

**Symposium:**

**Celebrating 50 Years of  
Occupational Health & Safety Research**

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## What do we celebrate today?

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Today, we celebrate with this symposium the 50 year anniversary of our research journal, the Scandinavian Journal of Work, Environment & Health

- Scope of the Journal: Occupational health and safety in a broad sense.
- Editorial Office: Located at the Finnish Institute of Occupational Health (FIOH) in Helsinki.
- Publisher: The “Nordic Association of Occupational Safety and Health” (NOROSH), a “not-for-profit society that aims to strengthen Nordic and international cooperation in the field of occupational safety and health”. <https://www.norosh.org/>.
  - Finnish Institute for Occupational Health (FIOH), Finland
  - National Institute of Occupational Health (NIOH / STAMI), Norway
  - Swedish Agency for Work Environment Expertise (SAWEE / Mynak), Sweden
  - National Research Centre for the Working Environment (NRCWE / NFA), Denmark
  - Contributing member: Karolinska Institutet, Sweden

- 09.30: Welcome and introductions and moderation of the day,  
*Reiner Rugulies, NFA, Denmark and Alex Burdorf, Erasmus Medical Centre, The Netherlands*
- 09.40: Greetings from the Journal's publisher, NOROSH, *Kirsi Ahola, FIOH, Finland*
- 09.50: The changing business of running a scientific journal – reflections on the SJWEH,  
*Mikko Härmä, FIOH, Finland*
- 10.10: Fifty years of research in SJWEH, *Reiner Rugulies, NFA, Denmark*
- 10.30: Short break
- 10.40: From cases to policies. How the Scandinavian disease solved the problems of solvents,  
*Maria Albin, Karolinska Institutet, Sweden*
- 11.00: Psychosocial factors at work: veni, vidi, vici?, *Cécile Boot, Amsterdam UMC, The Netherlands*
- 11.20: Occupational health research – needed and evolved, *Annina Ropponen, FIOH, Finland*
- 11.40: Comments and questions
- 11.55: Closing remarks, *Alex Burdorf, Erasmus Medical Centre, The Netherlands*