



The Swedish American Center welcomes
you to the

AEMI Annual Conference
Karlstad, Sweden, 2-6 October 2013

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2

17.00Registration opens at the Swedish American Center

19.00Welcome reception hosted by the City of Karlstad at the Swedish American Center

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3

Location: Karlstads CCC

08.15Registration opens at Karlstads CCC

08.45Opening of the conference, remarks by Mathias Nilsson, Director, The Swedish American Center

09.00 Opening remarks by Governor Kenneth Johansson

09.15Opening remarks by AEMI Chairman Hans Storhaug

09.30Coffee break

Paper session I: Including diversity: National self-images in a multicultural society , 10.00-11.30

Kirsten Egholk, Greve Museum and Susanne Krogh Jensen, Danish Immigration Museum, Denmark

Integration in public housing – from the flagship of housing in the Danish Welfare State to problematic neighbourhoods

Sverre Mørkhagen, Norway

Ethnic identity and assimilation pressure (USA)

Kristin Mikalsen, The Swedish American Center, Sweden

Long way home —on the use of personal stories in the migration exhibit Home

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11.30Lunch

Paper session II: Transnational ethnic groups — national identity, 12.30-14.00

Nonja Peters, History of Migration Experiences (HOME) Centre, Curtin University, Australia

No place like home: experiences of the Netherlands East Indies as real, virtual and politically contested reality

Marco Eimermann, Örebro University, Sweden

"I Felt Confined" – Narratives of Ambivalence among Dutch Lifestyle Migrants in Rural Sweden

Maddalena Tirabassi, Centro Altreitalia, Turin, Italy

"Italy's Europe, Europe's Italy"

14.00Coffee break

Paper session III: Transnational ethnic groups — national identity, 14.30-16.00

Richard Magito Brun, Kulturgruppen för resandefolket, Göteborg, Sweden

The transnational identity: 19th century semi-residential continental Sinti and indigenous Travellers in Sweden

Gur Alroey, University of Haifa, Israel

Between history of immigration and history of immigrants: The Case of the Jewish Migration at the Beginning of Twentieth Century

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Peter Olausson, Karlstad University

The poor people of the forest. Immigration and integration in Värmland in the 1670s.

16.00 Short break

Paper session IV: Migration research -institutions and exhibits, 16.15-17.45

Brian Lambkin, Mellon Centre for Migration Studies, Ulster American Folk Park, Northern Ireland

Migration Museums in Ireland and Britain: some recent developments

Nina Ray, Boise State University, USA

Dead bodies migrate too: An exploration of the help migration institutions could provide to war monument sites

Tifenn Hamonic, Generiques, France

Memory and history of immigration in France : a methodological approach for the inventory of places of heritage

19.00 Governor Kenneth Johansson welcome delegates for a reception at the Governor's Mansion

20.00 Dinner at the Swedish American Center

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

Location: The Swedish American Center

09.00 Opening remarks by Catarina Segersten Larsson, Region Värmland

Paper session V: Ethnic identity and integration, 9.15-10.45

Marcin Szerle, Emigration Museum, Gdynia, Poland

How to be a Pole abroad - a strenght or a burden of the parentage

Jana Sverdljuk Bentze, National Library of Norway

Intersectional policies of inclusion and recognition of mobility in Norway

Maria Anna Bertolino, University of Turin, Italy

"Return" migrations in Italian Western Alps

10.45 Coffee break

Paper session VI: Migration research: Theory, terminology and methodology, The lexicon and the practices

11.15-12.15

Janja Žitnik Serafin, Slovenian Migration Institute, Slovenia

Some terminological issues in migration studies

Patrick Fitzgerald, Mellon Centre for Migration Studies, Ulster

American Folk Park, Northern Ireland

Crossing Borders: Reflecting upon new ways of exploring human migration

12.15 Lunch

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Paper session VII: Migration research: Theory, terminology and methodology, The lexicon and the practices, 13.30-15.00

Maria Beatriz Rocha-Trindade, Aberta University, Portugal
The Portuguese Migratory Phenomenon: the new crisis induced settings

Elisa Gosso, University of Turin, Italy
Waldensian migrations and the role of the Church: a historical-anthropological study in cultural boundaries and religious transnationalism

Heike Spickermann, Center for Intercultural Studies, Mainz University, Germany
Discourses about the National Self-Image by the Example of the Exhibition "Germany for Beginners"

15.00Coffee break –International "Fika"

Paper session VIII: Ethnic identity and integration, 15.30-17.00

Dietmar Osses, LWL Industrial Museum Hannover Colliery, Bochum, Germany
"Two hearts are bumping in my breast". Identity and feelings of belonging of second generation immigrants in the Ruhr

Emilia García López, Consello da Cultura Galega, Spain
Galician immigrants second and third generation in Europe today

Asier Vallejo, Basque Provincial Government, Spain
An overview of the Basque Government's Diaspora Strategy

19.00Dinner

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5

Location: The Swedish American Center

09.00 AEMI General assembly (Members only)

12.00 Lunch at Värmlands Museum, a short walk from the Center.

13.30 Visit to Värmlands Museum and guiding in the exhibition "1001 Inventions —The enduring Legacy of Muslim Civilization". Delegates may further explore the museum on their own after the guiding.

Afternoon on your own

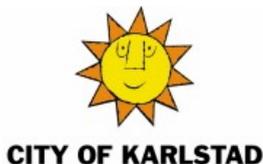
19.00 Farewell dinner

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6

Departure of delegates

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The conference is financially supported by:



DIRECTIONS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5



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