



EUROPEAN CONFERENCE 2013

STOCKHOLM- HELSINKI

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Welcome to the Nordic Baltic Sub region! We offer you a conference a little bit different. The theme of the conference is "Crossing Borders" and we will indeed cross a physical boarder between Sweden and Finland but also hopefully learn some more about ISGF of today, experience, a scenery different to your own and get new energy to go back home and work for our Fellowships.

On the ISGF website you find now the program, registration form and information about post conference tours.

We have chosen the hotel, Nordic Sea Hotel, <http://www.nordicseahotel.se/en>. It is really close to the main Railway Station right in the middle of the Stockholm City and big enough for all. Short walking distances mean no costs for cabs or busses. We will have the check-in at the lobby of the hotel from Wednesday 11 am up to 9 am Thursday and then move it to the City Conference Centre. You book the hotel on the registration form and you pay it together with the Conference fee. Breakfast is included. Thursday evening we will have buffet together in the hotel, included in the conference price.

For those who would like to meet friends on Wednesday evening we will arrange a get-together. Please tick the box on your registration form. More information later. Please inform us if you want to take part in the sightseeing on Wednesday.

As you can see we start the conference on Thursday the 5<sup>th</sup> of September at 11 am. Already at 10 am you can have a cup of coffee and meet your delegation in the hall. It will be a day of decisions and information at the City Conference Centre in Stockholm. We will have simultaneous interpretation in English and French during the meeting. Lunch and afternoon coffee will be served.

After breakfast on Friday the 6<sup>th</sup> you will take the red Viking Line bus to the ferry terminal at 10 am. Make sure that you have your identity card on you, to make the embarking as smoothly as possible! We all take our luggage up to the conference site on board, as the cabins will not yet be ready for us. At the conference site we will have exhibitions from your countries and a shop selling ISGF, Conference and other articles. A Stamp Bank presentation will take place. More information later! We will continue with the conference program and have discussions in smaller groups. It is possible to have sub regional meetings in the afternoon. After dinner you may take part in the sing along, do some shopping or enjoy the entertainment on board.

Saturday the 7<sup>th</sup> means excursions in Helsinki. Watch out, this day's program is at Finnish time! There will be some minutes free time before you return on board, the ferry terminal is located quite central, so it is possible to see a little bit more of Helsinki, if you want. Don't forget the identity card, it is the ticket to your excursion and to get back on board! When the ferry leaves Helsinki we will have dinner and later in the evening a closing campfire in the conference centre.

Sunday the 8<sup>th</sup> we are back in Stockholm and the bus will take us to the main Railway Station. There you are free to go back home, but why not join one of our post conference tours? If you want to stay another night in Stockholm and would like some information about what is on, please let us know.

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact us!

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## **Registration form:**

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