

Minister for Local Government and Financial Markets

Mats Odell

Ministry of Finance

Areas of responsibility

- Local authorities
- County administrative boards
- Central government administration
- Banks, securities and insurance
- Housing provision

Biography

Born in 1947, married to Elisabeth, four children.
Lives in Stockholm

Education

- 1967 Studies in economics
- 1968-1973 Studies in economics and business at Stockholm University

Positions held

- 2006-** Minister for Local Government and Financial Markets
- 2005-** Second Vice President of The Christian Democrats
- 1999-06** Member of the Committee on European Union Affairs
- 1998-06** Member of the General Council of the Riksbank, (the Swedish central bank)
- 1998-02** Vice Chair of the Standing Committee on Finance
- 1991-1994** Minister for Transport and Communications
- 1991-** Member of the Riksdag
- 1985-1988** Alternate for Alf Svensson in the Swedish Riksdag in technical cooperation with the Centre Party
- 1984-** Member of the European Union of Christian Democrats and, after the merger, the Political Bureau of the European People's Party
- 1973-** Member of the National Board of the Christian Democratic Party and its Executive Committee, representing the Young Christian Democrats (KDU) until 1981
- 1979-1991** Member of Vallentuna Municipal Council and Municipal Executive Board
- 1973-1981** National Chairman of Young Christian Democrats



"I want to ditch the unwritten law that keeps us from standing out from the crowd and make way for the Ingvar Kamprads of tomorrow and other dynamic people - for a society that will harness your creativity and your potential, so as to benefit you and other people."

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