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SAVE THE DATE: Nobel Calling at Stockholm University

In the run up to the announcements of the 2018 Nobel Prizes in Physics and Chemistry, and the Prize in Economic Sciences, Stockholm University will hold a series of events, in collaboration with the Nobel Museum. Learn more at su.se/nobelcalling »

EDUCATION



Handy tips during Orientation Day

"I don't really know what to expect. I decided to come here with an open mind", Grace Ballo from Britain explained, as she attended Orientation Day on 31st August. "My first impression of Sweden is that it is very clean and that the transportation works really well." [Read all about Orientation Day 2018 »](#)



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"No other city in the world where I would rather study"

Stockholm University students Alyssa and Andrei talk about being a student in Stockholm and why they think that it is the best student city! [See the video »](#)

RESEARCH



Half the population of the Viking-town Sigtuna were migrants

New analysis of the remains of 38 people who lived and died in the town of Sigtuna during the 10th-12th centuries reveals high genetic variation and a wide scale migration. The study is the largest of its kind so far in Sweden and uses a combination of several methods, including DNA analysis and Strontium isotope analysis of teeth. The results are published in a new article in Current Biology. [Learn more »](#)



The hidden environmental consequences of tax havens

A new study shows connections between global environmental degradation and tax havens published in Nature Ecology and Evolution. On average 68% of all investigated foreign capital to sectors associated with deforestation of the Amazon rainforest was transferred through tax havens. [Learn more »](#)



Viking Age research on the Swedish island of Birka

The Black Earth Harbour is a Viking Age harbour on the Swedish island of Birka, one of the first Scandinavian towns and an important trading centre in the region. Stockholm University has conducted several archaeological excavations on the island, including at the Black Earth Harbour. [See the video »](#)

SWEDEN & STOCKHOLM



Giant water lilies at Victoria House

The house is classified as a historic building and one of a kind, as many similar conservatories in Europe have disappeared for various reasons. Any day now, the giant water lilies will blossom at Victoria House. [Learn more about the Victoria House »](#)

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