

Monday March 25 2019

## SEMINAR Universities in defence of science and common good.

Rome, The Swedish Institute of Classical Studies in Rome (V. Omero, 14), 2019, March 25th

Kl 8.45	Transfer from hotel to SI	Sw del
09.30 – 10.00	Welcome to the Swedish Institute of Classical Studies	Director Dr. Kristian Göransson
10.00 – 10.05	Short intro and welcome	DG Prof. Anders Söderholm
10.05 – 10.30	The Ambassador of Sweden gives his view on the relations between Italy and Sweden and possible areas of cooperation within the sector of HE and research	Ambassador Robert Rydberg
10.30 – 11.00	Prof. Söderholm: the Swedish system of HE and research briefly (15 min).  Prof. Söderbergh Widding (15 min): Relating to the overall topic: the role of the universities, HE and research in complex and challenging present times. Sustainability environmental, economical, political, social and cultural. Digitalization.	DG Prof. Anders Söderholm  Chair of the Swedish Ass. Of Swedish Higher Education Institutions prof. Astrid Söderbergh Widding, rector Stockholm university
11.00 – 11.15	Prof. Fabio Rugge: Welcome address - A view of the role of universities relating to the overall topics of the seminar (role of science, sustainability, etc.)	CRUI Delegate for International relations
11.15– 11.30	Break (coffee & cake)	
11.30 – 11.45	Prof. Wiberg, University of Gothenburg gives view of the role of the university relating to introduction above, and how GU is engaging in the 2030 Agenda.	Rector, prof. Eva Wiberg, University of Gothenburg
11.45 – 13.00	Discussion in plenum/roundtable discussion Moderator: prof. Fabio Rugge	All. Rectors will be placed at round tables mixed groups (IT/SV). Issues to discuss will be prepared in advance. At 12.40 the discussions will be rounded off by letting some of the rectors commenting on what has been discussed.

13.00 – 14.00	Lunch at the Swedish Institute		Catering
14.00-16.00 parallell sessions	Meetings between Swedish and Italian participants (Rectors/Vice- Rectors/Rector's Delegates)	Meeting between the Swedish Higher Education Authority (UKÄ) and ANVUR and AVEPRO, CRUI, SUHF	ANVUR To be confirmed CRUI tbc
16.00	Transfer to hotel		Sw del
18.30	Transfer to Sw Embassy		Sw del
19.00	Reception at the Swedish Embassy		Via di Villa Patrizi, 5