

STOCKHOLM 2008

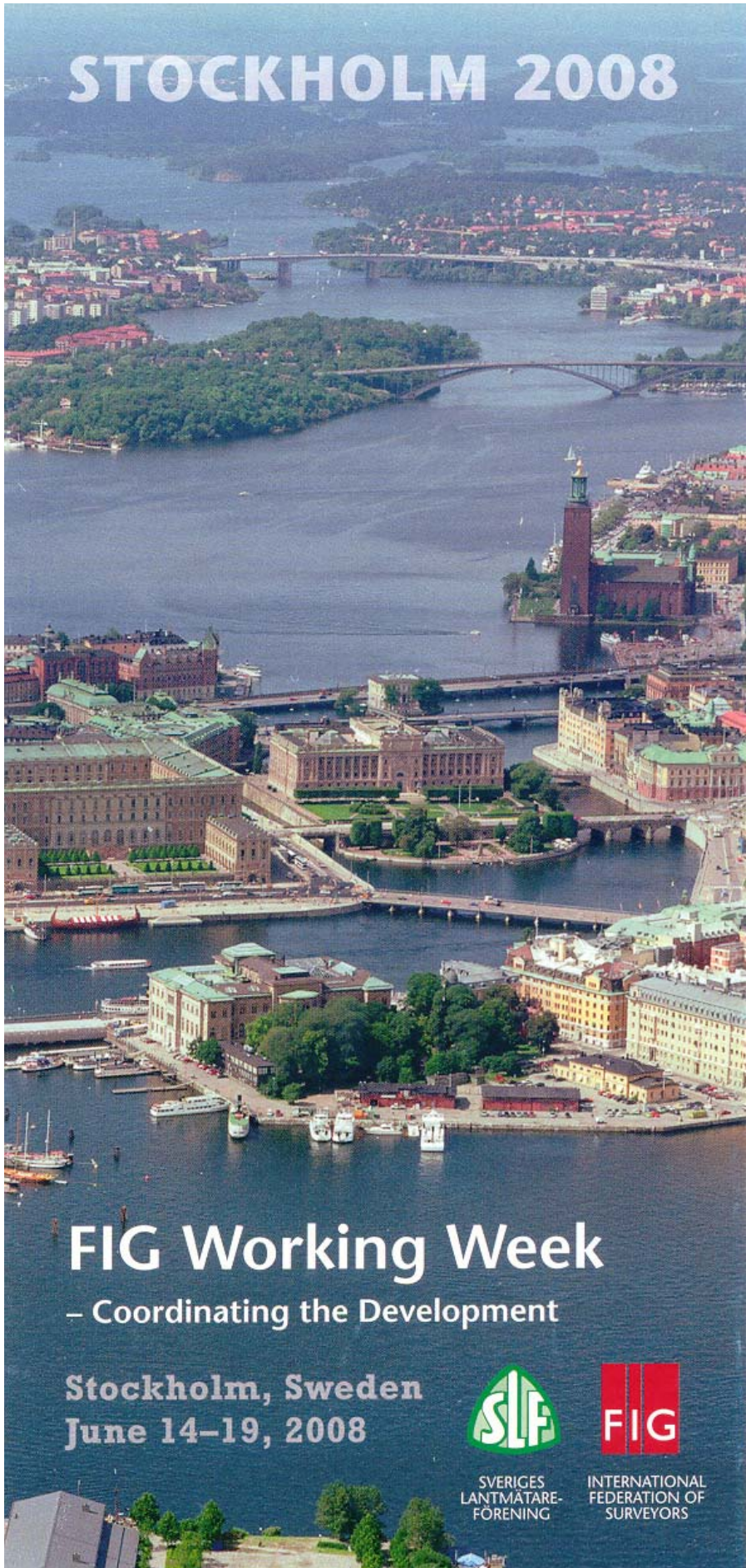


FIG Working Week

– Coordinating the Development

Stockholm, Sweden
June 14–19, 2008



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LANTMÄTARE-
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SURVEYORS



INVITATION

Conference venue, Norra Latin is located in the heart of the city.

Dear colleague,

The FIG Working Week 2008 will be held in Stockholm, Sweden in June 2008, the week before the Sweden's most traditional celebration, "Midsummer". This FIG main conference in 2008 is hosted jointly by the International Federation of Surveyors (FIG) and the Swedish Association of Chartered Surveyors (Sveriges Lantmätareförening) (SLF) which will at the same time celebrate its 100th Anniversary.

The conference will take place in the heart of the city of Stockholm at the Stockholm City Conference Centre, a historical grammar school "Norra Latin" with all main attractions of the city (City Hall, the Old Town, the Royal Palace and the main shopping areas) within a walking distance. The venue offers latest meeting facilities in a traditional building. To the participants convenient access to the conference centre and to meeting facilities the conference hotel has been selected in the same quarter where the meetings will take place. The other hotels are also located within walking distance.

During this period of the year, the summer days in Stockholm are long and the sunlight last more or less around the clock. In the beginning of June there will be a wide range of opportunities for the participants to come closer to the Swedish traditions and cultural life. You can visit the medieval old town ("Gamla Stan"), the Royal Castle, famous Vasa Museum or enjoy the summer



Welcome reception will be held at the Stockholm City Hall – venue for the dinner of the annual Nobel Prize Award.

beauty of this capital of thousand islands. Some of the main attractions can also be seen during the technical tours which includes a boat tour to the archipelago or during the social events (e.g. during the FIG Foundation Dinner at the Vasa Museum during which you can visit this famous ship from 1628). The pre- and post-conference tours include an option to experience Lapland, enjoy Midsummer in Dalarna or take a ferry to Finland or visit the white nights of St. Petersburg.

The conference is sponsored by the National Land Survey of Sweden (Lantmäteriet) and Swedesurvey. The technical tours will take you to the LMV headquarters in Gävle outside Stockholm.

The hosting associations SLF was founded in 1908 and has today about 1,800 members. They represent all surveying disciplines and Sweden is especially strong in the cadastre and geoinformatics, real estate market and valuation. SLF has been in charge for several FIG commissions recently very actively in Commissions 4, 5, 7 and 8.

On behalf of the local organising committee, SLF and FIG we kindly invite you to FIG Working Week 2008 in Stockholm.

We look forward to meeting you in Stockholm.

Mr. Svante Astermo
President of SLF

Prof. Holger Magel
President of FIG



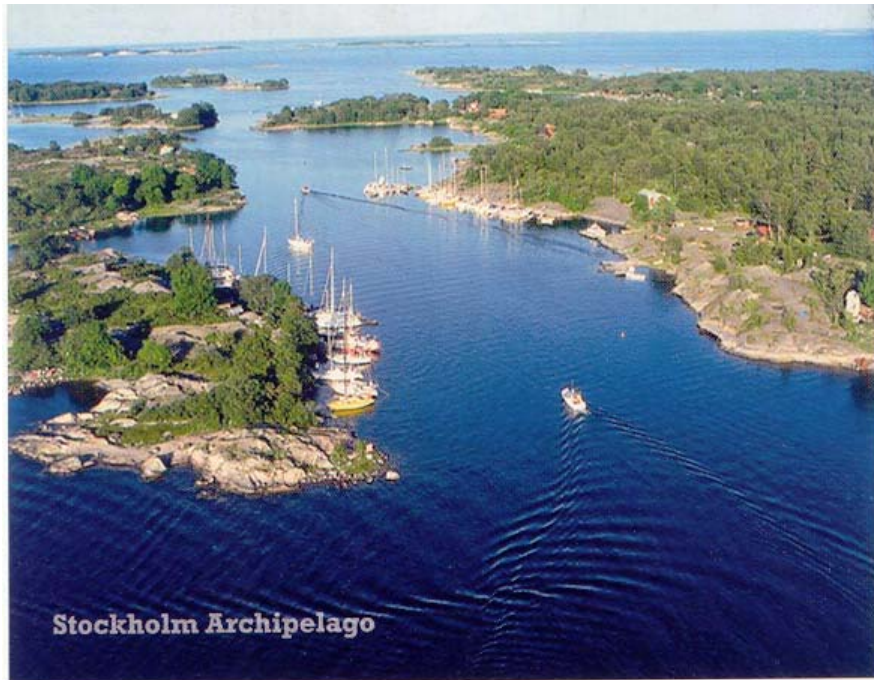
PROGRAMME

Pre-conference tours will be offered to Swedish Lapland and Helsinki and/or St. Petersburg.

Sat 14 June	Get-together reception
Sun 15 June	General Assembly
	Welcome Reception at the Stockholm City Hall
Mon–Wed 16–18 June	Technical sessions in 3–4 parallel sessions and technical exhibition
	Technical tours: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – National Land Survey and Swedesurvey, Gävle – Boat trip to Stockholm's archipelago Social events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Home visit to Swedish surveyors – FIG Foundation dinner at the Vasa Museum – Gala Dinner
Thu 19 June	President's meeting and General Assembly

Post conference tours to Midsummer celebrations in Dalarna /Gotland.





Stockholm Archipelago

STOCKHOLM, SMALL TOWN – BIG CITY

Stockholm is considered to be one of the world's most beautiful capitals. Situated where Lake Mälaren flows into the Baltic Sea, the city is sheltered by an archipelago that encompasses tens of thousands of islands. The City was founded in the mid 13th century by Birger Jarl. Today, Greater Stockholm is a modern metropolis with 1.8 million residents. Stockholm is a small Town and a Big City – with most of its attractions and life within walking distance! Stockholm offers for example a wide selection of shops and department stores and more than 60 museums as well as over 1,000 restaurants. Stockholm is a pure Beauty on Water.



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Important dates

Call for papers: October 2007
Confirmation of speakers: 1 February 2008
Submission of papers: 1 April 2008

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