

Planning and Promotion of Cycling in Denmark

Study Trip May 2-4, 2022

Preliminary Day Program

Monday, May 2, 2022

Evening get together in central Copenhagen.

Tuesday, May 3, 2022

08:30 Meet at Bike Rental Baisikeli, Ingerslevsgade 103, 1705 København V. Near Dybbølsbro Station.

9.00 – 10.00 **Bicycle trip 1** in central Copenhagen, passing Dronning Louises Bro (Europe's busiest bicycle street) and other high-level bicycle facilities.

10.00 -10.45 Session at Gehl Architects Vesterbrogade 24 5. Sal 1620 København V

11:00 -12:00 **Bicycle trip 2** passing the iconic Cykelslangen, Bryggebroen and to visit bicycle parking at Fisketorvet and maybe at University of Copenhagen.

12:00-13:00 **Lunch** at Beboerhuset Islandsbrygge

13:00-14:00 Session about **City of Copenhagen**

Promotion of cycling in Copenhagen, current strategy and main inputs and outcomes.

14:00 – 14:30 **Bicycle trip 3** back over Bryggebroen.

14.30 – 15.45 Session at Cycling without Age. Otto Busesvej 5, 2450 København NV

Pernille Bussone Cycling without Age development worldwide.

Thomas Krag, former CEO of Cyklistforbundet: A historical view on cycling in Denmark and the role of NGOs.

15:45-17:00 **Bicycle trip 4** following parts of the signposted route Havneringen, over Inderhavnsbroen and to The little Mermaid, ending in the city center.

17:45 **Evening meal** at Folkehuset Absalon, Sønder Boulevard 73.

Wednesday, May 4, 2022

08:30 Meet at set starting point ready to cycle.

8:30 – 9:30 **Bicycle trip 5** goes through the new built area Ørestaden.

9.30 – 10.15 **Morten Kabell**, Former CEO of ECF Company and former Mayor of Technical and Environmental Affairs in Copenhagen: The role of bicycle promotion in city politics.

10.15 – 10.45 **Sidse Birk Hjuler**, manager of project Supercykelstier: Cycle Superhighways in the Capital Region, challenges and results.

10:45-12:00 **Bicycle trip 6** to a Copenhagen suburb along a Cycle Superhighway

12:00 – 12:30 **Lunch**

12:30 – 13:00 How to handle active travel issues in a Copenhagen suburb, by NN from the local municipality.

13 – 13:45 **Jens Erik Larsen**, expert in bicycle route planning and signposting: Cycle route planning and signposting in Denmark and abroad.

13:45 – 15:30 **Bicycle trip 7** to nearby S-train station, **bikes in S-train** to Dybbølsbro station and delivering the bikes back.

16:00 **End** of program.

The organizers



Jens Erik Larsen, M.Sc, has since the late 1970'ies worked as a consultant with bicycle route planning. He is co-founder of Foreningen Frie Fugle and has been part of the Danish Road Directorate expert group on bicycle signpost standardization. Jens Erik has made several bicycle maps and bicycle route plans including signposting. He is also an experienced study trip organizer and has guided numerous cycle trips in Denmark and abroad.



Thomas Krag, M.Sc., was director of Danish Cyclists' Federation 1986-2000 and started his campaigning career as a volunteer about 10 years earlier. Year 2000 Thomas Krag founded Thomas Krag Mobility Advice, a consultancy with expertise in mobility and transport behavior. Thomas Krag has been part of the organization of several national and international bicycle conferences.

COVID-19

There are presently no (or at least only a very few) COVID-19 restrictions in Denmark. Only not vaccinated from non-Schengen countries need to be tested – see <https://en.coronasmitte.dk/travel-rules/covidtravelrules>.

Practical Info

Participation cost is **569 €** with an early-bird price of **465 €**¹. You can obtain the early-bird price if you sign up **March 30, 2022** at the latest or enroll at least two participants at the same time. The price includes all meals, bicycle rental and public transport during the study trip, but not accommodation (hotel and breakfast).

Cancellation fee is 20% until April 15, 2022. After this date cancellation is not possible. Full refund will be given if the organizers cancel the study trip.

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¹ The price presume you are from a non-Danish organisation and - in case you are based in an EU country - can present a valid VAT-number. With full VAT included participation cost is 680/550 € (normal/early bird).