Professor Karin Bäckstrand, Curriculum Vitae

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Doctoral Degree

PhD, What Can Nature Withstand? Science, Politics and Discourses in Transboundary Air Pollution Diplomacy, Department of Political Science, Lund University, January 2001.

Qualification as Docent and Professor

Professor in Political Science, Lund University November 2012 and Stockholm University January 2014,

Associate Professor (Docent) in Political Science February 2008.

Current position

Professor in Environmental Social Science at the Department of Political Science, Stockholm University, January 1, 2014-

Previous positions

- Professor at the Department of Political Science, Lund University, November 2012-December 2014.
- Associate Professor/ Senior Lecturer at the Department of Political Science, Lund University 2008-2012
- Wallenberg Research Fellow in Environment and Sustainability, Department of Political Science, Lund University 2004-2007.
- Assistant Professor: 16 February 2001 30 June 2001
- Research Fellow (funding by Bank of Sweden, Tercentenary Foundation): 1 July 2001 31 July 2002
- Phd Candidate/Research Associate: 1996–2001
- Teacher's Assistant: 1994–1996

Visiting researcher

- Visiting Senior Research Fellow at the Department of Political Science and International Relations, University of Oxford, January-October 2013.
- Wallenberg Postdoctoral Fellow at Laboratory for Energy and Environment (LFEE), Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Cambridge, MA, 2002-2004.

Award and honors

- Wallengren Foundation five year fellowship for Environment and Sustainability, 2002-2004 for postdoctoral position at MIT.
- Wennergren Foundation Scholarship for Sabbatical at University of Oxford, 2013
- Kungliga Vetenskapsakademin, fellowship 2004.
- Academic Council of the United Nations (ACUNS) fellowship for Summer Workshop "Strategies for Sustainable Development", South Africa and Nambia, 2002.

External commissions and service

• Editor, Climate Policy and Governance, Wiley's Interdisciplinary Review (WIREs) Climate Change.

- Member of program committee of Klimaforsk (Climate Research), The Research Council of Norway. 2014-2018
- Member of Steering Board, New Governance for Sustainable Development in the Europen Artic, 2014-
- Senior Faculty, Earth System Governance (ESG) Project, http://www.earthsystemgovernance.org/ 2014-
- Co-convenor Task Force of Ecological/Green Democracy (with Dr Jonathan Pickering and Dr. Simon Niemeyer), Conceptual Foundation of Earth System Governance, 2015http://www.earthsystemgovernance.net/conceptual-foundations/?page_id=184
- Visiting Professor teaching Master course "Global Environmental Politics", Institut für Politikwissenschaft, Darmstadt University, February 2015.
- Member of the Management Committee of Innovations in Climate Governance: Sources, Patterns and Effects (Inogov), funded by European Cooperation in Science and Technology (COST) 2014-2017. http://www.inogov.eu
- Member of Scientific Steering Board of Earth System Governance (ESG Project) and Academic Advisor to the International Project Office (IPO) at Lund University, http://www.earthsystemgovernance.org/ 2010-2014
- Member of the Board of Forskraft Foundation 2012-
- Member of Leverhulme Transnational Climate Governance Network, coordinated by Durham University. 2008-2010.
- Member of Management Committee The Transformation of Global Environmental Governance: Risk and Opportunities 2008-2012 funded by European Cooperation in Science and Technology (COST).
- Member of Editorial Board, Global Environmental Politics, 2008-2012
- External reviewer for Norwegian Research Council 2006, Panel member of Research Assessment Group, Norklima program on climate change, Research Council of Norway 2009; Panel Member of Research Assessment for Sustainable Development, Swedish Research Council (Vetenskapsrådet) 2007-2010.
- Co-host of international workshop Enhancing Legitimacy in Policycentric Climate Governance (funded by Inogov), EUI, Florence, May 19-20 2016
- Co-host of international workshop, *Can the Antropocene be Governed*?, 2-3 May 2016, Stockholm University (funded by Stockholm University).
- Co-host of Jubilee International Conference on Climate Governance, Linköping University, May 7-9 2014 (funded by Formas, VR and Wennergren)
- Co-host of Lund Earth System Governance Conference Towards a Just and Legitimate Earth System: Addressing Inequalities, April 18-20, 2012, Lund Sweden.
- Workshop convener at Nordic Environmental Social Science (NESS) conference in Oslo 2007 and in Copenhagen 2013 (Green State), Panel on the New Geopolitics of Climate Change after Copenhagen, General Conference European Consortium for Political Research, Reykavik, 2011.
- Invited keynote speaker: MISTRA Future Forest Program Conference, "Deliberative Democracy in Forest Governance, 2015; Copenhagen Business School 2014; International conference on 'Democratizing Climate Change', Australian National University (ANU), 2010, Australia; Legitimacy of Global Environmental Governance, International Conference on Environmental Democracy, Åbo University 2005, Finland; Invited guest lecturer at the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR) Summer School in Environmental Politics for PhD students at Keele University in June 2006, UK.
- Peer review assignments: European Journal of International Relations, Environmental Politics, Global Environmental Politics, Scandinavian Political Studies, Global Environmental Change, European Journal of Political Research, Geoforum, Environmental Science and Policy, Review of International Studies, International Environmental Agreements
- Reviewer for academic presses: Routledge, MIT Press, Edward Elgar, Oxford University Press, Palgrave

 Reviwer of candidates for lectureship and professorships; Linköping University, Gothenburg University, Oslo University, Stockholm University.

University service

- Member of Board, Stockholm Resilience Center (SRC), Stockholm University 2014-
- Member of recruitment committee of Executive Director, Future Earth, Stockholm University, 2015
- Convener of the EPPLE (Environmental Politics, Policy and Learning), leading research area at Faculty of Social Science, Stockholm University, 2014-
- Co-Chair of the Higher Research Seminar, Department of Political Science, Stockholm Univeristy
- Coordinator of International Master's Programme in Environmental Social Science (IMPRESS), Stockholm University, 2015-
- Board member of cross-faculty Lund University Climate Initiative 2007-2014, Lund University.
- Board member of Lund University Center for Climate and Environmental Research (CEC), 2010-2013.

Communication and outreach

- Member of Scientific Advisory Committee of FORES Forum for Reform, Entrenepenuership and Sustainability, 2015-
- Member of Council of SNS -Centre for Business and Policy Studies, 2014-
- Member of Scientific Advisory Board of the Environmental Economics Unit at the National Institute of Economic Research (Konjunkturinstitutet) 2012-2013
- Board member of Expert Group on Environmental Studies (*Expertgruppen för Miliöstudier*) 2007-2010, Finance Ministry, Sweden.
- External expert advisor to the Swedish government's Commission on Sustainable Development (Regeringens kommissionen för hållbar utveckling), 2007-2010.
- Member of Advisory Group for a project at the Swedish Ministry for Foreign Affairs
 From Stockholm to Johannesburg, part of the preparation for the Swedish Chair of
 EU 2009-2010.
- International Climate Politics. Expert hearing at Government's Commission for Sustainable Development,2007.
- Board member of Adult educational association Folkuniversitet, 2008-2013
- Member of the Scientific Advisory Board for the Swedish Nature Protection Agency (SNF) 2011-2012.
- Presentations to policy audiences: Government's Commission for Sustainable
 Development, Almedalen, Centre for European Business and Policy Studies, Expert
 group on Environmental Studies, Finance Ministry, Side events at Conference of
 Parties to United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Charnge (UNFCCC), the
 Swedish Energy Agency, International Association for Adult Education,
 Folkuniversitet.

Research projects

- Co-coordinator: Legitimacy in Global Governance, 2016-2021, program funded by Riksbanken Jubuleumsfond, 36 million SEK. Lead coordinator: Jonas Tallberg, Stockholm University.
- Project leader: Challenges and Opportunities in Fragmented Global Climate and Energy Governance 2015-2018, funded by the Swedish Energy Agency, 5,5 million SEK. In collaboration with Lund University, Vriije University Amsterdam and SEI Oxford.
- Project leader: Revisiting National Renewables Mix (REMIX), funded by the Norwegian Research Council and the Swedish Energy Agency 2015- 2018. In collaboration with Oslo University and CICERO.

- Principal Researcher: Non-State Actors in the New Landscape of International Climate Protection, funded by the Swedish Research Council and Formas 2012-2014, 6 million SEK. In collaboration with Linköping University
- Principal researcher. Transnational Adaptation Governance, funded by Formas 2016-2018, 3 million SEK. In collaboration with Stockholm Environment Institute (SEI).
- Principal researcher. *Climate Change and Security*. Funded by the Ministry of Foregein Affairs, Project leader Malin Mobjörk, Stockholm University.
- Principal Researcher, *Governing Climate Change* (CLIMGOVERN), funded by Formas, 2014-2016. In collaboration with Lund University.
- Deputy Coordinator and Steering Group Member: Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services in a Changing Climate (BECC), government's strategic research area funded by the Swedish Research Council, 2010-2012, 120 million SEK, website: http://www.miljovetenskap.lu.se/forskning/becc.
- Principal Researcher: Democracy beyond the Nation State. Transnational Actors and Global Governance (TRANSDEMOS), funded by the Bank of Sweden Tercentenary Foundation, 2008-2013, 33 million SEK, website: http://www.transdemos.se/
- Project leader: Abandoned Leadership. EUs role in global climate negotiations, funded by Formas 2011-2013. Postdoc Jakob Skoovgard.
- Project leader. The Politics, Policy and Regulation of Carbon Capture and Storage, financed by the Foundation for Strategic Environmental Research (MISTRA) 2008-2011, 8 million SEK, website: http://www.ccs-politics.se/
- Project leader: Participation, Deliberation and Sustainability: Governance beyond Rhetoric in the Domain of Climate, Forestry and Food Safety (GREENGOV), 2006-2009, funded by Formas (FORMAS), 6.8 million SEK.

Teaching and supervision

PhD Students

Ongoing: Tobias Dan Nielsen and Anna-Sundell Eklundh, Lund University

Main and deputy supervision of completed PhD dissertations:

Emma Lund *The role of business in the Kyoto Protocol's Clean Development Mechanism*, 2013 (main)

Linn Takeuchi-Waldegren, Carbon Credits: Origins, Effectiveness and the Future, 2012 (deputy)

Eva Lövbrand, *Greening Earth: Science, Politics and Land Use in the Kyoto Negotiations,* 2006 (deputy).

External member/examiner of PhD dissertation committes

- Andrew Merrie, Stockholm University, 2016
- Julia Schwebecker, Linköping University, 2015
- Philip Schleifer, London School of Economics, 2014
- Greetje Schouten, Utrecht University, 2013
- Steven Sarasini, Lund University, 2013
- Matilda Palm, Gothenburg University, 2009
- Simon Matti, Luleå University, 2009
- Lisa Holmgren, Uppsala University, 2008
- Daniel Berlin, Gothenburg University, 2007

Faculty Opppont PhD dissertations

- Johanna Johansson, Umeå University, 2013.
- Irma Vormedal, Oslo University, 2011

- Mathias Zannakis, Gothenburg University, 2010
- Andreas Tjernshaugen, Oslo University, 2010

Supervision of post-doctoral researchers

- Naghmeh Nasiritousi (2016-2018)
- Jonathan Kuyper (2014-2016)
- Jakob Skovgaard (2010-2012)
- Eva Lövbrand (2007-2009)
- Hannes Stephans (2009-2010)
- Joakim Nordquist (2008-2009)

PhD courses

- Research problems in Political Science
- Nuts and bolts in PhD dissertation
- Introductory PhD course in Political Science (Lund University)
- Nature, Culture, Science. Environmental politics in relationship to other disciplines (Lund University)
- ECPR PhD School in Environmental Politics (Keele University)

Master courses

- Policy Processes: Actors, Sources and Consequences
- Environmmental Policy and Governance
- Climate Politics
- Environment and Politics

Undergradute courses

- International relations
- Global Environmental Politics
- Politics of Environment and Sustainable Development
- Environmental Governance: Globalization, Trade and the Transatlantic Agenda
- Swedish Politics

Publications

Books and edited volumes

- K. Bäckstrand and E. Lövbrand (eds.) (2015) Research Handbook on Climate Governance. Cheltenham: Edward Elgar
- K. Bäckstrand and A. Kronsell (eds.) (2015). Rethinking the Green State: Environmental Governance toward Climate and Sustainability Transitions. London: Routledge.
- K. Bäckstrand, J. Khan, A. Kronsell and E. Lövbrand (eds.) (2010) Environmental Politics and Deliberative Democracy. Examining the Promises of New Modes of Governance, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar.
- K. Bäckstrand (2001) What Can Nature Withstand? Science, Politics and Discourses in Transboundary Air Pollution Diplomacy, Lund Political Studies 116, Dissertation, Department of Political Science.ISBN 91-88306-35-6.

Peer-reviewed articles

- K. Bäckstrand and E. Lövbrand (2016). "The Road to Paris: contending climate governance discourses in the post-Copenhagen era", *Journal of Environmental Policy and Planning*, http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/1523908X.2016.1150777.
- J. Kuyper and K. Bäckstrand (2016) "Accountability and Representation: Non-state actors in UN climate diplomacy", *Global Environmental Politics* 16 (2).

- N. Nasiritousi, M. Hjerpe, K. Bäckstrand (2015) "Normative arguments for non-state actors participation in international policymaking processes: Functionalism, neocorporativism or democratic pluralism", European Journal of International Relations, doi:10.1177/1354066115608926.
- K. Bäckstrand and M. Kylsäter (2014). "Old Wine in New Bottles? The Legitimation and De-legitimation of UN Public-Private Partnerships for Sustainable Development from the Johannesburg to the Rio+20 Summit", *Globalizations* Vol. 11, Issue 3.
- K. Bäckstrand, O. Elgström (2013) "The EU's role in climate change negotiations. From Leader to Leadiator", *Journal of European Public Policy*, Vol 20, No. 10, pp. 1369-1386.
- H. Bulkeley, L. Andonova, K. Bäckstrand et. al (2012) "Governing Climate Change Transnationally: Assessing the Evidence from a Database of 60 Initiatives", *Environment and Planning C: Government and Policy*, Vol 30: 591-612.
- F. Biermann, K. Abbot, S. Andresen, K. Bäckstrand et al (2012) "Towards Effective Earth System Governance: Navigating the Anthropocene", *Science* Vol. 335, pp. 1306-1307.
- F. Biermann, K. Abbot, S. Andresen, K. Bäckstrand, et al. (2012) "Transforming Governance and Institutions for Global Sustainability. Key Insights from the Earth System Governance Project", *Current Opinion for Sustainability* Vol. 4, pp. 1-10.
- K. Bäckstrand, J.Meadowcroft and M. Oppenheimer (2011) "The Politics and Policy of Carbon Capture and Storage, An Emergent Technology" in K. Bäckstrand, J. Meadowcroft and M. Oppenheimer (eds.) Special Issue of *Global Environmental Change* Vol. 21, No. 2.
- H. De Coninck and K. Bäckstrand (2011) "An International Relations Perspective on the Global Politics of Carbon Capture and Storage" in K. Bäckstrand, J. Meadowcroft and M. Oppenheimer (eds.) Special Issue of *Global Environmental Change* Vol. 21, No.2.
- Schlyter, P., K. Bäckstrand and I. Stjernquist (2009) "Not Seeing the Forest for the Trees? The Environmental Effectiveness of Forest Certification in Sweden", Forest Policy and Economics, Vol. 11, No. 5-6, 375-382.
- K. Bäckstrand. (2008) "Accountability of Networked Climate Governance: The Rise of Transnational Climate Partnerships, *Global Environmental Politics* Vol. 8, No. 3, 74-104.
- K. Bäckstrand (2006) "Democratising Global Environmental Governance. Stakeholder Democracy after the World Summit on Sustainable Development", *European Journal of International Relations* Vol. 12, No. 4, pp. 467-498.
- K. Bäckstrand (2006) "Multi-stakeholder Partnerships for Sustainable Development. Rethinking Legitimacy, Accountability and Effectiveness", *European Environment* Vol. 16, No. 5, pp. 290-306.
- K. Bäckstrand and E. Lövbrand (2006) "Planting Trees to Mitigate Climate Change. Contested Discourses of Ecological Modernization, Green Governmentality and Civic Environmentalism", *Global Environmental Politics* Vol. 6, No. 1, pp. 51-71.
- K. Bäckstrand (2004) "Scientisation vs. Civic Expertise in Environmental Governance. Ecofeminist, Ecomodernist and Postmodernist Responses", *Environmental Politics*, Vol. 13, No. 4, pp. 695-714.
- K. Bäckstrand (2003) "Civic Science for Sustainability. Reframing the Role of Experts, Policymakers and Citizens in Environmental Governance", *Global Environmental Politics*, Vol. 3, No. 4, pp. 24-41.
- K. Bäckstrand, A. Kronsell and P. Söderholm (1996) "Organizational Challenges to Sustainable Development" *Environmental Politics*, Vol. 5, No. 2, pp. 209-230.
- G. Öberg and K. Bäckstrand (1997) "Conceptualization of the Acidification Theory in Swedish Environmental Research', *Environmental Reviews*, Vol. 4, pp. 123-132.
- G. Öberg and K. Bäckstrand (1997) "Praktik och ideal i försurningsforskningen-en studie av vetenskapens självförståelse." *VEST--tidskrift för vetenskapsstudier*, Vol. 10, No. 1, pp. 23-39.

Chapters in edited volumes

- K. Bäckstrand (2015) "Civil Society" in P. Pattberg and F. Zelli (eds.) *Encyclopedia of Global Environmental Governance and Politics*, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar.
- K. Bäckstrand and E. Lövbrand (2015) "Climate Governance after Copenhagen: research trends and policy practice", in K. Bäckstrand and E. Lövbrand (eds.) Research Handbook on Climate Governance. Cheltenham: Edward Elgar.
- K. Bäckstrand and A. Kronsell (2015) "The Green State Revisited", in K. Bäckstrand and A. Kronsell (eds.), Rethinking the Green State: Environmental Governance toward Climate and Sustainability Transitions. London: Routledge.
- K. Bäckstrand and A. Kronsell (2015) "Conclusions", in K. Bäckstrand and A. Kronsell (eds.), Rethinking the Green State: Environmental Governance toward Climate and Sustainability Transitions. London: Routledge
- K. Bäckstrand (2013) "Kan klimathotet lösas genom internationella förhandlingar?" L. Björkman (red) Statsvetenskapens frågor. Stockholm: SNS Förlag.
- K. Bäckstrand, S. Chan, S. Camp, A. Mert, M. Schäfferhoffer (2012). "Transnational Public-Private Partnerships", F. Bierman and P. Pattberg (eds.) Global Environmental Governance Reconsidered. New Actors, Mechanisms and Interlinkages, Cambridge, MA: MIT Press.
- K. Bäckstrand (2012) "Are Partnerships for Sustainable Development Democratic and Legitimate?" in F. Biermann, S. Chan, P. Pattberg, A. Merts (eds.) Multistakeholder Partnerships for Sustainable Development: Emergence, Influence and Legitimacy. Edward Elgar.
- K. Bäckstrand (2012) "Democracy and Global Environmental Politics" in P. Dauvergne (ed.) *Handbook of Global Environmental Politics*. Cheltenham; Edward Elgar.
- K. Bäckstrand (2011), "The Democratic Legitimacy of Global Climate Change", in J. Dryzek, R. Noorgard, and D. Schlosberg (eds.) Oxford Handbook of Climate Change and Society, Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- K. Bäckstrand (2010) "The Legitimacy of Global Public-Private Partnerships on Climate and Sustainable Development" in K. Bäckstrand, J. Khan, A. Kronsell and E. Lövbrand (eds.) (2010) Environmental Politics and Deliberative Democracy. Examining the Promises of New Modes of Governance, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar.
- A. Kronsell and K. Bäckstrand (2010) "Analysing the Legitimacy of New Modes of Governance" in K. Bäckstrand, J. Khan, A. Kronsell and E. Lövbrand (eds.) (2010) Environmental Politics and Deliberatiev Democracy. Examining the Promises of New Modes of Governance, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar.
- K. Bäckstrand (2010). "From Rhetoric to Practice. The Legitimacy of Global Public-Private Partnerships for Sustainable Development", in M. Bexell and U.Mörth (Eds.) Democracy and Public-Private Partnerships in Global Governance, Palgrave McMillan.
- K. Bäckstrand, (2010) "Climate Change and Energy Security in the European Union: From Rhetoric to Practice?", in C. Lever-Tracy (ed.) Handbook of Climate Change and Society, London and New York: Routledge.
- K. Bäckstrand (2010) "EU:s uppgång och fall som global klimatledare" i R. Bengtsson (red.) I Europas tjänst. Sveriges ordförandeskapet i EU 2009. Stockholm: SNS Förlag.
- K. Bäckstrand (2009) "EU:s klimat-och energipolitik. En tandlös tiger?" i B. Johansson (red.) Osäkrat klimat laddad utmaning. Formas Fokuserar. Stockholm: Formas.
- K. Bäckstrand (2008) "Klimat-och energisäkerhet i EU. Förenlighet eller målkonflikt?" i P. Cramer, S. Gustavsson och L. Oxelheim (red.) Klimat, miljö och energi i Europa. Stockholm: Santereus förlag.
- K. Bäckstrand and E. Lövbrand (2007) "Contested Climate: Competing Discourses of Planetary Management, Market Efficiency and Ecological Justice" in M. Pettenger (ed.) The Social Construction of Climate Change, London: Ashgate.
- K. Bäckstrand (2006) "Global miljöpolitik", in J. Gustavsson och J. Tallberg (red) Internationell Politik. Lund: Studentlitteratur.

- K. Bäckstrand, A. Kronsell and P. Söderholm (2004) "Hållbar utveckling och administrativa utmaningar", A. Nilsson, M. Sillén, P. Wickenberg (red) *Miljö och hållbar utveckling*, Lund: Studentlitteratur.
- K. Bäckstrand (2003) "Precaution, Scientisation or Deliberation? Prospects for Greening and Democratizing Science" in M. Wissenburg and Y. Levy (eds.) *Liberal* Environmentalism, London and New York: Routledge.
- K. Bäckstrand (2003) "Samspelet mellan vetenskap och politik. Experternas, beslutsfattarnas och medborgarnas roll i miljöpolitiken" in L. Lundgren (ed.) Vägar till kunskap. Några aspekter på humanvetenskaplig miljöforskning och annan miljöforskning. Stockholm: Symposium.
- K. Bäckstrand and H. Selin (2000) "Sweden A Pioneer of Acidification Abatement", in A. Underdal and K. Hanf (eds.) *International Environmental Agreements and Domestic Policies. The Case of Acid Rain*, London: Ashgate.

International conference contributions

- J. Kuyper, K. Bäckstrand and H. Schröder (2015) "Accountability of Non-state Actors in the UNFCCC: Exit, Voice and Loyalty. Paper presented at a Workshop Accountability in Global Environmental Governance, 18-19 December 2015, University of Sidney, Australia.
- J. Kuyper and K. Bäckstrand (2015) "Non-State Actors and the Democratic Legitimacy of Global Climate Governance", Paper presented at the Earth System Governance Conference 14-16 December 2015, ANU, Canberra, Australia.
- K. Aggestam, K. Bäckstrand and K. Jönsson (2015) "The Politics of Re/De-politization. Policy and Practice of Peace-building, Environment and Development" Paper presented at the 9th Pan-European Conference on International Relations, Sicily, Italy, 23-26th September, 2015.
- K. Bäckstrand and J. Kuyper (2015) "Accountability and Representation. The Case of UN Climate Diplomacy". Paper presented at the International Studies Association (ISA)in New Orleans, 16-20 February, 2015.
- K. Bäckstrand (2013) "Civil Society Participation in Sustainable Development Diplomacy. Toward Stakeholder Democracy", Paper presented at the 8th pan-European Conference on International Relations, 18-22 September, 2013, Warsaw, Poland.
- K. Bäckstrand (2013) "The Legitimacy and Legitimation of Global Climate Governance", Paper presented at Tokyo Earth System Governance Conference, 20-31 January 2013, Tokyo.
- K. Bäckstrand and E. Lövbrand (2012) "Rethinking Climate Governance post Copenhagen: Power, Knowledge and Discourses at the Durban Summit", Paper presented at Planet under Pressure Conference, March 26-29 2012, London.
- K. Bäckstrand (2010) "The Democratic Legitimacy of Global Climate Governance after Copenhagen at international conference on Democratizing Climate Change, Australian National University (ANU), 15-17 July, Canberra, Australia.
- K. Bäckstrand (2007) "Accountability of Public-Private Multilateralism: Multi-sectoral Networks in Climate Change", proceeding of the Amsterdam Conference on Earth System Governance, May 24-27, Amsterdam.
- K. Bäckstrand (2005) "Accountability and Legitimacy of Networked Governance. Public-Private Partnerships for Sustainable Development", proceeding of the Berlin Conference on Human Dimensions of Global Environmental Change, "International organisations and Global Environmental Governance, Berlin 2-3 December.
- K. Bäckstrand (2005) "Multistakeholder Partnerships in the Global Governance for Sustainable Development. Rethinking Legitimacy, Accountability and Effectiveness".
 Paper presented at the 7th Nordic Conference on Environmental Social Science, June 15-17, Gothenburg.
- K. Bäckstrand and E. Lövbrand (2005) "Planting Trees to Mitigate Climate Change. Contested Discourses of Market Efficiency, Planetary Carbon Control and Civic

Participation", proceeding of the Annual Meeting of International Studies Association, 1-6 March, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Popular scientific articles and reports

- Biermann, F., K. Abbot, S. Andresen, K. Bäckstrand et al. (2011). Transforming Governance and Institutions for a Planet Under Pressure. Revitalizing the institutional framework for global sustainability. Key insights from social science research. *Rio+20 Policy Brief* No. 3.
- Bäckstrand, K. (2009) "EU:s klimat-och energipolitik. En tandlös tiger?" i B. Johansson (eds.) *Osäkrat klimat laddad utmaning*. Formas Fokuserar. Stockholm: Formas.
- Bäckstrand, K. and J. Stripple (2009). The Transatlantic Divide in Post-2012 Climate Policy, policy brief written for the Swedish Prime Minister's Commission on Sustainable Development, Stockholm.
- Bäckstrand, K. (2007) Kommission för Hållbar utveckling. Hearing om klimatpolitikens grunder. Expert hearing (Government's Commission for Sustainable Development), September 3, 2007. Stockholm: Regeringskansliet, Statsrådsberedningen.
- Bäckstrand, K. (1999) "Environmental Security and Transboundary Air Pollution: Lessons for Understanding Climate Risks" in J. Stripple, B. Wiman and S. Chong (eds.) From Climate Risk to Climate Security, Stockholm: Swedish Environmental Protection Agency.
- Bäckstrand, K (1998) "Vad tål naturen? Vetenskap, rationalitet, könsordning i miljöpolitiken", Aktuellt om Kvinnoforskning, No. 2 December 1999.
- Bäckstrand, K. (1994) "Acidification Policy in Sweden", Workshop report to project The Domestic Basis of International Environmental Agreements: Modelling National-International Linkages, Oslo Fridjof Nansen Institute.