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DETAILED CURRICULUM VITAE



PERSONAL INTRODUCTION

My current positions are as Senior Research Officer at the Swedish Environmental Agency, but I am also Affiliated Researcher at the Institute for Future Studies in Stockholm, and at the Centre for Cultural Evolution and Department of Zoology, Stockholm University.

At the Institute for Future Studies I investigate how to apply thinking from biological evolution on cultural change, mainly examining democracy and religion within the V-Dem Project at Gothenburg University.

At Stockholm University I mainly do research on primate brain evolution and the evolution of sexual size dimorphism. To study these issues, I do comparative analyses, mostly on mammals.

I have authored six books: *Äckel* (in press), *Kristendom, Det kulturella djuret*, *For Whose Benefit* (available in 2 languages), *God Probably Doesn't Exist* (8 languages), and *Secular Humanism* with Christer Sturmark.

I have served as a member and chairperson on the National Committee for Biology at the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences, member and chairperson of the Working group for public support to non-fiction literature at the Swedish Arts Council, board member of Humanisterna (the Swedish Humanist Association), board member and Vice President of the European Humanist Federation (EHF), fellow of the Secular Policy Institute, Washington DC, and as a member of now defunct think tanks Fri Tanke Smedja (rationalist think tank) and Uppsalainitiativet (climate change blog).

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

2022 09–ongoing SENIOR RESEARCH OFFICER at the Swedish Environmental Protection Agency.

2021 04–ongoing AFFILIATED RESEARCHER at the Institute for Futures Studies, Stockholm.

2017 Jan–2121 Mar RESEARCHER Institute for Future Studies, Stockholm, Sweden.

2017 Dec – 2021 Dec MEMBER, working group for public support to non-fiction literature, Swedish Arts Council. CHAIRPERSON from 2020 Jan.

2016 Jan–ongoing Associated ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR (DOCENT) Centre for the Study of Cultural Evolution & Department of Zoology, Stockholm University, Sweden.

2017 Jan–2018 Jan HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER at Fryshusets gymnasium, Stockholm, Sweden.

2017 Jan–2017 Dec RESEARCH ASSOCIATE, Department for Political Science, Gothenburg Uni, Sweden.

2009 Jan–2015 Dec ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR (DOCENT) Centre for the Study of Cultural Evolution & Department of Zoology, Stockholm University, Sweden.

2008 Jan–2008 Dec RESEARCHER & COURSE LEADER Centre for the Study of Cultural Evolution & Department of Zoology, Stockholm University, Sweden.

2006 Jan–2007 Dec RESEARCHER (part-time) Department of Zoology, Stockholm University, Sweden.

2006 Apr–2007 Dec RESEARCHER (part-time) Department of Primatology, Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology, Leipzig, Germany (with Dr Charles Nunn).

2003 Aug–2005 Dec POST-DOC Department of Biology, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, USA. Theme: *Understanding the ecology and evolution of pathogens and parasites in relation to carnivore mating and social systems*. Advisor: Professor John L. Gittleman.

2002 Mar–2003 Jul RESEARCHER & COURSE LEADER Department of Zoology, Stockholm U. Sweden.

1989 Oct–1991 Jun TECHNICAL SUPPORT, Victor Computers, Stockholm.

1985 Sep–1986 Mar WAREHOUSE WORKER, IKEA, Stockholm

1984 Aug–1985 Jun YOUTH LEADER, Swedish School, Dar es Salaam, Tanzania.

EDUCATION

1995 Mar–2002 Feb PHD ZOOLOGY Department of Zoology, Stockholm University, Sweden. Thesis: *Phylogenetic analyses of sexual size dimorphism*. Advisor: Professor Birgitta S. Tullberg.

1991 Jul–1995 Feb MSC ZOOLOGY Dept. Zoology, Stockholm University, Sweden. Thesis: *Productivity and nutrient dynamics of tropical seagrass communities in Puttalam Lagoon, Sri Lanka*. Advisor: Dr Ron Johnstone.

1986 Aug–1989 May UC COMPUTER ENGINEERING (University Certificate) Växjö University, Sweden. Thesis: *Custom systems engineering*. Advisor: Mathias Hedenborg.

OTHER ACADEMIC MERITS

- 2014 Sep-Ongoing MEMBER, the Swedish National Committee for Biology, the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences (KVA). CHAIRPERSON between 2017 Dec- 2019 Dec.
- 2014 Jul-Ongoing PROJECT MANAGER (one of 15) within the Varieties of Democracy project, administered from the Dept. of Political Science at Gothenburg University
- 2011 Jan-2013 Dec ASSOCIATE EDITOR for the journal EVOLUTION.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

COURSE LEADER

- ADVANCED BIOSTATISTICS (“masterskurs”) 2 occurrences: 2010-2011 Stockholm University, Sweden.
- ADVANCED-LEVEL ECOLOGY (“påbyggnadskurs”) 4 occurrences: 2008–2011 Stockholm University, Sweden.
- HUMAN EVOLUTION (“kvällskurs”) 2 occurrences: 2010–2011 Stockholm University, Sweden.
- BASIC-LEVEL ECOLOGY: 3 occurrences: spring 2002 within Biologi 45p, autumn 2002 within Biologi 45p, spring 2003 within Biologinjen, Stockholm University, Sweden.

LECTURER AND FIELD ASSISTANT – Numerous basic and advanced level ecology courses, amounting to one year full-time teaching, Stockholm University, Sweden 1995 – 2002.

STATISTICS LAB-ASSISTANT on the course Statistics for Biology Graduate Students, Department of Zoology, Stockholm University, Sweden, 2008.

HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER

- NATURAL SCIENCES & BIOLOGY – 1 year at Fryshusets gymnasium, Stockholm, Sweden, 2017.

STUDENT SUPERVISION

MEMBER OF PHD SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE

- Anders Gustavsson: Comparative analyses of body size and life history traits in human populations, terminated at licentiate-level. 2006.

MSC SUPERVISION

- Andreas Wartel: Primate brain size correlates with life history and group size, 2016 (with J. Lind).
- Anna Hjalmarsson: Faunivory and encephalization in primates, 2009.
- Louise Bednarz: Parasites and the evolutionary diversification of Carnivore clades, 2007 (with A Angerbjörn).
- Geir Håvard Nymoen: Delayed implantation in mammals, 2005 (with A Angerbjörn & L Dalén)
- Sandra Thorén: A phylogenetic study of canine size dimorphism in primates, 2004.
- Laila Fröberg: The evolution of primate social systems: phylogenetic analyses of the socio-ecological model, 2002.
- Anders Gustavsson: Effects of marriage system and stratification on human stature, 2002.

EXAMINER FOR PH LIC IN ETHOLOGY

- Johanna Nordlund: Evolutionary hypotheses and patterns of parental child homicide, 2004.

EXAMINER FOR MSC IN ETHOLOGY

- Sofie Lönnberg: Testing insight learning in orangutans (*Pongo abelii*), 2011.
- Yasmina Nyström: Investigation of correlates with the cognitive capacity of female domestic fowl, 2010.
- Hanna Aronsson: Något om tänkandets etologi, 2002.

PERSONAL DETAILS

- DATE OF BIRTH: January 21st 1964 NATIONALITY: Swedish
- FAMILY: Bachelor name: Johnson. Married to Anna Lindenfors, Director for Amnesty International, Sweden. Three sons: Oskar & Simon, born November 11th 1999 and Magnus, born October 30th 2003.
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FUNDING AND GRANTS

- PUBLISHING GRANT Längmanska kulturfonden for the book *Äckel*, 2022.
- PUBLISHING GRANT Anders Karitz stiftelse for the book *Äckel*, 2022.
- RESEARCH GRANT Marianne and Marcus Wallenberg Foundation, (2 900 000 SEK), 2018-2021.
- PUBLISHING GRANT Kungliga Patriotiska Sällskapet for the book *Det kulturella djuret*, 2018.
- RESEARCH GRANT One of 15 Project Managers for the Varieties of Democracy (V-Dem) grant from Riksbankens Jubileumsfond. (Total: 37 600 000 SEK) PI: Staffan I. Lindberg, Univ. of Gothenburg, 2013.
- RESEARCH GRANT Swedish Research Council (1 821 000 SEK), 2009-2011.
- TRAVEL GRANT Bendixon Fund (35 000 SEK), 2010.
- RESEARCH GRANT Crafoord Fund (150 000 SEK), 2007.
- RESEARCH GRANT Swedish Royal Academy of Sciences (50 000 SEK), 2007.
- RESEARCH GRANT Swedish Royal Academy of Sciences (30 000 SEK), 2006.
- POST-DOC GRANT Swedish Research Council (662 431 SEK), 2003-2005.
- RESEARCH GRANT Stiftelsen Konung Carl XVI Gustafs 50-årsfond (75 000 SEK), 2003.
- PHD RESEARCH EMPLOYMENT 80% of full time, Stockholm University, 1997-2002.
- PHD RESEARCH ALLOWANCE 80% of full time, Stockholm University, 1996-1997.
- UNIVERSITY LECTURER & FIELD ASSISTANT 20% of full time, Stockholm University, 1996-2002.
- RESEARCH GRANT Wilhelm Leches stipendium (12 000 SEK), 2000.
- TRAVEL GRANT Liljevalch j:ors resestipendium (10 000 SEK), 1998.
- MFS (MINOR FIELD STUDY) GRANT For masters project in Sri Lanka (15 000 SEK), 1994.
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PRESENTATIONS

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

- THINKING ABOUT THINKING. With the Swedish National Committee for Biology at The Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences, 14-15 December 2017.

TALKS & PANELS

- SEVENTEEN LIBRARIES, BOKMÄSSAN AND PODCASTS *Det kulturella djuret* (book tour). 2019-2020; 2022.
- KLUB APOLLO With Yvonne Hirdman. *Man föds inte till människa, man blir det.* Fri Tanke & Fasching, Stockholm Sweden, 2020.
- SÖDERTÖRNS HÖGSKOLA & NORSTEDTS *Om att skriva tillgängligt om komplicerade teorier och forskningsämnen.* Stockholm, Sweden 2020.
- WILBERFORCEAKADMIN *Sekulär humanism.* Stockholm, Sweden 2020.
- KULTURHUSET PI-SAMTAL *Toleransen, yttrandefriheten och religionsfrihetens gränser.* 5 November 2018.
- KALMAR STADSBIOTEK *Samarbete,* Kalmar, Sweden, 2018.
- SENSUS. *Evolutionära förklaringar av religion,* 2017.
- GEIJERSGÅRDEN, Ramsnäs. *Humanism.* 2017.
- NATURHISTORISKA RIKSMUSEET. *Ett djur som andra? Människan - det kulturella djuret.* 2016.
- KONSTFACK. *Our thoughts are not our own - genes, memes and the histories that are us.* Stockholm, 2015.
- HUMANISTKRYSSNINGEN. *Alla har rätt att ha fel – om yttrandefrihet och fritt tänkande.* Stockholm, 2015.
- SENIORUNIVERSITETET. *Samarbete* Stockholm, Sweden, 2015.
- VÄXJÖ UNIVERSITY. *Evolutionära förklaringar av religion.* Växjö, Sweden, 2014.
- SENIORUNIVERSITETET. *Finns det hälsoeffekter av religiös tro?* Stockholm, Sweden, 2014.
- VETENSKAP OCH FOLKBILDNING. *Samarbete.* Stockholm, Sweden, 2014.
- VETENSKAP OCH FOLKBILDNING. *Gudomlig placebo.* Stockholm, Sweden, 2014.
- SWEDISH HUMANISTS ASSOCIATION. *Samarbete.* Uppsala, Umeå and Stockholm, Sweden, 2011.

- SWEDISH SCIENCE COUNCIL'S "MÄNNISKANS FÖRHÅLLANDE TILL DJUREN". Det är i människans natur att ha kultur. Stockholm, Sweden, 2010.
- STOCKHOLM UNIVERSITY'S "DARWIN DAY". Evolutionsteorin och religionen. Stockholm, Sweden, 2009.
- SWEDISH HUMANIST ASSOCIATION'S "DAY OF HUMANISM". Människan enligt evolutionsteorin. Stockholm, Sweden 2009.
- DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY, UNIVERSITY OF GOTHENBURG. Seven key differences between biological and cultural evolution. Gothenburg, Sweden, 2009.
- DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY, UNIVERSITY OF GOTHENBURG. The evolution of sexual size and brain dimorphism in primates. Gothenburg, Sweden, 2009.
- MUSEUM OF NATIONAL ANTIQUITIES. Darwin 200 år. Seminar, Stockholm Sweden 2009.
- EVOLUTIONARY BIOLOGY CENTRE, UPPSALA UNIVERSITY. Sexual dimorphism in sociality and its consequences. Uppsala, Sweden 2008.
- THE EVOLUTION OF SEXUAL SIZE DIMORPHISM. Mammal sexual size dimorphism. Workshop at Monte Verità, Locarno, Switzerland 2005.
- EVOLUTIONARY BIOLOGY CENTRE, UPPSALA UNIVERSITY. Phylogenetic analyses of size evolution in primate males and females. Uppsala, Sweden 2000.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- CULTURAL EVOLUTION SOCIETY CONFERENCE. Investigating Sequences in Ordinal Data: A New Approach with Adapted Evolutionary Models. Tempe, AZ, USA 2018.
- CULTURAL EVOLUTION - PATTERNS OF CULTURAL CHANGE AND DIVERSIFICATION. The Cultural Evolution of Democracy. Stockholm, Sweden 2012.
- 20TH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE HUMAN BEHAVIOR AND EVOLUTION SOCIETY. Primate brain architecture and selection in relation to sex. Kyoto, Japan 2008.
- 74TH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF PHYSICAL ANTHROPOLOGISTS. Phylogenetic analyses of dimorphism in primates: evidence for stronger selection on canine size than on body size. Milwaukee, USA 2005.
- 89TH ANN. ESA MEETING. Comparative tests of parasite species richness in carnivores. Portland, USA 2004.
- GÖTTINGER FREILANDTAGE. Sexually antagonistic selection on primate size. Göttingen, Germany 2001.
- OIKOS XVII. Några konsekvenser för primathonor av deras hannars storleksevolution. Stockholm, Sweden 1999.
- XXVI INTERNATIONAL ETHOLOGICAL CONFERENCE. Sexually antagonistic selection on primate size. Bangalore, India 1999.
- NORDIC PHYLOGENETIC SYSTEMATICS NETWORK 4. Phylogenetic analyses of primate size evolution: the consequences of sexual selection. Uppsala, Sweden 1998.
- 7TH INTERNATIONAL BEHAVIORAL ECOLOGY CONGRESS. Phylogenetic analyses of primate size evolution: the consequences of sexual selection. Monterey, USA 1998.
- OIKOS XVI. Storleksevolution hos primater: konsekvenser av sexuell selektion. Kalmar, Sweden 1998.

POSTERS

- GÖTTINGER FREILANDTAGE. Primate brain architecture and selection in relation to sex. Göttingen, Germany 2008.
- ASAB WORKSHOP ON "SEXUAL CONFLICT: A LIFE HISTORY PERSPECTIVE" – Sexually antagonistic selection on primate size. Tovetorp Field Station, Stockholm University, Sweden, 2002.

OTHER

- BILDNINGSBYRÅN Moder Teresa: fredspristagare och helgon. Radio Utbildningsradion 18 November 2020.
- FRI TANKE / KONSTEN ATT TÄNKA KLART Om Kristendom och livsåskådningar Podd 4 September 2020.
- KROPP & SJÄL Vem blir du i krisen? Radio P1 31 March 2020.
- LÄRA FRÅN LÄRDA Människan som det kulturella djuret. Podd 10 February 2020.
- FRI TANKE / KONSTEN ATT TÄNKA KLART Kan encelliga organismer tänka? Podd 23 August 2019.
- LÄRA FRÅN LÄRDA Samarbete. Podd 20 March 2017.

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

2015 Oct–	Publisher for <i>Humanisten</i> (member magazine of Swedish Humanist Association) Editor-in-chief from 2020 Jan.	
2015 May–	Board member, European Humanist Federation (EHF). Vice President from 2020 Nov.	
2014 Jan–	Fellow, Secular Policy Institute, Washington DC USA.	
2014 Apr–2022 Apr	Board member, the Swedish Humanist Association.	
2011 May–...	Member of Fri Tanke Smedja think tank.	
2011 Oct–2013 Dec	Resident in Manila, the Philippines.	
2012 Jan–2013 Dec	Research without salary from Manila due to wife's work for Save the Children.	
2008 Mar–2011 Mar	Chairman of the nominating committee, Swedish Humanist Association.	
2004 Aug–2007 Jun	Resident in Nairobi, Kenya.	
2005 Jan–2007 Jun	Research without salary from Nairobi due to wife's work for Save the Children.	
2004 Jul–2004 Dec	Half-year parental leave.	
1999 Nov–2001 Jul	Scattered periods of parental leave amounting to one full year.	
1995 Mar–1996 Jul	PhD studies & research on a 10% activity level.	
1994 Aug–1996 Jul	Resident in New Delhi, India.	
1995 Mar–1996 Jul	Research on a 10% activity level from New Delhi due to wife's work for Sida.	
1991 Jul–1995 Feb	Studies & research for MSc at Stockholm University, Sweden.	
1989 Oct–1991 Jun	Technical Support Victor Computers, Stockholm, Sweden.	
1986 Aug–1990 Jul	Studies For UC in Computer Engineering at Växjö University, Sweden.	
1985 Oct–1986 Apr	Warehouse Worker at IKEA Stockholm, Sweden.	
1984 Aug–1985 Jun	Youth Leader at the Swedish School in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania.	
1984 Aug–1985 Jun	Resident in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania.	
1983 Jun–1984 May	Mandatory military service at I1 Kungsängen, Sweden.	
1981 Aug–1983 Jun	Gymnasiet, studies in Sigtuna, Sweden.	
1979 Jan–1981 Jun	High School, studies in Virginia, USA.	
1979 Jan–1981 Jun	Resident in Washington DC, USA.	

REFEREEING

REVIEWER for *Ambio*, *American Naturalist* (6 articles), *Animal Behaviour* (2), *Animal Conservation*, *Behavioral Ecology* (4), *Behavioral Ecology and Sociobiology* (2), *BioEssays*, *Biological Reviews* (2), *Biology Letters* (2), *Canadian Journal of Zoology*, *Evolution* (5), *Journal of Comparative Physiology - Part B*, *Journal of Evolutionary Biology* (2), *Journal of Language Evolution*, *Journal of Mammalogy*, *Journal of Zoology*, *Oikos* (2), *Proceedings of the Royal Society of London, Series B* (7), *PLoS ONE* (3), *PNAS* (2), *Religion*, *The Science of Nature*, Cambridge University Press (1 book proposal, 1 book chapter), National Science Foundation, *Formas* (2), and a number of Swedish book proposals.

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PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

Lindenfors P (*in press*) *Äckel: smitta, synd, sambälle*. Ordfront, Stockholm.

Lindenfors P 2020 *Kristendom*. Fri Tanke: Stockholm.

Lindenfors P 2019 *Det kulturella djuret: om människans evolution och tänkandets utveckling*. Ordfront, Stockholm.

Lindenfors P 2017 *For Whose Benefit? The Biological and Cultural Evolution of Human Cooperation*. Springer, New York.

Lindenfors P & Sturmark C 2015 *Sekulär humanism – förnuft, omtanke, ansvar*. Förbundet Humanisterna, Stockholm.

Lindenfors P 2011 *Samarbete*. Fri Tanke: Stockholm.

Lindenfors P 2008 *Gud finns nog inte*. Fri Tanke: Stockholm. Translations: Swedish, English, German, Spanish, Polish, Danish, Dutch, Persian and Italian.



SCIENTIFIC PUBLICATIONS

Wilson MC, Medzihorsky J, Maerz SF, Lührmann A, **Lindenfors P**, Edgell AB, Boese VA & Lindberg SI. 2022 Episodes of liberalization in autocracies: A new approach to quantitatively studying democratization. *Political Science Research and Methods* (Published online 15 June 2022).

Edgell AB, Boese VA, Maerz SF, **Lindenfors P** & Lindberg SI 2022 The institutional order of liberalization. *British Journal of Political Science* 52: 1465–1471.

Edgell AB, Maerz SF, Maxwell L, Morgan R, Medzihorsky J, Wilson MC, Boese VA, Hellmeier S, Lachapelle J, **Lindenfors P**, Lührmann A & Lindberg SI 2022 Episodes of Regime Transformation Dataset (v4.0). *Varieties of Democracy (V-Dem) Project*. Available at <https://github.com/vdeminstitute/ert>.

Edgell AB, Maerz SF, Maxwell L, Morgan R, Medzihorsky J, Wilson MC, Boese VA, Hellmeier S, Lachapelle J, **Lindenfors P**, Lührmann A & Lindberg SI 2022 Episodes of Regime Transformation Dataset (v4.0) Codebook. *Varieties of Democracy (V-Dem) Project*. Available at <https://github.com/vdeminstitute/ert>.

Lindenfors P, Wartel A & Lind J 2021 Dunbar's number deconstructed. *Biology Letters* 17: 20210158.

Lindenfors P, Wilson MC & Lindberg SI 2020 The Matthew Effect in political science: head start and key reforms important for democratization. *Humanities and Social Sciences Communications* 7:106.

Lindberg SI, Mechkova V, Kavasoglu B & **Lindenfors P** 2020 DRG-LER II: Sequences of democracy and development. *USAID Center for Democracy and Governance & NORC at the University of Chicago*, September.

Leroi AM, Lambert B, Mauch M, Papadopoulou M, Ananiadou S, Lindberg SI & **Lindenfors P** 2020 On revolutions. *Palgrave Communications* 6: article number 4.

The PRIMatE Data Exchange (PRIME-DE) Global Collaboration Workshop and Consortium 2020 Accelerating the evolution of nonhuman primate neuroimaging *Neuron* 105: P600-P603.

Wartel A, **Lindenfors P** & Lind J 2019 Whatever you want: Inconsistent results is the rule, not the exception, in the study of primate brain evolution. *PLoS ONE* 14: e0218655.

Lindenfors P 2019 Divine placebo: Health and the evolution of religion. *Human Ecology* 47: 157-163.

Lindenfors P, Krusell J & Lindberg SI 2019 Sequential requisites analysis: a new method for analyzing sequential relationships in ordinal data. *Social Science Quarterly* 100: 838-856.

Lindenfors P 2018 Primate social evolution. In: Callan H (ed) *The International Encyclopedia of Anthropology*. John Wiley & Sons, Ltd.

Navarrete AF, Blezer ELA, Pagnotta M, de Viet ESM, Todorov OS, **Lindenfors P**, Laland KN & Reader S 2018 Primate brain anatomy: New volumetric MRI measurements for neuroanatomical studies. *Brain, Behavior and Evolution* 9: 1-9.

Milham MP, Ai L, Koo B, Xu T, Amiez C, Balezeau F, Baxter MG, Blezer ELA, Brochier T, Chen A, Crosson PL, Damatac CG, Dehaene S, Everling S, Fair DA, Fleysher L, Freiwald W, Froudust-Walsh S, Griffiths TD, Guedj C, Hadj-Bouziane F, Hamed SB, Harel N, Hiba B, Jarraya B, Jung B, Kastner S, Klink PC, Kwok SC, Laland KN, Leopold DA, **Lindenfors P**, Mars RB, Menon RS, Messinger A, Meunier M, Mok K, Morrison JH, Nacef J, Nagy J, Rios MO, Petkov CI, Pinsk M, Poirier C, Procyk E, Rajimehr R,

- Reader SM, Roelfsema PR, Rudko DA, Rushworth MFS, Russ BE, Sallet J, Schmid MC, Schwiedrzik CM, Seidlitz J, Sein J, Shmuel A, Sullivan EL, Ungerleider L, Thiele A, Todorov OS, Tsao D, Wang S, Wilson CRE, Yacoub E, Ye FQ, Zarco W, Zhou Y, Margulies DS & Schroeder CE 2018 An Open Resource for Non-human Primate Imaging. *Neuron* 100:61-74.
- Lindenfors P**, Jansson F, Wang Y-T & Lindberg SI 2018 Investigating sequences in ordinal data: A new approach with adapted evolutionary models. *Political Science Research and Methods* 6: 449-466.
- Lindenfors P** & Svensson J 2017 Stora gudar, heliga kor och människans överlevnad: Evolutionära förklaringar på religion. Pages 19-36 *in*: Björkman J & Jarrick A (eds.) *Religionen tur och retur. Riksbankens Jubileumsfonds årsbok 2017/2018*. Stockholm: Makadam förlag.
- Wang Y-T, **Lindenfors P**, Sundström A, Jansson F & Lindberg SI 2017 Women's rights in democratic transitions: A global sequence analysis, 1900–2012. *European Journal of Political Research*. 56: 735–756.
- Lindenfors P** 2017 “Mem” and “Memetik” *In*: *Nationalencyklopedin*.
- Lindenfors P** 2016 Evolutionära förklaringar av religion. Pages 2-22 *in*: Thurffjell D (ed.) *Varför finns religion?* Stockholm: Molin & Sorgenfrei.
- Ross CT, Strimling P, Ericksen KP, **Lindenfors P** & Borgerhoff Mulder M 2016 The origins and maintenance of female genital modification across Africa: Bayesian phylogenetic modeling of cultural evolution under the influence of selection. *Human Nature* 27: 173-200.
- Lindenfors P**, Envall, I, Isaksson S & Enquist M 2015 An empirical study of cultural evolution: the development of European cookery from medieval to modern times. *Cliodynamics* 6: 115-129.
- Isaksson S, Funcke A, Envall I, Enquist M & **Lindenfors P** 2015 A novel method to analyze social transmission in chronologically sequenced assemblages, implemented on cultural inheritance of the art of cooking. *PLoS ONE* 10(5): e0122092.
- Lind J, **Lindenfors P**, Ghirlanda S, Lidén K & Enquist M 2013 Dating human cultural capacity using phylogenetic principles. *Scientific Reports* 3: 1785.
- Kodandaramaiah U, **Lindenfors P** & Tullberg BS 2013 Deflective and intimidating eyespots: a comparative study of eyespot size and position in *Junonia* butterflies. *Ecology and Evolution* 3: 4518-4524.
- Lindenfors P** 2013 The Green Beards of Language. *Ecology and Evolution* 3: 1104–1112.
- Jansson F, **Lindenfors P** & Sandberg M 2013 Democratic revolutions as institutional innovation diffusion: rapid adoption and survival of democracy. *Technological Forecasting and Social Change* 80: 1546–1556.
- Lindenfors P**, Lind J & Enquist M 2012 Det unikt mänskliga. Pages 31-44 *in*: Husz, O, Myrdal J, Tydén M, Wallenberg Bondesson M (eds). *Människans kunskap och kunskapen om människan: En gränslös historia*. Lund: Sekel Bokförlag.
- Lindenfors P**, Jansson F & Sandberg M 2011 The cultural evolution of democracy: saltational changes in a political regime landscape. *PLoS ONE* 6: e28270.
- Lindenfors P** & Tullberg BS 2011 Evolutionary aspects of aggression: the importance of sexual selection. Pages 7-22 *in*: Huber R, Bannasch DL & Brennan P (eds) *Aggression: Advances in Genetics, Vol. 75*. Burlington: Academic Press.
- Lindenfors P**, Revell LJ & Nunn CL 2010 Sexual dimorphism in primate aerobic capacity: a phylogenetic test. *Journal of Evolutionary Biology* 23: 1183-1194.
- Lind L & **Lindenfors P** 2010 The number of cultural traits is correlated with female group size but not with male group size in chimpanzee communities. *PLoS ONE* 5: e9241.
- Nunn CL, **Lindenfors P**, Pursall R & Rolff J 2009 On sexual dimorphism in immune function. *Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society Series B: Biological Sciences* 364: 61-69.
- Gustafsson A & **Lindenfors P** 2009 Latitudinal patterns in human stature and sexual stature dimorphism. *Annals of Human Biology* 36: 74-87.
- Lindenfors P**, Nunn CL, & Barton RA 2007 Primate brain architecture and selection in relation to sex. *BMC Biology* 5: 20.
- Lindenfors P** 2007 Studying students in Montessori schools. *Science* 315: 596. (**Lindenfors P** 2007 Measuring Montessori school performance. (E-letter) *Science* 24 May.)
- Gustafsson A, Werdelin L, Tullberg BS & **Lindenfors P** 2007 Stature and sexual stature dimorphism in Sweden, from the 10th century until present. *American Journal of Human Biology* Published online 21 Aug 2007.

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- Lindenfors P**, Nunn CL, Jones KE, Cunningham A, Sechrest W & Gittleman JL 2007 Parasite species richness in carnivores: effects of host body mass, latitude, geographic range and population density. *Global Ecology and Biogeography* **16**: 496-509.
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- Lindenfors P** 2006 A method for adjusting means and variances of comparative data for use in a phylogenetic analysis of variance. *Evolutionary Ecology Research* **8**: 975-995.
- Lindenfors P** & Tullberg BS 2006 Lowering sample size in comparative analyses can indicate a correlation where there is none: example from Rensch's rule in primates. *Journal of Evolutionary Biology* **19**: 1346-1351.
- Thorén S, **Lindenfors P** & Kappeler PM 2006 Phylogenetic analyses of dimorphism in primates: evidence for stronger selection on canine size than on body size. *American Journal of Physical Anthropology* **130**: 50-59.
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- Gustafsson A & **Lindenfors P** 2004 Human size evolution: no allometric relationship between male and female stature. *Journal of Human Evolution* **47**: 253-266.
- Lindenfors P**, Fröberg L & Nunn CL 2004 Females drive primate social evolution. *Proceedings of the Royal Society of London, Series B: Biological Sciences* **271**: S101-S103.
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- Lindenfors P**, Dalén L & Angerbjörn A 2003 A monophyletic origin of delayed implantation and its implications. *Evolution* **57**: 1952-1956.
- Lindenfors P**, Tullberg B & Biuw M 2002 Phylogenetic analyses of sexual selection and sexual size dimorphism in pinnipeds. *Behavioral Ecology and Sociobiology* **52**: 188-193.
- Lindenfors P** 2002 Sexually antagonistic selection on primate size. *Journal of Evolutionary Biology* **15**: 595-607.
- Lindenfors P** & Tullberg BS 1998 Phylogenetic analyses of primate size evolution: the consequences of sexual selection. *Biological Journal of the Linnean Society* **64**: 413-447.
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