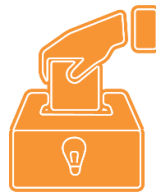


Improving democracy through dialogue and participation May 17th – 18th 2018



09:00 Coffee

10:00 Introduction – Banquette room, Edward Andersson, moderator

Welcome speech

Ann-Margrethe Livh, Housing and Democracy Mayor, The City of Stockholm

Experts perspectives on public participation

Giovanni Allegretti, University of Coimbra; Portugal

Josh Lerner, Participatory Budgeting Project, US

Martin Sande, Dialogues, Sweden

Anne Tortzen, Center for Borgerdialog, Denmark

Politicians perspectives on public participation

Helena Balthammar, Mayor, the city of Linköping

Joana Balsemão, Councillor the Municipality of Cascais, Portugal

Aslam Khan, Councillor the City of Luton, UK

Ann-Margrethe Livh, Housing and Democracy Mayor, The City of Stockholm

12:00 Lunch

13:30 – 15:00 Parallel sessions

A - Participatory Budgeting in urban areas – Banquette room

The City of New York, Josh Lerner, Participatory Budgeting Project, US

The Participatory Budget of the City of Paris, Coline Berthaud, Cabinet de Pauline Véron, maire de Paris

Participatory budgeting in the city of Madrid, Miguel Arana Catania, director of citizen participation

Participatory budgeting in the City of Lisbon, Josefa Rosado, Técnica Superior

Moderator: Prof. Yves Cabannes the University College London

B – Participatory Budgeting in rural areas – Room C3

1/2 a million ideas, Municipality of Nässjö, Sweden, Anna-Carin Magnusson, Municipal Council Chairman, Jennifer Cronborn and Carolina Haag Sjöberg

Experiences from Scotland, Simon Cameron, COSLA

Experiences from Portugal, Nelson Dias, expert, Portugal

Moderator: Nils Munthe, SALAR, Sweden

C - Participation in complex issues focus on social sustainability – Room C19

Together for even more comfort and safety, Åsa Winfridson, The City district of Östberga, Stockholm, Sweden

Experiences in dealing with complex urban issues Ahmad Rifai, Executive Director, Kota Kita, Indonesia

Experiences from Luton Borough Council, UK. Marek Lubelski, Community Coordinator and Nicola Monk service director

Moderator: Bernard le Roux, Dialogues, Sweden

D - NGOs role in Participatory Budgeting – Room C4

Shari Davis Participatory Budgeting Project, US

Jez Hall, PB partners, UK

Moderator: Anna-Karin Berglund, SALAR, Sweden

15:00 – 15:20 Coffee break

15:20 – 16:50 Parallel sessions

E - Participatory Budgeting and dialogue with young people – Banquette room

Young Mayor Laurelle Henry and Harry Chapple, Lewisham council, UK

U-decide, The Municipality of Torsby, Sweden Eva-Lena Gustavsson, Chairman of the City Council

Participatory budgeting with young people in Boston, Shari Davis, Participatory Budgeting Project, US

Involving young people in Portugal, Nelson Dias, Expert World Bank,

Moderator: Malin Svanberg, SALAR, Sweden

F – Researchers round table – Room C19

Hans Abrahamson, Lecturer in Peace and Development Research, Sweden

Martin Westin, University of Uppsala, Sweden

Marianne Pekola-Sjöblom, Head of Research, the Finnish Local and Regional Authority, Finland

Anne Tortzen, Phd, Center for Borgerdialog, Denmark

Tong-yi Huang, Professor and Chair, National Cheng-chi University

Peter Demediuk, Victoria University, Australia

Moderator: Edward Andersson, Sweden

G - Participation in complex issues focus on spatial planning – Room C3

The port of Livorno, Claudio Vanni, Manager of Planning Department, the port Authority of Livorno

Experiences from the city of Barcelona, Adrià Duarte, Coordinador, International Observatory on Participatory Democracy

Experiences from the city of Gothenburg Bernard le Roux, Dialogues, Sweden

Stefania Paolazzi, Civic imagination office of the Urban Innovation Foundation of Bologna.

Moderator: Dr. Lex Paulson

H - Participatory Budgeting scaling up – Room C4

Jez Hall, UK PB Network

Initiative/ Participatory budgeting projects in Russia, Anna Sukhova and Ivan Shulga , World Bank

20-years of PB in Germany, Volker Vorwerk, Burgerwissen

Moderator: Giovanni Allegretti, University of Coimbra

Plenary session - Banquette room

17:00 – 17:50 Community organizing and collective intelligence: lessons from the Obama and Macron campaigns

An exploration of stories and methods from two innovative political campaigns with lessons for practitioners of participatory democracy. **Dr. Lex Paulson**, mobilization strategist for the campaigns of Barack Obama in 2008 and Emmanuel Macron in 2017.

17:50 – 19:00 Mingle and snacks

Friday May 18th

08:30 – 10:00 Parallel sessions

I- Participation in complex issues - Focus on immigration and inclusion

- Banquette room

Life without violence - Susanna Norlin, Ingrid Persson, Ulrika Stöök, The City district of Västra Hisingen, Gothenburg, Sweden

Include more people - Annika Hedberg Roth, Elisabeth Iveblad Grahn, The Municipality of Fagersta, Sweden

Participatory Budgeting for Migrant Workers, Dr. Kai-ling Luo, European Research Center of Contemporary Taiwan (ERCCT), University of Tübingen, Germany

Sustainability and Participation in a diverse city, Christian W. Hübel, The City of Mannheim, Germany

Moderator: Martin Sande, Dialogues, Sweden

J – Digital platforms and tools for participation – Room C19

EMPATIA Project, Michelangelo Secchi, Scientific Coordinator

Consulproject, Miguel Arana Catania, the City of Madrid

Citizens Foundation, Róbert Bjarnason, Iceland

Moderator: Anders Nordh, SALAR; Sweden

K - Participatory Budgeting - important steps for success and results – Room C3

Josh Lerner, Participatory Budgeting Project, US

Councilor Joana Balsemão and Isabel Xavier Canning, the Municipality of Cascais, Portugal

Ahmad Rifai, Executive Director, Kota Kita, Experiences from Indonesia

DU Jing, Director, Research Department III, China Development Research Foundation (CDRF)

Moderator: Prof. Yves Cabannes the University College London

L – Participation in unexpected forms and ways – Room C4

Different forms of dialogue in Tuscany and other places, Giovanni Allegretti

IT-Guide, New arrivals help seniors with the digital divide, Gunilla Lundberg, Sweden

International Observatory on Participatory Democracy, Adrià Duarte, Coordinator

Dialogue with self-organizing groups in Cecina, Claudio Vanni former mayor of Cecina

Moderator: Magnus Liljeström SALAR

Plenary session - Banquette room

10:15 – 11:00 Active citizenship and participatory democracy around the world.

Bruno Kaufmann, the Global Democracy Correspondent at the Swiss Broadcasting Company reports back from a just concluded trip to five continents, 20 countries, 100 cities in 200 days.

11:00 International panel summing up the conference and looking forward

12:00 End of Conference and lunch

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