Program Globalization and School Subjects – Challenges for Civics, History, Geography and Religious Education.

13-14 December 2012, Karlstad University

13 December

10.00 Opening (room 21A342) Bengt Schüllerqvist

10.30 Key note lecture (room 21A342) Global Partnership as Sites for Mutual Learning Fran Martin
Commentator: Sirpa Tani

12.00 Lunch

1300 – 15.30 Paper and workshop sessions (Coffee break 14.30)

1. From national to global citizenship? (room 21A347, chair: Anders Broman)

13.00-13.45 Hans Lödén, Malin Stegman McCallion & Peter Wall (presentation) Teaching Citizenship: What if the EU is Part of the Solution and Not the Problem?

13.45-14.30 Torben Spanget Christensen (paper) Interdisciplinarity and self-reflection in civics
Commentator: Stéphane Levesque

14.45-15.30 Peter Hobel (paper) Intercultural Education in a Global World
Commentator: Hans Lödén

2. Multi-/Intercultural classrooms & Globalization in pedagogical texts (room 1D350, chair: Martin Stolare)

13.00-13.45 Sirkka Ahonen (paper) Post-conflict history education in Finland, South Africa and Bosnia-Herzegovina.
Commentator: Lisa Kvande

13.45-14.30 Irene Andersson, Lena Rubinstein Reich, Anna-Karin Svensson (workshop) Challenges in social science subjects for primary school in a diverse setting – a matter of didactics?
3. **Values and identities** *(room 21A342, chair: Kerstin von Brömssen)*

**13.00-13.45 Thomas Nygren** *(paper)* *Universal Values vs Historical Thinking in School Practice*
Commentator: Johan Samuelsson

**13.45-14.30 Knut Vesterdal** *(paper)* *National identity construction and foreign policy-the role of human rights education in Norway*
Commentator: Annika Rabo

**14.45-15.30 Ruth Reynolds & Monika Vinterek** *(Overview + presentation)* *Geographical map knowledge as an indicator of children’s views of the world; research from Sweden and Australia*
Commentator: Gabriel Bladh

4. **Teaching about globalization & globalization as an impact on teaching** *(room: 21E415, chair: Martin Kristiansson)*

**13.00-13.45 Kjetil Børhaug** *(paper)* *Guided critical thinking: A textbook analysis of education for critical thinking in Norwegian social studies in a global perspective*
Commentator: Martin Kristiansson

**13.45-14.30 Johan Sandahl** *(paper)* *When Buds are Bursting: On the Disheartening of Students’ Engagement in Civics*
Commentator: Kjetil Børhaug

**14.45-15.30 Kenneth Nordgren & Maria Johansson** *(presentation)* *History teaching and intercultural competence*

17.00  At Värmlands Museum, Key note lecture  
*Intercultural Religious Education: Connecting the Local to the Global*  
Robert Jackson  
Commentator: Kerstin von Brömssen

18.15  Free time to take a tour around the museum

19.00  Conference dinner at Värmlands museum  
Includes *Swing Cats with special guest*

14 December

8.30  **Key note lecture** *(room 21A342)*  
*Global History – Global History Education*  
Eckardt Fuchs  
Commentator: Martin Stolare
10.00-11.45  Paper and workshop sessions

1.  From national to global citizenship? (room 21A347, chair: Gabriel Bladh)

10.00-10.50 Lena Molin & Johan Samuelsson (abstract + presentation) Geography and history in school, fosterer of certain national values in a globalized world
Commentator: Thomas Nygren

10.50-11.40 Stéphane Lévesque & Jocelyn Létourneau The English landed, they tried to assimilate us in vain”: Historical consciousness of Québécois students
Commentator: Hans Olofsson

2.  Multi-/Intercultural classrooms & Globalization in pedagogical texts (room 1D350, chair: Bengt Schüllerqvist)

10.00-10.50 Annika Rabo (presentation) Transnational perspectives on globalization and school subjects

10.50-11.40 Harry Haue (presentation) Transformation of History text books from national monument to global agent.

3.  Values and identities (room 21A342, chair: Torben Spanget Christensen)

10.00-10.50 Sidsel Lied & Sidsel Undseth Bakke (paper only to commentator) Roses and thorns: Stubborn messages from Oslo Cathedral Square in the aftermath of July 22nd 2011
Commentator: Christina Osbeck

10.50-11.40 Hans Lödén (paper only to commentator) Critical events and values; objects of identification in texts regarding July 22
Commentator: Torben Spanget Christensen

4.  Teaching about globalization & globalization as an impact on teaching (room 21E415, chair: Peter Wall)

10.00-10.50 Trond Solhaug (paper) International trends and dilemmas in citizenship education—Toward a theory of civic learning
Commentator: Anders Broman

10.50-11.45 Essi Aarnio-Linnanvuori (paper) Polar bears, litter and the end of the world – Environmental issues in Finnish religious education and secular ethics school textbooks
Commentator: ?

11.45  Lunch
12.45-14.15  Paper and workshop sessions

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**Values and identities** (room 21A342, chair: Anders Broman)

12.45-13.30  Kerstin von Brömssen (paper only to commentator) *"Manifest 2083 - A Declaration of Independence": An analyses of discourses from the extreme.*
Commentator: Sirkka Ahonen

13.30-14.15  Sturla Sagberg (paper only to commentator) *Critical events and values; spiritual content pattern in texts regarding July 22*
Commentator: Peter Hobel

5.  
**History Beyond Borders: The International History Textbook Revision, 1919–2009**
(room 21A347)
12.45-14.15  Round-table discussion about the project
Daniel Lindmark, Eckardt Fuchs, Thomas Nygren, Bengt Schüllerqvist

6.  
**The Globalised Society – as it appears in Social Studies for 10-12 year-olds in some classrooms of Värmland**
(room 21E415)
12.45-13.45  Round-table discussion about the project (abstract)
Martin Stolare, Gabriel Bladh, Christina Osbeck, Martin Kristiansson

14.15  Coffee

14.30  Key note lecture (room 21A342)
* Civic Education, Democracy and Political Participation
Joakim Ekman
Commentator: Trond Solhaug

15.45-16.15  Summing up the impressions from the symposium (room 21A342)
Anders Broman