

WG 4 “Sweden” Meeting # 12– January 25th,2024

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SIREUS – WG 4 Sweden, as of as of January 1st, 2024

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Thematic links adjusted as of January 1st, 2024

Thematic Area:	Subtheme:	UNIVERSITIES										
		CTH	GU	JU	LiU	LNU	LTU	LU	MIUN	MDU	SU	UU
DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION	Digital Transformation (main)											
	AI											
	Big Data											
	Industrial Technology											
	Cybersecurity											
	Quantum Mechanics											
	Microelectronics											
GREEN TRANSITION	Green Transition (main)											
	Electromobility											
	Smart City											
	Smart Grid											
	Battery											
	Renewable Materials											
	Forestry											
LIFE SCIENCE	Life Science (main)											
	Cancer											
	Precision Health											
	Precision Medicine											
	Antimicrobial Resistance											
	Art as a tool											
SOCIETY AND CULTURE	Society & Culture (main)											
	Democracy & Humanities											
	Art as a tool for change											
	Equality & Equity											
SPACE TECHNOLOGY	Space Technology (main)											
	Small Satellites											
	Earth Observations											

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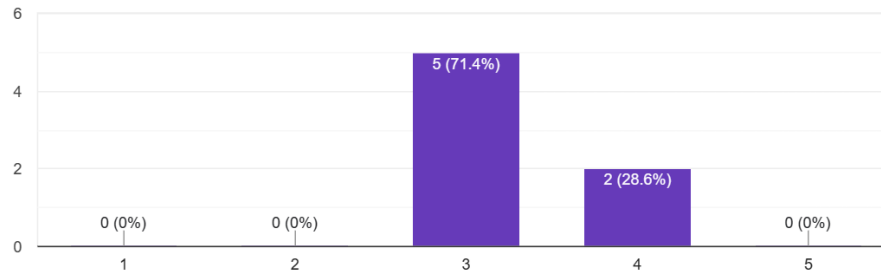
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Please indicate your overall level of satisfaction with the Study in Sweden event.



7 responses



Which part of the event did you enjoy the most?

7 responses

Chapman format was best- gave opportunity to meet potential students passing by. NYC had a good number of visitors but many with Swedish citizenship.

Networking with other universities and meeting prospective students

The NY event

Orange and New York event

The events were well organised and it is always nice to meet with interested students

The fairs when we get to meet the prospective students

The event in Chapman was great when we could interact with others than those who had signed up. Great with an open area like that for drop-in

In what **cities** would you like to see next Study in Sweden fair?

7 responses

Not sure. Chapman is close to LA - I don't think it's necessarily going to draw a large crowd by finding a venue in central LA. So maybe it works to be in big cities sometimes like NY and smaller surrounding cities like Orange - all depending on what partners and possibilities there are. Pullman felt too rural to attract the right students.

Washington D. C ; New York; maybe L.A

NY, Washington, LA

New York, Washington and somewhere in Minnesota

Not sure but maybe focus on one are or one coast at a time.

New York, Washington D.C

Washington, NYC, Chapman, San Francisco

What **time of the year** does Study in Sweden suit you the best, month/week/days?

6 responses

This was a good time of year.

October-November

May, late September or in relation to Europosgrados in Oct-Nov

May and October/November

October/November

mid September to end of November

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SIREUS RESEARCH forum - plan

1. *Science & Innovation – Focus for Sweden and US – Dec 11th, 2023*
2. *Introduction to Technology Transfer in the USA - January 24th, 2024*
3. *Research Commercialization and Venture Development*
4. *Industry's Perspective on Technology Transfer and University Collaborations*
5. *University-Industry Collaborations: Case Studies Beyond Licensing*
6. *Investing in Deep Tech Companies Spun out of Academia. Panel Discussion and Q&A Deep tech investors share their approaches to investing*
7. *Soft Funding Opportunities in the US for University Based Spinouts. Panel Discussion.*
8. *Research to Market Educational Programming: A Closer Look at the National NSF I-Corps Program*
9. *Global Trends – Peace & Security*
10. *Global Trends – Strategic Systems & Risks*

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SIREUS Evaluation Process

- SIREUS "2nd half"
 - "SIREUS – Summary after 2 years" (document)
 - Evaluation team is selected and have agreed to participate
 - January 8th Document sent out to the Evaluation Team
 - January 31st 1st virtual meeting (Teams) @ 15.00 CET "Deciding on the key topics."
 - February 28th In-person meeting in Stockholm (@SU) 10:00 – 16:00 CET
"Deciding on recommendations on the way forward."
 - March 7th 2nd virtual meeting (Teams) @ 15.00 CET "Review of recommendations."
 - April 9th 3rd virtual meeting (Teams) @ 15.00 CET "Agree on the recommendations."
 - April 16th Steering Committee should discuss the recommendations.
 - May 8th 4th virtual meeting (Teams) @ 15.00 CET "Feedback after SC meeting."
 - May 28th Steering Committee make decision on recommendations to the Stakeholders Group
 - June 4th Stakeholders Group decision on SIREUS after January 31st, 2025
- Meeting frequencies in general.....

Cross Members Evaluation Team

- All WG should be represented, all SIREUS Members should be represented and participants should preferably represent and speak on behalf of their universities and have been active during the project.

- WG1
Lena Pedersen (GU), Anna Lindahl (MIUN) & Mikael Hjorth (MDU)
- WG2
Jens Hansson (Chalmers), Carolina Stuesson (LIU) & Mudar Hill (JU)
- WG3
Malin Graffner Nordberg (UU), Maryam Hansson Edalat (SU) & Marita Holst (LTU)
- WG4
Maria Lindblad (LU), Stefan Haglund (LNU) & Tina Larsson (SU)

- Margareta Alfredsson (LIU) & Christer Bergman (SIREUS)

- Steering Committee & Swedish Embassy
 - 2 – 3 representatives

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Meetings 2024 (proposal)

January 25th @ 13.00 CET (7 am EST)

March 21st @ 13.00 CET (7 am EST)

May 2nd @ 13.00 CET (7 am EST)

June 5th @ 13.00 CET (7 am EST)

August 29th @ 13.00 CET (7 am EST)

October 10th @ 13.00 CET (7 am EST)

November 21st @ 13.00 CET (7 am EST)

Thank you !