

KARIBU VÄRLDEN

Conference:

Focal Point Ukraine - Democracy, Civil Society and Folkbildning in Times of Crisis



Karibu Världen in cooperation with Sveriges Lärare, Ukrainian Folk High School Vovchok, FSO, Mångkulturella folkhögskolan and Nordic Folk High School Council invite you to a conference to explore how a sustainable system for folk high schools, democracy and active citizenship can be built in Ukraine and how Swedish and Nordic folk high schools can support this process.

- ***When: 28th of April 10.00-16.00***
- ***Where: Mångkulturella folkhögskolan, Göteborg***
- ***Cost: 500 SEK, including lunch and coffee***

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PROGRAM

10:00	Registration and coffee
10:20	Welcoming words - Irina Maister (Mångkulturella folkhögskolan) and Mats Ehn (Karibu)
10:30	The status of democracy in today's world and the need for folkbildning – Johan Lövgren (University of South-Eastern Norway)
11:00	Folkbildning in the Ukrainian context – theory and practice, - Serhii Chumachenko (Ukrainian folk High School Vovchok).
11:30	Musical intervention and short break
11:40	<p>What Can an Institutionalized Folk High School System Look Like? Active Citizenship and the Ukrainian Perspective. Panel discussion with representatives from the Nordic countries and Tanzania. Moderators: Benton Wolgers, Sveriges Lärare; Mats Ehn, Karibu Världen</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lisbeth Trinskjær, Chair of the Danish Folk High School Association and the Nordic Folk High School Council • Anne Tingelstad Wøien, Director of the Folk High School Council, Norway • Anni Henricson, Development Manager at the Finnish Folk High School Association • Maggid Mjengwa, Secretary General of the Karibu Tanzania Association • Tomas Rosengren, Chair of Sveriges Lärare Folk High School
12:30	Lunch
13:15	<p>Parallel workshops</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · What needs to be done to create a sustainable folk high school system in Ukraine? – Serhii Chumachenko · What can we learn from the success in Tanzania? – Maggid Mjengwa (Karibu Tanzania Organisation) · Sustainable and equal cooperation between Nordic and Ukrainian folk high schools– different experiences from folk high schools - Lina Remnert (FSO) · From insight to action: Nordic democratic tradition and safe spaces as drivers for change for young Ukrainians", - Oksana Nykytyuk (Ukrainian civil society activist) and Lisbeth Trinskjær (President of Nordic Folk High School Council)
14:15	Short break
14:20	The role of folkbildning in times of crisis – Experiences from Ukraine and implications for the Nordic countries – Fredrik Djurklou, Projektledare för internationella insatser MSB and Anastasia Nekrasova, Ukrainian Bildung Network
14:50	Musical intervention and coffee
15:10	Conclusions from the workshops and next steps – Irina Maister and Mats Ehn
15:50	Closure
16:00-18:00	Strategic discussion about the future of folk high school in Ukraine and Tanzania in two groups (for involved participants).