

RewhardNet 2025

The future of survey and register research

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Programme 8 September

13.00-13.20 Registration

13.20-13.30 Welcome to the REWHARD user conference

Martin Hällsten, Professor of Sociology, co-PI of LNU, Stockholm University

13.30-14.30 Session 1: Current research from REWHARD

Chair: Martin Hällsten

Simon Hjalmarsson & Anton B. Andersson Researchers, Stockholm University

'The lonely century? Social isolation and loneliness in the Swedish Level-of-Living Survey'

Cecilia Stenfors Associate Professor, Stockholm University

'Exposures in the living environment and health outcomes'

Pia Svedberg & Jurgita Narusyte Associate Professors, Karolinska Institutet

'Two twin studies, two different methods'

Emilie Friberg Associate Professor, Karolinska Institutet

'Examples from IMAS of using costs as health outcomes'

14.30-15.00 Coffee break

15.00-16.20 Session 2: Response rates in survey research

Chair: Jurgita Narusyte

Sebastian Lundmark Researcher at the SOM Institute, University of Gothenburg

'Nonresponse bias in general population surveys and attempts to increase response propensities of immigrants and vulnerable neighbourhoods'

Martin Hällsten Professor of Sociology, Stockholm University

'Social survey survival strategies: Response mode and incentive experiments in the Swedish Level of Living Survey 2020-22'

16.20-16.40 Break

16.40-17.00 Poster presentations

Chair: Hugo Westerlund

17.00-18.00 Meet the infrastructure

- An opportunity to discuss project ideas with colleagues and leading REWHARD researchers

Chair: Kristin Farrants

18.00-18.30 Mingle at the bar

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18.30 Dinner

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08.30-09.10 Coffee and sandwich

09.10-10.10 Session 3: Keynote speech

Chair: Ellenor Mittendorfer-Rutz

Naja Hulvej Rod Professor of Epidemiology and Director of the Copenhagen Health Complexity Center, University of Copenhagen

‘Understanding complex health challenges from a systems science perspective’

10.10-10.30 Break

10.30-11.50 Session 4: The future of register data

Chair: Pia Svedberg

Alva Enoksson Wallas PhD, Statistician at the National Board of Health and Welfare

‘Data applications for research purposes – this is new!’

Zoltan Thinsz, the National Board of Health and Welfare

‘What changes could the European Health Data Space (EHDS) bring to research in Sweden?’

Jakob Bergström & Emma Pettersson Statisticians at the Department of Clinical Neuroscience, Karolinska Institutet

‘Machine learning models in register-based research - opportunities and challenges’

11.50-12.00 Concluding remarks

Michael Tählin Professor of Sociology, Stockholm University

After the conference, there will be a possibility to have lunch together at Proviant for those who would like to continue the discussion (please note that lunch is not included in the conference fee).