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Dear HF friends,

The 11th Nordic HF Conference HF 16 will take place Monday-Wednesday 15-17 August, 2016, with arrival on Sunday 14. From Visby airport (VBY) and ferry terminal, the HF 16 buses will take you to the traditional venue on the island of Fårö, north of Gotland in the Baltic Sea.

We have taken into account that other HF groups might meet on the Swedish mainland Thursday-Friday 18-19, i.e. you may leave Wednesday afternoon 17 when HF 16 buses will catch afternoon flights and evening ferries.

Information on public transport and taxis will be available on <u>www.nordichf.org</u> with links.



The Shakespeare RolaTube inflatable antenna mast in the HF 13 exhibition grounds.

As the IET will not run IRST 2015, please mark in your diary that the first upcoming HF event open to all will be

HF 16, August 14 (15) - 17, 2016.

HF 16 will cover VLF, LF and HF systems and other long-haul communication systems "over the horizon". Papers are welcome ranging from very theoretical findings to practical experience.

We are happy to announce our invited speakers, viz. Prof. Em. Eric E. Johnson of New Mexico State University and Diplom-Ingenieur Harald Wickenhäuser, retired from Rohde & Schwarz.

Plenty of exhibition areas, both indoors and outdoors, will be available for free when you register at least one conference participant. LAN and WLAN cover the venue.



Rohde&Schwarz indoor stand at HF 13.

The registration fee with full board, lodging and all social activities will be SEK 12,600 + VAT, unchanged since HF 10. For students and retired seniors we offer SEK 4,200. A limited number of scholarships will be available. Family members and weekend stays are welcome at a nominal cost.

As many of you already know, the camp offers varying accomodation standards (in some cases the lodging is somewhat spartan).

Newsletter No 3 is planned for early Autumn 2015 when the first announcement with call for papers will be ready. No 1 is on our website.

www.nordichf.org will be updated regularly.

Website registration will open in a few months. We hope to see you and your families at HF 16.

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