

# Conference Program

Venue: Louis de Geer Concert Hall, Norrköping

## May 30, 2012

10.15-11.00 Welcome and introduction

Aleksandra Ålund, REMESO, Swedish UNESCO-MOST

Helen Dannetun, Vice Chancellor, Linköping University

Kenneth Abrahamsson, Program Director, Swedish Council for Working Life and Social Research and Swedish UNESCO-MOST Committee

Raul Delgado Wise, University of Zacatecas, INMD, UNESCO

Carl-Ulrik Schierup, REMESO, Conference Director

## 11.00-15.30 Keynotes

*Migration, Precarious Work and Rights. Historical and Current Perspectives*

Stephen Castles, University of Sydney

*Migrants and Denizens – Core of the Precariat*

Guy Standing, University of Bath

(Lunch break)

*A Savage Sorting of Winners and Losers: Can Human Rights Take Us Beyond?*

Saskia Sassen, Columbia University

*Beyond North and South: Migration, Informalization and Trade Union Revitalization*

Ronaldo Munck, Dublin City University

## 16.00-17.30 Panel discussion

***Stephen Castles, Guy Standing, Saskia Sassen, Ronaldo Munck***

Discussants

Anna Avendaño, Immigrant Worker Programme AFL-CIO,

Jorge Romero Leon, Open Society Institute, New York

Moderator: Anders Neergaard, REMESO

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## 9.00-17.30 Parallel Workshops

**Workshop I - Migration, Precarisation and "Decent Work": National Regulations and International Norms**

**Workshop II - Migration, Labour Rights, and Global Governance: Options for Civil Society**

**June 1, 2012**

**9.00 - 10.00 Summing up the Workshops: Perspectives, Conclusions and Discussion.**

Luin Goldring, Ronaldo Munck, Valery Alzaga, Karl Flecker, Bettina Musiolek, Thord Ingesson  
Moderator: Aleksandra Ålund, REMESO, UNESCO-MOST

**10.30 - 12.00 Panel Discussion: Civil Society: Which Research Agenda for Strategic Action?**

Colin Rajah, Migrant Rights International, Crecentia Mofokeng, BWI, South Africa, Milka Isinta, COTU, Kenya, Sam Hägglund, BWI, Sweden, Michèle Levoy, PICUM  
Discussants: Rinus Penninx, IMISCOE, Judy Fudge, CUNY  
Moderator: Carl-Ulrik Schierup, REMESO

**12.00 - 12.30 Preparations for the Global Forum on Migration and Development 2013-2014**

Announcement by the incoming Swedish Chair of the Global Forum on Migration and Development 2013-2014

Eva Åkerman Börje, Swedish Ministry of Justice, Migration and Asylum Department

Which Agenda for Civil Society Days in Sweden 2014?

John Bingham, ICMC and William Gois, Migrant Forum in Asia

**12.30 - 13.00 Closing Word: Retrospect and Prospect**

*What Has Been Done and How to Proceed from Here?*

Raul Delgado Wise, UNESCO Chair on Migration, Development and Human Rights

Comments from conference participants