

## **Annual report 2017, CAA Sweden**

The activities of the Swedish national chapter of CAA in 2017 was primarily the organisation of the fourth Swedish national CAA conference. During three days, November 8 to 10 2017, 41 delegates from Sweden, Norway and Denmark gathered in Gothenburg, with two international keynote speakers; Franco Niccolucci (Italy) and Hannah Turner (Canada). The conference ran six sessions, and on the afternoon of the third day arranged visits to the Museum of Gothenburg, with the alternative to participate in a workshop “Preparing your data to be FAIR. A workshop on SND:s Data Management Plan” at the Swedish National Data Service. Local organiser of the conference was Per Stenborg and Ulf Jakobsson.

The members of CAA SE steering committee before the conference where:

Chair: Daniel Löwenborg (Uppsala University)

Secretary: Per Stenborg (University of Gothenburg)

At-large member: Karin Lund (Swedish National Heritage Board)

All members of the CAA SE steering committee had announced their wish to step down from their posts. At the biannual meeting at the conference a new steering committee was elected:

Chair: Marcus Smith (Swedish National Heritage Board)

Secretary: Ole Christian Aslaksen (University of Gothenburg)

At-large member: Anton Bonnier (Uppsala University)

Alternate member: Ulf Jakobsson (SND)

Student representative: Philip Jerand (Umeå University)

Alternate student representative: Linnéa Hernqvist (University of Gothenburg)

Previous conferences have been in Uppsala 2011, Lund 2013 and Umeå 2015 with half-day workshops in Stockholm in 2012 and 2014 and Uppsala 2016.

Uppsala 2017-12-28

Daniel Löwenborg

**Program for the Conference CAA-SE, Gothenburg November 8-10, 2017**

**Day 1, Wednesday 8th November**

Venue: Conference Centre Wallenberg, Medicinaregatan 20A, Gothenburg, Sweden

11.30-13.00

Arrival, registration, lunch (on your own)

13.00-14.30

Opening and welcome

Session 1: GIS

**1. Anton Bonnier, Uppsala University:** *GIS-based kernel density analysis and the re-evaluation of previously published survey datasets from the Peloponnese, Southern Greece*

**2. Espen Uleberg, University of Oslo:** *En forskningsinfrastruktur for utgravningsdata - ADED-prosjektet (Archaeological Digital Excavation Documentation).*

**3. Alexander Roesen Sjöstrand, Uppsala University:** *Osteology, field documentation and ArcGIS*

14.30-15.00

Fika (Swedish for coffee/tea break)

15.00-16.10

Session 1: GIS cont.

**4 Evan Skole, University of Gothenburg:** *Taboo Thinking: Using ArcGIS analyses to revisit an ostracized theory*

**5 Jens-Bjørn Riis Andresen, University of Aarhus:** *Northern light on archaeological data? -Archaeology as a use case in the EUDAT Collaborative Data Infrastructure.*

**6 Ole Christian Aslaksen, University of Gothenburg:** *Approaching landscapes, paths and mobility in Epirus and Southern Albania with GIS-based methods.*

16.10-17.00

**Keynote Presentation: Hannah Turner, Simon Fraser University Surrey** *Objects, Access, Agency: The Role of Collections in a Postcolonial, Digital Age*

Dinner

Independently organised (i.e. you're on your own)

## Day 2, Thursday 9th November

Venue: Conference Centre Wallenberg, Medicinaregatan 20A, Gothenburg, Sweden

09.00-10.00

Session 2 Digital dissemination

**7 Daniel Löwenborg, Uppsala University:** *Augmented History*

**8 Carsten Meinertz Risager, University of Aarhus & Moesgaard Museum:** *DIME – Digitale Metalldetektorfund - A Danish crowd sourced database for metal detector finds*

10.00-10.30

Fika

10.30-11.10

Session 3 Urban Development & Archaeology

**9 Tobias Grahn Olsson, Länsstyrelsen Örebro län:** *The Village Surveying Project of CAB Örebro*

**10 Marcus Smith, Swedish National Heritage Board:** *Framtiden har en lång historia: DAP, Evighetsrunor, och K-samsök*

11.10-12.00

Session 4: Field Methods & Applications

**11 Bengt Westergaard, Arkeologerna, SHMM:** *Att jobba utan job-filer: Intrasis på nytt vis*

**12 Johanna Lega & Mats Hellgren, Digital Dokumentation HB:** *Arkeo – Digital dokumentation i fält*

12.00-13.00

LUNCH (included)

13.00-14.30

Session 5: Natural Science Analyses & Methods

**13 Phil Buckland & Mattias Sjölander, Umeå University:** *DataArc: A prototype system for massively interdisciplinary data-linking*

**14 Amanda Jeppsson, Uppsala University:** *Sveriges skärvstenhögar ur ett landskapsperspektiv*

**15 Philip Jerand, Umeå University:** *Spatial organisation of hearth row sites in Northern Fennoscandia*

14.30-15.00

Fika

15.00-16.00

Session 6: Research infrastructure & databases

**16 Johan Ling, University of Gothenburg:** *Rock art Biographies*

**17 Sofia Agnesten & Ulf Jakobsson, Swedish National Data Service: *Making data available***

16.00-16.50

**Keynote presentation: Franco Niccolucci, University of Florence** *1 + 1 is greater than 2: how data integration improves archaeological research*

19.00 Conference dinner at Restaurant Kometen, Vasagatan 58, Gothenburg.

### **Day 3, Friday 10th November**

Venue: Conference Centre Wallenberg, Medicinaregatan 20A, Gothenburg, Sweden

09.00-09.30

Session 6: Research infrastructure & databases, continued

**18 Kim von Hackwitz, Swedish Research Council: *Digitalisation of the cultural heritage***

09.30-10.30 **Panel discussion:** *Digitized cultural heritage for researchers and other stakeholders*

10.30-11.00 Fika

11.00-11.30 Concluding discussions and CAA-SE annual general meeting

11.30-13.00

LUNCH (wraps - included)

13.00-15.00

Optional events for Friday afternoon:

Alternative 1: **Guided tour to the exhibition *The Birth of Gothenburg*, at The Museum of Gothenburg, Norra Hamngatan 12**, Gothenburg (Ostindiska Huset - The Old Swedish East India Company building).

Alternative 2: **SND-Workshop: Preparing your data to be FAIR. A workshop on SNDs Data Management Plan** and (if there's time) how to submit data to SND. Held in Swedish: More information at the conference.