial unit of outpatient clinic, Diakonhjemmet Hospital, Oslo, Norway
Post-doctoral researcher, Diakonhjemmet Hospital, Oslo, Norway (University of Oslo)

Position within EULAR/international experience:

- EMEUNET working group member
- Member of the "EULAR Standing Committee on Musculoskeletal Imaging" Member of EULAR Task Force on "EULAR Points to Consider for the use of Imaging of Peripheral Joints in Rheumatoid Arthritis Clinical Practice"
- Member of the "OMERACT MRI in inflammatory arthritides task force" and "the OSTRA group" (Osteoporosis research in RA in 3 European centres: Oslo, Truro and Amsterdam).

Areas of Research/Interest: Imaging in inflammatory rheumatic diseases with a special interest in MRI and US, interventional trials, treatment strategies, outcome research in rheumatic diseases, early arthritis, secondary osteoporosis, biomarkers and registries.

Keywords: imaging, treatment, biomarkers, registries

Select Publications:

- [EA Haavardsholm](#), M Østergaard, B Ejbjerget al. Reliability and sensitivity to change of the OMERACT rheumatoid arthritis MRI score (RAMRIS) in a multi-reader longitudinal setting. Arthritis Rheum. 2005 Dec;52(12):3860-7.
- [Haavardsholm EA](#), Østergaard M, Ejbjerg BJ, et al. Introduction of a novel magnetic resonance imaging tenosynovitis score for rheumatoid arthritis: reliability in a multireader longitudinal study. Ann Rheum Dis. 2007 Sep;66(9):1216-20. Epub 2007 Mar 28.
- [Haavardsholm EA](#), Bøyese P, Ostergaard M, et al. MRI findings in 84 early rheumatoid arthritis patients: Bone marrow edema predicts erosive progression. Ann Rheum Dis. 2008 Jun;67(6):794-800. Epub 2007 Nov 2.
- Halvorsen EH, [Haavardsholm EA](#), Pollmann S, et al. Serum IgG antibodies to Peptidylarginine Deiminase 4 predict radiographic progression in rheumatoid arthritis patients treated with TNF-alpha blocking agents. Ann Rheum Dis. 2008 Aug 22. Epub ahead of print.
- [Haavardsholm EA](#), Østergaard M, Hammer HB, et al. Monitoring anti-TNF(alpha) treatment in RA: Responsiveness of magnetic resonance imaging and ultrasonography of the dominant wrist compared to conventional measures of disease activity and structural damage. Ann Rheum Dis 2008 Nov 19. Epub ahead of print.

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