

Hakon Kavli

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Date of Birth: 1985, January 27
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Education

Honours in Economics (*Currently enrolled*)

Thesis: "Modelling Tourism Demand for South Africa – an econometric error correction approach"

First Semester GPA: 73.62%

Graduation Date: December 2010

School of Economics, Faculty of Commerce

University of Cape Town, South Africa

B.A. Development Studies (*Graduated: June 2008*)

Major in Economics

Thesis: "Tourism in Development Countries - Economic Effects"

University of Oslo, Norway

Work Experience

- **Full Time Supervisor at the Traveler's Depot, San Diego, USA.** Sales and customer service, but now with additional responsibilities: Supervisor of other employees, "go-to" person for other employees, order merchandize, selecting merchandize, creating and maintaining a system for tracking sales. (*May 2009 – December 2009*)
- **Sales Associate with the Traveler's Depot, San Diego, USA.** While working with Worldview Travel, I was also working part time with the Traveler's Depot. Sales and customer service, selling travel gear, guide books, maps, luggage, and travel accessories. I quickly became involved with most aspects of running the store. I received great feedback from the owner, the manager and customers. (*September 2008 – May 2009*)
- **Apprentice / part time travel agent with Worldview Travel, La Jolla, USA.** I started as an apprentice, but later worked part time as a Travel Agent. The job consisted of making reservations/ bookings for airfares and hotels plus doing research for clients about destinations etc. While working there I was certified with Sabre Travel Network and graduated from the Princess Cruises Academy at the Commodore Level (the highest possible). I received very good feedback about my ability to learn fast. (*October 2008 – April 2009*)
- **Teaching at Chris Hani Elementary School in Langa, Cape Town, South Africa.** Volunteered as a teacher in mathematics for 5th grade. Responsible for all education in mathematics for one class, one semester. All pupils passed the national exam. (*July 2007 - December 2007*)

Other information

Languages: Fluent English and Norwegian.

Computers: Proficient with PC and Mac, including MS Excell, MS Word, Power Point and Outlook.

Programming: Experienced with HTML/ CSS/ PHP programming.

Experienced with econometrics software such as Eviews and STATA.

Websites developed and designed by me: www.hakonkavli.com
www.theAfricaTravelBlog.com