

NKF-S Annual report 2018

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Anna Björk
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Meetings

Board meetings and general assembly (GA)

During the fiscal year of 2018, NKF-S had 10 minute meetings. The GA was held on May 4th at the Swedish Air Force Museum in Linköping.

E.C.C.O.

The Swedish E.C.C.O. delegate Hélène Svahn-Garreau and vice chair Linnea Holmberg Wensby attended the E.C.C.O. General Assembly in Malta in April 30th 2018.

The GA decided to base member country fees on average national income resulting in a slightly raised fee for Sweden. The Swedish E.C.C.O. delegate has declared an interest for candidature for the committee when the opportunity arises. There have been preparations to incorporate the Swedish *Konserveringens Dag*, previously held on mars 15th, with the European Day of Conservation-Restoration on October 13th in 2019.

IIC Nordic group /NKF professional council

On September the 26th 2018 Lisen Tamm participated at the NKF Professional council meeting in Reykjavik, Island. The meeting concerned digital publication alternatives for MoK (Meddelser om Konservering), possible topics for the coming NKF congress in Sweden 2021. It was also decided to align both guidelines and regulations of the national groups, as well as the content of the web sites. Sweden will preside NKF until 2021 and Pia Christensson was chosen president of the council.

The Bothén Foundation

The board of NKF-S is also acting board of the Märta, Gunnar och Arvid Bothén foundation. In 2018 the foundation received 45 applications. Of these, 34 applicants shared a total of 544 125 SEK.

Web and publications

Realia

The journal Realia published two issues. Carl Brädde is editor and Elise Andersson is responsible for the layout.

Meddelser om Konservering

The journal MoK (Meddelser om Konservering) published one issue. Thea Winther represented NKF-S on the editorial board.

Some activities

- The board completed a member questionnaire on expected retirement to expose possible future gaps in conservation competence in Sweden.
- The board hosted the public seminar *Gallring (Decreasing collections)* at the annual meeting of all Swedish museums in 2018.
- The board launched the nationwide “Conservation Day” on March the 15th. This will be incorporated in the EU-wide “Day of Conservation-Restoration” in mid-October in 2019.
- The board continues to collaborate with the Department of Conservation, the University of Gothenburg and the E.C.C.O. delegate held a presentation of NKF-S for the students at the department.
- The Chair participated as one of several moderators at the *Documentation conference* at the National Museum in Stockholm.
- The secretary held a presentation about NKF-S at the annual *Färgforum (Colour Fora)* 2018 in Malmö
- Regular social colloquial gatherings in Stockholm and Gothenburg have been organised.
- Preparation for the 2019 award of the biennial *Bevare mig väl* prize has started.

Members and fees

Number of members

Individual members: 364 (245 full, 96 associates, 11 board, 12 retirees)

Institutions: 7

Total: 343

Membership fees

Full members: SEK 450/annum

Associated members: SEK 350/annum

Retirees: SEK 145/annum

Institutions: SEK1100/annum