## **BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH**

NAME: Johan Røikjer

POSITION TITLE 1: Medical Doctor, Steno Diabetes Center North Denmark, Aalborg University Hospital

POSITION TITLE 2: Associate Professor, Dept. of Clinical Medicin and Integrative Neuroscience, Aalborg University

## **EDUCATION/TRAINING**

INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE (if applicable)	Completion Date MM/YYYY	FIELD OF STUDY
Faculty of Health, Aarhus University	MD	06/2017	Medicine
Intergrative Neuroscience, Aalborg University & Steno Diabetes Center North Denmark, Aalborg University Hospital	PhD	03/2023	Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy

## A. Personal Statement

I am a medical doctor from the northern region of Denmark. Since 2014, I've been an integral part of the Department of Endocrinology at Aalborg University Hospital. With a dedicated focus on Endocrinology, particularly diabetes, I have consistently pursued advancements in this field. My primary area of expertise lies in diabetes neuropathy, where I delve into peripheral manifestations such as neuropathic pain and diabetic foot ulcers. In 2022, I successfully defended my PhD thesis, centered around early detection, grading, and prevention of small fiber neuropathy. Building upon this foundation, I've continued my research endeavors part-time, initially as a post-doctoral fellow, and as of 2024, as an associate professor at Aalborg University. Concurrently, I am committed to furthering my specialization in endocrinology.

#### **B.** Positions and Honors

## **Prizes**

- 1st place: "Young Investigators Award for Best Oral Presentation", NeuroDiab 2022.
- 1st place: "Best Abstract", Annual meeting of the Danish Endocrine Society 2022
- 1st place: "Best oral poster presentation" International Symposium of the Diabetic Foot 2023
- Board member, "Jysk Medicinsk Selskab", since 2023

# **Memberships**

- Member of the Danish Endocrine Society, Danish Society for Internal Medicine, "Young Endocrinologists in Denmark", and "Jysk Medicinsk Selsksab", since 2017.
- Prevention of the First Ulcer Project, Diabetic Foot Study Group (DFSG) under European Association for the Study of Diabetes (EASD), since 2018.
- Working group for Danish National Guidelines on management of Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy and Neuropathic Pain, since 2022.

### C. Contributions to Science:

Until now I published 18 original articles with a mean impact factor (IF) of 5.2 and two peer-reviewed book chapters. I was the first author in 11 of of the original articles (61%) and both book chapters. My current H-index is 7 (Web of Science) with 113 citations.

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