

## **Kelly Ånerud**

Kelly Ånerud is Director, Intellectual Capital for IFAC where she is responsible for IFAC's Intellectual Property Department as well as strategic Human Capital projects. Intellectual property is an integral part of IFAC's activities related to supporting the global adoption and implementation of the international standards, and includes facilitating translation of those standards and other IFAC publications into over 45 languages.

Kelly joined IFAC in 2009 and brings a unique combination of skills and international experience to the organization, having worked in several countries in both public and private sector auditing and accounting, as well as the field of human resources and organizational development.

Prior to joining IFAC, Kelly was Deputy Director General at the Office of the Auditor General of Norway. In addition to managing a significant public sector financial audit group, she served on the Professional Standards Committee, Financial Audit Guidelines Subcommittee and Compliance Audit Subcommittee of the International Organization of Supreme Audit Institutions (INTOSAI), and as Technical Advisor on the International Auditing and Assurance Standards Board (IAASB).

Her professional experience also includes leadership positions with PricewaterhouseCoopers, in Norway, the United Kingdom and the United States, where she worked within the areas of audit and assurance, human resources, and business advisory services.

Kelly holds numerous professional qualifications including Certified Public Accountant (CPA), Chartered Global Management Accountant (CGMA) and Certified Government Auditing Professional (CGAP) in the United States, and Member of the Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development (MCIPD) in the UK. She is a licensed CPA in the state of Illinois, as well as a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the Society for Human Resource Management.

Kelly has a Master's degree in Business Administration, with Distinction, from Thunderbird School of Global Management, Arizona, USA. She has authored several articles in professional journals and has had many international speaking engagements. Kelly is multilingual, being fluent in English, Norwegian and Spanish, and with skills in other languages, including French and German.