



CV for Morten Hahn-Pedersen

Born in Fjerritslev 1956

Education

1980	MA History, University of Aarhus
1983	BA Art History, University of Aarhus
1994	Senior Researcher, University of Aarhus

Employment

1994- Associate Professor, Centre for Maritime and Regional Studies

1988- Director, Fiskeri- og Søfartsmuseet, Saltvandsakvariet, Esbjerg

1983-88 Curator, head of department for maritime history, Svendborg & Omegns Museum, Svendborg

Selected Positions

2011- Member of the Board of the Blue Water Shipping Foundation.

2011- Member of the Board of Conservation Centre West.

2008-2011 Member of the Organizing Committee of the 10th North Sea History Conference in Gothenburg, Sweden 2011.

2008-2011 Member of the Board of Museum Forum for South Denmark.

2008-2009 Member of the Board of Top Attractions.

2008-2009 Organizer of the ICMM Biannual Conference, Esbjerg, 2009.

2008- Chairman of Dansk Bank Esbjerg Fond (Danske Bank Esbjerg Foundation).

2007- Member of the Scientific Advisory Board for Project on Offshore Safety/University of South Denmark.

2007- Member of the Board of Skibsbevaringsfonden (The Foundation for Ship Preservation in Denmark) vice chair from 2008.

2007- Member of the Board of Esbjerg Erhvervsudvikling (Esbjerg Business and Tourism Development)

2005-2009 President of the International Congress of Maritime Museums (ICMM).

2005-2008 Member of the Organizing Committee for the 9th North Sea History Conference in Stavanger, Norway, 2008.

2005-2008 Member of the Board of Centre for Energy and Society.

2005-2006 Member of Kulturministeriets Formidlingsudvalg (the Danish Cultural Ministry Council on Museum Presentation).

2004-2006 Chairman of the Board of DTA (Danish Tourist Attractions).

2004-2010 Member of the Baltic Working Group on Coastal Culture and Maritime Heritage.

2003- Member of the Board of the Bygd Foundation.

2003-2005 Member of the Board of DKM (Danish Cultural Museums Association).

2003-2005 Member of Erhvervsministeriets Bevillingsudvalg for Turisme (The Danish Ministry of Business' Grant-awarding Committee for Tourism).

2002-2006 Member of the Board of Jyllands Attraktioner (Attractions in Jutland), Vice-Chair in 2004, Chairman 2005, Past Chair 2006.

2002- Member of the Executive Committee of the International Congress of Maritime Museums (ICMM)

2002-2005 Member of the Organizing Committee for the 8th North Sea History Conference in Bremerhaven, Germany, 2005.

2002- Secretary General for the Association of North Sea Cities' Maritime Museum Network.

2000-2011 Member of the Board of The Association of Specialized Museums in Denmark (Foreningen af Specialmuseer i Danmark).

1999-2002 Member of the Organizing Committee for the 7th North Sea History Conference in Dunkerque, France, 2002.

1998-2006 Member of the Academic Advisory Board and Board of Deutsches Schiffahrtsmuseum, Bremerhaven, Germany.

1997-1999 Member of the Organizing Committee for the 6th North Sea History Conference in Hull, UK, 1999.

1996- Member of the Board of the Post/Tele Museum Foundation (Post Danmark/TDC).

1994-1996 and 1999-2006 Member of Esbjerg Tourist Board.

1994-1995 Member of the Advisory Committee for the Project Organization of the Port of Esbjerg.

1993- Member of the Council of the Association of North Sea Societies.

1993-1994 Consultant for Project Maritime Denmark, Danish Ministry of Tourism.

1993-1995 Member of Advisory Committee for Registration and Preservation of Cultural Heritage from the Second World War, Danish Ministry of Environment.

1992-2006 Member of the Editorial Board of *International Journal of Maritime History*, Vice-Chair 2004-2006.

1991-1998 Editor of *Det Sker på Nordens maritime museer* (Newsletter for the Maritime Museums in Scandinavia).

1989- Editor of *Sjæk'len* - Årbog for Fiskeri- og Søfartsmuseet, Saltvandsakvariet i Esbjerg (Yearbook of the Fisheries and Maritime Museum).

1988- General Editor of Fiskeri- og Søfartsmuseets Forlag (Fisheries and Maritime Museum Publishing).

1988-2006 Member of the Ribe County Museum Council .

1987-1998 Secretary for Søfartspuljen (Danish Maritime Museum's Network).

Author, co-author or editor of some 300 books and articles on themes concerning modern Danish maritime or political history. Organizer or coorganizer of some 75 exhibitions in Denmark or abroad.

Selected publications

Books:

- *North Sea Passenger Lines* (ed. Morten Hahn-Pedersen), Esbjerg 2009.
- *Horisonten*, (ed. Morten Hahn-Pedersen), text: Morten Hahn-Pedersen, photos: Bent Sørensen, Esbjerg 2008.
- *Havets kulturarv*, (ed.: Morten Hahn-Pedersen), Esbjerg 2007.
- *Sikkerhed til søs - Esvagt gennem 25 år* (with Mette Guldborg), Esbjerg 2006 (English edition *Safety at Sea - Esvagt through 25 years*, Esbjerg 2006).
- *Vadehavet - portrætter af et kulturlandskab*, (eds. Jan Abrahamsen, Marieke Bemelman, Martin Hillinga, John Frederiksen & Morten Hahn-Pedersen), Meppel (Holland) 2005.
- *Afledt effekt af aktiviteter på Esbjerg Havn*, (with Morten Karnøe Søndergaard), Esbjerg 2005
- *Bridging Troubled Waters - Conflict and Cooperation in the North Sea Region since 1550*, (eds. David J. Starkey and Morten Hahn-Pedersen), Esbjerg 2005.
- *North Sea Lights*, (ed. Morten Hahn-Pedersen), Esbjerg 2003.
- *Olien i fokus/Oil in Focus*, Esbjerg 2002.
- *Concentration and Dependency. Proceedings from the Sixth North Sea History Conference in Hull 1999*, (Hull 1999), (ed.: David J. Starkey & Morten Hahn-Pedersen), Esbjerg 2002 .
- *Financing the Maritime Sector. Proceedings from the Fifth North Sea History Conference in Rotterdam 1997*, (ed.: Leo M. Akveld, Frits R. Looimeijer & Morten Hahn-Pedersen), Esbjerg 2002

- *Afledt effekt i Esbjerg Kommune og Ribe Amt af Offshoreaktiviteterne på Nordsøen* (with Marit Jensen), Esbjerg 2002.
- *Fra viking til borebisse - 50 generationer ved Vadehavet*, Esbjerg 2001.
- *A. P. Møller og den danske olie*, Copenhagen 1997 (English edition *A.P. Møller and the Danish Oil*, Copenhagen 1999).
- *Harvest from a Common Sea - The North Sea Fishery 1870-1940* (with Arthur Credland, Harald Hamre & Frits Loomer), Esbjerg 1997 (Dutch edition: *Noordzeevisserij 1870-1940 - internationaal bekeken*, Esbjerg 1997).
- *Esbjerg Havn 1868-1993*, (ed. Morten Hahn-Pedersen), Esbjerg 1993.
- *I storm og stille - Den sikre havn. Bidrag til sømandskonens historie*, (ed. Morten Hahn-Pedersen), Esbjerg 1992.
- *Fyrskibe ved Danmarks port mod vest*, Esbjerg 1991 (English edition: *Danish North Sea Lightships*, Esbjerg 1991).
- *Prinsen og Prinsessen - to storsejlere fra Fanø* (with Holger Munchaus Petersen), Esbjerg 1989.
- *Fanø i sejskibstiden*, Esbjerg 1989 (German edition: *Fanø in der Ära der Segelschiffe*, Esbjerg 1990).
- *Jacobsens Plads - Et Troense-værft 1848-1985*, Svendborg 1986.
- *Det Sydfynske Øhav - en maritim introduktion* (with Erik Kromann, Ole Mortensøn & Anders Rehde Nielsen), Svendborg 1986 (German edition: *Kurs Inselmeer Südfünen*, Svendborg 1986) (Finnish edition: *Etelä-Fynin saaristomeri esittäytyy*, Svendborg 1987)
- *Dansk kolonihistorie - Indføring og studier*, (eds. Peter Hoxcer Jensen, Leif Haar, Morten Hahn-Pedersen, Kåre Ulrich Jessen & Axel Damsgaard Madsen), Århus 1983
- *Historien om et nul - Mogens Glistrup og fremskridtsbevægelsen*, Odense University Press, 1981.

Selected articles in English or German :

- A man came to town – Ditlev Lauritzen and Esbjerg 1884-1914, www.lauritzenfonden.com 2010.
- Danish North Sea Passenger Lines since 1850, in Morten Hahn-Pedersen (ed.): *North Sea Passenger Lines*, Esbjerg 2009, p. 34-43.
- Impact of North Sea Oil and Gas on a Danish Region, *International Journal of Maritime History*, vol XX, No. 1, June 2008, p. 173-190.
- Using Networks as a Tool, *Proceedings from the 2nd European Maritime Museum Conference in Barcelona, October 2006* (in print).
- Oil and Gas from the Danish North Sea, *Danish Offshore Industry 2006*, Esbjerg 2006, p. 26-33.
- The Impact of North Sea Oil and Gas on a Danish Region, in Gelina Harlaftis (ed.): *Proceedings from the 4th International Congress on Maritime History - Corfu, Greece 23-27 June 2004*, CD-edition, Ionian University, Corfu 2005.
- Protection of Historic Harbours - Can We Act Proactively?, in Marianne Lehtimäki (ed.): *Urban Heritage - Collective Privilege. Report on the 2nd Baltic Sea Region Cultural Heritage Forum, Helsinki, 9th - 12th June 2005*, Porvoo, Finland 2005, p. 159-162.
- Historic Harbours in Denmark, in Marianne Lehtimäki (ed.): *Urban Heritage - Collective Privilege. Report on the 2nd Baltic Sea Region Cultural Heritage Forum, Helsinki, 9th - 12th June 2005*, Porvoo, Finland 2005, p. 145-148.
- A Diversity of Infrastructure - The Development of the Port of Esbjerg 1868-2000, (with Søren Byskov), in David J. Starkey & Morten Hahn-Pedersen (eds.): *Bridging Troubled Waters - Conflict and Cooperation*, Esbjerg 2005.
- Danish North Sea Lights, in Morten Hahn-Pedersen (ed.): *North Sea Lights*, Esbjerg 2003, p. 73-85.

- Reports on Baltic Lights - Denmark, in Jerzy Litwin (ed.): *Baltic Sea Identity: Common Sea - Common Culture?*, Gdansk 2003, p. 81-83.
- Local Entrepreneurship in Danish Offshore - A Case Study on Henning Kruse and Esbjerg Oilfield Services, *International Journal of Maritime History*, Vol. XIV, No. 2, p.123-143.
- Networking in a Melting Pot, *Networking and Partnerships - Proceedings from the Xth International Congress of Maritime Museums, Philadelphia 1999*, Philadelphia 2001, p. 96-108.
- First Drilling in a New Field., *International Journal of Maritime History*, no. 1 (June 1998), p. 201-209.
- The History of the Danish Lightship Fleet - An Introduction, Maarit Laitala (ed.): *Pilots and Lighthouses - Aids of Navigation*, Kotka 1997, p. 24-41 (Paper from the XIth International Baltic Seminar, Kotka 1996).
- 'Changing Structures - Developments in Danish Commercial Ports since 1960. *International Journal of Maritime History* VII, 1996, 59-86.
- 'The Port of Esbjerg - Denmark's Gateway to the West 1868-1994, in Eira Karpiainen (ed.): *Harbour - The Development of a Harbour and the Work in a Harbour*, Kotka 1996, 45-97.
- 'The Danish Maritime Labour Market, 1880-1900' (with Poul Holm). Lewis R. Fischer (ed.) *Research in Maritime History* 7, St John's 1994.
- 'From Cattle to Containers. A Cruise through Three Hundred Years of Seafaring in West Jutland', in Mette Guldborg, Poul Holm and Per K. Madsen (eds.): *Facing the North Sea*, Esbjerg, 1994.
- Vom Wattenmeer zum Kap Hoorn - Die grosse Seefahrtsgeschichte der kleinen dänischen Insel Fanø, *Alte Schiffe*, No. 14, Nov 1993 (p. 10-18).
- Lebendige Schiffbautradition - 125 Jahre Schiffswerft Ring Andersen, *Alte Schiffe*, No. 8, Sept. 1992 (p. 17-22).
- 'Rise - Decline - Fall. The Shipping Trade on Fanø - a Comparative Analysis of the Period of Reorganization and Final Collapse 1860 - 1920', in Poul Holm and John Edwards (eds.): *North Sea Ports and Harbours - Adaptations to Change*, Esbjerg 1992 (pp 73 - 119).

For a selection of articles in Danish please check e.g. *Årbog for Svendborg og Omegns Museum*, vol. 1983-1987 and *Sjæk'len – Årbog for Fiskeri- og Søfartsmuseet, Saltvandsakvariet I Esbjerg*, vol. 1988ff.

Selected exhibitions:

- "North Sea Passenger Lines", (organizer), DVD-exhibition - travelling round the North Sea 2010-2012.
- Horns Rev 2, (coorganizer), The Fisheries and Maritime Museum, June-October 2009.
- "The Horizon", (coorganizer), The Fisheries and Maritime Museum, April-October 2008.
- "Baltic Harbours" (coorganizer), international poster exhibition, opened at the Baltic Cultural Heritage Forum in Vilnius, Lithuania, in September 2007 – to be shown in all countries around the Baltic.
- "Esvagt – en offshorevirksomhed i Esbjerg" (coorganizer), The Fisheries and Maritime Museum, March-December 2007.
- "North Sea Lights" (organizer), an exhibition within the North Sea Maritime Museum Network, opened in Dunkerque, France in March 2003 and touring the North Sea countries and the Faroy Islands until the End of 2008.
- "Fiskeri- og Søfartsmuseets nye akvarium", (The New Aquarium of the Fisheries and Maritime Museum), (coorganizer), opened June 2002.

- "Fra Dan til Halvdan - Offshoreaktiviteterne på den danske Nordsø", (From Dan to Halvdan - The Offshore Activities on the Danish Part of the North Sea), (organizer), Semipermanent exhibition at the Fisheries and Maritime Museum, opened April 2001 – renewed and enlarged 2007.
- "Med Bering til Verdens Ende - Kaptajn Martin Spangsberg i zarens tjeneste 1720-1761", (With Bering to the End of the World - Captain Martin Spangsberg in the Service of the Russian Tsar 1720-1761), (organizer in cooperation with the Russian Naval Museum and The Central Archive of the Russian Navy), The Fisheries and Maritime Museum, September 2000 - January 2001. The exhibition has afterwards been shown as a traveling exhibition at the museums in Gilleje and Horsens in 2002/03.
- "Vadehav og Verdenshav", (Waddensea and Deep Sea Oceans), (coorganizer), permanent exhibition on the shipping from the Danish Waddensea Area from the Wiking Age to Present Days at the Fisheries and Maritime Museum, opened June 1999.
- "Harvest from a Common Sea - The North Sea Fishery 1870 - 1940", (coorganizer), Visserijmuseum (Vlaardingen, Holland), December 1997 - April 1998, The Fisheries and Maritime Museum in Esbjerg, May/December 1998, Stavanger Sjøfartsmuseum (Norway), January/May 1999, Town Docks Museum (Hull, England) June/October 1999 and The National Museum of the Faroe Islands, Torshavn, 2004.
- "Besættelsestiden og de tyske befæstninger omkring Esbjerg", (The Occupation of Denmark and the German Fortresses around Esbjerg), (coorganizer), permanent exhibition in the bunker of the open air part of the Fisheries and Maritime Museum, opened May 1995.
- "Esbjerg Havn 1868-1993", (organizer), Fisheries and Maritime Museum in Esbjerg, April 1993 - March 1995.
- "I storm og stille - den sikre havn - sømandskonens historie", (A Tale on Sailor's Wives), (organizer), Fisheries and Maritime Museum, October 1992 - January 1993, Dragør Museum, April 1993, Maritime Collections in Troense, May - August 1993, Aabenraa Museum, August - October 1993, Bangsbomuseet in Frederikshavn spring 1994, Limfjordsmuseet in Løgstør Summer 1994.
- "Horns Rev - Motorlightship No. I", (organizer), arranging the former lightship as Museum- and Exhibiton vessel in Esbjerg Harbour, opened July 1990.
- "The Open Air Exhibition", (coorganizer), The Fisheries and Maritime Museums permanent 11.000 sqm. open air museum, opened June 1989.
- "Grüne Inseln unter Segeln", (organizer), Celle & Hamm (Germany), August-October 1987. "The Study Collection", (organizer), permanent exhibition in the Maritime Collections in Troense, opened May 1987.
- "Dukkevraget" (Wrack of Dolls), (organizer, free lance), part of the permanent indoor exhibitions in Legoland, Billund, opened April 1987.
- "Kurs Inselmeer Südfünen", (coorganizer), (exhibition cooperation between the museums in Faaborg, Marstal, Rudkøbing & Svendborg), shown at the Danish General Consulate in Hamburg, April 1985. In 1987 shown in Finland under the title "Etelä-Fynin saaristomeri esittäytyy", Wasa - May 1987, Helsinki - June-September 1987 & Kuopio - October-November 1987.
- The permanent exhibiton of the Maritime Collections in Troense, South Funen, (organizer), opened June 1984.