



Museum Southeast Denmark, Aarhus University,
The National Museum and the University of Copenhagen invite you to:

The Borgring Conference
November 26th and 27th 2018
The Saxo-Institute, University of Copenhagen

Borgring was recognised as the 5th Viking Age ring fortress in Denmark when archaeology and 14C-datings in 2014 documented that circular rampart 4 km West of Køge indeed was one of the iconic geometrical ring fortresses of the Viking Age.

The discovery was followed by the initiative of Museum Southeast Denmark and Aarhus University to launch The Borgring Project in order to explore the ring fortress and its hinterland.

A generous grant from the A.P. Møller Fund and additional support from the Municipality of Køge made The Borgring Project 2016-2018 possible. At the end of 2018 ends, the 3-year period of research excavations, geophysical surveying and coring. This is a good occasion to invite to a conference and present the preliminary results of the Borgring Project including archaeological evidence, geophysics, geochemical analysis, fire investigations, environmental archaeology and archaeo-botanical analysis. Furthermore, the seminar holds papers from colleagues from Germany, Sweden and Denmark presenting the variety of fortresses, strongholds, fortified emporia and magnate's fenced residences from the Viking Age.

Make a note in your calendar for the 26th and 27th of November 2018. Further information and the programme will be published in September. We will be happy to welcome you at the Saxo-Institute in Copenhagen.



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