

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Taneli Puumalainen



PERSONAL STATEMENT

Extensive public, private and non-governmental sectors experience in the medicine and health sciences. Current and previous working experience include infectious diseases control, vaccines, pandemic/health threats preparedness, child and adolescent health, large-scale clinical trials, pharmaceutical business and global health framework. Worked/lived/conducted research in Finland, Nigeria, Malawi, Zimbabwe, Thailand and the Philippines.

Background in pediatrics, infectious diseases and international public health. Extensive training and practical experience in management, leadership skills, media & communication activities including promotional health campaigns and crisis communication. More than 500 lectures, public and media presentations.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Oct 2014–Present

Head of Unit, Department of Vaccines and Immune Protection
National Institute for Health and Welfare (THL)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Honours and awards

Courses

Certifications