

CV – Erik Christiansen.
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Profession: managing director, lawyer and assistant professor.

After the master's degree in law Erik Christiansen has been employed in the Ministry of Interior (municipalities and health), in a Mayor's office in a municipality (leader of Mayor's department) and in a housing association (judicial director).

Since 1996 Erik Christiansen has been the managing director of EBO Consult Ltd. and the KAB Foundation.

The KAB Foundation (www.kabfonden.dk) subsidizes projects in 7 areas: quality and productivity in building construction, housing conditions for elderly and disabled persons, development of cities and housing areas, refurbishment, internationalisation of construction/housing and subsidies for students studying architecture and engineering.

EBO Consult Ltd. (www.ebo.dk) has its core business in the energy sector – district heating and renewable energy (PV and windmills). Housing subjects, i.e. the improvement of housing standards and life quality in housing by environmental means, and organisational subjects, e.g. the establishment of networks and communities, are also key areas for the company.

Erik Christiansen has been the co-former of

- Danish Legal Society for Housing and Urban Affairs with more than 300 members having interest and knowledge about housing and urban affairs, where Erik Christiansen has been the General Secretary since the establishment in 1991, and
- the Middelgrunden Wind Coop, a co-op owning 10 windmills in front of Copenhagen with 8.600 shareholders (citizens of Copenhagen), where Erik Christiansen has been the Chairman since the establishment in 1997. The Wind Coop has received numerous of Danish and international awards.
- the Copenhagen Photovoltaic Co-op in 2004, where Erik Christiansen is Chairman. The PV Co-op is the World's first, based on public acceptance and finance, and has 200 members. The PV Co-op was awarded the best solar initiative in Copenhagen 2005 by the City Council.
- European Green Cities since May 2006, where Erik Christiansen is Chairman. European Green Cities is secretariat for and networking Danish municipalities concerning sustainable development in cities and rural areas

Being assistant professor at the Danish Business School of Copenhagen for more than 10 years Erik Christiansen has knowledge about organisation, trade, public administration and international cooperation.