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Summer Session at Fårö, Sweden

2018 July 29th - August 5th



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Summer Session 2018: July 29th - August 5th, Fårö, Sweden.

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Summer Session 2018 in Fårö

Welcome to Fårö! The summer session of 2018 will take place in Fårö, Sweden, from July 29th until August 5th. Situated in the Baltic sea just north of Gotland, Fårö island displays an idyllic landscape of white sand beaches and limestone formations. [Fårö Kursgård](#), a WWII camp rebuilt into a modern conference center, will be our venue.

For more information about the venue, excursions, cultural program, keynotes and other practical concerns, please visit the site devoted to the summer session:

<https://summersession2018.nsuweb.org> The site will be updated continually from now on until the summer session starts in July.

Call for papers/proposals from our study circles

The calls for papers or proposals from our study circles are out. Deadline to submit an application varies amongst the circles, but typically ranges from 1-15 May. Read more about the calls and the study circles here: <https://nordic.university/study-circles/>. Contact the coordinators of the respective study circles if you have any questions regarding their programs.

Application and Registration Process

Please note that the application process has two steps: After choosing a study circle, submit an application to the coordinators to gain acceptance to participate, either with or without paper. For a list of study circles and their call for papers, see:

<https://nordic.university/study-circles/>.

Only after receiving confirmation from the coordinators of your selected study circle, you may register and pay. Deadline to register is 1st of June; however, in order to secure your preferred accommodation, we recommend registering early.

Cancellations prior to 1st of June will be reimbursed, except for an administrative fee of 27 Euro (250 SEK). Cancellations after the 1st of June will not be refunded at all. Full terms and conditions can be found on the payment site. We advise all participants to take a travel insurance in case of cancellations.

For registration and more info visit: <https://registration.nsuweb.org/>.



Prices and practical information about travelling to Fårö, Sweden

Fårö Kursgård has a village configuration with different cottages and smaller buildings, as well as a main building where meals and events will take place. For those in need of privacy and a more conventional comfort, we will have a few rooms available at a nearby inn. For those willing to fully embrace the outdoors summer camp spirit, you can bring your own tent or caravan and camp at the site. Both participants who stay in tents and those at Fårö Kursgård will be able to use bathroom facilities/showers in the main buildings.

All prices are in Swedish Kronor (SEK) and they are given per person for the full duration of the week, including full board (breakfast, lunch, coffee breaks and dinner):

- Single room (shared bathroom): 6265 SEK
- Double room (shared bathroom): 4275 SEK
- Camping (bring your own caravan or motor home), per person: 2800 SEK
- Camping (bring your own tent), per person: 2100 SEK
- GRANT recipients: 600 SEK
- SCHOLARSHIP recipients: 400 SEK
- Adult not participating in the NSU program (bed in double room): 3750 SEK
- Children 5 - 18 years: 2100 SEK
- Children 2 - 4 years: 750 SEK
- Children less than 2 years: free

Further information about the combinations of categories and prices will soon be available in the online shop: <https://payment.nsuweb.org/>.

Note: Grant and scholarship recipients will be given a place in shared 4-bed rooms.

Families with children should get in touch with Arrkom to find the best solution. Our email is: arrkom@nsuweb.org.

Anyone travelling to Fårö will have to pass through Visby, the main city of Gotland. Visby has a local airport and is accessible by ferry from Swedish cities Nynäshamn, Oskarshamn or Västervik. As a summer session participant you will get a discount on the ferry to Visby, please see <https://summersession2018.nsuweb.org> for more information.

More information on transportation: <http://www.gotland.net/en/travel>.

Ferry timetables and prices: <https://www.destinationgotland.se/en/>.



ECTS

PhD and MA students are eligible for up to five ECTS points for participation and presentation of a paper. See also: <http://nordic.university/study-circles/>

Parents with children

We welcome families at the Summer Session. Just like previous years, there will be a separate circle for children between 3 and 15 years. In the children's circle, we offer a variety of activities for children and youth, running parallel to the other study circles. See also: <https://nordic.university/study-circles/childrenscircle/>.

Call for youth leaders and a mentor for the children's circle

We are looking for several youth leaders to lead the children's circle and one person to mentor the youth leaders. The application period is from 1st to 15th of April. For more information about the tasks and where to submit the application, see: <https://support.nsuweb.org/children-leader/>.

Discount on publications

As participant at the summer session you get discounts on publications from NSU Press distributed by Århus University Press. Information on our publications can be found here: <https://nordic.university/publications/>.

The orders must be placed before 15th of June 2018 to be picked up at the summer session: <https://registration.nsuweb.org/publications/>.

Correction about scholarships and grants

The last newsletter contained an unfortunate error regarding the deadline to apply for a scholarship. The first application period ran from March 15th to April 1st. A second application cycle might open if there are still spots to fill. The application process is described here: <https://support.nsuweb.org/arrkom/scholarship-and-grant-program/>.

If you have any questions, contact Arrkom at arrkom@nsuweb.org.

We are proud to introduce the 2018 arrangement committee to you!

Eduardo Abrantes is a Copenhagen-based sound artist and artist researcher. He has been part of NSU since 2010, in the role of active participant and recently, anthology co-editor.

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If you have any questions, contact us at: arrkom@nsuweb.org

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Committed to egalitarian and interdisciplinary modes of learning, the NSU is open for senior scholars, doctoral and master students, as well as artists and professionals with relevant backgrounds. NSU is a non-profit organization, funded by Nordic Council of Ministers / Nordic Council (www.norden.org).

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