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Jakob Engel-Schmidt, born October 24th 1983 in Birkerød, son of potter Henrik Schmidt and correspondent Kirsten Engel Schmidt.

Member period

Member of the Folketing for The Moderates in North Zealand greater constituency from November 1st 2022.

Member of the Folketing for The Liberal Party in Greater Copenhagen greater constituency, 3. March 2016 – 5. June 2019.

Member of the Folketing for The Liberal Party in Greater Copenhagen greater constituency, 15. August 2013 – 18. June 2015.

Candidate for The Moderates in all nomination districts in North Zealand greater constituency from 2022.

Candidate for The Liberal Party in Lyngby nomination district, 2010-2018.

Parliamentary career

Minister for Culture from 15. December 2022.

Member of the Finance Committee, 2022.

Spokesman on political affairs, 2022.

Education

Cand.merc in International Business, Copenhagen Business School, 2004-2010.

Officer of the Reserve, The Danish Defence, 2002-2004.

Matriculated in mathematics, Birkerød Upper Secondary School, 1999-2002.

Employment

Political leader of the Moderates and head of the secretariat of the political platform "Det Politiske Mødested" (the political meeting place), 2021-2022.

Public Affairs Director, Rud Pedersen A/S (public affairs company), 2019-2021.

Director, Niels Brock, 2015-2016.

Director, The Danish Association for Entrepreneurship (Dansk Iværksætter Forening), 2012-2013.

International Market Consultant, Confederation of Danish Industry, 2009-2011.

Affiliations

Chairman of the Young Liberals, 2009-2011.

Committees/Spokesman 3. maj 2024

Current committees
