

NKF-S/IIC Nordic Group - Sweden Annual report 2022

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Meetings

Board meetings and general assembly (GA)

NKF-S held 10 board meetings, including a Visionary meeting.
The GA was held on the 20th of May in Gothenburg.

E.C.C.O.

Swedish E.C.C.O. delegate H el ene Svahn-Garreau and NKF-S chair Lisen Tamm attended the E.C.C.O. GA and President Meetings in Athens, Grece, in May. The theme of the President's meeting was "Achievements and directions in the field of Conservation-Restoration for the sustainable development of Cultural Heritage". In relation to this meeting the 1st European one-day conference on the protection of the Conservator/Restorers profession was held.

Konserveringens Dag, has been in cooperated with the European Day of Conservation-Restoration on October 13th.

NKF (IIC Nordic Group) Professional Council (PC)

The NKF PC was held the 8th of November in Helsinki. The Council discussed possible advantages of organizing material groups directly under the Council rather than currently under the sections, primarily to widen colloquial contact and professional information exchange. The paper conservator material group will the first out for a trial run.

A working group will attempt to standardize and unite the requirements to become member of any of the national sections, with the goal to better match European and international requirements.

Publications

Realia

The journal Realia published two issues.

Meddelser om Konservering/ MoK

Thea Winther is the NKF-S editor on the editorial board.

The Both en Foundation

The board of NKF-S is also acting board of the M arta, Gunnar och Arvid Bothen's foundation. In 2022 the foundation granted a total of 779 346 SEK to be shared by 24 recipients.

Covid 19

Due to the Covid 19 pandemic few planned irl activities were arranged during the year.

Activities

- “Konserveringens Dag” was incorporated with the European Week of Conservation-Restoration in October.
- Collaboration with the Department of Conservation, the University of Gothenburg through one lecturer and two student representatives currently on the board.
- A working group (WG) to develop a communication strategy for NKF-S was launched. A workshop was held with members of the NKF-S board.
- WG for safeguarding high standard conservation work for the Church of Sweden.
- WG on sustainable transport investigated the possibility of transporting cultural heritage by train and published the results in an article in Realia. The findings were also presented at the annual meeting of the Swedish Museums Associations.
- WG for sustainable conservation.
- WG on raising membership demands to match European and international standards. Three meetings were held.

Members and fees

Number of members

In total 406, of which 273 full, 107 associates, 19 retirees and 7 institutions.

Membership fees

Full members: SEK 450/annum

Associated members: SEK 350/annum

Retirees: SEK 145/annum

Institutions: SEK1100/annum