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3rd Sami Culture Policy Summit (digital)

Friday 12 March 2021 10:00 – 15:00, lunch 12:25 – 13:20

Hosts: Viermie-K, the Sámi cultural network • Producers: Michael Lindblad and Maja Bonta
Conference center/studio: Aejlies cultural center, Dearna/Tärnaby
Conference service and registration: Giron Sámi Teáhter • Conference language: English as main language
Conference music: Marja Mortensson/Aarehgijre – Early Spring (2017)

Program

09:30 – 10:00 The Summit 2021 opens for connecting to the conference

10:00 – 10:05 **Opening act performance** with *Wimme Saari*

10:05 – 10:15 **Welcome to SUMMIT 2021 and Viermie-K** with *Michael Lindblad,* chair Giron Sámi Teáhter

10:15 – 11:10 Sami agency in Sápmi and the Nordic countries

Moderator: Christina Heatta Christina Heatta, Saami council Lars Miguel Utsi, Sami parliament, Sweden Pirita Näkkäläjärvi, Sami parliament, Finland Magne Svineng, Sami parliament, Norway Question & Answers

11:20 – 12:25 Legal frameworks and public policies

Moderator: Ande Somby, Independent indigenous intellectual and associate professor Faculty of Law, Arctic University of Norway

Marie B Hagsgård, Council of Europe

Elle Merete Omma, Head of the EU Unit, Saami Council

Marja Bål Nango, Filmmak er and expert advisor Norwegian Film Institute

Question & Answers

Film Njuokčamat/The tongues by M B Nango

13:20 – 14:35 S.O.S. First Aid (art) Kit - the Sápmi case of Sweden

Moderator: Ande Somby

Film *It takes a village.* Work in progress with dance and spoken word, Giron Sámi Teáhter

Speech

Amanda Lind, The Minister of Culture, Democracy and Sami affairs Karin Thomasson, Regional politician and Chair in Sápmi associations Viermie-K's six organisations

Dialogue - What next?

Amanda Lind, Karin Thomasson and representatives for Viermie-K

Question & Answers

14:35 - 14:50 Conclusion - What next! - Remarks and Question & Answer

Moderators: Ande Somby and Michael Lindblad

14:50 – 15:00 **Closing act** with *Wimme Saari*

Buerie båeteme! Buerestbåhtieme! Burist båhtem! Buorisboahtem! Bures boahtin! Welcome!