

# RECEPTION



# **WELCOME**



- Fellows, Members and Guests to The Royal Philatelic Society London
- Patrons and Supporters to STOCKHOLMIA 2019

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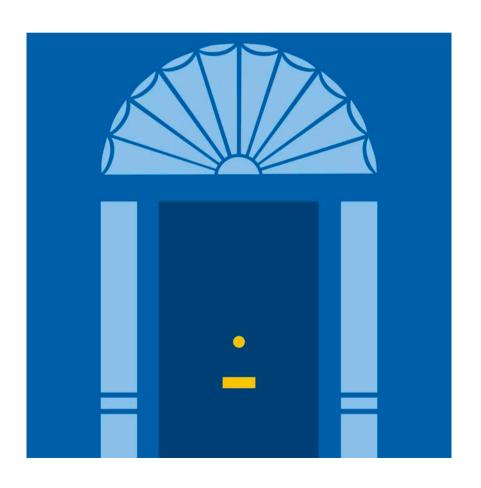




# The Royal Philatelic Society London

Today the International Centre of Excellence for Philately





1869 - 2019

# The Sesquicentennial Anniversary



THE INTERNATIONAL CELEBRATION OF THE 150TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ROYAL PHILATELIC SOCIETY LONDON

# **SCOPE**



- Current Progress
- Announcement of Court of Honor
- Announcement of STOCKHOLMIA LIBRARY and Activities

Jonas Hällström RDP FRPSL

Exhibition Manager

STOCKHOLMIA201

### **VISION**





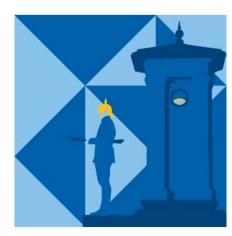




The aim of STOCKHOLMIA 2019 is to develop and improve the existing standards for philatelic events worldwide. STOCKHOLMIA 2019 may in the future be recognised as a new milestone for competitive philately conducted through the exhibition format.







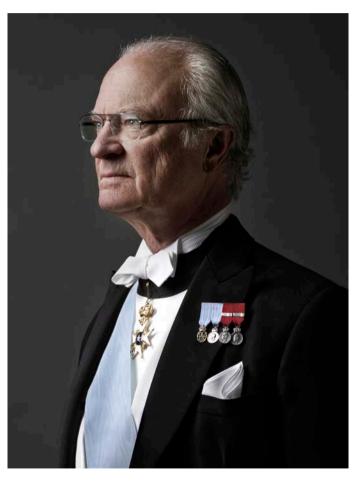
# **PATRONS**

# The Society



Her Majesty The Queen Elizabeth II

# The Exhibition



H.M. King Carl XVI Gustaf of Sweden

# **EXHIBITION MEDAL**



The unique STOCKHOLMIA medal in classic format and style has two front faces, tracing the two countries' equal importance by depicting the world's most recognized stamps in stylized design.

Sebastian Schildt Medal Designer

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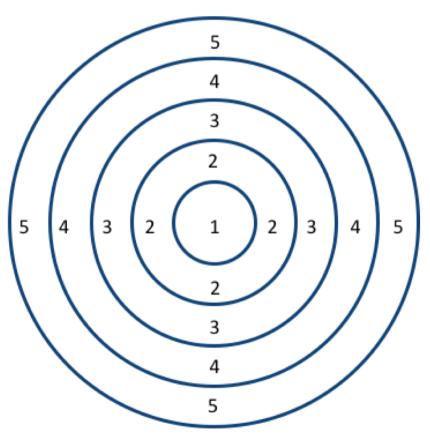








- 1. Financial Commitment
- 2. Work Commitment
  - o Management Team
  - o Company Staff
- 3. Extensive Marketing
- 4. Networking
- 5. "Rarity Auction of the Century"
- 6. Grand Award



# **GRAND AWARD**



# **THE GRAND AWARD**



# WELCOME TO OUR STAND



# **STOCKHOLMIA 2019**

## STOCKHOLM WATERFRONT CONGRESS CENTRE





# **LOCATION**





# **COMPREHENSIVE** PHILATELIC PROGRAM

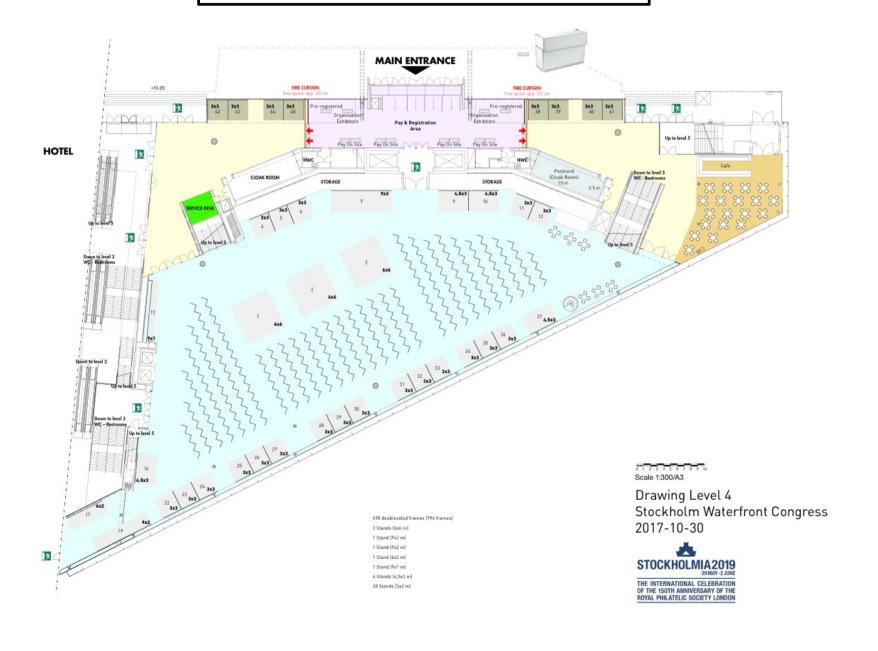
### Opening hours

- 28-5 Tuesday 3.00-7.00 p.m. Vernissage for Exhibitors, Dealers and **Invited Guests**
- 10.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. 29-5 Wednesday Open to the public
- 30-5 Thursday 10.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. Open to the public
- 31-5 Friday 10.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. Open to the public
- 10.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. 1-6 Saturday Open to the public
- Sunday 10.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. Open to the public

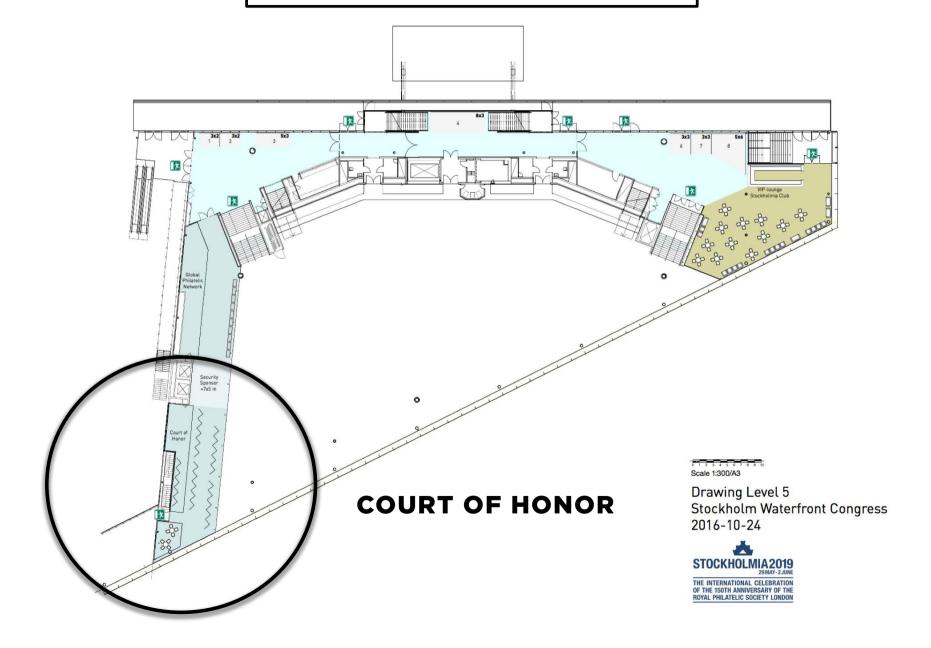
- ✓ Auditorium 1,500 seats
  - ✓ Opening Ceremony
  - ✓ Daily RPSL Meeting conducted as a 3 p.m. Presentation
  - ✓ Rarity Auction
- √ 15 Meeting Rooms
  - ✓ Philatelic Congress of Great Britain
  - ✓ Cinderella Congress
  - ✓ Literature Releases
  - ✓ Society Meetings
  - ✓ Presentations
- ✓ RDP Ceremony
- ✓ AIJP Congress
- ✓ AEP Meeting

... to be developed

# **LEVEL 4**



# LEVEL 5



# COURT OF HONOR THE SOCIETY'S PATRON



Patron Her Majesty The Queen







THE GOLDEN COLLECTION OF SWEDISH PHILATELY



**SELECTED** 



Tomas Bjäringer RDP Hon. FRPSL

RPSL PUBLICATIONS CRAWFORD WINNERS



# **Kings and Queens in Philately**

### 1. Who are the Collectors?

- In the past, most members of Royalty received proofs and stamps with their effigy from their relevant postal authorities. The list of members of Royalty would be far too long to list ...
- The King, Queen or Prince must have been personally involved in searching for specific items for his or her collection or in one way or another have promoted the Royal collection inherited or improved from another member of the family.

Even with this restriction, the list is not at all short ...



### Some Names

King ALPHONSO XIII of Spain

King CAROL II of Romania

From left to right : Théodore Champion, King



Carol and Sir John Wilson

King **FAROUK I** of Egypt



Sultan FUAD of Egypt, later King FUAD



King GEÖRGE V King GEORGE VI

King HUSSEIN of Jordan

Prince KARL EGON III of Furstenberg



Prince GUSTAV **ADOLPH** of Sweden King LEOPOLD III King of the Belgians and his son, the future King Baudouin

Prince RAINIER III of Monaco



Princess Maha Chakri SIRINDHORN

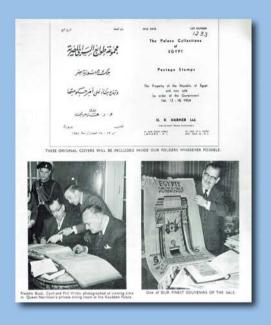
Prince Alphonso DORIA-**PAMPHILI** 

### 3. What will be seen during Stockholmia?









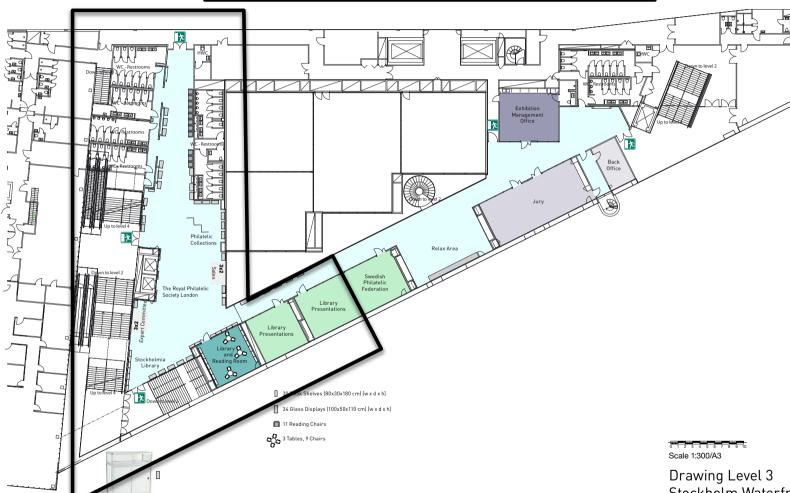
Items from various Royal collections, including some truly exceptional items

Related philatelic items, including ephemera, documents, and pictures relating to Royal collectors.

Action catalogues of Royal collections and much more...



# **LEVEL 3**



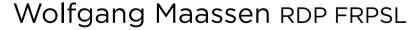
**STOCKHOLMIA LIBRARY** 

Drawing Level 3 Stockholm Waterfront Congress 2017-10-25



# STOCKHOLMIA LIBRARY

- AIJP Patronage
- Managed by Wolfgang Maassen
- Selection from BJÄRINGER LIBRARY (Court of Honor)
  - RPSI Publications
  - Crawford Winners
- Reading Room
  - Stockholmia Literature Class
- Two Library presentations Rooms
  - Full time program from 11.00 to 17.30 each day
  - Educational subjects aiming authors and publishers
  - Lectures about early philatelic literature in different countries
  - Capacity for 8 book presentation each day



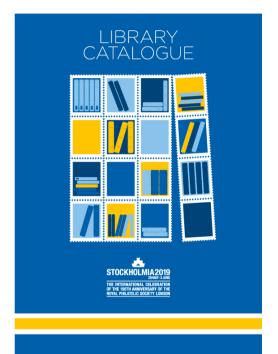
Philatelic Literature Authority and Bibliophile
AIJP President





# STOCKHOLMIA CATALOGUES





Release date 11 April 2019 in London at the "Past Presidents Display" at the RPSL

Wolfgang Maassen RDP FRPSL

Philatelic Literature Authority and Bibliophile AIJP President





# STOCKHOLMIA LIBRARY CATALOGUE

#### □ RPSL Publications

 Each book presented, with different photos and a short description

#### □ Crawford Winners

 Each book will be presented, a few books on one or two pages, with different photos and a short description

### □ STOCKHOLMIA 2019 Literature Display Entries

Court of Honour Library books by Tomas
 Bjäringer: 20 glass cabinets (show cases) and each one is good for up to six items

### □ STOCKHOLMIA 2019 Literature Competitive Entries

- Each entry presented with the bibliographical data (and adress where to buy)



ca 300 Pages

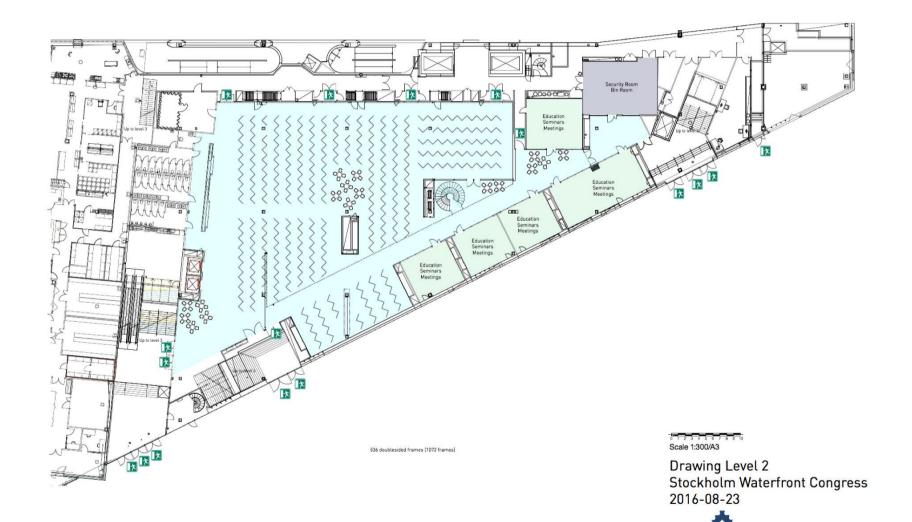
### **KEY ARTICLE**

# Mårten Sundberg Prepares Article about the Society for the STOCKHOLMIA 2019 Exhibition Catalogue



The scope for that article will be to reflect the Society's current everyday life. More precisely: In fifty years' time, when we will have our 200th anniversary, a reader of this article should be able to understand how the everyday of the Society was performed fifty years ago (2019)

# **LEVEL 2**



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29MAY-2 JUNE
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# STAND HOLDER TEAM

### Level 5

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Germany	3
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Netherlands	1
Norway	1
Poland	1
Sweden	13
Switzerland	3
Thailand	1
United Kingdom	12
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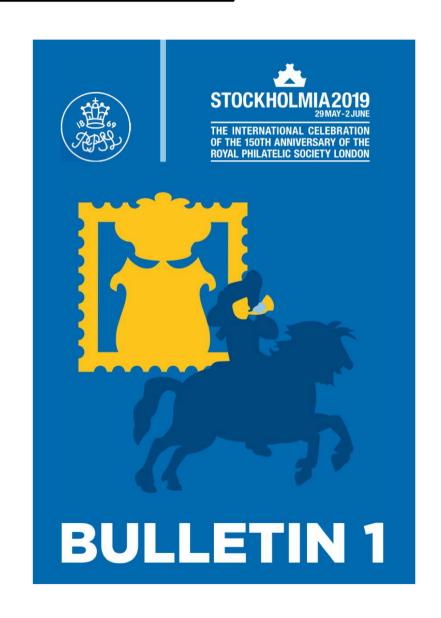
### Level 4

- 7 Additional Stands Recently Released
- All sold out

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42	To be Announced Shortly
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44	Peter F. Harlos KG

# **BULLETIN 1**

Invitation to Display



### YOU ARE INVITED



#### **FELLOWS AND MEMBERS - YOU ARE ALL INVITED**

As the Society's Overseas Representative for the very active group of Swedish Fellows and Members, I was happy to take on the role of Commissioner General to STOCKHOLMIA 2019 - The International Celebration of the 150th Anniversary of The Royal Philatelic Society London.



#### It is my great privilege as Commissioner General to be able to invite you all as participants in this event.

At STOCKHOLMIA 2019, the largest club exhibition The Individual Regulations of the Exhibition (IREX) ever organised, there will be possibilities for Fellows are presented in this bulletin. and Members of the Society to show their exhibits. either in competitive or non-competitive classes. I ask you to read them carefully as they give guidance requirement for participation.

The competitive classes will be judged by a highly qualified international jury and any result of the judging will qualify you for further exhibiting as from a British national exhibition under ABPS patronage. with 1, 5, 6, 7 or 8 frames.

Not only as the Commissioner General, but also as a long-time collector myself. I know that many of us have collecting interests that are not suitable or possible to exhibit in the normal competitive classes. At STOCKHOLMIA 2019 there will be a large number of frames available for non-competitive Jan Berg exhibits and we specially invite those of you who have never exhibited before. In the non-competitive class you can chose from any number of frames between 1 and 8.

There are no pre-qualifications required; membership on how to proceed with your application that must be of The Royal Philatelic Society London is the only received by the Commissioner General no later than 30th April 2018. If you have any questions before sending in your application, you are always welcome to contact me by email:

#### commissioner@stockholmia2019.se

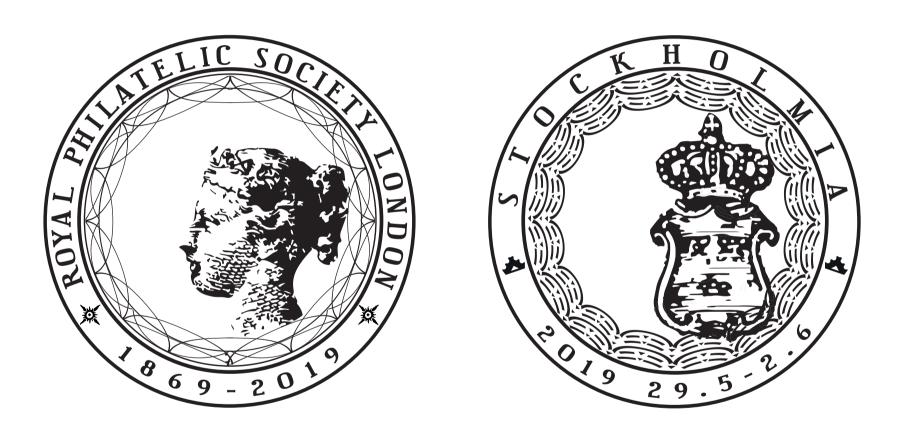
In the competitive classes you choose to participate I am looking forward to your application and hopefully to see you in Stockholm in 2019.



Commissioner General

- √ 2,000 frames
- ✓ All (only) RPSL Members worldwide
- ✓ Non-Competitive Class
- ✓ Competitive Class
- ✓ Exhibit format: 1 or 5 to 8 frames
  - ✓ format optional
  - ✓ no pre-qualification required all RPSL members are qualified
  - ✓ selection by appointed committee
- International Jury

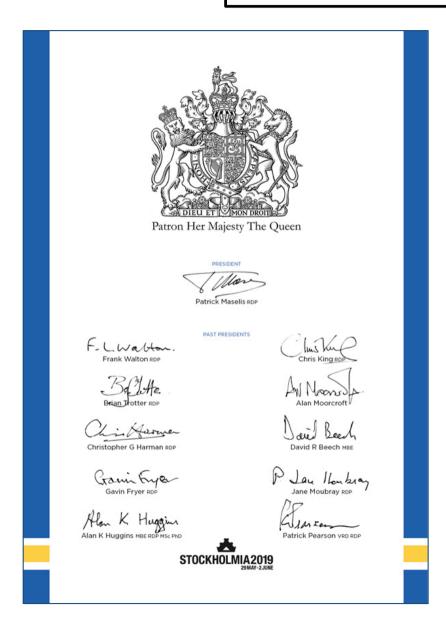
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Sebastian Schildt

# **CERTIFICATE**





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## **APPLICATION**



Application received	Application accepted		
Exhibit No.	Frame No.		
BIN-room at the exhibition	BIN-room at the RPSL		

Mr. /Mrs. /Miss Family name	Given name	Given name			
Postal address	E-mail				
	Telephone				
Title of the exhibit					
Short description of the exhibit					
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#### Insurance and Liability (see also IREX chapters 18 and 22)

I confirm that the material is submitted entirely at my own risk and undertake to make my own arrangements with regard to the insurance of the entry whilst it is out of my possession.

I confirm that all material in this entry is my bona fide property and that all information given is correct.

l agree that World Philatelic Exhibition 2019 AB, the organisers of Stockholmia 2019 shall not be liable whether in contract, in tort, under any statute or otherwise for damage to or loss of my exhibit and for any loss consequential therets including but do not limited to loss of profit and loss of opportunity. Nothing in this declaration shall exclude or limit liability in respect of fraud or any

I understand that it is my responsibility to obtain suitable insurance for the entire period that my exhibit will be held by World Philatelic Exhibition 2019 AB, the organisers of Stockholmia 2019.

I note that it is a condition of acceptance of my exhibit that my insurer waives all rights of subrogation against World Philatelic Exhibition 2019 AB, the organisers of Stockholmia 2019 and I confirm that it is a term of my insurance policy that there is such a waiver from my insurer or if then o such waiver, I attach a waiver from my insurer of all its rights of subrogation against World Philatelic Exhibition 2019 AB, the organisers of Stockholmia 2019.

I agree that the limitations on liability contained herein and in the IREX are reasonable in all circumstances at the date hereof and that World Philatelic Exhibition 2019 AB, the organisers, may assign any or all of their rights and/or obligations under this document.

I the undersigned (Exhibitor) hereby confirm that I have carefully read all the paragraphs in the IREX and I agree to accept the rules and regulations (IREX) relating to Stockholmia 2019 including specifically the exclusion of the liability of the organisers contained therein.

Date	Signature
Mail this application f	orm, together with the introductory title page, to:
Postal address:	Stockholmia 2019, Commissioner General, Box 55, SE-432 22 VARBERG, SWEDEN
F-mail address:	commissioner@stockholmia2019 se

## **APRIL 2018**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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## **SOCIAL PROGRAM**

- 28 May VERNISSAGE 3.00-7.00 p.m.
- 29 May OPENING CEREMONY
- 29 May STOCKHOLMIA CLUB DINNER
- 30 May STOCKHOLMIA WELCOME RECEPTION
- 31 May EXCURSION
- 31 May RDP CEREMONY
- 1 June STOCKHOLMIA BANQUET

# **SOCIAL PROGRAM**





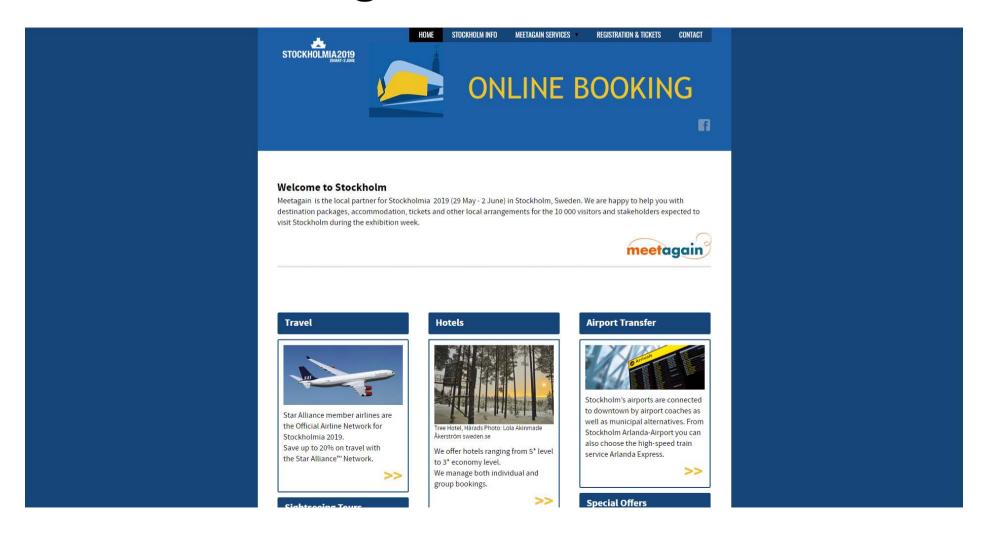






# **DESTINATION MANAGEMENT**

# www.meetagain-stockholmia2019.se



# **PILOT PATRONS**

Venue



Frames

Catalogues



**Gustaf Douglas** 



Jan-Olof Ljungh



Erivan Haub



Alan & Mitch Holyoake

# **LEADERSHIP PATRONS**







# **→ PATRONS & SUPPORTERS**

•	LEADERSHIP PATRONS	15
•	GOLD PATRONS	48
•	PATRONS	17
•	SUPPORTERS	12

# Who wants to be the 100<sup>th</sup>?

**TOTAL** 

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99 → → →

>150

# **TODAY'S HANDOUT**



Presented to Fellows, Members and Guests attending the reception hosted by the President of The Royal Philatelic Society London

#### THE STOCKHOLMIA RECEPTION



1 December, 7.00 p.m. at Hôtel Hermitage, Monaco on the occasion of MonacoPhil 2017

# **Philipp von Ferrari**

The Golden Colour Error, 3 Skilling Banco Yellow, and Harry Wennberg's re-offering of von Ferrari's Colemion of Sweden

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### **TODAY'S HANDOUT**

#### **Gustaf Douglas acquires the 3 Skilling Banco Yellow**

He renames it The Golden Colour Error, 3 Skilling Banco Yellow, and since then his collection is titled The Golden Collection of Swedish Philately



Thanks to the late, famous stamp dealer, (right) Brian Moorhouse (1949-2017), acting as the successful agent when Gustaf Douglas completed a private purchase, from 2013 "The Golden Colour Error, 3 Skilling Banco Yellow" has returned to a genuine collection of classical Swedish philately. The first presentation of the stamp in its new home, "The Golden Collection of Swedish Philately", was made at The Royal Philatelic Society London on 31 October 2013 (below).



# Von Ferrari's Foremost Gem of Swedish Philately

The Golden Colour Error, 3 Skilling Banco Yellow



Reconstruction by Robert Mattson (1952-) of the original letter mail with The Golden Colour Error, 3 Skilling Banco Yellow, based on the finder, Georg Wilhelm Backman's statements.



In 1885, the 3 Skilling Banco Yellow was found by Georg Wilhelm Backman (left), who at the age of 14, visited his grandmother during his Christmas school holidays. His grandmother was the widow of P.W. Sillén, a landowner, who lived at Munga Gård (right) in Västmanland County.

Backman's grandmother had promised him some Skilling Banco stamps on covers, addressed to the Sillén Family. On one of the covers he found a 3 Skilling Banco



in yellow. As the colour error is, in practise, a printing mistake resulting from a mix up of the plates when printing the yellow 8 skilling stamps, a possible explanation of Backman's find is that it was a single stamp, correctly paying the 8 skilling banco for the second domestic letter rate.

When Backman returned to Stockholm he sold the colour error to Heinrich Lichtenstein, a stamp dealer, who paid SEK 7 for the stamp. Nine years later it came into the possession of Sigmund Friedl, a stamp dealer in Vienna, and thus it found its way into the collection of Philipp von Ferrari. At his death, the colour error was sold at the 4th Ferrari Sale in Paris, on  $14{\text -}16$  June 1922. It was bought by the Swedish collector Eric G.E. Leijonhufvud for  $35{,}250$  francs (SEK  $12{,}000$ ) (right).



### **TODAY'S HANDOUT**

#### [Frimärkskungen]

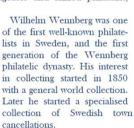
# Harry Wennberg The King of Stamps

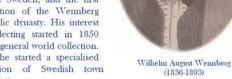
Tomas Bjäringer RDP Hon. FRPSL (1946-) has developed this article based on an original piece written (38 pages) by Björn Sylwan (1946-2011). Tomas uses the same title as the original article, which was published in *Postryttaren* (the annual year book issued by the Swedish Postal Museum) in 2004. Tomas addresses the 1922 Wemberg re-offering of von Ferrari's collection of Sweden, and presents further original thoughts on the subject, which are published here for the first time. The editing, typesetting and translation into English are by Jonas Hällström RDP FRPSL with great support from Chris King RDP FRPSL.

The stamp dealer Seth Harry Rudolf Wennberg was born on 4 March 1872, contemporary with the final usage of the Swedish öre value Coat-of-Arms Type II definitives, and only four months prior to the introduction of the Circle Type. Harry Wennberg's father was Wilhelm August Wennberg (1836-1893), an engineer employed in the cellulose industry. Harry's fascination with stamps began at the age of 8, after the family's move to Norway, where his father, as a knowledgeable and skilled philatelist, captured his interest in the hobby.



Seth Harry Rudolf Wennberg (1872-1927) was the second generation of active philatelists from the Wennberg dynasty. The author of this article, Tomas Bjäringer, being the fourth generation.





This specialised collection reached its peak 30 years later with more than 8,000 stamps. Wilhelm Wennberg's membership number in the Swedish Philatelic Club, where he was an active member until his premature death in 1893, was #29.

Sweden released its first stamps in 1855, preceded by fifty other countries. The first Swedish Skilling Banco stamps, Coat-of-Arms Type I, was issued on 1 July 1855. The average age among the first active philatelists in Sweden was low, and the contemporary stamp dealers in the 1870s were few. In 1880, a rumour was circulating concerning a philatelic rarity, the Circle Type Printing, Perforation 13 error, TRETIO instead of TJUGO (20/TRETIO).

# Catalogue of Stamps from the Ferrari Collection of Sweden

[KATALOG ÖVER SVENSKA FRIMÄRKEN FRÅN FERRARI-SAMLINGARNA]

# Reprint of Harry Wennberg's Catalogue re-offering von Ferrari's Collection of Sweden

Two different editions of the catalogue from 1922 were prepared. Both editions had the same content and layout, but the primary edition was prepared for surface mail (opposite page) with a better paper. The secondary edition (below) was prepared on newsprint, intended for airmail.



Cover page from the re-offer catalogue printed in newsprint intended for airmail.

# Are You Getting Prepared yet for STOCKHOLMIA 2019? Exhibiting or Visiting?



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