

# From Sámi school history research towards developing the Sámi teaching

## Sámi school history conference

November 15<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> 2016 Diehtosiida, Guovdageaidnu, Norway.

The purpose of the conference is to highlight the research and writing of Sámi school history in four countries by looking at the situation of Sami school history research. The presentations give a picture about what has already been done at the Sami school history field. Conference participants will analyze further research needs.

It is needed to analyze from all-Sami perspective the school historical processes and peoples' experiences. Sámi school research requires a change of perspective on three sides: First, research has been largely national state oriented, i.e. the state boundaries is perceived as paradigm for granted. Second, the Sámi people's own perspective is just the recently been stepped up in the research. Third, the regional differences and the different characteristics of the Sámi population should be highlighted, in order to avoid anachronist image about Sámi people.

Warmly welcome to conference!

### Tuesday Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>.

Start of conference.

09.00–10.00 Registration and coffee.

10.00–10.30 Speeches.

Welcoming speech by rector Gunvor Guttorm, Sámi University of Applied Sciences.

Greeting speech by Expert Member Aleksei Tsykarev, United Nations Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples.

10.30–11.15 *From Sámi school history research towards developing the Sámi teaching.*

Professor Jan Henry Keskitalo, Sámi University of Applied Sciences.

11.15–12.00 *Early modern Sámi schooling.*

Professor Daniel Lindmark, Umeå University.

12.00–13.00 Lunch.

13.00–13.45 *When I was 8 years old I left my home and I still haven't come back yet.*

Ellacarin Blind, Umeå.

13.45–14.30 *The Sámi school education on the Kola Peninsula 1880–2015: History, Memory and Contemporary Situation.*

Professor Andrej Kotljarchuk, Södertörn University.

Coffee.

15.00–17.00 *Sámi school history project 2003–2013: What has been done and what is missing?*

Editing Group of Saami School History – Elfrid Boine and Svein Lund

19.00– Dinner.

### Wednesday Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>.

Second conference day.

09.00–09.15 Educational authorities.

09.15–10.00 *Curriculum Sámi contents.*

Ph.D. Candidate Kajsa Kemi Gjerpe, Centre for Sami Studies, UiT The Arctic University of Norway.

10.00–10.45 *Approaching Sami school history in Finland – cultural colonialism and empowerment.*

Researcher Jukka Nyysönen, University of Tromsø – The Arctic University of Norway.

11.00–15.00 Paper sessions.

12.00–13.00 Lunch.

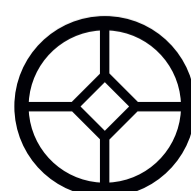
15.00–16.00 *Summary about school history research.*

Researcher Otso Kortekangas, University of Stockholm.

Farewell.

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