Annual Report from

the Swedish Ex Libris user group

for the 2021 digital meeting

The Swedish Aleph User Group (Alephswe) was established in 1999 and was expanded in to a user group for all Ex Libris products in Sweden in 2011 (ELUGswe).

The main tasks of ELUGswe are:

- To provide a forum for the exchange of practical experiences and information about local developments of common interest.
- To coordinate the activities of Swedish libraries using Ex Libris products and maintain a list of development requests.
- To provide a common point of contact for Ex Libris.
- To keep in touch with IGeLU and other user groups.

Steering committee:
Charlotte Wänelöf, Library of the Swedish Parliament, chair
Johanna Säll, Karolinska Institutet, University Library, treasurer
Kristoffer Warnberg, University of Borås, secretary
Petra Svanborg, Umeå, University Library, vice chair

ELUGswe have one meeting a year, the annual association meeting which is held in spring. If needed, an additional web meeting is held sometime during the autumn.

You can reach ELUGswe at our website: http://elugswe.blogg.kb.se

We also have a discussion list (e-mail) administrated by The Swedish Royal Library.
Activities 2021:

Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, ELUGswe decided to have digital meetings during 2021.

Annual association meeting 28th of April (digital)
The agenda of the meeting was budget, annual report, chairman’s report, etc.
At the meeting we also had sessions about KTH Library self-developed Alma Cloud App, Statistics in Alma and ”How can we best make our universities’ publications searchable in discovery”. We also had a breakout room for libraries with Summon.

Webmeeting with ExLibris 19th of May (digital)
At the meeting Andrew Christison, Customer Success Manager at Ex Libris had a presentation about CDI – best practice and Ghislain Onestas, Research Suite Solution Sales Manager EMEA, ExLibris talked about Esploro- latest news.

At the meeting Ronald van Dieen, Key account Manager also gave us a short report about Clarivates acquisition of Proquest. The acquisition as well as the impact of Schrems II judgement raised some questions from the Swedish community.

Issue that we want to address...
We would like to hear how other countries interpret Clarivates acquisition of ProQuest and the Schrems II case; invalidating the EU-U.S. Privacy Shield framework as an adequate safeguard of transfers of personal data from the European Union to the United States.

Other activities
- An additional web meeting to be held in the autumn of 2021 (digital).
- In September ExLibris will introduce the Premium Services for the members.

Best wishes for the INUG meeting! See you online!

On behalf of the ELUGswe user group
Charlotte Wånelöf, Chair
Members 2021:
There are 28 member libraries in ELUGswe.

Libraries:
Anna Lindh Library
Borås University Library
Dalarna University Library
Gothenburg University Library
Halmstad University Library
Jönköping University Library
Karolinska Institutet University Library
Kristianstad University Library
Library of the Government Offices of Sweden
Library of the Royal Academy of Letters, History and Antiquities
Library of the Royal Institute of Technology (KTH Library)
Library of the Swedish Defence Materiel Administration (FMV)
Library of the Swedish National Road and Transport Research Institute (VTI)
Library of the Swedish Parliament
Linnaeus University Library
Mid Sweden University Library
Mälardalens University Library
National Library of Sweden
Nordic Africa Institute Library
Stockholm school of economics
Stockholm University Library
Swedish Agricultural University Library
Swedish Film Institute Library
Swedish National Agency for Education
Södertörn University Library
Umeå University Library
Uppsala University Library
Örebro University Library