



**47<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the International Association of  
Labour History Institutions (IALHI)**

**September 7 - 10, 2016**

**Helsinki, Finland**

**\* \* \* Invitation \* \* \***

**Heritage of Social Movements in a Global Perspective: Collecting and  
Preservation of Sources**

Dear Friends,

The annual conference of the International Association of Labour History Institutions (IALHI) will be organised this year by Työväen Arkisto (the Finnish Labour Archives) in Helsinki and will be held at The Trade Union of the Public and Welfare Sectors, from 7 to 10 September.

The conference programme, apart from the sessions reserved to members of the IALHI (General assembly etc.) will this year be devoted to **Heritage of Social Movements in a Global Perspective: Collecting and Preservation of Sources**. Enclosed are the preliminary programme and Call for Papers.

We cordially invite you to take part in the conference.

If you like to take part in the conference, please fill out the attached registration form and send it to Työväen Arkisto at [ialhi2016@gmail.com](mailto:ialhi2016@gmail.com). **Please send your registration form no later than July 15, 2016.**

If you like to present a project or new initiatives or generally what is going on at your institute, you have an opportunity to do so on the first conference day (Thursday, September 8). Good examples of similar kind of projects are:

- to collect 'born digital' archives from major archive creators (IISH)
- New initiative 'acquisition of digital archives' (BDIC)
- Launch of call for international documentation of historical 'People's Houses' (Maisons du peuple) (Amsab-ISH)
- New network of Oral History databases (FES-Archiv der sozialen Demokratie)

We hope to receive presentations of similar kind. If you give a presentation of your organisation's project etc., please **clearly indicate so in the registration form**.

If you like to give a presentation in one of the sessions on the theme "Heritage of Social Movements in a Global Perspective: Collecting and Preservation of Sources" on the second conference day (Friday, September 9), please **clearly indicate so in the registration form** and also **fill out Call for Papers**.

In either case, **please send your form no later than June 17, 2016.**

If you need a formal invitation (for visa), please send us a request at your earliest convenience at [ialhi2016@gmail.com](mailto:ialhi2016@gmail.com)

We look forward to meeting you in Helsinki!

Kindly yours,

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## Registration Form

Name: male/female  
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Address:  
City:  
Postal code:  
Country:  
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Besides the 47th Annual Conference of IALHI in Helsinki, I will:

- attend the evening reception after the check in on Wednesday *Yes/No*
- attend dinner (self financed) on Thursday evening *Yes/No*
- attend the Helsinki City reception and dinner on Friday evening *Yes/No*
- attend the excursion on Saturday *Yes/No*

Dietary preferences: *Yes/No*

Please specify: .....

Please let us know if you have any mobility or other special needs: *Yes/No*

If you have answered Yes, please specify:.....

**Please send this registration form properly filled to: [ialhi2016@gmail.com](mailto:ialhi2016@gmail.com)**

### **I want to give a presentation in:**

- one of the sessions on IALHI members' projects. The time of a presentation is limited to max. 10 minutes. *Yes/No*
- one of the sessions on the theme "Heritage of Social Movements in a Global Perspective: Collecting and Preservation of Sources" (*see: Call for Papers*). The time of a presentation is limited to max. 20 minutes *Yes/No*

Title of my presentation:

Brief abstract (200 - 300 words):