

CAA National Chapter Information and Report

National Chapter*: Sweden

Submitted by*: Marcus Smith

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Please complete the following information about your national chapter. The information in fields with asterisks (*) will be published on the CAA International website. All other information will not be publicly shared.

Reports should be emailed to CAA's Secretary at secretary@caa-international.org.

Chapter Organisational Details

Chapter Leadership

Term Dates for the Current Steering Committee: October 2017-present

Name*	Chapter Position*	Email Address
Marcus Smith	Chair	marcus@runinskrifter.net
Ole Christian Aslaksen	Secretary	ole.christian.aslaksen@gu.se
Anton Bonnier	Officer	anton.bonnier@antiken.uu.se
Ulf Jakobsson	Ancillary officer	<u>ulf.jakobsson@gu.se</u>
Philip Jerand	Student officer	philip.jerand@umu.se
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All National Chapters must have at least three officers according to CAA's Constitution. Any time there is a change in your chapter's leadership, please notify the CAA Secretary.

Representative who will serve on the CAA Steering Committee*: Marcus Smith

This is often the chair, but any member of the chapter's leadership can be designated as the Steering Committee representative. However, the Steering Committee representative **must be a member of CAA International** while serving in this capacity.



Chapter Membership

Total Number of Current Members:

If you have different categories membership categories for Full Members, Students, and/or Low Income Members, please provide the numbers of members at each level:

Membership Level	Number of Members

Per the CAA-SE constitution, there is no formal membership. "Members" are considered to be all participants at the conference/seminar, and all those attending the associated AGM may to vote. https://se.caa-international.org/stadgar/

Chapter Contact Information

Chapter Website*: https://se.caa-international.org/

Chapter Social Media Channel(s) (optional):

Platform*	Handle*
Twitter	
Facebook	
Instagram	
LinkedIn	http://www.linkedin.com/groups?gid=3441065&trk=hb_side_g

General Contact Email for the Chapter*: caa.sweden@gmail.com

If you do not have a general chapter email address, please contact the secretary to have one created. The email can be set up as a separate inbox or as a forwarding account.





Chapter Description

Brief Description of Your Chapter*:

Please provide a few sentences or a paragraph describing your chapter, such as the kinds of activities you organise, when it was founded, who should join, etc. These descriptions should not include specific details about upcoming activities as they are meant to be "evergreen" and to drive traffic to your chapter's website to learn more.

CAA-SE is the Swedish chapter of the international organisation CAA – Computer Applications and Quantitative Methods in Archaeology. As with CAA International, the aim of CAA-SE is to bring archaeologists, mathematicians and programmers together. The goal is to encourage interdisciplinary collaboration, highlight current work within the field, and foster discussion and continued development. Membership is open to all, free of charge.

Translated Description in Your Chapter's Language(s)*:

If you would like to include the same description in your chapter's language(s) as well, please provide the translation.

CAA-SE är den svenska avdelningen av den internationella organisationen CAA – Computer Applications and Quantitative Methods in Archaeology. Precis som det internationella CAA syftar CAA-SE till att sammanföra arkeologer, matematiker och datorvetare. Målet är att uppmuntra samarbete mellan dessa discipliner, uppmärksamma pågående arbete i detta fält och uppmuntra diskussion och fortsatt utveckling. Medlemskap är öppet för alla utan avgift.



Report for the CAA National Chapter of Sweden

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Update on the National Chapter Activities:* (Please insert additional pages, if needed)

The chapter remains dormant, per previous years' reports. We hope to continue the fruitful collaboration we have enjoyed with CAA-Norway in past years. The intention is still to hold an AGM and elect a new steering committee, and interest has been expressed by some candidates; however nothing has been arranged at the time of writing.



Updates for CAA's ESC

Is there any information about your chapter or its activities that you would like to tell CAA's Executive Steering Committee? This information will only be shared with the CAA's officers and will not be made publicly available.

As above, the chapter has been more or less dormant during the entire mandate of the current steering committee. As chair I have unfortunately been unable to keep the chapter active and arrange events as we had intended. Other members of the committee, with occasional exceptions, have remained silent since being elected and do not typically respond to emails regarding the chapter. We have been helped greatly in recent years by CAA-Norway who have kindly held their last few online seminars as "joint" events with CAA-SE, despite in actuality doing everything themselves. There is a desire in the Swedish archaeological community to revitalize CAA-SE, but I regret that I am not the person to do it. I am in touch with a couple of driven individuals who may be open to standing as candidates for a new steering committee. Hopefully we can finally hold a new AGM and elect committee members who are able to discharge their duties better than I.