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## Curriculum Vitae Susanna Fellman

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### Academic degrees

2002 Docent, Economic and Social History, University of Helsinki  
2001 Ph.D., Economic and social history, University of Helsinki Finland

### Positions within academia:

2010 - 2012 Researcher, Academy of Finland & University of Helsinki  
2008 - 2010 Professor, University of Helsinki  
2004 - 2007 Other, University of Helsinki

### Main research fields:

Business history, History of management and business elites, Cartels and competition policy in a historical perspective Business interests and welfare state development Methodological questions in business history

### Main teaching fields:

Business history, in particular managers and management in historical perspective, competition policy in historical and comparative perspective, Business history, Economic history

## Academic experience

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### Research projects:

2015 - 2017 Employers and welfare state development

### Head of research project:

2013 - 2015 Karteller och handelspolitik

### International research projects:

2016 - 2016 Several, both funded and non-funded,  
2016 - 2016

**Supervision of PhD students:**

2014 -	Knut-Ola Naastad Strom, University of Gothenburg (Co-supervisor)
2013 -	Jenny Högforsen, University of Gothenburg (Head supervisor)
2012 - 2018	Carolina Uppenbergh, University of Gothenburg (Head supervisor)
2011 - 2014	Malin Dahlström, University of Gothenburg (Co-supervisor)
2011 - 2013	Staffan Albinsson, University of Gothenburg (Co-supervisor)
2008 - 2013	Laura Ekholm, University of Helsinki (Head supervisor)
2007 - 2011	Ilja Kavonius, University of Helsinki (Co-supervisor)

**Opponent and/or examiner of PhD and licentiate theses:**

2018	Josefine Sabo, Reglerad Sprängkraft. Dynamiten, staten och den svenska civila sprängmedelsindustrin, Umeå (Opponent)
2016	Åsa Rognes Malmström, Family Matters, Uppsala University (Opponent)
2015	Dag Ove Skjold, Organisering og samarbejd i norsk elforsyning ca 1900-1985, NTNU Trondheim (Member of examining committee)
2015	René Schroder Christensen ., Syddansk Universitet, Danmark (Opponent)
2014	Ellen Molgaard Korsager, Copenhagen Business School (Opponent)
2012	Morten Lind Larsen, Copenhagen Business School (Opponent)
2009	Göran Bergström, University of Uppsala (Opponent)

**Reviewer assignments:**

Routledge, International Studies in Business History, Academy of Management Review, , Historical Journal, Organization Studies, Business History Review, Scandinavian Economic History Review, Business History

**Academic assignments:**

2010 -	Business History (Member of editorial board)
2016	Keynote speaker at SOUND conference, University of Helsinki 3-4.11.2016
2015	Biträdande Lektor
2015	Docent
2015	Docent
2015	Professor med inriktning på det finska samhällets moderna historia
2009 - 2011	Scandinavian Economic History Review, Country editor for Finland (Member of editorial board)

**Arranging conference, symposium, seminar or workshop:**

2016	Private Interests or National Heritage? Corporate Archives and the Production of History in a Global Perspective, 2016-11-24
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**Awards, distinctions or commissions of trust:**

2016	Chair of Dissertation Prize Committee - selecting best dissertation on business history in Europe, European Business History Association
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**Pedagogical training:**

2012	Utbildning för erfarna handledare
2009	Grundkurs
2006	Handledarutbildning

### **International academic experience:**

2015 - 2015	Professor
2015 - 2015	Erasmus, teacher exchange
2015 - 2015	Dr
2011 - 2015	Cartel register network research group (International academic network)

## **Publications**

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### **Journal article (peer-reviewed)**

Fellman, Susanna, Shanahan, Martin (2018) Sectoral Influence on Competition Legislation: Evidence from the Cartel Registers, 1920–2000. *Business history review*, 92:4, p. 633-660.

Popp, Andrew, Fellman, Susanna (2017) Writing business history: Creating narratives. *Business History*, 59:8.

Fellman, Susanna (2017) Arbetarbostäder och modernisering: bostadspolitik i G.A. Serlachius Ab under mellankrigstiden. *Fabrik og Bolig*, 2017.

Fellman, Susanna (2014) Prosopographic studies of business leaders for understanding industrial and corporate change. *Business History*, 56:1, p. 5-21.

### **Journal article (other academic)**

Bruun, Niklas, Fellman, Susanna (2018) Varthän universitetet?. *Nya Argus*, 111:10-11, p. 247-251.

Öberg, Stefan, Fellman, Susanna, Rönnbäck, Klas (2017) The rhythm of life and work: Introduction to a special issue in honor of Professor Christer Lundh. *Essays in Economic and Business History*, 35:1, p. 1-13.

Öberg, Stefan, Fellman, Susanna, Rönnbäck, Klas (2017) The Rhythm of Life and Work: Introduction to a Special Issue in Honor of Professor Christer Lundh. *Essays in Economic & Business History*, 35:1, p. 1-13.

Fellman, Susanna (2013) Vart försvann (idén om) bildningsuniversitetet. *Nya Argus*, 106:5, p. 160-163.

Fellman, Susanna (2013) Pieni ja syrjäinen maa? - Ulkomainen pääoma Suomessa ennen pääomalikkeiden vapauttamista. *PTT Katsaus*, 34:2, p. 20-28.

Fellman, Susanna (2013) På vems sida ska vi stå? Om de högre tjänstemännen i Finland. *TAM-revy*, :1, p. 12-13.

Fellman, Susanna (2012) Eurokrisen i den svenska och finska debatten. *Nya Argus*, 150:9.

Fellman, Susanna (2012) French influences in a Finnish company in an era of industrial break-through and modernisation: Société Michelin's welfare program and G.A. Serlachius AB in the 1920s and 30s. *Managerial Thought and Practice in France, 19th-21st Century*,

### **Book chapter**

Fellman, Susanna (2018) Management as a profession: The Historian's Perspective. In *Professionalizing Leadership: Debating Education, Certification and Practice*. Ed by A. Örtenblad, p. 69-86. Cham : Springer International Publishing; Imprint: Palgrave

Macmillan.

Martin, Shanahan, Fellman, Susanna (2016) Introduction:Regulating Capitalism- Rise and Fall of 'Cartel Registers' in the 20th Century. In *Regulating Capitalism- Rise and Fall of 'Cartel Registers' in the 20th Century*, edited by Susanna Fellman and Martin Shanahan, p. 1-13. Oxon, UK & New York, US : Routledge.

Fellman, Susanna, Shanahan, Martin (2016) Conclusion. In *Regulating Competition - Cartel registers in the twentieth-century world*, p. 271-275. Oxon, UK & New York, US : Routledge.

Fellman, Susanna (2016) Samordning och informationsutbyte - De nordiska konkurrens- och prisövervakningsmyndigheternas möten 1959–1992. In *Historikere i oppdrag*, red. av Espel, Harald & Johannessen, Finn Erhard, p. 265-288. Oslo : Novus forlag.

Fellman, Susanna (2016) Creating the 1957 Cartel Law: The Role of Pressure Groups on Finland's Competition Policy and Cartel Registration. In *Regulating Competition - Cartel registers in the twentieth-century world*, p. 88-110. Oxon, UK & New York, US : Routledge

Martin, Shanahan, Fellman, Susanna (2016) Cartel Registers around the World. In *Regulating Competition - Cartel registers in the twentieth-century world*, p. 113-132. Oxon, UK & New York, US : Routledge.

Fellman, Susanna (2015) Oras perheyryksenä muuttuvassa maailmassa. In *Perheyryitys, hanatehdas, teollinen omistaja. Oras 1945-2015. (förf. Timo Herranen)*, p. 369-407. Helsingfors : Otava.

Fellman, Susanna, Piilahti, Kari-Matti, Härmälä, Valtteri (2014) "From Dense to Loose?" Corporate Networks and Interlocks in Finnish Business in the Twentieth Century. In *The Power of Corporate Networks. A Comparative and Historical Perspective*, p. 233-255. New York : Routledge.

Fellman, Susanna (2014) Familjeföretag och professionalisering - Ett näringslivshistoriskt perspektiv. In *Professor Mats Larsson 60 år En dokumentation från ett hyllningsseminarium i oktober 2013*, p. 61-68. Uppsala : Acta Universitatis Upsalienis.

Fellman, Susanna (2013) A manger and his professionals - Planning and constructing the modern firm in Finland 1920s-1940s. In *Multi-layered Historicity of the Present - Approaches to social science history*, p. 171-188. Helsingfors : Publications of the Department of Political and Economic Studies 8 (2013). Unigrafia.

Fellman, Susanna, Popp, Andrew (2013) Lost in the archive: the business historian in distress. In *Coping with excess. How organizations, communities and individuals manage overflows*. Edited by Barbara Czarniawska and Orvar Löfgren, p. 216-243. Cheltenham UK & Northampton M.A. USA. : Edward Elgar Publ. Ltd..

Fellman, Susanna (2013) Prólogo. La profesionalización de la gestión y dirección de empresa y la investigación histórica: un horizonte abierto. In *La Profesionalización de Las Empresas Familiares*, p. 9-13. Madrid : LID.

Fellman, Susanna (2013) Managing professionalization in Family Business: Transforming Strategies for Managerial Succession and Recruitment in Family Firms in the Twentieth Century. In *The Endurance of Family Business . A Global Overview*, p. 248-281. New York : Cambridge University Press.

Rahikainen, Marjatta, Fellman, Susanna (2012) Introduction. In *Historical Knowledge - In Quest of Theory, Method and Evidence*. Susanna Fellman, Marjatta Rahikainen (red.) p. 1-3. Newcastle upon Tyne : Cambridge Scholars Publishing.

Rahikainen, Marjatta, Fellman, Susanna (2012) On Historical Writing and Evidence. In *Historical Knowledge - In Quest of Theory, Method and Evidence*, 39. Newcastle upon Tyne : Cambridge Scholars Publishing.

Fellman, Susanna (2011) Finland, Sverige eller USA? Finska företagsledare i företagsledarutbildning på 1960- och 70-talet. In *Lars Fälting et al. (red.), Aktörer och marknader i omvandling. Studier i företagandets historia tillägnade Kersti Ullenhag*, p. 225-238.. Uppsala : Acta Universitatis Upsaliensis. Uppsala Studies in Economic History 91.

### **Conference paper**

Fellman, Susanna, Ekholm, L (2017) Statlig stödpolitik till företagande och utvecklingen i mindre städer i Finland på 1960- och 70-talet. *Ekonomisk-historiska mötet, Stockholm 12-14 oktober 2017*.

Fellman, Susanna (2017) International debates in local context: views on restrictive business practices in Finland in the early 1920s. *Conference Reform and Revolution 1917-1919. Entangled and Transnational Histories*, March 2017, Tampere, Finland.

Fellman, Susanna, Ekholm, Laura (2016) Advanced capitalism or premodern production? - The debate and statistics on firm structure in Sweden and Finland from the interwar period to the 1960s. *52nd Congress of Business History Society of Japan (BHSJ), Tokyo, October 2016*.

Fellman, Susanna, Shanahan, Martin (2016) "Reading between the lines": The link between the content of restrictive business registers and nations' economic priorities, industries and environment'. *World Business History Conference, Bergen, August 2016*.

Fellman, Susanna (2016) Private or public? - The employer, the municipality and welfare state reforms in Finland, 1950s-1970s. *Presenterat på European Social Science History Conference, Valencia April 2016*.

Fellman, Susanna (2015) Invited comment. *German Historical Institute's panel on Immigrant Entrepreneurship at 2015 American Historical Association conference 2-5.1.2015*.

Fellman, Susanna (2015) Tensions between the private and the public: the employer, the municipality and welfare state reforms in Finland, 1950s-1970s. *Paper presented in session S10062 Business and the Development of the Twentieth Century Welfare State, World Economic History Congress 3.-7.8. 2015, Kyoto, Japan*.

Fellman, Susanna, Popp, Andrew (2015) Owners, Archivists and Historians: Towards a Stakeholder Perspective on Corporate Archives. *Paper presenterat på workshop 'Managing The Past: The Role of Organizational Archives.'* 18 March 2015, Aston Business School, UK

Fellman, Susanna (2014) Foreign Education in the Professionalization of Family Firms in Finland in the Twentieth Century. *Paper presented at Conference "Families, Values and Knowledge Transfer in Northern Europe", Tampere, Finland 27-28.11.2014*.

Fellman, Susanna, Shanahan, Martin (2014) Cartel registers and the regulation of competition: Finland and Australia compared. *Asia-Pacific Economic and Business History Conference, New Zealand, 13-15.2. 2014*.

Fellman, Susanna (2014) Between foreign influences and local traditions – effects from internationalization and multinational firms on managerial recruitment and managerial profile in Finland in the 20th century. *World Business History Conference, Frankfurt 17 March 2014*.

Fellman, Susanna, Martin, Shanahan (2014) Cartel registers around world. *Paper presented at European Business History Association, Annual Conference, Utrecht, Netherlands 21-23 August 2014*.

Fellman, Susanna, Popp, Andrew (2013) Creating Narratives from Archives in Business History. *Presented on conference "Narratives in Business History". Copenhagen Business School, 25-26.11.2013*.

Fellman, Susanna (2012) Explaining transformations in competition policy in a coordinated market economy – Institutional complementarities, paradigm shifts and battle for dominance in economic political agenda-setting. *The XVIth World Economic History Congress, Stellenbosch, 9-13 juli 2012*.

## **Review**

Fellman, Susanna (2017) Book Review of K.Sluyterman (ed.), *Varities of Capitalism and Business History- The Dutch Case*. Routledge International Studies in Business History, Routledge 2015. 246 p. *Revista de Historia Industrial*, 67:1, p. 213-217.

Fellman, Susanna (2011) *The Foundations of Female Entrepreneurship. Enterprise, Home and Household in London, c. 1800-1870*. *Scandinavian Economic History Review*, 59:2, p. 184-186.

## **Editorial collection**

Fellman, Susanna, Martin, Shanahan (ed.) (2016) *Regulating Competition - Cartel registers in the twentieth-century world*. Oxon, UK & New York, US: Routledge.

Fellman, Susanna, Marjatta, Rahikainen (ed.) (2012) *Historical Knowledge - In Quest of Theory, Method and Evidence*. Newcastle upon Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing.

## **Other publication**

Fellman, Susanna (2017) *Industrirentreprenörer som samhällsbyggare. Presentation på Föredragsmaraton 8-9 september 2017, Helsingfors*,

Fellman, Susanna (2017) *Can I see your history? The historian's perspective*.