

Presentation of Tina Birgitte Hansen, CCNAP vice-chair and Treasurer 2016-2018



My name is Tina Birgitte Hansen from Denmark, 38 years old. I am a registered nurse employed within cardiology since 2005. My main clinical experience is within acute cardiovascular care, heart failure, cardiac rehabilitation and heart valve diseases. I have a master and a PhD degree in health science and additionally beforehand I studied economics and law for three years at Copenhagen Business School. Currently, I am employed in a post doctoral position at a Danish University Hospital, Zealand University Hospital, where my own research is centered on prevention and management of ischaemic heart disease adopting multiple perspectives such as clinical, patient perspectives (preference research) and health economic perspectives. Previously, I have been involved in research projects such as the CopenHeart project (www.copenheart.org) and the HeartQoL project (<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/24821733>).

In august 2015, I joined the CCNAP Board as a Treasurer, and from 2016 I have taken up the positions as both Vice-Chairperson and Treasurer. Before joining the board, I was a member of the CCNAP Programme Committee for 4 years. I believe that important focus areas in the years to come are to engage more nurses working in clinical practice in CCNAP activities, to organize and stimulate more high-quality nursing research activities, to seek further opportunities for funding of CCNAP activities and to engage even more actively in collaboration and partnerships with external stakeholders and across professions.