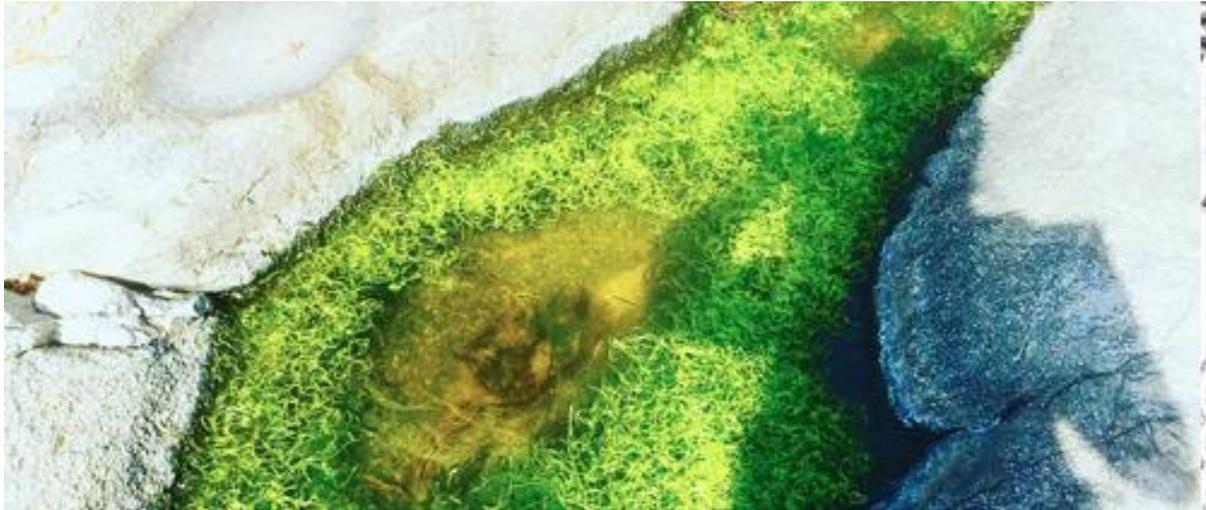


Reggio Emilia Institutet



NORDIC CONFERENS STOCKHOLM - FOSTER, LEARN, CREATE AND DEVELOP DEMOCRACY

100 YEARS AFTER THE BIRTH OF LORIS MALAGUZZI. "THE PRE-SCHOOLS OF REGGIO EMILIA STARTED AS A COUNTER-MOVEMENT TO FASCISM

At the Nordic Conference 2020, we will mark Loris Malaguzzi's 100th birthday by taking a start on the question: What can we learn from Malaguzzi's thoughts in the time we are living now?

The Nordic countries have for many years and in many ways a long history of living in a democracy, which has sometimes been taken for granted. Now we live in a time reminiscent of Europe in the 1930s. The democratic values are challenged and we need to take a look at the concept of democracy and link it to the time we are living in now.

How can we discuss and fill the concept of democracy, to strengthen it today and for the future?

The Convention of the Rights of the Child, which celebrates 30 years and became a law in Sweden this year, is also something we will pay attention to at the conference. timing: April 2 - 3, 2020

Registration: via the Reggio Emilia Institute's website www.reggioemilia.se

Price: SEK 2700 ex VAT plus evening mingle on April 2, SEK 250. Notify already in your notification whether you participate in the mingle or not

Languages: English and Swedish. (Simultaneous interpretation)

THURSDAY 2nd of April

8:30 Registration and coffee

9:00 Introduction moderators **Anna Söderström Ahrborn**, Reggio Emilia Institutet and **Mona Nicholaysen**, Norskt Reggio Emilia nettverk

- 9:20 **The value of democracy, Marina Castagnetti**, teacher and continuing education teachers from Reggio Emilia in Italy
- 10:10 **Diversity and inclusion, Alexandra Pascalidou**, writer
- 11:15 **Šieláin vájldait – To wander with protection, The children in Sápmi and the Convention on the Rights of the Child, Laila Alexandersen Nutti**, Høgskolelektor ved Sámi allaskuvla - Sámi University of Applied Sciences/ Assistant professor of Education at Sámi University of Applied Sciences
- 12: 00 – 13:15 Lunchbreak
- 13:15 **Loris Malaguzzi and the struggle for democracy in education: some provocations for a time of crisis, Peter Moss** Emeritus Professor, UCL Institute of Education University College London
- 14:15 **”Let me think” (Jara 5 years)– a project where MEETING is the key to new experiences, warmth, language and joy, Lena Werelius**, teacher och **Annhild Edlund** teacher and pedagogista , Talgoxens preschool Råslätt Jönköping
- 14:50 coffee
- 15:10 **To develop democracy in preschool – a collaboration between day care and the universityt - how Can we work with democracy in the preschool?- Birita Arge** lector at Námsvísindadeildin, university at Færøernem with **Elin N. W. Tausen** Teacher and head teacher at Miðstovnurin, Torshavn Färöarna
- 15:50 **”Stories from 3600 children” – 100 languages for childrens democratic rights in Malmö., Birgitta Kennedy**, pedagogical teamleader Utbildningsområde Öster, preschool management Malmö city
- 16:25 **Doing democracy-projecting work with preschool's youngest, Johanna Appelquist and Helena Marken** from the local community of Skarpnäck, preschool teachers and aughtors to the book: "Göra demokrati-projekterande arbete med förskolans yngsta" (Läraryörlaget)
- 17:00 end of day one, by the moderators.
- 17:00 **Mingle with Hors-d'oeuvre, bubbles and a number of voices on Loris Malaguzzi and democracy on the occasion of his 100th birthday**

FRIDAY 3rd of April

- 8:30 Introduction

- 8:50 **Then we stop the gang shootings, Thomas Bodström**, lawyer, writer and former Minister of Justice in Sweden
- 9:45 coffee
- 10:05 **How do we build trust in the age of hatred? The culture of democracy is threatened, Helle Klein**, pastor and editor-in-chief of Dagens Arbete
- 11:00 **Child's right to participation, Johanna Von Bahr**, researcher at Stockholm University on children's rights in international organizations
- 11:55 – 13:10 Lunchbreak
- 13:10 **The educator's intelligence in a meeting with children's language, Karin Hauge Dalen**, educator from Hamna kindergarten, Oslo Norway
- 13:55 **Hey, what did you eat today? – researching and wondering together, Pekka Lehtimäki**, Principal AIMO School of Visual Arts, **Marjo Oksanen**, Preschool teacherKaivokatu Day Care Centre The city of Hämeenlinna,
- 14:35 Coffee
- 14:55 **Three young people's thoughts on sustainable democracy, Märta Bruun, Linnea Spets, Teo Hed and Lotta Bergdahl**, pupils and teacher from Fria Emilia elementary school in Boden
- 15:35 **Malaguzzi's view of children's voice as a contribution to a democratic society, Harold Göthson**, one of the founders of the Reggio Emilia Institute
- 16:30 Moderators end the conference

