



**STINT**

The Swedish Foundation for  
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## SCIENCE & FOREIGN POLICY

### Programme

#### Thursday 28 September

##### Reception with buffet

18.00 – 20.00

National Museum of Arts (Nationalmuseum) –  
S. Blasieholmshamnen

#### Friday 29 September

Location: Axel Johnson salen at The Royal Swedish Academy of Engineering Sciences (IVA) at Grev Turegatan **16** in Stockholm

##### Introductions

9.00 - 9.30

*Conference Opening and Welcome*  
Roger Svensson, Managing Director, STINT Foundation

9.30 - 10.00

Thomas Hörberg, Director of the Committee of Foreign Affairs, Swedish Parliament

##### Session 1 – The Cold War Years

Chair:

Prof. Roy MacLeod, School of Philosophical and Historical Inquiry, The University of Sydney, Australia

Commentator:

Research Prof. Ola Tunander, PRIO, The International Peace Research Institute, Oslo

10.00 - 11.00

*Science and the State: The Oppenheimer Legacy*  
Prof. Gregg Herken, School of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts, University of California at Merced, USA.

11.00 - 12.00

*American Foundations, European Physics and European Security during the Cold War*  
Prof. John Krige, School of History Technology and Society, Georgia Institute of Technology, USA.

12.30 - 14.00

Lunch

Session 2 – The Scientization of Geopolitics

- Chair: Dr. Wilhelm Krull, Volkswagen Stiftung, Germany
- Commentator: Prof. Robert Marc Friedman, Department of History,  
University of Oslo, Norway
- 14.00 - 15.00 *The Science of Weather and Climate –  
Security of Nations and of the Earth*  
Prof Sverker Sörlin, Office of History of Science &  
Technology, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm.
- 15.00 - 16.00 *Science and Technology in American Foreign Policy*  
Associate Prof. Ronald E. Doel, Department of History,  
Oregon State University, USA.
- 16.00 – 16.30 Coffee

Session 3 – Tensions and Institutions

- Chair: Prof. Stein Tønnesson, Director of PRIO, The International  
Peace Research Institute, Oslo.
- Commentator: Dr. Anders Mellbourn
- 16.30 – 17.15 *Finnish Foreign Policies in the Cold War Years*  
Ambassador Max Jakobson, Finland
- 17.15 – 18.00 *Nato and Science*  
Prof. Jens-Erik Fenstad, Institute of Mathematics,  
University of Oslo

Dinner

- 19.00 Drinks and Dinner
- Dinner speech:  
*Scientific advice and political praxis*  
Professor Björn Wittrock, Principal, the Swedish  
Collegium for Advanced Study (SCAS), Uppsala.

## Saturday, 30 September

### Session 4 – First Manhattan, Then Berlin – and further East

- Chair: Elisabeth Hedborg, Freelance Editor, Swedish National Television (SVT)
- Commentator: Ambassador Max Jakobson
- 09.00 - 10.00 *Politics and Science in Russia under Yeltsin and Putin*  
Prof. Kristian Gerner, Department of History, University of Lund
- 10.00 - 11.00 *Science Funding as Foreign Policy in Post-revolution Eastern Europe*  
Dr. Wilhelm Krull, VolkswagenStiftung, Germany
- 11.00-11.30 Coffee

### Session 5 – Security in the Wider Sense

- Chair: Berit Olsson, Director of SAREC, SIDA, Stockholm
- Commentator: Ambassador Anders Wijkman, MEP
- 11.30 - 12.30 *Science as Aid and the SAREC Model*  
Dr. Olle Edqvist, Senior researcher, SISTER, Stockholm.
- 12.30 – 13.30 Lunch
- 13.30 – 14.30 *Global Policies for Energy Efficiency*  
Prof. Stein Tønnesson, Director of PRIO, The International Peace Research Institute, Oslo.
- 14.30 - 15.30 *The Widened Security Concept and how it has impacted on Relations between Science and Foreign Policy*  
Dr. Tomas Ries, Director, Swedish Institute of International Affairs.
- 15.30 – 16.00 Coffee

### Session 7 – Panel discussion

- 16.00 – 17.00 *Panel discussion on Science & Foreign Policy*  
Led by Elisabeth Hedborg  
Anders Mellbourn, Ambassador Mats Bergquist, Måns Lönnroth, Mistra, Tomas Ries, Anders Wijkman, MEP, Bo Kjellén, SEI.