ARLIS/NA and the International Relations Committee (IRC) cordially invite you to sign up for a study tour to

**HELSINKI, FINLAND and STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN**
**August 12-17, 2012**

Study tour follows **IFLA Art Libraries Satellite Conference**, August 9-11

**Art now! Contemporary Art Resources in Library Context**

The full IFLA program available by mid-February, Satellite Conference cost will be approximately 150Euro (finalized soon), single day cost for tour day will also be available.

**Dates:** Participants in the Satellite Conference should arrive on Wednesday 8/8
- **Thursday 8/9** First ½ day of programming (business meeting) in Nordic languages; other programming translated to English/other languages. Location: The Contemporary Art Museum Kiasma [http://www.kiasma.fi/kiasma_en](http://www.kiasma.fi/kiasma_en)
- **Friday 8/10** Location: Aalto University, School of Arts, Design and Architecture [http://arts.aalto.fi/en/](http://arts.aalto.fi/en/)
- **Saturday 8/11** Tour Day (One day cost available for tours only: Helsinki Design Walk and Contemporary Architecture in Helsinki (via bus))-- More details to come.
- **Sunday 8/12** Main IFLA Conference starts

**Sponsor:** IFLA Art Libraries Section. **Contact:** Jan Simane, [simane@khi.fi.it](mailto:simane@khi.fi.it)

**STUDY TOUR SCHEDULE:**
- **Sunday** 8/12: Arrive Helsinki (stay overnight)
- **Monday** 8/13: Helsinki (stay overnight)
- **Tuesday** 8/14: Helsinki --- 5pm Overnight Ferry to Stockholm arriving 10am
- **Wednesday** 8/15: Stockholm (stay overnight)
- **Thursday** 8/16: Stockholm (stay overnight)
- **Friday** 8/17: Free day in Stockholm

**DETAILS:**
The study tour will accommodate up to 15 ARLIS/NA members. Spouses and partners are welcome to participate in tours and social events if space allows. Space on the trip is designated on first-come first-served basis. Participation in this year’s trip does not limit your eligibility for future ARLIS/IRC Study Trips.

**Tours and Library Visits may include** (final schedule forthcoming):

**Helsinki:**
Stockholm:
• Nationalmuseum http://www.nationalmuseum.se/sv/English-startpage/
• Thiel Art Gallery Stockholm http://www.thielska-galleriet.se/
• Drottningholm Palace and other nearby Royal Residences and Properties http://www.kungahuset.se/royalcourt/royalpalaces/drottningholmpalace.4.396160511584257f218000368.html

Overnight Ferry summary (more practical information to come):
Scandinavian contacts declare this mode of transport is not to be missed. Here is an American point of view:
"Two fine and fiercely competitive lines, Viking and Silja, connect the capitals of Sweden and Finland. Each line offers state-of-the-art ships with luxurious smörgåsbord meals, reasonable cabins, plenty of entertainment (discos, saunas, gambling), and enough duty-free shopping to sink a ship. Of the two, Viking has the reputation as the party boat. Silja is considered more elegant (but still has its share of sometimes irritating and noisy passengers)." (from Rick Steves' website)

COSTS:
There is no ARLIS/NA fee.

Participants are responsible for the following:
1. Airfare and transfer to Helsinki hotel: All participants should plan to arrive in Helsinki in time for events planned for Sunday 8/12.

2. Hotel in Helsinki: Must make reservation by March 1st as IFLA Conference hotels may sell out before the spring according to the IFLA Planning Committee. Will announce recommended hotel choices to participants soon.

3. Overnight Ferry from Helsinki to Stockholm: Lodging and transportation combined, more information to come

4. Stockholm Hotel(s): to be announced

5. Meals and Miscellaneous: Some events/meals (to be determined) may be complimentary, however please be prepared to cover most of your own food and other miscellaneous costs.

Applications for Study Trip will be accepted until all spaces are filled or by June 1, 2012. Please offer proof of air travel by June 1st to reserve your spot in event of a waitlist. As email applications are received, you will be notified as to whether you are among the first 15 applicants. Completion of a travel waiver form is required to participate in the Study Trip.

Please send REQUIRED INFORMATION /application below (email preferred) by February 15th to:

Email: holly.hatheway@yale.edu
Holly Hatheway, Art and Architecture Librarian
Assistant Director for Collections, Research & Access Services Robert B. Haas Family Arts Library, Yale University
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REQUIRED INFORMATION

Name(s) Of Attendee(s):

Institution:

Email:

Phone:

Special Needs:

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BY EMAILING THIS INFORMATION/FORM
I VERIFY THAT I AM AN ACTIVE MEMBER OF ARLIS/NA.