Regional Studies Association Research Network,
Pemabo Conference 2.09.2012-06.09.2012, University Centre of the Westfjords, Iceland

Conference Schedule

| | 02.09.12 | Mon, 03.09.12 | | Tue, 04.09.12 | | 05.09.12 | 06.09.12 |
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| 08-09 | | Rvk-Ífj 08:00-08:40 | | | | Day trip by bus Ísafjörður-Reykjavík via southerly Westfjords (road nr. 60).<br>Several stops.<br>The region is a 'practical island' during winter time, with structural problems.<br>1.300 inhabitants.<br>Stunning landscapes, Dynjandi waterfall, Bíldudalur Monster Museum, Patreksfjörður Pirate Museum, Aquaculture<br>Meeting the Mayors.<br>Guide: Kristinn Hermannsson<br>Dinner: Hótel Bjarkarlundur | Flights to Europe |
| 09-10 | | Short stop at Hotel Ísafjörður | | 09:00-09:50<br>**Regional Policy**<br>Þóroddur Bjarnason<br>Dirk Stelder<br>09:50-10:20 Discussion<br><br>*10:20-10:30 Coffee*<br><br>10:30-11:45<br>**Regional Policy and Sustainability**<br>Andrew Crawley<br>María Vallström<br>Allyson Mc Donald<br>11:45-12:30 Discussion | | | |
| 10-11 | | Opening Addresses<br><br>**Introductory lectures**<br>Gylfi Magnússon, professor at University of Iceland and former Minister of Economy.<br><br>Þóroddur Bjarnason.<br><br>Discussion | | | | | |
| 11-12 | | | | | | | |
| 12:30 - 14:00 | | 12:30-14:00<br>"City Walk" starting at University Centre through downtown Ísafjörður, ending at the hotel. Lunch: Hótel Ísafjörður. | | 12:30-14:00<br>Lunch University Centre | | | |
| 14-15 | | 14:00-15:15<br>**Periphery and Access**<br>Sigríður Þórgrímsdóttir<br>Hanna Sommer<br>Michael Semian<br><br>15:15-16:00 Discussion | 14:00-15:15<br>**Community and Identity**<br>Albertína Friðbjörg Elíasdóttir<br>Lotta Svensson<br>Anna Guðún Edvardsdóttir<br><br>15:15-16:00 Discussion | 14:00-15:40<br>**Insularity and Development**<br>Anna María Pinna<br>Fabio Cerina<br>Laura Colini<br>Patrick Enright<br><br>15:40-16:00 Discussion | 14:00-15:40<br>**Energy and Community**<br>Max Munday<br>Kristinn Hermannsson<br>Kim Swales<br>Patrizio Lecca<br><br>15:40-16:00 discussion | | |
| 15-16 | | | | | | | |
| 16-17 | Arrivals from Europe | *16:00-16:40 Coffee*<br><br>16:40-17:30<br>**Economy, Society and Space**<br>Daniel Rauhut<br>Stuart Mc Intyre<br><br>17:30-18:00 Discussion | *16:00-16:40 Coffee*<br><br>16:40-17:30<br>**Networks and Development**<br>N.V. Ohlopkova<br>Ann-Kristin Ekman<br><br>17:30-18:00 Discussion | *16:00-16:40 Coffee*<br><br>16:40-18:00<br>**The PEMABO Network and Associated Research**<br>Mike Danson and Peter de Souza<br><br>+ Round table discussion<br>Sum-up | | | |
| 17-18 | | | | | | | |
| 18-19 | Excursion Reykjavik | Excursion to the fishing villages Flateyri and Suðureyri<br><br>Dinner: Suðureyri | | | | | |
| 19-20 | Welcome drink, dinner | | | Dinner: Tjöruhús, Ísafjörður | | | |
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