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SU alumna in Oslo accepting The Nobel Peace Prize
Together with Satsuko Thurlow, a survivor of the Hiroshima atomic bombing, Beatrice Fihn accepted The Nobel Peace Prize in Oslo at a ceremony on 10 December as Executive Director of The International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons (ICAN).

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When men are having children, money matters
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PRIZE IN CRIMINOLOGY

Award winner 2018: Herman Goldstein
The Stockholm Prize in Criminology is the world’s most prestigious award in the field of criminology. The prize has been awarded since 2006, and recognizes outstanding achievements in criminological research or for the application of research results by practitioners for the reduction of crime and the advancement of human rights. The 2018 Stockholm Prize in Criminology celebrates Professor Herman Goldstein’s global impact on the improvement of policing.

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