

Biosketch

Louise HANSEN, PhD

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CURRENT AND PAST POSITIONS

Louise Hansen has spent most of her time the last six years facilitating clinical studies, whether pharmaceuticals or medical devices, as part of the Clinical Trial Unit at Aalborg University Hospital in Denmark, a unit that supports researchers within North Denmark Region with knowledge and support for clinical trials, both academic and industry-sponsored.

As the national coordinator in Trial Nation for MedTech studies in Denmark, Louise is in contact with many companies who wish to conduct clinical studies in Denmark, guiding them through the market access pathway for medical devices in the country.

In addition, Louise is an active researcher and teacher at Aalborg University, where she holds a part-time position as associate professor, affiliated with the Department of Clinical Medicine, teaching master students in Medicine with Industrial Specialisation.

EDUCATION

University Pedagogy Programme, 2019.

PhD in health economics, 2016.

Master of Medical Sciences, 2012.

AWARDS AND HONORS

Teacher of the year, Faculty of Medicine, 2016.

OTHER RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Applicant and project partner on an Innovation Fund Denmark project focusing on decentralising clinical trials in Denmark, finalising in autumn 2026 (budget: €9.6 million).

Project lead on a commissioned study on “Value of Clinical Trials and Clinical Investigations” for the Danish Ministry of Industry, Business and Financial Affairs, as part of the national Life Science Strategy 2024-2027.