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Ida Margrete Meier Auken, born April 22nd 1978 at Frederiksberg, daughter of Professor Erik A. Nielsen and Member of the European Parliament Margrete Auken. Married to Professor Bent Meier Sørensen. Has the children Niels and Simon Meier Auken.

Member period

Member of the Folketing for The Social Democratic Party in Copenhagen greater constituency from February 3rd 2021.

Member of the Folketing for The Social Liberal Party in Copenhagen greater constituency, 4. February 2014 – 2. February 2021.

Member of the Folketing for The Socialist People's Party in Copenhagen greater constituency, 13. November 2007 – 3. February 2014.

Candidate for The Social Democratic Party in Frederiksberg Slot nomination district from 2021.

Candidate for The Social Liberal Party in Vesterbro nomination district, 2014-2021.

Candidate for The Socialist People's Party in Valby nomination district, 2007-2014.

Candidate for The Socialist People's Party in Vesterbro nomination district, 2007-2014.

Candidate for The Socialist People's Party in Tårnby nomination district, 2007-2014.

Candidate for The Socialist People's Party in Esbjerg nomination district, 2004-2006.

Parliamentary career

Chairman of the Gender Equality Committee from 2023.

Spokeswoman on food and agriculture from 2022.

Spokeswoman on matters pertaining to the City of Copenhagen from 2021.

Chairwoman of the Climate, Energy and Utilities Committee, 2019-2020.

Minister for the Environment, 3. October 2011 – 3. February 2014.

Chairwoman on the Environment and Planning Committee, 2009-2011.

Former spokeswoman on higher education, climate, energy and supply, environment, trade and industry, entrepreneurship, consumer policy and agriculture.

Education

Innovating Towards our Sustainable Future, Executive education on AI and Sustainability, Nanjiang Technical University, Singapore, 2024.

Global Leadership and Public Policy for the 21st Century, Harvard Kennedy School, Boston, US, 2017.

Leading from the Edge - Leadership Module, Saïd Business School, Oxford University, UK, 2014.

MA (theology), University of Copenhagen, 1998-2006.

Employment

Part-time university teacher, the Theological Faculty, University of Copenhagen, 2006-2007.

Publisher's editor, Forlaget Alfa, 2004-2007.

Affiliations

Member of the World Economic Forum's Council for 4th Industrial Revolution and Common Goods, 2019-2020.
Member of the World Economic Forum's Council for Future of Cities, 2017-2019.
Chairwoman of the SIRI Commission on artificial intelligence and digitization, 2017-2020.
Member of the Advisory Board, IDFC Institute, 2016-2019.
Member of the Presidium of UNICEF Denmark, 2016-2023.
Member of the Global Teacher Prize, Varkey Foundation, 2016-2017.
Co-chairwoman of the Circulars Award for Circular Economy under World Economic Forum, 2015-2019.
Member of 3F (Danish tradeunion), the green think tank, 2014-2015.
Member of the Danish Design Council, 2014-2015.
Member of World Economic Forum, Meta-Council for Circular Economy, 2014-2016.
Young Global Leader, World Economic Forum from 2013.

Publications

Author of »Tro på det - klima, håb og handlekraft« (Keep the Faith – Climate, Hope and Agency), 2022 and »Dansk« (Danish), 2018. Editor of »Livet efter døden i de store verdensreligioner«, 2006, (Life after Death in the World's Major Religions), »Jesus går til filmen - Jesusfiguren i moderne film« (Jesus Goes into Films – the Jesus Figure in Modern Films), 2007, and »Konstellationer - kirkerne og det europæiske projekt« (Constellations – the Church and the European Project), 2007. Author of theological articles on such subjects as relations between the state and the church, religion, politics, and justice, as well as Giorgio Agamben's political theology.

Committees/Spokesman 29. apr 2024

Current committees

Chairman of

The Gender Equality Committee

Member of

The Business Committee

The Climate, Energy and Utilities Committee

The Digitization and IT Committee

The Environment and Food Committee

Substitute in

The Foreign Policy Committee

Spokesman

Spokeswoman on agriculture

Spokeswoman on food

Spokeswoman on the Capital