

FINNLAND

Minister of Education

Ministry for Education

Jussi SARAMO

Born on 9 July 1979 in Porvoo rural municipality

Political career

2019 to present	Member of Parliament
2019 to present	Left Alliance, 1st Deputy Party Leader
2009–2011, 2014–2016	Left Alliance, Political Secretary
2009–2016	The Party of the European Left, Council of Chairpersons, Member
2005–2009	The Left Youth of Finland, Chair
2009 to present	Vantaa City Council, Member
2000–2008	Porvoo Local Council, Member
2012–2017	Uusimaa Regional Council, Member
2004–2008	East Uusimaa Regional Council, Member

Other work experience and societal responsibilities

2017–2019	Solaris-lomat, Executive Director
2014–2016	Member of the European Parliament Merja Kyllönen's Personal Assistant
2011–2014	Ministry of Education and Culture, Special Adviser
2004–2005	Parliament, Personal Assistant to a Member of Parliament,
2002–2004	The Left Youth of Finland, Uusimaa District Secretary
2001–2002	Magnares, Stage and Exhibition Set Builder
2000–2001	Gammelbackan Terä, Youth Worker
2017–2020	Local Government Pensions Institution, Council Member
2017–2020	Vantaan Tilapalvelut Vantti Oy, Board Member
2017–2019	SOSTE, Finnish Federation for Social Affairs and Health, Board Member
2017–2019	Tradeka-Yhtiöt Oy, Board Member

2010–2018 NAL Asunnot Oy, Board Member

2012–2015 Veikkaus, the Finnish National Lottery, Board Member

Other information

Language skills: Finnish (mother tongue), English (fluent), Swedish (basic skills), German (elementary skills)