

Seminar on human rights and research

The Norwegian Academy of Science and Letters in co-operation with the Academies of Sweden, Denmark and Finland

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Venue: The Norwegian Academy of Science and Letters,
Drammensveien 78, Oslo

Programme

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| 10.00–10.10 | Opening of the seminar. Kirsti Strøm Bull (Preses, The Norwegian Academy of Science and Letters) |
| 10.10–11.00 | The International Human Rights Network of Academies and Scholarly Societies: what it does and why it does it. Carol Corillon (Director, Committee on Human Rights, Washington DC) |
| 11.00–11.30 | Human rights research agendas. Some examples from the Nordic and European countries. Nils A. Butenschøn (Director, Norwegian Centre for Human Rights) |
| 11.30–11.50 | Coffee/tea |
| 11.50–12.10 | What can academies of science do to promote human rights?
Arne Haaland (Former leader of the Academy's Committee on Human Rights) |
| 12.10–12.40 | Human rights and the death penalty. Mahmood Amiry-Moghaddam (Member of the Academy's Committee on Human Rights) |
| 12.40–13.10 | Human rights and the Holocaust: the example of <i>Kvinnelige tidsvitner. Fortellinger fra Holocaust</i> . Jakob Lothe (Leader of the Academy's Committee on Human Rights) |