# Jubilee programme

This year it is 20 yeas since the ÅIPI was founded.

This will be celebrated at different occasions during the year.

Stay updated at www.peace.ax to get information about the different events.

May: International discussion on gender equality On May 21-25 the ÅIPI is happy to gather on Åland representatives from partner organizations in all countries where the ÅIPI has been co-operating on gender equality and empowerment since the foundation in 1992. In connection with the meeting, on the 23rd of May at 6 p.m. an open discussion held in Russian and Swedish, on the theme of gender equality, progress and challenges, will be arranged at the city library of Mariehamn.

### June: Anniversary garden party

On the Åland self-government day, 9th of June, a garden party to celebrate the 20th birthday of the Åland Islands Peace Institute will be held at Hamngatan 4 in Mariehamn on Åland. The programme starts with a ceremony where the real estate of Hamngatan 4 will be donated from the government, represented by member of the Åland government Gun-Mari Lindholm.

The programme further includes snacks, workshops, quiz walk, lottery etc. Everyone is welcome!

### 6th of August: Hiroshima Day

On the 6th of August there will be an evening programme in Sjökvarteret in Mariehamn, in co-operation with Emmaus Åland and Agenda 21.

**10th of Augusti: Caucasian-Nordic Peace concert** In connection with the youth camp Voices for Peace (se above) a concert with musicians from Armenia, Azerbaijan and Åland will be arranged in co-operation with the festival Islands of Peace.

### September: Language conference

On 27 September 2012 the Åland Islands Peace Institute, which has been responsible for the legal frameworks analyses within the ELDIA project (www.eldia-project.org), will arrange an open conference entitled "Changing Linguistic Landscapes". Keynote speakers will be Fernand de Varennes (University of Peking), Reetta Toivanen (University of Helsinki) and Sia Spiliopoulou Åkermark (The Åland Islands Peace Institute). The conference will include three panels which will deal with languages, law and multilingualism in broad conceptual and geographical contexts.



## All year round: Jubilee stamp for sale

The jubilee stamp of the ÅIPI, designed by Amanda Chanfreau, can be purchased during 2012. To order please contact Bror Myllykoski, bror@peace.ax, tel +358 (0)18 23238.

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