Contributors

Karin Bäckstrand is Associate Professor at the Department of Political Science at Lund University, with a background in international relations and environmental politics. Her research revolves around global environmental politics, the role of scientific expertise in environmental decision-making and global climate change policies. Bäckstrand coordinates the GreenGovern project, a cross-faculty research project where the legitimacy and effectiveness of ‘new’ modes of environmental governance are examined in the domains of climate, forestry and food safety. She is also leading a new research programme, The Politics and Policy of Carbon Capture and Storage, financed by the Swedish Foundation for Strategic Environmental Research. Bäckstrand’s research has been published in *Global Environmental Politics*, *European Journal of International Relations*, *European Environment* and *Environmental Politics* as well as in chapters in book volumes on climate politics and environmental policy.

Beatrice Bengtsson is a PhD candidate at the Research Policy Institute at Lund University, Sweden. She holds an MA in urban development and planning and a BA in social policy and welfare studies. Bengtsson is currently involved in the GreenGovern project on the legitimacy and effectiveness of ‘new’ modes of European governance, particularly with regard to genetically modified organisms. Her dissertation deals with stakeholder dialogue in the EU food safety domain.

Lovisa Hagberg works as Senior Policy Adviser at World Wildlife Fund Sweden and has until recently been a Lecturer at the Department of Political Science at Lund University, Sweden. She holds a PhD in political science from Umeå University. Her research is concerned with the organization of environmental politics in space and time, green political theory and globalization. Hagberg has also held posts at the Swedish Forest Agency working with strategic forest policy issues and the implementation of the EU Water Framework Directive in European forestry.

Roger Hildingsson is a PhD candidate at the Department of Political Science at Lund University, Sweden. He has an academic background in environmental politics, law and economics and holds an MA in political science. Besides
the GreenGovern project, he is currently involved in research projects on European climate governance and renewable energy policy and on governance for transitions towards low-carbon energy and transport systems to meet long-term climate policy objectives. Hildingsson also has experience in the practice of sustainability governance working in public administration and NGOs in Sweden.

**Gustav Holmberg** is a Lecturer at the Research Policy Institute at Lund University, Sweden. He holds a PhD in the history of science and ideas from Lund University. His research focuses on the relationship between science, politics and media; the history of food technologies; the development of modern astrophysics; and twentieth-century technological futurology. Holmberg’s work has been published in academic journals such as *Annals of Science*.

**Jamil Khan** is Assistant Professor at the Department of Environmental and Energy Systems Studies at Lund University, Sweden. He holds an MA in political science and a PhD in environmental and energy systems studies. His PhD thesis from 2004 dealt with the issue of local politics of renewable energy. Khan’s current research interests lie in the fields of environmental governance, policy and implementation studies, renewable energy, sustainable transport, urban climate governance and green political theory. He has published in journals such as *Environmental Planning and Management* and *Local Environment* and has contributed with book chapters. He has also been a peer-reviewer of articles in various scientific journals including the above-mentioned.

**Mikael Klintman** is Associate Professor and Senior Lecturer in Social Studies of Environment, Science and Risk at the Research Policy Institute, Lund University, Sweden. His research areas include environmental and health-related governance, ethical and political consumerism, and the sociology of consumption. He is currently conducting research on the relationship between soft and hard regulation surrounding health-related, environmental and ethical product claims on an international scale, within the sectors of organic and genetically modified food, electricity, mutual funds, cotton, tourism, medicines and green chemistry. Klintman’s work has been published in journals such as *Journal of Consumer Policy*, *International Journal of Consumer Studies* and *Agriculture and Human Values* as well as in academic books on eco-standards, labelling and political consumerism.

**Annica Kronsell** is Associate Professor at the Department of Political Science at Lund University, Sweden. She has a background in international relations,
EU studies, environmental politics and feminist theory. Her current research centres particularly on various aspects of governance. She leads a cross-faculty research project on governance for low-carbon futures in the energy and transport sector. In the GreenGovern project she studies ‘new’ governance modes at the European level in the area of sustainable development. Kronsell is a participating partner in Lund University Centre of Excellence for Integration of Social and Natural Dimensions of Sustainability. She has contributed to textbooks on international relations, several chapters on Swedish environmental politics, multi-level governance and on gender and security studies in books published by Routledge and Cambridge University Press. Her research has been published in journals such as *European Journal of Public Policy, Environmental Politics, International Feminist Journal of Politics* and *Cooperation and Conflict.*

**Eva Lövbrand** is Assistant Professor at the Centre for Climate Science and Policy Research at Linköping University, Sweden. She has a background in environmental politics and environmental studies from the universities of Kalmar and Lund. Her doctoral thesis focused on the science–policy interplay in the Kyoto negotiations on land use change and forestry. Since then Lövbrand’s research has revolved around the role of science and expertise in environmental politics as well as efforts to link science and democracy. She has also studied the marketization of climate governance and explored the techniques of government that enable and legitimize the international trade in carbon credits. Her work has been published in journals such as *Review of International Studies, Global Environmental Politics, Environmental Science and Policy, Global Environmental Change* and *Climatic Change.*

**Peter Schlyter** is Senior Lecturer and Director of Environmental Studies at the Department of Physical Geography and Quaternary Geology at Stockholm University. He holds a PhD in physical geography and a licentiate of engineering in energy and environmental systems studies from Lund University, Sweden. He has researched on environmental impacts of potential future energy systems, remote sensing methods for forest decline surveys, air pollution, soils and tree vitality, and climate change impacts on forestry. Schlyter has been an expert for the Swedish Forest Agency, regional authorities and a member of government inquiries. His work has been published in journals such as *Geografiska Annaler, Theoretical and Applied Climatology, Climate Research, Geographical and Environmental Modelling* and *Forest Policy and Economics.*

**Ingrid Stjernquist** is Senior Lecturer at the Department of Physical Geography and Quaternary Geology at Stockholm University, Sweden. She
holds a PhD in plant ecology from Lund University, Sweden. Her research is focused on sustainable forestry, air pollution deposition and nutrient imbalance in the soil, the impacts of climate change and extreme weather situations on boreal and nemoral forests as well as modelling the plant/soil relationship today and under climate change. She has also researched environmental impacts of renewable energy resources. She is an expert with the Swedish Forest Agency and a member of the Regional Forest Stakeholder Advisory Board. Stjernquist’s work has been published in journals such as *Forest Ecology and Management, Plant and Soil, Climate Change, Environmental Pollution, Journal of Sustainable Forestry* and *Forest Policy and Economics*.

**Johannes Stripple** is Senior Researcher at the Department of Political Science, Lund University, Sweden. He holds a licentiate of philosophy in environmental science at Kalmar University, Sweden, and a PhD in political science from Lund University. Stripple has investigated concepts central to international climate policy such as security, territory and authority. His current work focuses on climate policy in the EU, theorizations of carbon markets, the privatization of climate governance, subjectivity and carbon emissions, and Earth System governmentality. His work has been published in journals such as *International Environmental Agreements: Politics, Law and Economics, Review of International Studies, Global Environmental Change, Global Governance* and *European Environment*. 