

Digital History – a Field, a Method or just a Phase?

2nd Digital History in Sweden Conference (DHiS2019)

Gothenburg, November 14–15, 2019

Organized by

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Conference program

Venue:

Room 2150, Department of Historical Studies, Eklandagatan 86 (Thursday)
and Room C363, Humanisten, Lundgrensgatan 1B (Friday)

Program overview

Thursday, November 14

- 09.00–09.30 **Registration and coffee**
- 09.30–09.45 **Introduction and practical information**
- 09.45–11.00 **Keynote lecture**
- 11.00–12.00 **Session 1**
- 12.00–13.00 **Lunch**
- 13.00–14.45 **Session 2**
- 14.45–15.15 **Coffee**
- 15.15–17.00 **Session 3**
- 18.30– **Conference dinner**

Friday, November 15

- 09.00–11.00 **Session 4**
- 11.00–11.30 **Coffee**
- 11.30–12.45 **Panel discussion**
- 12.45–13.00 **Concluding remarks**
- 13.00–14.00 **Lunch**

Keynote lecture

Thursday, 09.45–11.00

Perspektiv från en digital bildhistoriker

Karin Wagner (University of Gothenburg)

Chair: Anna Åberg (Chalmers University of Technology)

Session 1: Practices of digital history

Thursday, 11.00–12.00

Chair: Anna Åberg (Chalmers University of Technology)

“A sedate, hesitant, circumspect, little behavioral revolution” – The case of New Political History 1957–1970

Theo Röhle (Karlstad University & University of Gothenburg)

Looking for Patterns in Diverse Conversations – The Swedish National Bibliography as a Digital Source for Historical Research

Ylva Sommerland (Swedish National Bibliography, National Library of Sweden)

Digital contextualization: Computational methods in the qualitative interpretation of history

Jacob Orrje (Uppsala University)

Digital history: an expansion of tools and skills. The example of the skill of structuring data

Frank van der Most (Lund University)

Session 2: Digitised sentiments

Thursday, 13.00–14.45

Chair: Kenneth Nyberg (University of Gothenburg)

Time-scape and Landscape: Digital methods in the study of medieval lived religion

Sara Ellis Nilsson (Linnæus University & Lund University)

Measuring Empathy in the Thirteenth Century: Reflections on the Metrics of Emotions and Operationalization of Qualitative Concepts for Quantitative Purposes

Wojtek Jezierski (Södertörn University & University of Gothenburg)

At fange forandringer: Digitale undersøgelser af mobilitet og cirkulation

Johan Heinsen & Maria Simonsen (Aalborg Universitet)

What is “political” in Swedish newspapers 1960–1979? Word embeddings and historical change

Alexandra Borg (Uppsala University), Erik Edoff (Umeå University), Miriam Hurtado Bodell (Linköping University), Johan Jarlbrink (Umeå University), Måns Magnusson (Aalto University) & Fredrik Norén (Umeå University)

Textual analysis of digitized newspapers in economic and social history

Matti La Mela (Aalto University)

Towards mining the history of the active patient

Ylva Söderfeldt, Matts Lindström & Karl Berglund (Uppsala University)

Att skapa digitala stjärnor: Digitalisering av astronomiska fotografiska arkiv

Gustav Holmberg (Göteborgs universitet)

Session 3: Digitising sources

Thursday, 15.15–17.00

Chair: Kenneth Nyberg (University of Gothenburg)

Investigating digitisation practices in archival institutions

Helle Strandgaard Jensen (Aarhus University)

Att beforska digitiserade kulturarvssamlingar – visioner, möjligheter och utmaningar

Cecilia Notini (Riksarkivet), Christopher Natzén (Kungliga biblioteket) & Lars Björk (Kungliga biblioteket)

Digitalhistoriska projekt på Centrum för Digital Humaniora

Cecilia Lindhé & Johan Åhlfeldt (Göteborgs universitet)

Om relationen mellan politik och tillgänglighet: Exemplet Statens offentliga utredningar

Anders Pedersson (Göteborgs universitet)

Arbetarrörelsens minne: Digitalisering av års- och verksamhetsberättelser från fackliga organisationer, 1880–2018

Jenny Langkjaer (Arbetarrörelsens arkiv och bibliotek)

Vetenskapen vs vanligt folk: Digitalisering av kulturarv i samarbete och konflikt med allmänhet

Luitgard Löw & Brita Planck (Västergötlands museum)

From Swedenborg photolithographs to Linnaeus correspondence: Experiences from the archives of the Swedish Academy of Sciences

Karl Grandin (Center for History of Science, Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences)

Session 4: Digitising locations, places & spaces

Friday, 09.00–11.00

Chair: Mats Fridlund (University of Gothenburg)

Of mummies, boxes and sailors: Digitizing new archival materials about historical relations between Sweden and Malta

Cecilia Lindhé (University of Gothenburg)

Enriched digital editions: Georeferences, prosopographies and art history gazetteers for Pausanias's Description of Greece

Nasrin Mostofian (Uppsala University)

Historiska farsoter: Datainsamling, metodproblem och möjligheter

Daniel Larsson (Göteborgs universitet)

Mapping the Tourist Guidebook: Digital Approaches to the History of Attractions

Sune Bechmann Pedersen (Lund University)

Distant Reading and Individual Experiences: An Experiment of Corpus Analysis with Sexual Autobiographies

Riikka Taavetti (University of Helsinki & Södertörn University)

Digital historia på Skebobruks Museum

Ola Hjelm (Skebobruks Museum)

Representation and belonging: Transnational Memory-work at the Intersection of Feminisms and Hip-hop culture

Susan Lindholm (Södertörn University)

“[...] in lieu of direct images” – on Microhistories, digital history and the visualization of the past

Andrej Slávik (Konstfack University of Arts, Crafts and Design)

Panel discussion

Friday, 11.30–12.45

Moderator: Mats Fridlund (University of Gothenburg)

Överflödets historiska utmaningar: Hur ska dagens och framtidens digitala historiska praktiker hantera källornas mångfald?

Lars Björk (Kungliga biblioteket), Frank van der Most (Lunds universitet), Cecilia Notini (Riksarkivet) & Jacob Orrje (Uppsala universitet)

Hur ska historiker idag och i framtiden hantera källornas mångfald dels i form av prioriteringar då det finns så mycket att digitalisera, dels att det nu finns så mycket att beforska i form av digitaliserade texter att använda sig av, dels så mycket att läsa i form av sekundära texter och källmaterial?

Conference venues

14 November

1. Room 2150, Department of Historical Studies, Eklandagatan 86

Registration, keynote lecture and sessions 1–3

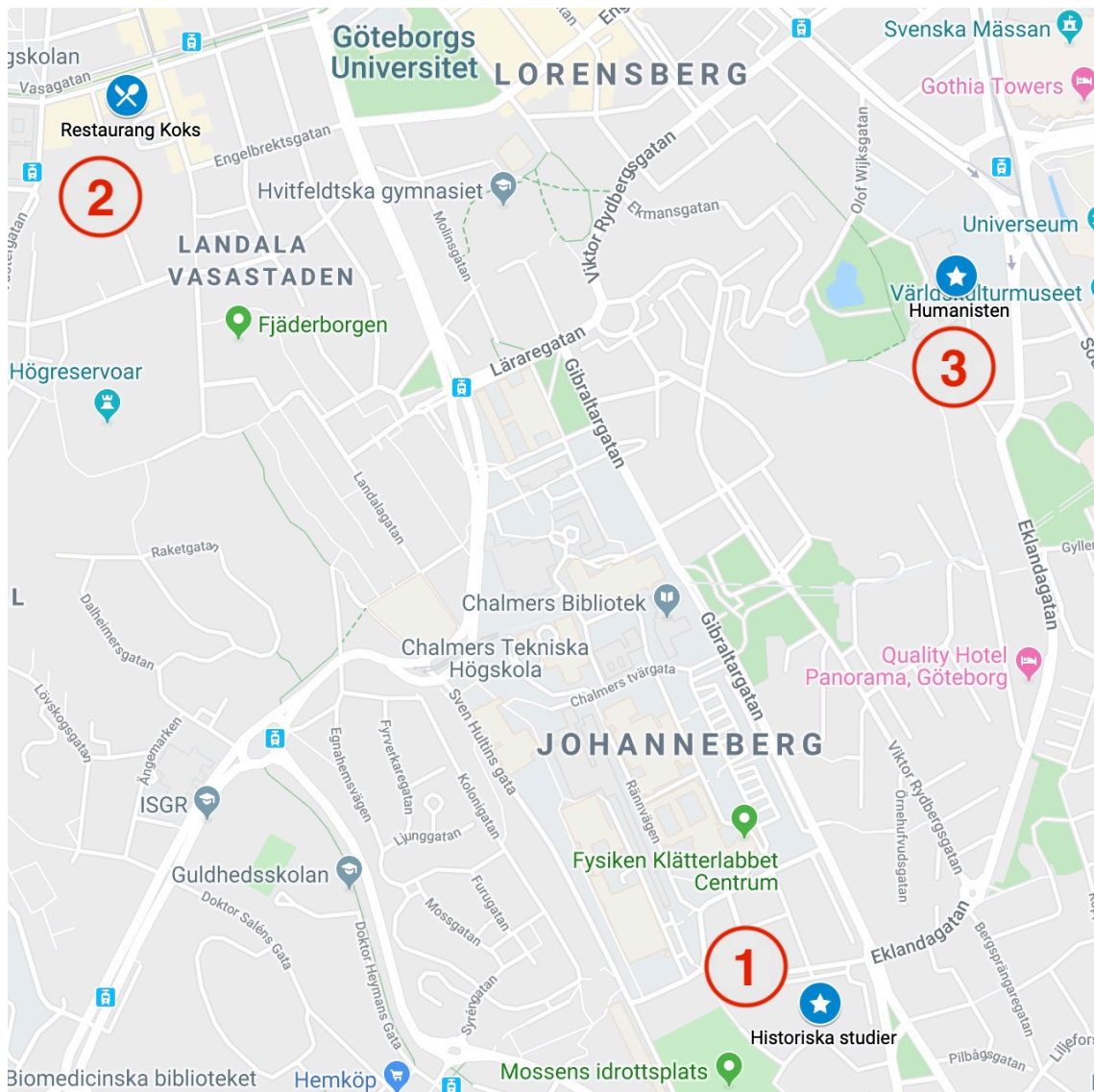
2. Restaurang Koks, Vasagatan 9

Conference dinner

15 November

3. Room C363, Humanisten, Lundsgrens-gatan 1B

Session 4 and concluding panel discussion



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