

**ELINA RANTANEN**

**1st VICE-PRESIDENT OF UBC**

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Elina Rantanen is the Deputy Mayor of Well-being in the City of Turku.

She has worked as a green city counsellor since 2005.

Elina is a social scientist and holds a PhD in Medical Genetics from the University of Turku.

She has worked before as a Development Director in an NGO for rare diseases.

Before entering politics, she was involved in environmental NGO's and worked e.g. as a Climate Emissary and as a trainee in the UBC Sustainable Cities Commission.