

SHORT CV
John Andersson



Thematic Area: 2
Key areas of Expertise in Digital Heritage:

- Wikimedia Projects
- Free licenses
- Crowdsourcing of media files, data and longer texts
- Accessibility of digital heritage

I am the Executive Director at Wikimedia Sverige, the Swedish chapter of the international Wikimedia movement. We work with Wikipedia and many other free knowledge projects which we support through partnerships, technical development, trainings, educational material, research, volunteer training and support, accessibility and diversity initiatives, awareness raising and lobbying. We work with all major educational and GLAM actors in Sweden and many international ones, such as UNESCO. One recent example of this is the Connected Open Heritage project (https://meta.wikimedia.org/wiki/Connected_Open_Heritage).

I have been actively involved in the Wikimedia movement for 12 years and a full time employee for 6.

I have a Bachelor's degree in Crisis and Conflict Management and a Master in European Studies.



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