

CURRICULUM VITAE

**Major General
Karsten Jakob Møller**



Born: April 20th, 1947 in Copenhagen, Denmark

Military Training

1970-1972 Army Language School
1972-1976 The Royal Military Academy
1979-1980 Command & Staff Course I, The Royal Danish Defence College
1983-1984 Command & Staff Course II, The Royal Danish Defence College

Military Career

1970 Private
1971 Sergeant
1972 Lieutenant
1976 First Lieutenant
1981 Captain
1987 Major
1992 Lieutenant Colonel
1996 Colonel
1997 Brigadier general
1998 Major General

Service Posts

1973 Platoon Commander, armoured infantry platoon
1976-1979 Second-in-Command, armoured infantry company, The Queens Life Regiment, Aalborg
1980-1983 Staff Officer, Danish Defence Intelligence Service
1984-1986 Teacher (army operations & military history), The Royal Danish Defence College
1986-1987 Company Commander, The Royal Life Guard Regiment, Copenhagen
1987-1988 Battalion Commander, The Royal Life Guard Regiment, Copenhagen
1988-1989 Teacher (military history), The Royal Military Academy, and Secretary of the Defence Commission of 1988
1990-1992 Head of the NATO Department, Ministry of Defence
1992-1996 Director of The Danish Defence Research Establishment and chairman of the Defence Minister's Analysis & Advisory Group
1996-1997 Commander of 1st Jutland Brigade (armoured infantry), Fredericia
1997-1998 Commander of The Nordic-Polish Brigade (SFOR), Doboi, Bosnia
1998-2000 Defence Attaché in Moscow, Minsk and Kiev and November 1988 appointed designated Head of NATO's Military Liaison Mission in Moscow
August 2000 Defence Command, Deputy Chief of Staff, Control & Audit

January 2001 - April 2007 Commandant of the Royal Danish Defence College

May 2007- Senior Analyst at Danish Institute for International Studies, DIIS

September 2009 - Head of the research department Defence & Security; DIIS

Miscellaneous

1966-1970 Studies at the University of Copenhagen (Classical Philology)
1984-1989 Member of the executive board of The Royal Society of Military Science

1988-1991	Editor of the Danish Military Review
2000-2006	President of the Royal Society of Military Science
2003-2006	Member of the Think Tank on Public Governance
2007- 2009	President of the Danish Commission on Military History

The general is author of several books, articles and dissertations on security and defence policy, military strategy and military history and his favourite subject is Russia.

Decorations: Commander of the Order of Dannebrog
 Distinguished Service Medal of the Army
 Medal of honour of the Danish Military Sports Federation
 American Meritorious Service Medal
 NATO medal for service in the Former Republic of Yugoslavia.

The general is married to Birgith Møller and has two sons.