



WORLD INDIGENOUS NATIONS HIGHER EDUCATION CONSORTIUM

WINHEC Newsletter

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World Indigenous Research and Education Conference 2018 **#WIREC2018**

World Indigenous Research Alliance Conference, WIREC2018, starts August 22nd at noon at the same location. Website: <https://wirec2018.weebly.com/>

The name of the conference is "Igniting Knowledge Sharing: World Indigenous Research and Education 2018", and the planned conference fee is NOK 2 200 (approximately USD 280) including lunch, coffee, dinner and cultural arrangements but not accommodation.

THE AIM OF THE CONFERENCE

The aim of the conference is to bring together researchers to share experiences, discuss issues, tackle challenges and explore opportunities within the indigenous research field. The scope of the conference embraces disciplines such as: Traditional Craft and Contemporary Design, Indigenous Language, Indigenous Education, Media and Journalism, and Protection and Management of Environmental and Traditional Resources.

Themes of the conference are:

- i) Indigenous Artistic Expressions in a Contemporary Context
- ii) Indigenous Knowledge Embedded in Language
- iii) Internal Tensions in Indigenous Research and Social Mission
- iv) Indigenous Ways of Knowing and Being in Education
- v) Protection and Monitoring of Environmental and Traditional Resources

Deadlines for WIRA

Deadline for submitting abstracts: February 28, 2018

Registration: From November 1, 2017 to May 31, 2018

Fees and information for WIRA

Early bird special: from November 1 to May 31, 2018: 250 USD/2000 NOK

Ordinary registration: Jun 1, 2018: 280 USD/2200 NOK

What is included: 3 lunches, 2 dinners, cultural events

What is not included: Accommodation and travel.

WINHEC 2018 AGM

Sámi joatkkaskuvla ja boazodoalloskuvla/Sámi High School and Reindeer Husbandry School and Sámi allaskuvla/Sámi University of Applied Sciences has the pleasure to host the WINHEC AGM 2018 on behalf of World Indigenous Nations Higher Education Consortium

World Indigenous Nations Higher Education Consortium Annual General Meeting

2018 August 20th – 22nd in Sápmi

Date: From morning August 20th through lunch August 22nd

Location: Diehtosiida, Guovdageaidnu/Kautokeino, Norway

WINHEC Executive Pre-AGM Meeting: Sunday Aug19th 10 am. at Diehtosiida

[Register here](#)

Note that registration is open to Aug 1st

Ordinary Registration Fee: NOK 2100 (USD 250)

Early Bird Registration Fee: NOK 1600 (USD 190) Deadline June 1th

What is Included: 2 Lunches, 2 Dinners, Coffee/Tea/Refreshments, Cultural Events

What is Not Included: Accommodation and Travel

WINHEC 2018 Indigenous Youth Camp Fee: NOK 400 (USD 50)

What is Included: Accommodation and food at the Sámi joatkkaskuvla ja boazodoalloskuvla/Sámi High School and Reindeer Husbandry School

What is Not Included: Travel

Cancellation/Refund Policy

Registrants canceling their registration before June 1th 2018 will receive a 50% refund of the registration fee.

Email cancellation requests to: winhecagm2018@samisk.vgs.no

For more Information please visit: <https://www.facebook.com/events/145588219592989/>

If you have any questions please email us: winhecagm2018@samisk.vgs.no

WINHEC 2018 Indigenous Youth Camp

There will be a special program for youth participating WINHEC 2018.

We have a group working on a special program for the youth attending WINHEC AGM 2018.

Together with the students at the Sámi High School and Reindeer Husbandry school, we have some suggestions for possible activities during the week. We want the youth to learn something, to discover something, and to have an experience of a lifetime.

- Reindeer calf marking. For some reindeer herding areas, this is the season for marking the reindeer calves born in May. This is always depending on weather and whether the reindeer has started to migrate south towards the fall grazing lands. This is an activity that we cannot guarantee. But IF timing is right, this will be a three-day tour up in the mountains. It will be different kind of activities, with focus on reindeer. For this trip, students will have to be prepared for primitive conditions.
- Experience subsistence livelihood, how to live of the land. We will go fishing, berry-picking, and make traditional dishes of it. The food is in focus.
- Movie-night. Watch Sámi movies together. Our students tell about the movies, where they are made, what they are about, and background. We can also run a film-workshop together with International Sámi Film Institute.
- Join our Sámi handicraft classes. Make something traditional Sámi that they can take home with them as a memory.
- Joik-haka or some other traditional music and dance performances battle. Is this possible to organize?
- Food-day: make traditional sámi food together. Serve it to other students at the school.
- Football tournament
- Work-shops on different themes concerning indigenous issues. Present these at WIRA.
- Land-based activities.

The camp days will involve pairing our youth with other indigenous youth. We will co-deliver videos, photos and short stories grounded in the experiences and practical activities they have got in local environments settings, and in a way that honours Sámi values and ways of learning.

About The Sami Parliament in Norway

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sami_Parliament_of_Norway

Hotels:

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