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## ACQUIRED SKILLS

- Fighting**      CHAMPION OF GOOD VS EVIL  
Sword-fighting with Glamdring  
Staff-wielding — breaking stone bridges before my feet, deterring a rogue wizard, bringing light to dark places  
Occasional stabbing of orcs and goblins, burning of werewolves
- Rhetoric**      POWERFUL ORATOR  
Grew taller, darker, scarier when talking down a Hobbit inside his hole  
Sneaked a weapon in Théoden's reception room pass the guards  
Convinced Théoden to wake up from his torpor  
Shut up a magical ball of fire / giant burning eye talking to people from a distance inside a dark ball  
Snapped boss from ivory tower  
Conversed with moths to call for eagles  
Convinced Beorn to bear the company of dwarves for one night
- Leadership**      TRUSTED AND WISE TEAM BUILDER  
Talked everyone, including hobbits, into highly-dangerous adventures  
Summoned dwarves, men, hobbits and elves to meetings  
Led teams through forests, grasslands, avalanche-ridden mountain tops  
Organised the replacement of a bitter steward by the rightful king  
Sent a hobbit up a tower to lit a long-distance call for help  
Had a “nose” to choose the right path through the tunnels of Moria  
Advised Frodo not to judge Smeagol hastily, indirectly saving the world later on

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## CONFERENCES

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| 3021 | With Elrond, Galadriel, Frodo and Bilbo • <i>Grey Havens</i>  | PARTING THOUGHTS   |
| 3019 | With Aragorn & armies • <i>Black Gate</i><br>Encounter with a balrog • <i>Moria</i><br>Assembly of a Fellowship (dwarves, elves, humans) • <i>Rivendell</i><br>Venom-and-stick moves • <i>Rohan</i> | TEETHY NEGOTIATION<br>DEEP ARGUMENT<br>CONVENOR<br>PERSUADER |
| 3017 | Counsel-seeking from Saruman • <i>Orthanc tower</i>   | WIZARDRY   |
| 2949 | Visit of Bilbo with Balin • <i>Shire</i>  | TALK & SMOKE   |

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## HOBBIES



I am passionately curious about the Middle-Earth cultures and life-forms, and keen to connect with all. I enjoy travelling, conversing in foreign languages, catching up with old friends unannounced, plotting surprise parties and adventures.



I am an avid pipe smoker, a hobby I took up years ago with my hobbit friends in the Shire. Thanks to my wizardry, I am able to shape the smoke into any form conceivable, sailing boats for example. My favourite leaf is the Southern Star, grown around Bree.

