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# PRACTICAL INFORMATION

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# TRAVELLING TO THE FAROE ISLANDS

## What, where, when - and why

For the first time ever, the Copenhagen Fellowship is travelling to the Faroe Islands! The purpose of the trip is to not only *talk about* but also *talk with* the people of the Islands, and especially let them *talk for themselves*.

We want to ensure representation of views, traditions, experiences, perspectives, and local voices. We want to engage with, expand, learn, inspire and be inspired. We want to create and strengthen a network across the North Atlantic - and beyond.

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### WHEN

We will be travelling for the third week of the 2021 Copenhagen Fellowship, from August 23 - August 29, 2021.

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### WHERE

Located between Norway and Iceland, the Faroe Islands is a self-governing archipelago in the Kingdom of Denmark.

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### WHAT

In cooperation with local non-government and other organizations in the Faroe Islands, the 2021 Copenhagen Fellowship will visit the Faroe Islands and examine the idea of the "Unity of the Realm" from a Faroese perspective. During our stay we will meet with politicians, journalists, artists, activists, and experts. We will explore the nature and the food, and we will spend two days engaging with a group of young Faroese students and activist.

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### WHY

Because it is important to make sure that the debates undertaken by the Cph Fellowship are locally anchored, to expand our horizons, to give voice to the people of the North Atlantic, to understand the perspectives and the lived lives and truths of those affected by history and decisions made far from their home, in the capitol of Copenhagen. To not talk *about* but also talk *with*, **to engage in dialogue and strengthen the democratic conversation.**

# TRAVEL, ACCOMODATION, FOOD, LOCATIONS, LANGAUGE, THE WEATHER

all you need to know

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## THE FLIGHT

We will be travelling to the Faroe Islands on Aug. 23 with Atlantic Airways.

**MEETING TIME IN COPENHAGEN AIRPORT, KASTRUP: 10.15 CEST**

### **August 23 - Flight RC453**

Departure Cph Airport: 12.25 CEST  
Arrival Vágar Airport: 13.40 WEST

### **August 29 - Flight RC456**

Departure Vágar Airport: 14.30 WEST  
Arrival CPH Airport: 17.35 CEST

Flying time: app. 2 hours

### **Face masks**

Face masks must be worn at all Atlantic Airways' travels and in Vágar Airport.

### **Lugage pr. person**

1 piece of hand lugage (8 kg) and 1 piece of checked lugage (23 kg.) + small hand bag

### **REMEMBER**

Passport/necessary visas/covid-19 test result/proof of vaccination/Travel insurance.

## TIME ZONE WEST

The Faroe Islands is located in time zone WEST (Western European Summer Time): UTC +1, i.e. the Faroes are 1 hour behind Danish time (CEST).

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## THE WEATHER

The weather in the Faroe Islands in August is usually cloudy and with temperature of around 10-15 degrees Celsius. We recommend you bring a jacket and some light layers. There is also a high probability that it will rain, so pack accordingly!

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## THE LANGUAGE

The national and official language of the Faroe Islands is *Faroese*. The language is spoken only by approximately 75,000 - 80,000 people throughout the world. The

Faroese language is one of the most important aspects of Faroese culture and identity. The Faroese people are conscious of the need to preserve their language by keeping it resilient in the face of global influences.

Faroese is a Nordic language, which derives from the language of the Norsemen who settled the Faroe Islands in the viking age, (Old Norse was the language spoken by the Vikings).

The Faroese language is closely related to Icelandic, Norwegian, Danish and Swedish.

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## HELPFUL PHRASES

Hi - Hey (pronunciation same as in English)

Goodbye - Bei (*pronunciation same as in English*)

Thank You - Takk ("*Tahk*")

How Are You? - Hvussu Hevur Tú Tað? ("*Kvossu Havur Tu Tehr*")

I'm Fine - Eg Havi Tað Gott ("*Eh Havur Tehr Gott*")

What's Your Name? Hvussu Eitur Tú? ("*Kvossu Eiter Tu?*")

My Name Is Gustav - Eg Eiti Gustav ("*Eh Eide Gustav*")

<https://gus1thego.com/travel/helpful-faroese-phrases-for-first-time-visitors/>

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## YES! WE WILL GO ON A HIKE!

On Wednesday we will be going on a hike. It's classified as an 'easy' hike (by Faroese standards). It will take us from Tórshavn to Kirkjubø and takes 2-3 hours (7 km.). Height: 100 m - 230 m.

Kirkjubø is a village on the island of Streymoy. The village is the Faroes' most important historical site, with the ruins of the Magnus Cathedral from around 1300, Saint Olav's Church from the 12th century and the old farmhouse of Kirkjubøargarður from the 11th century. In Kirkjubø we will have a guided tour of the old church and farmhouse by the farmer Jóannes Patursson (descendent of the well-known nationalist of the same name).

**Bring sensible clothing. Clothes may be dirty and wet. And it may rain. Be sure to bring a water proof jacket and sturdy walking shoes!**



Read more about the hike here:  
[www.make.fo/en/faroe-islands/hiking/torshavn-kirkjuboeur/](http://www.make.fo/en/faroe-islands/hiking/torshavn-kirkjuboeur/)

And about Patursson's farm here:  
<https://patursson.fo/>



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## FØROYA FÓLKAHÁSKÚLI - STAYING AT A FOLK HIGH SCHOOL

For the duration of our stay we will be staying at the *Føroya Fólkaháskúli* (the Faroese Folk High School) in Tórshavn. The Folk High School focuses on dance, theatre, and the arts and take students from all over the world for their programs. During our stay, the school is however empty.

The school also has a classroom, where we will spend many of our lectures, a small 'tea-kitchen', common areas and a cafeteria, where we can eat our food (but unfortunately *not* prepare it).

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## SLEEP

You will be sleeping in rooms of two, shared bathrooms in the hallway. You will be provided with sheets and linens.

**But you must bring your own towel!**

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## CLEANING DUTIES

We are responsible for cleaning our rooms and common areas at our departure, i.e. tidy up and vacuum.

Please keep your rooms and common areas nice and tidy throughout our stay - clean up after yourselves, help each other.

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## ALCOHOL

**Alcohol is strictly forbidden at the Fólkaháskúli.**

In addition, alcohol on the Faroe Islands is not sold in supermarkets, but rather in specific liquor stores, bars, and pubs (the latter two being more expensive).

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## FOOD - TO YOYO OR NOT TO YOYO

Some meals will be provided by Humanity in Action, either at the Fólkaháskúli or in other locations. For some meals *you are on your own* = YOYO-meals.

Breakfast will be served every morning at the Fólkaháskúli.

Some lunches will be YOYO-lunches, you will have to pay for them yourselves, others will be provided by HIA.

For dinner, we will either eat together, or you will receive a small subsidy to buy dinner yourself.

Please refer to the Day-by-day schedule to see, which meals are provided by HIA and which meals are YOYO-meals.

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## LOCATIONS

### Føroya Fólkaháskúli

Some of our lectures will take place in the classroom at the folk high school.



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### The Nordic House & "Skál"

The Nordic House is run as a Nordic institution of art and culture with a diverse programme of music, literature, theatre, film, visual arts, lectures, conferences and much more. We will visit the Nordic House on our very first day to watch the new Faroese documentary "Skál", which was the audience's favorite at this year's CPH DOX film festival.

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### The Aula

Our two-day seminar on August 26 and 27 will take place at the *Aula*. It's an aula at an old school in Tórshavn. Nowadays it is usually used for concerts because of its unique acoustics. The room is decorated with art by the international acknowledged Faroese writer William Heinesen and his son, the Faroese painter Zacharias Heinesen, whose paintings have formed a school in Faroese visual arts.



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## Amnesty International Føroya

On Tuesday we will visit Amnesty and learn about the work they do in the Faroe Islands.



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## Listasavn Føroya

The National Gallery of the Faroe Islands, just a 10 min.'s walk from the city centre. It's the Faroe Islands' main museum for Faroese art. The collection consists of approx. 2,500 works, primarily paintings, here you will find the magnificent Faroese nature and the peculiar landscape converted into pictures. The museum also has graphics, sculptures, installations and textiles. Among the main works in the art museum's collection you will find a large installation made of glass that you can go into, and here get the experience of floating in the middle of the sea. Optically you can see 700 meters up and down. Get ready for a dizzying art experience that can challenge your fear of heights.

# COVID-19 REGULATIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

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## TESTING UPON AND AFTER ARRIVAL

**It is your own responsibility to make sure you have the proper documentations regarding corona vaccination proof and/or proof of a negative corona test, in order to be able to travel to the Faroe Islands!**

It's recommended that you get a test 3 days prior to departure.

A mandatory test will also be administered immediately upon arrival. It's recommended to stay home/isolated until the result is available.

On our fourth day we will have a new test. The Faroe Islands have several free testing sites, where we will be obtaining this second test.

If you have any questions about Covid safety while on the Faroe Islands, please feel free to reach out.

Please refer to the official Faroese Corona Safety Guidelines for more information:  
<https://www.visitfaroeislands.com/about/faroe-islands-reopen-visitors/>

## GENERAL HIA GUIDELINES

**Please observe during our fellowship for the safety of everyone**

**Wash hands regularly and use hand sanitizer.**

**Avoid big crowds and gatherings, especially until the test result from the second test is available. This also means pubs etc.**

**Wear a mask on public transportation, especially when standing.**

**Keep a safe distance, at least two meters, between you and others.**

**If you feel sick, stay at home and notify us immediately.**

**Get tested regularly, preferably once-twice a week.**

**Limit contact with people outside of our circle.**

**In short: We encourage you to practice safe Covid protocols during our stay - social distance, wash your hands, and keep within our social bubble.**



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# 2021 FELLOWSHIP SPEAKERS

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## **BJARNI KÁRASON PETERSEN**

Member of the Faroese parliament for the party Framsókn, and member of the board of Framsókn

Bjarni Kárasón Petersen is a member of the Faroese Parliament, the Løgtingið, for the party Framsókn and a member of their board. Framsókn is a classical liberal party that - among other things - works for independence from Denmark.

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## **BRANDUR MORTENSEN NOLSØE**

Sociologist and Project Assistant at Unicef, 2018 Humanity in Action Fellow and Humanity in Action Denmark board member

Brandur Mortensen Nolsøe has an academic background in Sociology with a focus on everyday identity work and social interaction. Having grown up in the Faroe Islands, Brandur is engaged in cultural barriers among ethnic groups and the interrelations within the union of Denmark, Greenland and the Faroe Islands. Brandur is currently on paternity leave.

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## **HEINI Í SKORINI**

Assistant Professor at the University of the Faroe Islands

Heini Skorini holds a Ph.D. degree in International Relations from King's College London, Department of War Studies. His main research areas include international relations and human rights, religion and

secularization, freedom of expression and censorship. Another research interest includes popular attitudes to scientific issues, public trust in scientific authorities, and what factors contribute to anti-scientific attitudes, polarization, and distrust in science.

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## **HERVØR PÁLSDÓTTIR**

Member of the Faroese Parliament for the party Tjóðveldi

Hervør Pálsdóttir is a member of parliament in the Faroe Islands for the party Tjóðveldi, a left-wing political party committed to Faroese independence. Hervør graduated from The University of the Faroe Islands in 2019 with a degree in Politics and Administration. In 2017 she began working with the Faroese Pro-choice movement Fritt Val, where she still works to this day.

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## **HØGNI HOYDAL**

Political leader of the Faroese party Tjóðveldi, former minister and reporter

Høgni Hoydal is a Faroese politician who served as the Minister of Fisheries and Deputy Prime Minister from 2015 to 2019. He was a reporter on a Faroese national television station prior to his election to parliament in 1998. Høgni Hoydal has been the party leader of Tjóðveldi since 1998. In 2001, 2005 and 2007 he was elected as one of two Faroese members of the Danish Folketing. He is married and has three children.

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## INGILÍN DIDRIKSEN STRØM

Member of the Faroese Parliament for the party Javnaðarflokkurin

Ingelin Didriksen Strøm is a member of the Faroese Løgtingið for the party Javnaðarflokkurin, which is the Faroese Social Democratic Party.

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## KATRIN Á NEYSTABØ

National Director at Amnesty International Føroyar

Katrin á Neystabø is the director of Amnesty International in the Faroe Islands. She started as a campaigner for Amnesty International in 2010 and became director in 2014. During the last few years, the Faroese Amnesty office has worked extensively in the field of violence against women, rape and consent, isolation in detention, LGBT+ rights as well as refugee rights. She holds a cand. merc. degree in marketing and organization from Aarhus School of Business.

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## RANDI SAMSONSEN

Danish textile artist and designer

Randi Samsonsen is a Faroese textile artist and designer. Randi graduated from 'Designskolen' in Kolding as a Master of Design in 2012. With a current focus on art as a medium for change, Samsonsen has been collecting plastic gloves with the aim of drawing attention to human patterns of consumption.

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## RUNA PREETI ISFELD

PhD in Social Science

IRuna Preeti Isfeld has written the PhD "*Marriage Migrants to the Faroe Islands: An Analysis of the Life-World of Non-Western Women Married to the Faroe Islands*" from Aalborg University (2019).

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## SJÚRÐUR SKAALÉ

Member of the Danish Parliament for Javnaðarflokkurin

Sjúrður Skaale, is a social-democratic politician who has represented The Faroe Islands in the Danish Parliament for nine years. Before that, he was a member of the Faroese Parliament for four years. He has also worked as a journalist, a teacher and has been self-employed.

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## SONJA JÓGVANSDÓTTIR

Faroese journalist and politician

Sonja J. Jógvansdóttir is a Faroese journalist, politician, and founder of Samtak, a Faroese trade union center. She also co-established LGBT Faroe Islands in 2011, and was a member of the Social Democratic Party until 2015. When she was elected to the party, she became the first openly gay elected to the Faroese parliament. Following her departure from the party, she remains an independent politician in the parliament.

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## STEFFAN KLEIN POULSEN

Member of the Faroese Parliament for the party Miðflokkurin

Steffa Klein Poulsen

Steffan Klein Poulsen is 25 years old and lives in a small village called Hvannasund in the northern region of the Faroe Islands. He is raised in a Christian family and has personally chosen to follow Jesus. Today he is a member of the Faroese Parliament, Løgtingið, for the party Miðflokkurin, and studies economics. Miðflokkurin, the Centre Party, is a Christian-democratic, conservative political party. Steffan has a broad interest for sports and rules. He is active in his church. In the parliament he is a member of the Law committee (Rættarnevndin) and a member of the West Nordic Council. On a political level his focus points have been defending the traditional and fundamental values such as marriage between man and woman and the right to life of the unborn. He has personally pointed the tabooed subject pornography out as a society problem. Overall, it lies deep in Steffan's heart to keep Faroe Islands on a traditional path.

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## TÓR MARNI WEIHE

President of the Faroese National Union of Students and 2020 Humanity in Action Fellow

Tór Marni Weihe, a native of the Faroese capital of Tórshavn, is currently pursuing a double major in Applied Philosophy and Russian Language and Culture at the University of Aalborg and Copenhagen University in Denmark. From a young age, Tór has been engaged in student politics and currently serves as President of the Faroese National Union of Students and is also an observer Board Member of the European Students' Union. In his spare time, Tór translates philosophical classics into

Faroese and writes about applied ethics for Dimmalætting, a Faroese newspaper. Growing up in the so-called Danish "Community of the Realm", Tór has always been attuned to issues of cultural, social and political minority rights and the practical and theoretical challenges these pose. His studies have focused on the political philosophy of nationalism and the right to self-determination, and in the future, Tór hopes to further study the dynamics of nationalism and secession in the Arctic Region.

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## TURIÐ MARIA JÓHANSDÓTTIR

Founder of Frítt Val

Turið Maria Jóhansdóttir is chairperson at Amnesty International Faroe Islands and board member and initiator at Frítt Val, an organization working for free abortion on The Faroe Islands.

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# FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM Overview

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# PROGRAM OVERVIEW

## Faroe Islands Program

### TUESDAY, August 24

9.15-11.00: Check-in and Faroese independence? The development in the Arctic and the future of the Realm

12.30-14.00: Marriage Migrants to the Faroe Islands. The Life-World of Non- Western Women Married to Faroese Men

15.00-17.00: Amnesty International in the Faroe Islands.

### THURSDAY, August 26 Two-day seminar - Day 1

9.15-11.00: Check-in and Faroe Islands in a Historical and Contemporary Perspective

11.15-12.45: Pro-life or Pro-Choice in the Faroe Islands

14.00-15.30: LGBTQIA+ in the Faroe Islands: Challenges and Prospects

15.45-17.00: Group Discussion

### SATURDAY, August 28

9.15-11.30: Check-in and Democracy, Minorities and Religion in the Faroe Islands

13.00-16.00: Listasavn Føroya and artist talk: "Plastic Dialogue" - Art as a Termometre of Societal Change

### MONDAY, August 23

10.15: Kastrup Airport

12.25 CEST -13.40 WEST: Going to the Faroe Islands

17.00-19.00 City walk in Tórshavn

20.00-22.00: OPEN EVENT: "Skál", filmscreening and Q&A

### WEDNESDAY, August 25

8.30-20.30: Full day of sightseeing: Hike to Kirkjubø, boat trip to Nólsoy, traditional Faroese food-tasting.

### FRIDAY, August 27 Two-day seminar - Day 2

9.15-11.00: Check-in and Panel Discussion with 4 Faroese youth politicians

11.15-12.00: Breakout groups: continuing the talk in smaller groups with the youth politicians

13.00-14.30: Breaking News! News Report From the Faroes (tbc)

15.00-17.00: Group Discussion

### SUNDAY, August 29

14:30 WEST -17:35 CEST: Going back to Copenhagen



# FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

Day-by-day  
Schedule

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# August 23

Monday

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## FAROE ISLANDS: ARRIVAL AND INTRODUCTION

The third and final week of our Fellowship is dedicated to the Faroe Islands, and this year, we actually can make it there in person. In the early afternoon, we will land in Vágur and make our way to the capital of the Faroe Islands - Tórshavn - where we will spend the rest of the Fellowship. We will spend the first day checking in at our accommodation and do a city tour of the capital. In the evening we will further immerse ourselves in the Faroese context by screening a Faroese independent movie - Skál.

DAY 01  
notes

LOCATION: various locations

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## AGENDA

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| <b>10.15 CEST sharp!</b> | <b>MEETING TIME AT KASTRUP (CPH Airport)</b><br><b>Lunch - YOYO</b>  |
| <b>12.25 CEST</b>        | <b>Departure from Cph Airport, Atlantic Airways, Flight RC 453</b>   |
| <b>13.40 WEST</b>        | <b>Arrival in Vágur (Faroe Islands) - local time</b>   |
| <b>15.00-16.00</b>       | <b>Check into the Føroya Fólkaháskúli</b>  |
| <b>17.00-19.00</b>       | <b>City walk in Torshavn</b><br><i>Brandur Mortensen Nolsøe, Senior Fellow and Humanity in Action Board Member</i> |
| <b>19.00-19.30</b>       | <b>Dinner - YOYO</b>   |
| <b>20.00-22.00</b>       | <b>OPEN EVENT: Movie night at Nordens Hus: "Skál"</b>  |

# August 24

Tuesday

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## FAROESE REALITIES

On Tuesday, we will kickstart the day with a lecture from Sjúrdur Skaale, Member of Danish Parliament for Javnaðarflokkurin, on the question of Faroese Independence and the future of the Realm. In the afternoon, we will learn about the reality and lives of non-Western migrant women married to Faroese men and we will do a site visit at Amnesty International in the Faroe Islands, where Katrin Á Neystabø will share more about the organization's activity in the Archipelago.

DAY 02  
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LOCATION: various locations

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## AGENDA

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| <b>08.30-09.00</b> | <b>Breakfast - at the Fólkaháskúli</b>   |
| <b>09.15-09.30</b> | <b>Check-in</b>  |
| <b>09.30-11.00</b> | <b>Faroese independence? The development in the Arctic and the future of the Realm</b><br><i>Sjúrdur Skaale, Member of Danish Parliament for Javnaðarflokkurin</i> |
| <b>11.30-12.30</b> | <b>Lunch - YOYO</b>  |
| <b>12.30-14.00</b> | <b>Marriage Migrants to the Faroe Islands. The Life-World of Non-Western Women Married to Faroese Men</b><br><i>Runa Preeti Isfeld, PhD</i>                        |
| <b>14.00-15.00</b> | <b>Break - and going to Amnesty International</b>  |
| <b>15.00-17.00</b> | <b>Amnesty International in the Faroe Islands</b><br><i>Katrin Á Neystabø, National Director of Amnesty Faroe Islands</i>  |
| <b>17.00-18.00</b> | <b>Break</b>   |
| <b>18.00</b>       | <b>Dinner - YOYO</b>   |

# August 25

Wednesday

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## EXPLORING THE FAROES

Today we will spend the whole day immersing ourselves in the Faroese day to day reality by going on a sightseeing tour.

We will start the day early by doing a - by Faroese standard - 'easy' hike from Tórshavn to Kirkjubø (2-3 hours). We will get a tour of the village and then take the bus back to Tórshavn.

From Tórshavn we will take a ferry to the island of Nólsoy, where we will have dinner at a local restaurant and taste traditional Faroese food before sailing back to Tórshavn.

DAY 03  
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LOCATION: various locations

## AGENDA

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| <b>07.30-08.00</b>    | <b>Breakfast and prepare your own lunch to take on the hike (provided at the Folkahaskuli)</b> |
| <b>08.30-11.30</b>    | <b>Hike to Kirkjubø - 7 km.</b>  |
| <b>11.30-13.00</b>    | <b>Lunch, relax, take in the scenery</b>   |
| <b>13.00-14.30</b>    | <b>Guided tour in Kirkjubø</b><br><i>Jóannes Patursson</i>                                     |
| <b>15.12-15.42</b>    | <b>Bus back to Tórshavn</b>  |
| <b>16.20</b>          | <b>Ferry to Nólsoy and dinner at Café Frida</b>  |
| <b>18.25 or 22.25</b> | <b>Ferry back to Tórshavn</b>  |

# August 26

Thursday

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## TWO-DAY SEMINAR! DAY 1

Today we will begin our two-day seminar with a group of Faroese Fellows. Day 1 focuses on contemporary issues in Faroese society. Høgni Hoydal, former minister of Fisheries, will kickstart the day with a lecture on the Faroe Islands in a historical and contemporary perspective. Turið Maria Jóhansdóttir, founder of Fritt Val, will discuss abortion rights and in the afternoon, we will have a visit from LGBT Føroya, and a talk about challenges and prospect for the LGBTQIA+ community in the Faroe Islands. During the day, we will make space for group discussions with the Faroese fellows who can share their perspectives on the discussed topics.

DAY 04  
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LOCATION: Aula

## AGENDA

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| <b>08.15-08.45</b> | <b>Breakfast - and walk to the Aula (15 min.)</b>   |
| <b>09.15-09.30</b> | <b>Check-in - Cph Cohort and Faroese Fellows</b>  |
| <b>09.30-11.00</b> | <b>Faroe Islands in a Historical and Contemporary Perspective</b><br><i>Høgni Hoydal</i>                    |
| <b>11.00-11.15</b> | <b>Break</b>  |
| <b>11.15-12.45</b> | <b>Pro-Life or Pro-Choice in the Faroe Islands</b><br><i>Turið Maria Jóhansdóttir, founder of Fritt Val</i> |
| <b>12.45-14.00</b> | <b>Lunch - provided by HIA</b>  |
| <b>14.00-15.30</b> | <b>LGBTQIA+ in the Faroe Islands: Challenges and Prospects</b><br><i>Sonja Jógvansdóttir, LGBT Føroya</i>   |
| <b>15.30-15.45</b> | <b>Break</b>  |
| <b>15.45-17.00</b> | <b>Group Discussion: Being young in the Faroes</b>  |
| <b>17.00-17.15</b> | <b>Check out</b>  |
| <b>18.00-19.00</b> | <b>GOING TO A TESTING CENTRE FOR THE 4-DAY TEST</b>   |
| <b>19.00</b>       | <b>Dinner - YOYO</b>  |

# August 27

Friday

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## TWO-DAY SEMINAR! DAY 2

Today, we will be joined by our Faroese cohort again to continue our discussions from yesterday and dive deeper into the pressing political realities and priorities of the Faroe Islands. We have invited 4 young politicians to join us in a panel where they will share their perspectives on the future of the Archipelago and their parties' priorities for the upcoming decade. After a short break, you will be able to join a breakout session with one of them where you will be able to dive deeper into a particular topic.

In the afternoon we will discuss the political realities from a journalistic point of view.

DAY 05  
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LOCATION: Aula

## AGENDA

- 08.15-08.45** Breakfast - and walk to the Aula (15 min.)
- 09.15-09.30** Check-in Cph Cohort and Faroese Fellows
- 09.30-11.00** **Faroe Islands in the World: Challenges and Prospects**  
*Youth parties in conversation with our fellows, moderator: Tór Marni Weihe, Senior Fellow, 2020 Cph Fellowship*
- 11.00-11.15** Break
- 11.15-12.00** 4 breakout groups - choose your group and topic
- 12.00-13.00** Lunch - provided by HIA
- 13.00-14.30** Breaking News! News Report From the Faroes (tbc)
- 15.00-17.00** Group Discussion: political realities
- 18.00-19.00** Dinner for all Fellows - provided by HIA



# August 28

Saturday

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## DEMOCRATIC CHALLENGES & POLITICAL ART

On our last full day in the Faroe Islands we will discuss the democratic challenges the Archipelago is faced with. In the morning, Heini í Skorini, Ass. professor at the University of Faroe Islands, will hold a lecture on Democracy, Minorities and Religion in the Faroe Islands. In the afternoon we will visit the Faroese Museum of Art and we will have artist Randi Samsonsen join us in a discussion about her podcast "Plastic Dialogue" that aims to shed light on human patterns of consumption. We will finish the week with a Farewell Dinner and a Party.

DAY 06  
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LOCATION: Fólkaháskúli, Listasavn Føroya

## AGENDA

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| <b>08.30-09.00</b> | <b>Breakfast</b>   |
| <b>09.15-09.30</b> | <b>Check-in</b>  |
| <b>09.30-11.30</b> | <b>Democracy, Minorities and Religion in the Faroe Islands</b><br><i>Heini í Skorini, Assistant Professor at the University of the Faroe Islands</i> |
| <b>11.30-12.30</b> | <b>Lunch - YOYO (go to the National Gallery, 30 min. walk)</b>   |
| <b>13.00-14.30</b> | <b>Listasavn Føroya - The National Gallery of the Faroe Islands</b><br><i>Site Visit - Meeting Point: outside main entrance.</i>                     |
| <b>14.30-16.00</b> | <b>"Plastic Dialogue" - Art as a Thermometer of Societal Change</b><br><i>Randi Samsonsen, artist</i>  |
| <b>16.00-18.30</b> | <b>Break</b>   |
| <b>18.30-</b>      | <b>Pizza Night! - and Farewell Party</b>   |

# August 29

Sunday

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## RETURNING TO COPENHAGEN

Today we will be departing from the Faroe Islands to return to Copenhagen. Thank you all for such an interesting, engaging and insightful Fellowship and trip.

DAY 07  
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LOCATION: going home

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## AGENDA

<b>08.30-09.00</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>
<b>09.00-11.00</b>	<b>Pack and clean rooms and common areas</b>
<b>11.00-12.30</b>	<b>Go to the airport</b>
<b>14.30 WEST -17.45 CEST</b>	<b>Departure from the Faroe Islands</b> <i>Flight leaves at 14.30</i>

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# VENUES ON THE FAROE ISLANDS

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## FØROYA FÓLKHÁSKÚLI

Háskúlavegur 14  
FO-100 Tórshavn  
Faroe Islands

## THE NORDIC HOUSE

Norðari Ringvegur 14  
FO-100 Tórshavn  
Faroe Islands

## AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL FØROYA

J.H. Schrøters Gøta 7  
FO-100 Tórshavn  
Faroe Islands

## LISTASAVN FØROYA

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## AULA

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