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Per is a native of Denmark, born in 1955, and holds a Master in Planning from Aalborg University, 1981, and a Master in Public Affairs & Economics from Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University, 1983.

Per has worked with public transportation since the mid 1980'ies – as Economic Council in Ministry of Transport, Director of Finance in Copenhagen Transport, Director of Operations and Development in Copenhagen Metro, and Chief Transport Executive in Copenhagen Municipality.

Per Als is an active and contributing member of the International Association of Public Transport, UITP, with leadership roles of Chairman of the Economics Commission and member of the Policy Board.

Per is a frequently invited speaker on various issues of public transportation and the relationship to spatial planning.

The Hallmarks of Copenhagen Transportation Policy are integration between spatial and transportation planning and sustainability both environmentally and economically.