

THE USE AND ABUSE OF HISTORY, NATIONAL HERITAGE AND NATIONALISM

Panel discussion with the President of Iceland

The University Aula in Bergen, Museplassen 3 - Thursday 23 March 2017, 12:00



Icelanders or Norwegians? Leifur, Snorri and national identity then and now

Lecture by
H.E. Guðni Th. Jóhannesson,
President of Iceland

Welcome by Dag Rune Olsen, Rector of the University of Bergen.

Panel discussion:

H.E. Guðni Th. Jóhannesson, President of Iceland

Dr. Guðrún Nordal, Director of The Árni Magnússon Institute for Icelandic Studies, University of Iceland

Dr. Sverre Bagge, Professor in Medieval History, University of Bergen

Dr. Bergsveinn Birgisson, Associate Professor, University of Bergen and author of *Den svarte vikingen*

Moderators:

Dr. Margareth Hagen, Dean of Faculty of Humanities, University of Bergen

Marte Helle Hauge, Bergen Student Society

H.M. King of Norway and The First Lady of Iceland Ms. Eliza Reid will be present.

Guests are requested to be seated between 11:30 and 11:50.

The main entrance to the University Aula is through the Museum Garden from Olav Ryes vei (vis-a-vis the the Student Centre)



Foreningen | Félagið
Snorres | Vinir
Venner | Snorra



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