New challenges – new thinking
The Nordic-Baltic Library Meeting 2013
September 12-13, 2013 - House of the Estates, Helsinki
Study tour September 14, 2013

Thursday 12.9.2013

11.00-13.00  Registration
12.00-13.00  Lunch
13.00-13.15  Welcome
            **Riitta Kaivosoja**, Director General, Ministry of Education and Culture
13.15-14.00  Keynote speech:
            **Post-everything democracies – making the future of participation**
            **Elina Kiiski Kataja**, Specialist, Foresight, Sitra – The Finnish Innovation Fund

14.00-15.00  A Nordic and a Baltic perspective on the libraries today and tomorrow
            **Leikny Haga Indergaard**, Library Director, Bergen Public Library
            **Asko Tamme**, Director, Tartu City library, Member of the ELA Board

15.00-15.30  Coffee
15.30-16.00  IFLA’s Trend Report
            **Jennefer Nicholson**, IFLA Secretary General

16.00-17.30  Lecture and World Café
            Moderator **Pirkko Lindberg**, Director of Libraries, Oulu City Library – Provincial Library
            **Sinikka Sipilä**, Secretary General, The Finnish Library Association, IFLA
            President 2013-2015
            Strong libraries = strong societies: democratizing access to knowledge through libraries

19.30        Dinner
Friday 13.9.2013

9.00-10.30 Petcha kucha
Chair: Kristina Virtanen, Project manager, Helsinki City Library

1. “From sitting and waiting to walking and talking!” Kari Lämsä, Department Head, Helsinki City Library, Library 10 and Meetingpoint, Finland
2. “Poetry slam – Disturbance!” Úlfhildur Dagsdóttir, Project manager, Reykjavik City Library, Iceland
3. "Creating Atmospheres in The Public Library" Arnbjørn Dalsgarð, Library Director, Torshavn City Library, Faroe Island
4. “The essential meeting between humans” Jens Lauridsen, Chief Librarian, Tårnby Library, Denmark
5. “Warning - read on!” Mia Dimblad, Librarian, Culture Department Hässleholm, Sweden
6. “Tartu in Fiction” Maia Tammjärve, Librarian, Tartu Public Library, Estonia
7. “A lending point of Riga Central Library at the Day Centre for Homeless and Poor Inhabitants of Riga” Doloresa Veilande, Library Director, Riga Central Library, Latvia
8. “Lithuanian public libraries in the policy of municipalities’ development strategies” Ineta Krauls, Director of Library and Information Science Centre, Martynas Mažvydas National Library of Lithuania
9. “Reading for Life - where home and school work together” Elspeth Randelin, Ytternäs School, Mariehamn, Åland Islands

10.30-11.00 Coffee

11.00-11.30 The new Danish model program for Public Libraries
http://modelprogrammer.kulturstyrelsen.dk/
Jonna Holmgaard Larsen, Chief consultant, The Danish Agency for Culture

11.30-11.50 Finns' wishes and opinions of Libraries e-resources
Marja Hjelt, Information specialist, Helsinki City library

11.50-12.15 Bibliotheca Baltica's contribution to Digital Agenda for Europe: A Europe 2020 Initiatives
Ineta Krauls, Director of Library and Information Science Centre, Martynas Mažvydas National Library of Lithuania

12.15-13.15 Lunch

13.15-13.45 Nordic Baltic Cultural Cooperation - examples and potentials
Anna Enemark, Senior Adviser, Nordic Council of Ministers, Department for Culture and Resources
Panel Discussion: The Future – What are we to do now?
Chair: Leikny Haga Indergaard, Library Director, Bergen Public Library

**Tine Vind**, Head of Division for Libraries, Danish Agency for Culture, Denmark
**Asko Tamme**, Director, Tartu City Library, Member of the ELA Board, Estonia
**Erhard Jacobsen**, Executive Director, National Library of Faroe Islands
**Tuula Haavisto**, Library Director, Helsinki City Library, Finland
**Hólmkell Hreinsson**, Chief Librarian, Akureyri Public Library, Iceland
**Uldis Zarins**, Head of Strategic Development, National Library of Latvia
**Anette Mjöberg**, Library Director, Culture Department Hässleholm, Sweden
**Emilija Banionyte**, Library director, Lithuanian University of Educational Sciences, Lithuania

15.45-16.00 Ending of the Conference

**Saturday 14.9.2013**

Study tour 1. Half day 8.30-14.00

Study tour to three libraries in the Helsinki Metropolitan area

Espoo City Library / Sello Library
Helsinki City Library / Tapanila Library
Helsinki City Library / Library 10

Study tour 2 Whole day 8.30-18.00

Study tour to three libraries in Lahti and Helsinki

Lahti City Library / Main library
Learning Centre Fellmannia, Lahti
The bus will drive via Helsinki airport
Helsinki City Library / Library 10