



THE GARGIA CONFERENCE 2007

**Knowledge production and management
in regional R&D-projects**

**Finnmark University College
University of the Arctic**

Gargia fjellstue, Alta, 25-26. October

PROGRAMME

DAY ONE:

THE IMPORTANCE OF KNOWLEDGE AND COMPETENCE BUILDING IN LOCAL AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE NORTH

- 14:00 - 14:30** Northern focus in higher education and research - a contribution to regional development?
By: Ketil Hanssen, rector,
Finnmark University College
- 14:30 - 15:00** Saminess – a resource or limitation in regional development?
By: Johan Klemet Karlstad,
associate professor, Sami University College
- 15:00 - 15:30** Northern focus as a multi disciplinary and multi institutional challenge.
By: Lars Krogh, R&D-coordinator,
Finnmark U. College
- 15:30 - 16:30** COFFEE, questions, comments and discussion
- 16:30 - 17:30** WORKSHOP: Our future objectives and priorities in Northern education and research?
- 17:30 - 18:30** Group presentation. Plenary discussion
- 18:30 - 19:00** Presentation of Lönrot Institute and Kajaani University Consortium
By: Jouni Ponnikas,
Director of Lönrot Institute
- 20:00 -** DINNER

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SECOND DAY: SOME EXPERIENCES WITH R&D-PROJECTS IN RURAL EASTERN AND NORTHERN FINLAND - COMPARED WITH THOSE OF OTHER NORDIC COUNTRIES

- 09:00 – 09:15** Research cooperation. A short presentation of the DESERVE-project and LTSER-network
By: Jouni Ponnikas and Andra Aldea-Partanen, Lönrot Institute, Kajaani University Consortium
- 09:15 - 09:30** Questions
- 09:30 – 10:15** Role of project and programme evaluation in regional research and development
By: Jouni Ponnikas,
Director of Lönrot Institute
- 10:15 – 10:30** Questions, comments and discussion
- 10:30 - 11:00** Coffee break
- 11:00 - 11:45** Knowledge management in development projects.
By: Andra Aldea-Partanen, project manager
- 11:45 - 12:00** Questions, comments and discussion
- 12:00 – 13:00** Concretization of cooperation in Northern research and education?
Networking and building of regional innovation systems.
- 13:00 - 14:00** LUNCH
- 14:00** Well home!

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