



IFPSM World Summit

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IFPSM would like to invite you to attend the IFPSM World Summit in Stockholm, Sweden from 15 – 17 September 2011. This follows the successful World Summit which took place in Las Vegas in September 2009.

The theme “Building a More Professional World” presents sessions in four key streams: Globalization, Practice, Education and Governance and Administration. Each stream will have three sessions and each session will be repeated to ensure all delegates get the best opportunity to cover as much as they can. It is an ideal opportunity to learn and be inspired by the excellent speakers that have been lined up for the event.

Registration for the World Summit opens on 20 May 2011. Visit the IFPSM website at <http://www.ifpsm.org/index.cfm>.

Please put this date in your diary so you don't miss the opportunity to learn and network with your international colleagues in the supply management arena. Once the details are on the website you can start making arrangements to attend this event and to register as many of your colleagues as you wish. Don't forget, the first five delegates from your association can attend FREE OF CHARGE, and after that you only pay SEK 1005 per attendee.

If you have any questions, please contact Sally Pawson, Executive Administrator at sapawson@gmail.com

There will be limited exhibition space for member associations who wish to display products that may be of interest to other associations. Please see below how to register for exhibition space.

Please check the website for programme updates, accommodation details and information about exhibition opportunities. This will be available after 20 May 2011.



Stockholm – the City on the Water

We look forward to welcoming you to Stockholm. Stockholm, with its 750 years of history, is one of the most beautiful capitals in the world, built on 14 islands connected by 57 bridges. The beautiful buildings, the greenery, the fresh air and the proximity to the water are distinctive traits of this wonderful city.

The IFPSM World Summit 2011 will be proudly hosted by Silf – Swedish National Association of Purchasing and Logistics – on behalf of the IFPSM. Silf was founded in 1956 and is today one of the leading competence suppliers within supply chain, purchasing and logistics in Scandinavia.

Silf looks forward to both supporting IFPSM in the successful delivery of the 2011 IFPSM World Summit and making the delegates visit to Stockholm a memorable occasion in a beautiful city.

Svante Axelsson
President IFPSM

Who should attend?

The IFPSM World Summit is not a commercial event but a competence development event for member associations.

Member associations are invited to send up to five attendees free of charge – and only pay SEK 1005 for each delegate above five, for a three day event which will include three lunches, refreshments during the day and the Conference Dinner on Friday evening, 16 September.

The aim is for staff members and/or volunteers, people who are engaged in developing the services and value propositions to its members, to attend and meet colleagues from our international community.

Free Exhibition for IFPSM Member Associations

On the first evening of the IFPSM World summit (Thursday, 15 September) exhibition space will be available for member associations to inform other associations of their products and concepts for co-operation.

Many of the member associations have expressed an interest to increase the level of co-operation between themselves and this will give you the perfect opportunity.

In Stockholm you can reserve a space to exhibit your products and concepts whether it is to sell, license or co-develop a product or to find partners for a common approach to member services or customer needs.

If your association is interested in reserving exhibition space in Stockholm please contact Caisa Wiezell at caisa.wiezell@silf.se. To avoid disappointment, please book as soon as possible as stands will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

Member associations do not pay anything for exhibitions space.

Dates and Location

The event is Thursday, 15 September to Saturday, 17 September at the Elite Hotel Marina Tower, Saltsjöqvarns Kaj 25, Nacka, Stockholm, Sweden.

Additional meetings that have been arranged are:

- **IFPSM Board meeting:** Wednesday, 14 September 0900 – 1230
- **IFPSM Europe meeting:** Wednesday, 14 September 1400 – 1730
- **IFPSM Council meeting:** Thursday, 15 September 0900 – 1230
- **IFPSM Asia Pacific meeting:** Saturday, 17 September 1600 – 1730
Sunday, 18 September 0900 – 1230

World Summit Programme dialogue

Globalisation

A1 The Dutch association, NEVI, and Akanit Smitabindu of the Thai association, PSCMT, will debate the challenges, opportunities and implications when the interests of international association activity meet national association interests in country.

A2 Paul Novak of the US association, ISM, and Lena Larsson of the Norwegian association, NIMA, will debate the conflicting expectations, needs and opportunities when association capacity is focussed on either major multi-nationals or SMEs, exploring how the two positions are not necessarily exclusive.

A3 Public procurement gains increasing visibility and importance. Rick Grimm of the US public procurement association, NIGP, and Joseph Ogachi of the Kenyan association, KISM, explore the need for there to be greater interaction between emerging and established protocols that guide the legislation of public procurement in nation states.

Practice

B1 It has long been the perception that there is some form of template for success in building a membership association. Two new IFPSM associations discuss their novel approaches to such success – Charlie Villasenor of PASIA, Philippines, and Margaret Rose of CAPP, Caribbean – from which fresh ideas for all might emerge.

B2 Dr Paul Davies IIPMM, a member of the working party will present and lead the discussion on how the initiative is relevant to all countries and what can be done associations, individually and collectively, to make public procurement more taxpayer beneficial.

B3 Ian Schollar CIPS, a member of the CEN Workshop working party will present the now established CEN Purchasing Standard, why it is important to the profession, how it is evolving and how associations can use it.

Education

C1 The Global Standard is being launched at the Summit and will become the international Standard for degree level equivalent programmes. Learn from an assessor what the Standard means, how it is relevant to your educational programmes and how you might get assistance in acquiring the prestigious Standard.

C2 Recently PMAC, Canada, developed and launched a degree programme. Learn the lessons from Cheryl Paradowski and discuss how they can be applied to your aspirations.

C3 The internet is a powerful opportunity to extend both your educational reach as well as to generate revenue. Learn about webinars, how they are run and the potential that they offer.

Governance and Administration

D1 Are your funds being stretched by administrative overheads? Do you have excess capacity in your administration that could increase your revenue? Explore the opportunities with Charles Holden of higher levels of inter-activity.

D2 The life blood of an association is generating the revenue to underwrite its sustainability. Explore ways with Svante Axelsson of building capacity to increase income so that your association can grow.

D3 Professor Andrew Friedman, CEO of PARN, the leading UK organisation on governance in not for profit associations, will lead a workshop in which he will cover many aspects of governance, particularly the skills in managing the transition of trustee focus from operational to strategic leadership and moving on to more democratic development of member ownership of governance. After a short presentation, Andrew will lead a discussion that can range over a wide variety of governance issues that arise from his presentation and that are raised in questions, which may be constitutional, concerned with infrastructure, process etc.

This session is a unique opportunity for small and medium sized associations to engage with significant expertise on issues that often tax the smooth evolution of associations. Although the subject might not sound that sexy, it is probably one of the most relevant one for small and medium sized associations.



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PROGRAMME — IFPSM WORLD SUMMIT — 15-17 SEPTEMBER 2011

Thursday, 15 September 2011

1230-1400	<p><i>Networking Lunch</i> Welcome by Svante Axelsson</p>
1400-1530	<p>Keynote Plenary Professor Richard Lamming</p>
1530-1600	<p><i>Refreshments</i></p>
1600-1730	<p>Soeren Vammen Strategic Challenges for Associations</p>
Evening	<p>Exhibition Drinks Reception</p>

Friday, 16 September 2011

	Globalisation	Practice	Education	Governance & Administration
0900-1030	A 1 Internationalism v Nationalism (Presentation followed by discussion)	B 3 The Purchasing Standard (Presentation followed by discussion)	C 1 The Global Standard (Workshop)	D 1 Shared Back Office Function (Presentation followed by discussion)
1030-1100	<i>Refreshments</i>			
1100-1230	A 2 SMEs rather than Multi-nationals (Presentation followed by discussion)	B 2 Consistent Political Leadership in Procurement (Presentation followed by discussion)	C 2 Developing Educational Programmes (Workshop)	D 2 Capacity Building (Workshop)
1230-1400	<i>Networking Lunch</i>			
1400-1530	A 3 Public Procurement (Presentation followed by discussion)	B 1 Professionalism in the Corporate Mix (Presentation followed by discussion)	C 3 International Training Opportunities on the Internet (Workshop)	D 3 Development of the Board (Workshop)
1530-1600	<i>Refreshments</i>			
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Evening	<i>Conference Dinner</i> (18.30 meet in the hotel foyer to be transported by boat to the restaurant. Approximately 22.30 leave restaurant.)			

Saturday, 17 September 2011

	Globalisation	Practice	Education	Governance & Administration
0900-1030	A 2 SMEs rather than Multi-nationals (Presentation followed by discussion)	B 3 The Purchasing Standard (Presentation followed by discussion)	C 1 The Global Standard (Workshop)	D 3 Development of the Board (Workshop)
1030-1100	<i>Refreshments</i>			
1100-1230	A 3 Public Procurement (Presentation followed by discussion)	B 2 Consistent Political Leadership in Procurement (Presentation followed by discussion)	C 2 Developing Educational Programmes (Workshop)	D 1 Shared Back Office Function (Presentation followed by discussion)
1230-1400	<i>Networking Lunch</i>			
1400-1500	Keynote Plenary Cecilia Hermansson Global economy & trade development			
1500-1530	Closing Address Svante Axelsson			

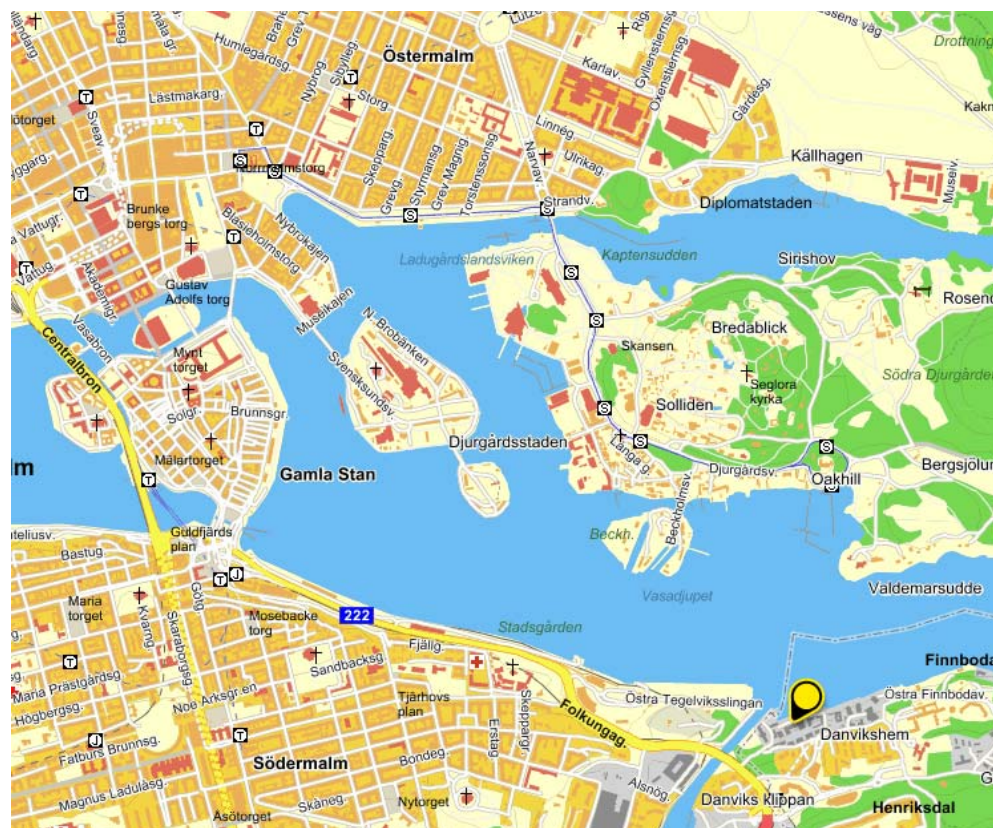


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Registration

Register on-line by following these simple instructions:

- Log onto the IFPSM website www.ifpsm.org and follow the link to the IFPSM World Summit.
- Please complete the registration form for each delegate attending the World Summit.
- If there are more than five delegates, you will need to contact Caisa Wiezell at caisa.wiezell@silf.se who will advise you of the payment details.



Accommodation

Silf has negotiated a special rate at the Elite Hotel Marina Tower for the IFPSM World Summit.

Elite Hotel Marina Tower
Saltsjöqvarns Kaj 25
131 71 Nacka
www.elite.se

Single occupancy – Superior room SEK 1246
Deluxe room SEK 1424

Double occupancy – Superior room SEK 1446
Deluxe room SEK 1624

The room price includes taxes, buffet breakfast, wireless internet and access to the indoor pool and gym.

To make your booking please email: reservation.marinatower@elite.se

Please quote "Silf" when booking your accommodation to obtain the specially negotiated rate. The hotel will require you to submit your credit card information to secure your booking. This rate is offered until 20 August and rooms sell out quickly so please reserve your accommodation as soon as possible.

Transport

You are responsible for your own travel to and from the hotel and airport. The most convenient way to get the hotel is by taxi which will cost approximately 595 SEK. Alternatively there are bus and train services from the airport to the city at approximately 119 SEK and 240 SEK respectively (www.flygbussarna.se or www.arlandaexpres.se). You will then need to catch a taxi to the hotel.

Photo Release

From time to time, we use photographs of participants in our promotional material. By virtue of your attendance, you agree to the use of your likeness in such material.

What to do in Stockholm and Sweden

If you are planning to extend your stay to take advantage of Stockholm's beautiful architecture, its clean and open water and its many parks, you can obtain more information by visiting

www.visitstockholm.com/en/

www.visitsweden.com/sweden/Regions--Cities/Stockholm/



A cup of coffee with a great view at Fåfången



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Go swimming in the middle of Stockholm

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