
**DIASPORAS AND THEIR
INVOLVEMENT IN PEACE PROCESSES**

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DATE AND LOCATION

14-16 MAY 2007
FIRST HOTEL LINNÉ, UPPSALA, SWEDEN

DAY ONE

12:00	17:00	Arrival
18:00	21:00	Welcome dinner Restaurang Lingon

DAY TWO

09:00	09:30	Opening Remarks Ashok Swain
09:30	11:00	Session One
11:00	11:15	Coffee Break
11:15	11:45	Session Two
11:45	14:15	Lunch
14:15	15:45	Session Three
15:45	16:00	Coffee Break
16:00	17:30	Session Four
17:30	21:30	Dinner Trattoria Commedia Ristorante Italiano

DAY THREE

09:00	09:15	Summary of Day Two proceedings Jonathan Hall
09:15	12:00	Roundtable discussion (all presenters) <i>Current state of research and future direction</i> Moderator: Ashok Swain
10:30	11:00	Coffee Break
12:00	13:30	Thanks and Lunch

SESSION ONE

Chair: Terrence Lyons

PRESENTERS

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| Kenneth Bush | Saint Paul University, Canada
<i>Diasporas and civil wars</i> |
| Mandy Turner | University of Bradford, UK
<i>Diasporas and post-conflict reconstruction</i> |

SESSION TWO

Chair: Feargal Cochrane

PRESENTERS

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| Vjieran Katunaric | University of Zagreb, Croatia
<i>Migration, conflict and peace processes in the former Yugoslavia</i> |
| Roland Kostic | Uppsala University, Sweden
<i>Bosnian and Herzegovinian diaspora</i> |

SESSION THREE

Chair: Mandy Turner

PRESENTERS

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| Feargal Cochrane | Lancaster University, UK
<i>Irish diaspora</i> |
| Eva Østergaard-Nielsen | Autonomous University of Barcelona, Spain
<i>Turkish and Kurdish diaspora</i> |

SESSION FOUR

Chair: Kenneth Bush

PRESENTERS

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| Terrence Lyons | George Mason University, USA
<i>Ethiopian diaspora</i> |
| Camilla Orjuela | Göteborg University, Sweden
<i>Sri Lankan diaspora</i> |

INFORMATION ON PRESENTERS

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GETTING TO UPPSALA

FROM ARLANDA TERMINALS 2, 4 & 5 TO UPPSALA CENTRAL STATION

The bus to Uppsala (801) leaves directly from bus stop 13 outside each terminal. The cost is 90 Kronor, which you pay to the driver. Cash machines are located inside the station.

Directions to find the bus are the same for each terminal. After entering the main arrival area, leave the terminal via the main exit. Locate bus stop number 13. (For Terminals 2 & 5, stop 13 is the last one to the right.) Take Bus 801. This bus will bring you directly to Uppsala Central Station. The bus leaves every 30 minutes starting at 4:15 in the morning and ending at 1:15 in the morning.

FROM UPPSALA CENTRAL STATION TO FIRST HOTEL LINNÉ

It is about a 20 minute leisurely walk from the station to the hotel. On the map below, the yellow dot with the number "1" in it marks First Hotel Linné, where most of the conference activities will take place. In the bottom right hand corner is Uppsala Central Station.

To get to the hotel, take Bangårdsgatan towards the river from the station (shown in white on the map). Cross Kungsgatan (in yellow on the map) and continue straight two blocks. Turn right on the walking street (Svartbäcksgatan, shown in pink on the map). Continue straight 9 blocks. Turn right on Skolgatan. First Hotel Linné will be a few doors down on your right at Skolgatan 45. Taxis are also readily available at Uppsala Central Station.



Check-in at First Hotel Linné is after 14:00. However, they may accommodate you earlier if the room has been cleaned. There is a storage room in the lobby where you may leave your bags. Please ask the front desk to assist you. The city center is open from 12:00-16:00 on weekends, and 10:00-18:00 on weekdays. If you have any questions or need any assistance while in Uppsala, you may contact me (Jonathan Hall) on my mobile: 073 404 56 34 (+46 73 404 56 34).

Welcome to Uppsala!