

WG 2 “University” Meeting # 6– March 21st,2023

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SIREUS – WG 2 University , as of January 15th

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MEMBERS

31.05.23
SAVE THE DATE

HOUSE OF SWEDEN, WASHINGTON D.C.

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

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Who is responsible for the activity?

P = Project Group with SACC-USA in House of Sweden

(P coordinates other units within SACC-USA, SACC Regional Chambers, The Embassy, SI and other Team Sweden efforts)

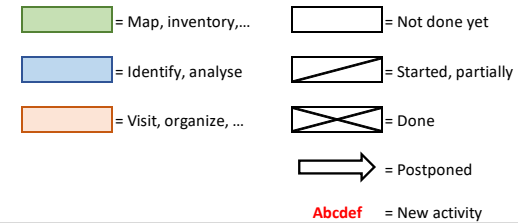
S = Resource in Sweden for contacts with business and relevant organisations.

U = Resources at Swedish Universities to be involved in the project

Is the activity mutual or individual?

M = Mutual, activity carried out for the universities as a group

I = Individually, activity performed for individual universities



Goals and activities for SIREUS - "Platform for increased talent mobility and knowledge exchange between Sweden and the U.S."

Sub-goal	Activity	Who?	M	I	Q2 2022	Q3 2022	Q4 2022	H1 2023	H2 2023	2024
2. Strengthen the collaboration and mobility between Swedish and American universities										
2.1 Identify and develop Swedish-American exchange programs, business contacts and research collaborations (ref Goal)										
2.1.1	Map the existing exchange programs (different categories)	P		X						
2.1.2	What does each university prioritize to develop with regards to their U.S. strategy?	U		X						
2.2 Create and strengthen existing collaborations between Swedish and American universities										
2.2.1	What are the existing contacts between Swedish and American universities?	U		X						
2.2.2	What university contacts can the SACC network and the Embassy provide?	P		X						
2.2.3	What individual objectives/strategies/areas should the project concentrate on?	P, U		X						
2.2.4	Map American career fairs that can be relevant for Swedish universities according to the respective university's U.S. strategy and interest sphere	P	X	X						
2.2.5	Inform about bilateral programs, courses and internships during meetings and fairs	P		X						
2.2.6	Organize and host delegation travels to American universities to examine possibilities of collaboration	P	X	X						
2.3 Identify, educate and coordinate ambassadors for talent mobility (Clarify the role of ambassadors)										
2.3.1	Identify Swedish researchers and professors with the respective participating universities that are active in, or interested in, the U.S.	P, U		X						
2.3.2	Together with IFHU, STARS and STINT identify Swedish researchers and professors active in the U.S.	P, U		X						
2.3.3	Together with IFHU, STARS and STINT identify American researchers and teachers that are active in Sweden	P, U		X						
2.3.4	Together with IFHU, STARS and STINT identify Swedish researchers and teachers that are interested in the U.S.	P, U		X						
2.3.5	Together with IFHU, STARS and STINT identify American researchers and professors interested in Sweden	P		X						
2.3.6	Educate, coordinate and create meeting places for ambassadors for talent mobility	P		X						
2.3.7	Use House of Sweden as a meeting place for ambassadors for talent mobility	P		X						

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Report from subgroups

- a) **Internships** – “Highlight good examples” & “Mapping for internships?”
 - a) Mikaela Green, GU & Mia Bjerke, KI. Ingela, Caroline and Anna volunteered to join the group.
 - b) *Working on a complete offer for exchange of students for internships.*
 - c) *Next project will be for researchers. ?????*
- b) **Short term activities** – “Brainstorm good examples” & “What can be done”
 - c) Ronald Nordqvist, KTH, Caroline Sturesson, LiU, Andreas Eriksson, Chalmers & Mudar Hill, JU
 - d) *Mapping of short-term activities*
 - e) *Summer school ???*
- c) **Virtual Exchange** – “Exploring this area”
 - c) Elizabeth Blum, UU, Pablo Camacho Sanhueza, MDU & Alice Kjellson, LU
 - d) *Potentially an on-line workshop during 2023 ????????*
- d) **Ambassadors** – “Define the term & how to involve”
 - c) Ingela Åberg, LIN
 - d) *Meeting planned for Feb 1 ??????*

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~~January 24th @ 15.00 CET (9 am EST)~~

~~March 21st @ 15.00 CET (9 am EST)~~

May 9th @ 15.00 CET (9 am EST)

June 13th @ 15.00 CET (9 am EST)

August 22nd @ 15.00 CET (9 am EST)

October 3rd @ 15.00 CET (9 am EST)

November 28th @ 15.00 CET (9 am EST)

Thank you !