## ERIK LEWIN

Erik Lewin is the CEO and one of the partners of Vesper Group. He was appointed to this position in 2014. Vesper Group's clients are mainly from the Diplomatic community, but also from NGOs and private corporations.

He comes from a solid military background covering some 15 years, which was predominantly spent as a Military Officer in the Swedish Special Forces. Erik played an instrumental part in the establishment and formation of the Special Operations Group in the 1990s.

Erik has extensive operational experience spanning over 14 years within the private security industry, including work with British security companies predominately in Iraq and Afghanistan. During the turbulent years in the shadow of the Iraq war, he formed his own view of how responsible work in the security industry should be conducted. His experience has become a guideline for the principle work that he has since driven to influence and develop the security industry in a serious and compliant direction. Prior to joining Vesper, he successfully managed another Swedish based private security consultancy firm.

Erik left the military career at the rank of Major and has a Masters' degree in Business Administration. He is married with three children.