



## Hansen, Eva Kjer (V)

**Former Member of the Folketing,  
The Liberal Party**

Former Minister

Eva Kjer Hansen, born August 22th 1964 in Aabenraa, daughter of farmer Hans Hansen and Ellen Kjer Hansen.

### Member period

Member of the Folketing for The Liberal Party in South Jutland greater constituency, 13. November 2007 – 1. November 2022.

Member of the Folketing for The Liberal Party in Vejle County constituency, 12. December 1990 – 13. November 2007.

Temporary Member of the Folketing for The Liberal Party in Western Jutland greater constituency (substitute for Christoffer Aagaard Melson), 25. March 2023 – 15. June 2023.

Candidate for The Liberal Party in Kolding South nomination district from 2007.

Candidate for The Liberal Party in Kolding nomination district, 1990-2007.

### Parliamentary career

Spokeswoman on labour market, 2023.

Spokeswoman on health and psychiatry, 2023.

Chairwoman of the European Affairs Committee, 2019-2022.

Minister for Fisheries and Equal Opportunities and Nordic Cooperation, 2. May 2018 – 27. June 2019.

Minister for Environment and Food, 28. June 2015 – 29. February 2016.

Chairwoman of the European Affairs Committee, 2011-2015.

Chairwoman of the Foreign Policy Committee, 2010-2011.

Minister for Food, Agriculture and Fisheries, 12. September 2007 – 23. February 2010.

Minister for Social Affairs and Minister for Gender Equality, 2. August 2004 – 12. September 2007.

Chairwoman of the Committee on Danish Cultural Affairs in South Slesvig, 2002-2004.

Member of the European Parliament, 1994-1999.

### Education

MSc in Economics, University of Copenhagen, 2012.

Supplementary training at the Danish School of Journalism, 1990-1991.

Aabenraa State School, 1980-1983.

Rødekro School 1978-1980, 1978-1980.

Hellevad School, 1971-1978.

### Affiliations

Member of Kolding Municipal Council (the Liberal Party group chair from 2022, chair of the culture committee from 2022, member of the finance and strategy committee from 2022) from 2022.

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### **Publications**

Co-author of »Det forsømte Folketing - en opsang til folkestyret (The Neglected Parliament – a shot across the bow of Danish democracy)«, 2018.

### **Awards**

Commander of the Order of Dannebrog 2005.

*The biography is no longer updated from June 15th 2023.*