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## WELCOME!

We are delighted to be in Eskilstuna for the 23rd edition of the European Athletics Junior Championships as Sweden hosts the event for the first time.

Eskilstuna and the Ekängen Sports Arena are an excellent choice for Europe's new generation of emerging stars to showcase their talent in front of enthusiastic fans. With the organisation of these European Junior Championships, Eskilstuna demonstrates its renewed commitment to sport as the city is in the process of completing a new swimming arena as well as another multi-purpose sports hall.

Eskilstuna has a proud industrial heritage but has transformed into one of the most environmentally smartest cities in Europe. Therefore it is natural to arrange these championships while being attentive to the environment. This sustainable responsibility is core value for European Athletics in organising our events to make a positive contribution towards local communities.

The European Athletics Junior Championships is extremely important for the development of athletics in Europe. Throughout each of the previous 22 editions we have had the cream of European junior athletic talent battling for supremacy in their age group and this year is sure to be no different. Many have moved on from these championships to glittering success at the European Athletics Championships, World Championships and Olympic Games at senior level.

If you look back at some of the past gold medallists from recent championships, you will come across names such as Yelena Isinbayeva, Mo Farah, Christophe Lemaitre, Carolina Klüft and many more. This just underlines how important a role these championships have played in shaping the career of some of the stars of the sports. Eskilstuna has excellent facilities for the athletes and I have no doubt that there will be a great atmosphere at the stadium in July.

European Athletics greatly appreciates the efforts of the Swedish Athletics Federation, the City of Eskilstuna and the Local Organising Committee in the preparation for the Championships.

We are looking forward to seeing you in Eskilstuna in July for four days of exciting athletics competition.

Svein Arne Hansen  
European Athletics President

# 1. FOR VISITORS TO SWEDEN

## 1. Information for visitors to Sweden

### 1.1 Visa Requirements

Countries requiring visas to enter Sweden should obtain them from the Swedish Embassy or Consulate in their country.

The following countries require visas to enter:

|                        |             |
|------------------------|-------------|
| Albania****            | Armenia     |
| Azerbaijan*            | Belarus     |
| Bosnia-Herzegovina**** | Georgia***  |
| FYR Macedonia****      | Moldova**** |
| Montenegro****         | Russia ***  |
| Serbia****             | Turkey***   |
| Ukraine***             |             |

\*) holder of a Diplomatic Passport or a Service Passport does not require a visa

\*\*\*) holder of a Diplomatic Passport does not require a visa for a short stay according to an agreement between the EC and respectively state on the facilitation of the issuance of visas

\*\*\*\*) holder of a biometric Passport does not require a visa

Visas should be obtained before leaving your country, from the Swedish Embassy or Consulate. Should you have any problems, or require a letter of invitation please contact: Mr Fahad Shamon, e-mail: [mbk.centrum@eskilstuna.se](mailto:mbk.centrum@eskilstuna.se)

### Basic phrases in Swedish

|             |                  |                |                  |
|-------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| ja          | yes              | nej            | no               |
| tack        | thank you        | ingen orsak    | you're welcome   |
| hej, goddag | hi, hello        | god morgon     | good morning     |
| god kväll   | good evening     | god natt       | good night       |
| välkommen!  | welcome!         | ha en bra dag! | have a nice day! |
| ursäkta mig | excuse me, sorry | fröidrott      | athletics        |
| löpning     | running          | kast           | throw            |
| hopp        | jump             | vinnare        | winner           |

## 1.2 Good to know

|                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| Official Language        | Swedish  |
| Population in Eskilstuna | 101,129 (on 28/2/2015)   |
| Currency                 | Swedish krona (sign: kr, code SEK)<br>Coins are issued to the value of 1 kr, 5 kr and 10 kr<br>Notes are issued to the value of 20, 50, 100, 500 and 1000 kr. Money is preferably changed at Exchange offices, which can be easily found in the city. Money can also be changed for a minor fee in banks and at most hotel receptions. |
| Time Local Time is       | GMT +1 hour  |
| Electricity              | The electricity supply is 230 volts (50 Hz) and the plugs have two round pins.   |
| Water                    | Tap water is completely free, fresh and safe for drinking  |
| Country Code             | Telephone Country Code is +46  |
| Cellphone Network        | Swedish mobile phone networks operate under 4G, 3G, 2G/GSM and GPRS. You are advised to contact your own country's mobile phone operator to determine if your country has an international roaming agreement with Sweden, which will allow temporary connection with the Swedish network   |
| Emergency No             | 112  |
| Police non-emergency     | 114 14   |

Business opening hours of the main establishments are as follows:

|                             | Monday - Friday       | Saturday              | Sunday        |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Banks                       | 10:00 - 15:00 (18:00) | Closed                | Closed        |
| Shops (in general)          | 10:00 - 19:00         | 10:00 - 14:00 (16:00) | 12:00 - 15:00 |
| Shopping malls (in general) | 10:00 - 20:00         | 10:00 - 18:00         | 12:00 - 17:00 |
| Administration              | 08:00 - 16:00         | Closed                | Closed        |

Post Offices are mainly located in bigger stores and supermarkets, and operate during usual opening hours.

## 1.3 Website & social networks

The official website for the European Athletics Junior Championships 2015 is:

[www.eskilstuna2015.com](http://www.eskilstuna2015.com)

Follow us in



- please use #eskilstuna2015

## 2. ORGANISATIONAL STRUCTURE

### 2.1 European Athletics Council

President

First Vice President

Vice Presidents

Director General

Council Members

Svein Arne Hansen (NOR)  
Dobromir Karamarinov (BUL)  
Jean Gracia (FRA)  
Frank Hensel (GER)  
Christian Milz (SUI)  
Sylvia Barlag (NED)  
Gregor Bencina (SLO)  
José Luis de Carlos (ESP)  
Alfio Giomi (ITA)  
Marton Gyulai (HUN)  
Toralf Nilsson (SWE)  
Dimakos Panagiotis (GRE)  
Antti Pihlakoski (FIN)  
Jorge Salcedo (POR)  
Gabriela Szabo (ROU)  
Erich Teigamägi (EST)  
Libor Varhanik (CZE)  
Salih Münir Yaras (TUR)  
Lamine Diack (SEN)  
Carl-Olaf Homén (FIN)  
Hansjörg Wirz (SUI)

IAAF President (ex officio member)

European Athletics Honorary Life Presidents

### 2.2 European Athletics Delegates

Technical Delegates

Doping Control Delegate

Jury of Appeal

International Starter

International Photo-Finish Judge

Anna Riccardi (ITA)  
Antonio Perez (ESP)  
Rosa Vidal (ESP)  
Jorge Salcedo (POR) - Chair  
Anne Fröberg (FIN)  
Ivan Slavchev (BUL)  
Marco Pagliano (ITA)  
Grzegorz Lipinski (POL)



International Race Walking Judges

Hans van der Knaap (NED) - Chief

Vesna Babic (CRO)

Zoi Gini (GRE)

Fabrice Le Meur (FRA)

Christian Melchior (GER)

Ana Toureiro (POR)

ITOs

Can Korkmazoglu (TUR)- Chief

Alexander Cherkashin (RUS)

Antonio Costa (POR)

Roberto Grava (ITA)

Iva Machova (CZE)

Niels van der Aar (NED)

### **2.3 European Athletics Office**

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1003 Lausanne

Switzerland

Tel: +41 21 313 43 50

Fax: +41 21 313 43 51

Email: [competition@european-athletics.org](mailto:competition@european-athletics.org)

### **2.4. Executive Board of the Swedish Athletic Association Council**

Honorary President

Her Majesty Queen Silvia of Sweden

President

Björn Eriksson

Vice Presidents

Karin Lundgren

Toralf Nilsson

Members

Lena Björk

Pia Bosdotter Olson

Gunilla Löthagen Sjöstrand

Johan Storåkers

Mats Åkerlind

Anna Öberg

Staff Representative

Magnus Fridell

Honorary Member

Arne Ljungqvist

## 2.5. Local Organising Committee

|                           |   |
|---------------------------|---|
| President                 | Pia Bosdotter Olson   |
| Vice president            | Mona Kanaan   |
| Members                   | Lars-Olov Lundkvist<br>Anders Albertsson<br>Andreas Thornell<br>Eva Norberg<br>Anette Pallhed<br>Jörgen Landin<br>Lennart Karlberg<br>Karin Grute Movin |
| General Secretary         |   |
| Stadium - Technology      | Peter Fröjdfeldt  |
| Security                  | Stefan Rydholm  |
| Protocol / Hospitality    | Lennart Karlberg  |
| Press / Media             | Anette Pallhed  |
| Finance                   | Mattias Anglemark   |
| Medical/Anti-Doping       | Barbro Lundkvist  |
| Transport / Accommodation | Lars-Olov Lundkvist   |
| Promotion / Marketing     | Isabel Jansson  |
| Ceremonies                | Silke Tindrebäck  |

## 2.6 European Athletics & LOC Media Staff

|                                  |                             |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| European Athletics Communication | François Schrurs            |
| Media Director                   | Anette Pallhed              |
| Photographers Chief              | Gustav Nyberg               |
| Media Centre                     | Eeva Lengstrand             |
| Mixed Zone                       | Johan Storåkers & Åsa Söder |
| Flash Quotes                     | David Lüning                |
| Website                          | Kristofer Edwardsson        |
| Social networks                  | Jacob Narvell               |

Mobile numbers will be distributed on site.

You can reach us all on e-mail [media@eskilstuna.se](mailto:media@eskilstuna.se)

### 3.1 General

Each journalist or photographer will receive an accreditation card, which must be worn at all times and should be clearly visible. Security personnel will control all areas. The accreditation is not transferable and does not allow the holder to take another person beyond checkpoints. Photos are not required for the accreditation card system.

### 3.2 Accreditation Centre

Accreditation cards will be distributed at the Main Accreditation Centre located in the Eskilstuna Theatre in the city centre (see map Appendix 4).

Opening hours

13 - 15 July 08:30 - 19:30

16 - 17 July 08:00 - 12:00

If you come later than 12:00, please notify us at [media@eskilstuna.se](mailto:media@eskilstuna.se)

18 - 19 July Accreditation cards can be collected at the Media Centre at Ekängen Arena.

### 3.3 Lost Accreditation Pass

Any lost or damaged accreditation cards should be reported to LOC, at the TIC. Duplicate cards can be obtained where proof of identity can be established.

### 3.4 Accreditation Passes

A list of the access zones is included on the back of the accreditation card. All media accreditation cards will allow access to the Mixed Zone, the Media Tribune and the Media Centre.

The accreditation must be picked up personally and the passport or ID card must be presented.

### 3.5 Accreditation Zones

An accreditation zone is in area of an event that has restricted access. Access to this area is granted only to those who have this zone number listed on their accreditation pass. There will be

Number Zone

- 1 European Athletics Club/ VIP Area
- 2 Infield
- 3 Team Areas
- 4 Mixed Zone
- 5 Media Center
- 6 Media Tribune
- 7 TV/Radio Area
- 8 Event Management
- T1 Dedicated Cars
- T2 Car pool
- B Shuttle service

## 4. ACCOMODATION

### 4.1 Media hotel

Elite Stadshotellet

Hamngatan 11, 632 20 Eskilstuna

Phone +46 16 540 23 00

E-mail [info.eskilstuna@elite.se](mailto:info.eskilstuna@elite.se)

Website [www.elite.se/sv/hotell/eskilstuna/stadshotellet/](http://www.elite.se/sv/hotell/eskilstuna/stadshotellet/)

### 4.2 Payments

Payments to be made by bank transfer before arrival of the guests. No invoices will be sent out of Sweden after the event. We will have a credit card terminal available at the Main Accreditation Centre for instance, where the late comers can still pay their accommodation costs. Due payments shall be done prior to distribution of the accreditation card.

The advance payment should be in Euros by bank transfer to the following account:

Bank account name: Nordea

Bank reference: Eskilstuna kommun

Bank account number: 1 00 05-7

Sort code: 9960

Bank address: Smålandsgatan 17, 105 71 Stockholm, Sweden

Swift No: NDEASESS  
IBAN: SE 2195 0000 9960 2600 1000  
Note: A copy of the bank transfer will be required upon arrival.

### **Cancellation policy**

Up until 6 weeks prior to arrival, 100% of the original number of rooms booked can be cancelled at no charge, i.e. until 2 June, 2015.

From 3 June 2015, 100% of the stay will be charged unless the room is re-sold.

In conjunction with the registration for accreditation, all hotel reservations are to be made through the European Athletics on-line Event Management System (ARENA).

## **5. TRANSPORTS**

### **5.1 Media shuttle service**

A regular bus shuttle service will be provided. Detailed schedule will be displayed at the Information Desk in the hotel.

### **5.2 Public transportation**

Please note that the accreditation card will give free access to public transportation, i.e. Eskilstuna bus network only (no train).

### **5.3 Parking**

There will be a limited number of parking places close to the arena. The places will be attributed on a first come, first served basis.

### **5.4 Taxi**

There are several taxi companies in Eskilstuna:

|             |                  |
|-------------|------------------|
| SverigeTaxi | +46 16 13 77 70  |
| Taxi Kurir  | +46 16 14 58 00  |
| Trendtaxi   | +46 16 12 22 22  |
| Swedtaxi    | +46 16 400 00 16 |

The cost is approx. 125 SEK from Elite Stadshotellet to Ekängen Arena.

## 6. MEDIA FACILITIES

### 6.1 Media Centre

The Media Centre is located at the Ekängen Arena, behind the main tribune.

The Media Centre is equipped with free wireless connection. The Media Centre will be open as follows:

|                   |               |
|-------------------|---------------|
| Wednesday 15 July | 12:00 – 18:00 |
| Thursday 16 July  | 08:30 – 22:00 |
| Friday 17 July    | 08:30 – 22:00 |
| Saturday 18 July  | 08:30 – 22:00 |
| Sunday 19 July    | 08:30 – 23:00 |

All relevant publications/material as well as free coffee/tea, soft drinks and snacks will be available at the Media Centre.

### 6.2 Media Tribune

The Media Tribune is located in the main tribune, 15 metres from the Media Centre.

All seats are equipped with electricity, TV and CIS monitors as well as free wire- and wireless connection.

### 6.3 Mixed Zone

The purpose of the Mixed Zone is to offer journalists an opportunity to speak with athletes about their performances as they leave the field immediately after the competition. All the athletes should leave the stadium through the Mixed Zone and it is the only space where the athletes can be interviewed after their competition. It is up to the individual athlete to decide whether or not to speak with the media.

The Mixed Zone is located after the finish line.

The Mixed zone will be split into three parts – TV crews, Radio crews and Written Press giving priority to permit-holders.

The LOC News Team operates in the Mixed Zone collecting Flash Quotes relaying athletes' comments quickly and accurately.

### 6.4 Media Conference

The official press conference will be held at the City Hall (Fristadstorget) in Eskilstuna City Centre on **Wednesday 15 July at 14:00**. European Athletics and LOC representatives as well as some local and international participating athletes will be attending the opening.

If needed, The Ice Hall at Ekängen Arena will be used for any media conference during the championships.

## 6.5 Media Restaurants

### Lunch

Media representatives can have lunch at the restaurant of the Eskilstuna Golf Club, located 150 metres away from the Stadium. Some kiosks offering take-away food such as sandwiches and burgers will be available at the Stadium.

### Dinner

Media representatives are recommended to have dinner in the City Centre or at the Media Hotel. Do not hesitate to ask the LOC Media staff for recommendations.

## 6.6 Photographers

A briefing for the accredited photographers will be held at the Media Centre on Wednesday 15 July at 17:00.

Photographers will have access to the infield only with INFIELD PHOTO bibs. Only 10 photographers can be infield at the same time.

Infield Photographers are selected by the European Athletics Communications Manager and the LOC Media Manager.

Photographing conditions at the Ekängen Arena are very good and easy to get also outside the infield, both on the track level and tribunes.

### 6.6.1 Victory ceremonies

The procedure for taking pictures during and after the victory ceremonies will be guided by the Photo Chief. There will be a limited number of 6 - 8 positions for the ceremony itself.

See appendix 1 for detailed timetable.

### 6.6.2 Lockers

There will be a lockers in the Media Centre where cameras and other equipment of photographers can be stored. The stadium area will be guarded 24/7.

## 7. FANS ZONE

During the championships there will be a Fans Zone at Fristadstorget, the City Centre Square, where all visitors and inhabitants can enjoy artistic performances, music and surprises. The Fans Zone is open from Wednesday 15 July at 19:00 (see Opening Ceremony) through Saturday 18 July. The evening show will start at 20:30 on all three days but there will also be activities and entertainment during the day.

## 8. FIRST AID

First aid services are available at the Ekängen Arena. In case of an emergency, please contact the LOC staff.

## 9. COMPETITION REGULATIONS

### 9.1 Entries

Individual participation (503.5): Each European Athletics Member Federation may enter up to 4 (four) athletes in each individual event of whom up to 3 (three) may participate provided all of them shall have achieved the qualifying standard for that event (see regulation 508.1.3).

Alternatively to 503.5, each European Athletics Member Federation may enter one athlete in each individual event if such athlete has not achieved the qualifying standard for that event.

For each event, provided that any European Athletics Member enters only 1 (one) athlete, such an athlete shall not be required to have reached the qualifying standard for that event (e.g. 100m three athletes competing = all must have entry standard, long jump one athlete competing = no entry standard necessary).

Relay teams (503.7): Each European Athletics Member Federation may enter 1 (one) team in each relay event. Up to 6 (six) athletes may be entered for each relay. From these 6 (six) and from any other athletes entered for any event in the European Athletics Junior Championships, the 4 (four) athletes to participate must be nominated at the time specified for the Final Declaration.

### Conditions:

- Performances must be achieved between the 1 January 2014 and 6 July 2015;
- Performances must be achieved in bona fide competition (either indoors or outdoors) organised in conformity with IAAF Rules;
- Performances must be achieved during competitions organised or sanctioned by the IAAF, its Area Associations or its National Member Federations. Thus, results achieved at other competitions must be certified by the National Federation of the country in which the competition was organised;
- Performances achieved in mixed events (between male and female participants), held completely in the stadium, shall not be accepted as entry standards;
- Wind assisted performances will not be accepted; (For the combined events the conditions set in IAAF Rule 260.27 [version 2009] will still be applied for qualification purposes, so either the average velocity (based on the algebraic sum of the wind velocities, as measured for each individual event, divided by the number of such events) shall not exceed plus 2 m/s or the wind velocity in any individual event shall not exceed plus 4 m/s);
- Competitors must comply with eligibility qualifications for Area Games or Championships as set out in the IAAF rules;
- No athlete may compete in the European Championships unless entered by an European Athletics Member Federation;



## 9.2 Entry standards

| Women    | Event                | Men      |
|----------|----------------------|----------|
| 12.00    | 100m                 | 10.70    |
| 24.45    | 200m                 | 21.60    |
| 55.50    | 400m                 | 48.20    |
| 2:09.50  | 800m                 | 1:51.50  |
| 4:28.00  | 1500m                | 3:49.00  |
| 9:45.00  | 3000m (W only)       | —        |
| 17:15.00 | 5000m                | 14:45.00 |
| —        | 10000m (M only)      | 31:30.00 |
| 14.15    | 100/110m Hurdles     | 14.45    |
| 61.25    | 400m Hurdles         | 53.75    |
| 10:55.00 | 3000m SC             | 9:15.00  |
| 51:30.00 | 10.000m Walk         | 45:00.00 |
| NES      | 4 x 100m             | NES      |
| NES      | 4 x 400m             | NES      |
| 1.80     | High Jump            | 2.12     |
| 3.95     | Pole Vault           | 4.95     |
| 6.10     | Long Jump            | 7.40     |
| 12.70    | Triple Jump          | 15.20    |
| 13.80    | Shot Put             | 17.95    |
| 46.00    | Discus               | 53.80    |
| 56.50    | Hammer               | 66.00    |
| 49.50    | Javelin              | 68.00    |
| 5100     | Heptathlon/Decathlon | 6950     |

NES = No entry standard

Note: 2013 best lists and statistics show that athletes are more and more using Junior implements only, thus it does not look necessary to define any entry standards for Senior implements.

## 10. EUROPEAN ATHLETICS ANTI-DOPING EDUCATION PROGRAMME

European Athletics Anti-Doping Education Programme European Athletics is determined to increase its fight against doping. We want to ensure a clean sport and fairness amongst all competitors. One way is to search for cheating athletes through doping controls. We are continuously improving our testing programme, however, controls and tests are only a tool to identify those athletes that already broke the rules and have cheated everybody by doping.

We want to support the true and clean athletes when they start to engage in our sport. We need to show that we are ready to help and give them guidance to challenge doping. European Athletics aims to promote education for awareness, knowledge and prevention. The athletes can only act in the right way if they know the rules and know the danger of doping.

As a long term goal we wish to contribute with our programme to the promotion of fairness and respect among athletes. We need to fight doping as it is destroying the fundamental principle of our sport: fair play.

In order to target the youngest group of athletes, the programme which is supported by the UNESCO, the World Anti-Doping Agency and the IAAF will be implemented for the sixth time at the European Athletics Junior Championships in Eskilstuna/SWE (16-19 July 2015).

## 11. CEREMONIES

### 11.1 Opening Ceremony

The Opening Ceremony will take place on **Wednesday 15 July at 19:00** at the Fristadstorget, the City Square, in Eskilstuna.

Media are welcome to attend.

### 11.2 Closing Ceremony

The closing ceremony will take place on Sunday 19 July at the Ekängen Arena and will consist of the flag handover to the next European Athletics Junior Championships organiser which will take place in Grosseto/ITA in July 2017

### 11.3 Medals for EJCH – the result of a unique collaboration!

Through a unique and original collaboration between three Eskilstuna companies: Smedja Sothönan, Svenska Medalj AB and aStory Communications Agency – unique medals are created according to the traditional ways in the Rademacher forges in Eskilstuna. The design is made by aStory Communications Agency and Smedja Sothönan. It is unique that the medals can be made here in the city.

The medal consists of two parts. The stamped metal – gold, silver or bronze – is encircled by a hand-forged “sun” and a wreath. The motive on the stamped metal is

a variation of the EJCH logotype. The medals are roughly 80mm in diameter and the stamped metal about 50mm in diameter. 180 medals will be produced in total.

The motive is comprised of bubbles since water is a general theme chosen for the EJCH. The water power and the rapids have been – and still are – important to the city and has given its power to Eskilstuna and its industries as well as water ways for the transportation of goods.

Eskilstuna has a tradition of smithing that goes a long way back in history. Reinhold Rademacher received special privileges from the King of Sweden and moved his smithing manufactory from Livland to Eskilstuna in the 1600's. Eskilstuna Fristad, a sanctuary for metal workers, made it possible for Eskilstuna to develop and grow into an industrial city.

In the Rademacher Forges from the 1600's, smithing is still practiced. Nina Hedenfelt from Smedja Sothönan forges according to the old customs but with both old and new manifestations. She is educated in iron smithing at the handicrafts school Sätergläntan in Dalarna, Sweden.

Svenska Medalj AB is an Eskilstuna company with fine old traditions that has been making medals since 1972. Today they are the only company in Sweden with this kind of production and their work is characterized by great knowledge of handicraft and quality. The company makes everything from sports medals, key rings, pins and cuff links to the Nobel prize medals and the Swedish King's reward medals. aStory is a local communications agency that work with both national and international assignments and is based in Eskilstuna and Stockholm. They wish to work with and to be a part of things that happen in Eskilstuna and the surrounding area.

## 12. ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMME

### **A championship with an environmental diploma**

Eskilstuna pushes the environmental work a bit further than most other cities and is considered a role model internationally. We have the most advanced optical garbage sorting system in the world. We lead the development of energy-efficient cities in Europe. We have Sweden's largest sewage-cleaning wetlands that also serve as a picturesque recreation area. We have been in the top of different environmental rankings in Sweden – in 2012 we were appointed the environmentally best municipality of the year! We call it EnvironmentalEvolution.

Of course, the European Athletics Junior Championships will also be characterised by this same environmental awareness. We want to create the conditions and opportunities for both visitor and athlete to be able to make eco-conscious decisions during their stay in Eskilstuna.

Some of the compulsory factors are:

- that the organisers work systematically with environmental issues
- that an environmental organisation is set up for the event
- that the event's environmental effects are identified

- that routines are set up in accordance with the law concerning provisional, noise, environment, etc

As an additional supporting pillar in the environmental work that we do, we use an environmental policy, set up by the project group. This policy says, for example, that kiosks at the arena should have ecological alternatives, that the electricity consumed at the festival area shall be from renewable sources and that garbage sorting facilities shall be many and well prepared.

The EJCH2015 is an opportunity for Eskilstuna to spread our knowledge of working eco-friendly and energy efficient to people from a large region. We want to show it's possible to work with these issues and we wish to share our experience and the positive results that it may bring. This event will convey the message of a bright future, where the stars of tomorrow take place in the environment of tomorrow.

## 13. THE STADIUM

### 13.1 History

Ekängen Athletics Arena opened in the autumn of 2001 and took over the job as the center of Eskilstuna's athletics outdoors activities and competitions from Tunavallen, which now stands as a soccer arena where the local team Eskilstuna United, among others, play their games. Ekängen has hosted several events such as Folksam Grand Prix and the Swedish Senior and Youth Championships. Several Swedish records have been noted here, in hammer throw and in javelin, for example. The arena is fully equipped according to the standards set up by IAAF and the eight running tracks have a class 2 certification.

### 13.2 Athletics in the Ekängen Arena (technical equipment)

The Ekängen Arena and its surroundings are shown in appendix 4A of this document.

The stadium has the following competition sites:

- 8 lanes
- 2 High Jump site
- 3 Pole Vault site
- 2 site for Long/Triple Jump
- 2 Shot Put Circle
- 1 Combined Discus/Hammer Circle
- 2 Javelin sites

**OMEGA provides world-class timekeeping for Europe's best young athletes**

With unrivalled experience, OMEGA looks forward to bringing its renowned sports timekeeping expertise to Eskilstuna for the European Athletics Junior Championships in 2015.

It's at this event that the world can witness the "ones to watch" - those who are rising to the top of their field, and who will undoubtedly become the stars of the future.

As their stories begin, OMEGA's long history of athletics timekeeping will continue. In 1932, the company's pocket watch chronographs were already considered the most reliable instruments available for measuring world-class sporting performances. In fact, OMEGA's reputation was such that the International Olympic Committee (IOC) asked the firm to supply all sports timing devices for use at the Olympic Games to be held that year in Los Angeles.

The company was happy to oblige, and has continued to develop and deliver state-of-the-art sports timing and measurement systems ever since.

OMEGA records and displays the results with the world's best equipment

Every year, OMEGA's experts deploy teams of timekeeping professionals to sporting events around the world, from junior competitions to the Olympic stage. Armed with a veritable arsenal of advanced sports timekeeping and measurement equipment, their innovative systems include starting blocks and false-start detection systems and the latest photo-finish cameras for the sprints and middle-distance events, as well as height and distance measurement devices for field disciplines.

OMEGA's official timekeepers ensure timely delivery of the official results to everyone involved in the competitions they support. At the events it serves, OMEGA is also responsible for the competitor displays for the athletes and their support teams, along with the public displays to spectators at each venue. The official results are also delivered in real time to broadcast, network and print media who relay results and commentary to remote audiences around the world.

Each event requires precisely tuned devices and systems, including electronic start systems, false start detectors, photoelectric cells and photofinish cameras. The OMEGA Scan'O'Vision camera also provides more than 2000 high-definition images of the participants as they cross the finish line.

OMEGA and athletics

OMEGA's track and field timekeeping experts are continually busy at competitions around the world. Last year, the brand was present at many 2014 events including the European Athletics Championships, Team, and Cross Country Championships, as well as the IAAF Diamond League. It goes without saying, that this experience and knowhow will provide superb support going forward, particularly as the world gathers for the Rio 2016 Olympic Games next year.

OMEGA wishes the talented athletes participating in the European Athletics Junior Championships an excellent event. We look forward to timing your record-setting performances!

## APPENDIX 1 - TIMETABLE

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### DAY 1 - THURSDAY 16 JULY - MORNING

|       |               |       |       |
|-------|---------------|-------|-------|
| 09:30 | 10,000m Walk  | Women | Final |
| 09:30 | Shot Put      | Men   | Q A/B |
| 10:30 | 100m H Hep    | Women |       |
| 10:30 | Hammer Throw  | Men   | Q A   |
| 11:00 | 100m          | Women | R1    |
| 11:40 | 100m          | Men   | R1    |
| 11:45 | High Jump Hep | Women | A/B   |
| 12:20 | 400m          | Women | R1    |
| 12:25 | Hammer Throw  | Men   | Q B   |
| 12:50 | 400m          | Men   | R1    |

### DAY 1 - THURSDAY 16 JULY - AFTERNOON

|       |               |       |                    |
|-------|---------------|-------|--------------------|
| 15:15 | Discus Throw  | Women | Q A                |
| 15:25 | High Jump     | Men   | Q A/B              |
| 15:35 | Shot Put Hep  | Women | A/B                |
| 15:50 | 800m          | Women | R1                 |
| 16:30 | 100m          | Women | SF                 |
| 16:35 | Discus Throw  | Women | Q B                |
| 16:55 | 100m          | Men   | SF                 |
| 16:55 | Long Jump     | Men   | Q A/B              |
| 17:03 | 10,000m Walk  | Women | Victory Ceremony 1 |
| 17:30 | 1500m         | Men   | R1                 |
| 17:30 | Shot Put      | Men   | Final              |
| 18:20 | 200m Hep      | Women |                    |
| 18:20 | Pole Vault    | Women | Q A/B              |
| 18:30 | Javelin Throw | Men   | Q A                |
| 18:50 | 3000m         | Women | R1                 |
| 19:15 | Triple Jump   | Women | Q A/B              |
| 19:16 | Shot Put      | Men   | Victory Ceremony 2 |
| 19:25 | 3000m SC      | Women | R1                 |
| 20:00 | 10,000m       | Men   | Final              |
| 20:00 | Javelin Throw | Men   | Q B                |

### DAY 2 - FRIDAY 17 JULY - MORNING

|       |              |       |       |
|-------|--------------|-------|-------|
| 10:00 | Pole Vault   | Men   | Q A/B |
| 10:05 | 400m H       | Women | R1    |
| 10:10 | Hammer Throw | Women | Q A   |
| 10:50 | High Jump    | Women | Q A/B |
| 11:00 | 400m H       | Men   | R1    |
| 11:30 | 1500m        | Women | R1    |

|       |               |       |     |
|-------|---------------|-------|-----|
| 11:50 | Hammer Throw  | Women | Q B |
| 12:00 | 800m          | Men   | R1  |
| 12:30 | Long Jump Hep | Women | A/B |
| 12:35 | 100m H        | Women | R1  |
| 13:20 | 110m H        | Men   | R1  |

## DAY 2 - FRIDAY 17 JULY - AFTERNOON

|       |                   |       |                     |
|-------|-------------------|-------|---------------------|
| 15:30 | Javelin Throw Hep | Women | A/ B                |
| 16:00 | 100m H            | Women | SF                  |
| 16:15 | Triple Jump       | Women | Final               |
| 16:17 | 10,000m           | Men   | Victory Ceremony 3  |
| 16:25 | 110m H            | Men   | SF                  |
| 16:50 | 800m              | Women | SF                  |
| 17:15 | 100m              | Men   | Final               |
| 17:25 | Hammer Throw      | Men   | Final               |
| 17:25 | 100m              | Women | Final               |
| 17:40 | 800m Hep          | Women | Final               |
| 18:00 | 3000m SC          | Men   | R1                  |
| 18:15 | Long Jump         | Men   | Final               |
| 18:16 | 100m              | Men   | Victory Ceremony 4  |
| 18:28 | 100m              | Women | Victory Ceremony 5  |
| 18:40 | 400m              | Women | SF                  |
| 18:45 | Triple Jump       | Women | Victory Ceremony 6  |
| 19:00 | Hammer Throw      | Men   | Victory Ceremony 7  |
| 19:05 | Discus Throw      | Women | Final               |
| 19:05 | 400m              | Men   | SF                  |
| 19:08 | Heptathlon        | Women | Victory Ceremony 8  |
| 19:30 | 200m              | Women | R1                  |
| 19:32 | Long Jump         | Men   | Victory Ceremony 9  |
| 20:00 | 200m              | Men   | R1                  |
| 20:12 | Discus Throw      | Women | Victory Ceremony 10 |

## DAY 3 - SATURDAY 18 JULY - MORNING

|       |               |       |       |
|-------|---------------|-------|-------|
| 09:30 | Javelin Throw | Women | Q     |
| 09:45 | 100m Dec      | Men   |       |
| 09:45 | Shot Put      | Women | Q A/B |
| 10:10 | 10,000m Walk  | Men   | Final |
| 10:30 | Long Jump Dec | Men   | A/B   |
| 11:30 | Discus Throw  | Men   | Q A   |
| 11:30 | 4x400m        | Women | R1    |
| 11:50 | Long Jump     | Women | Q A/B |
| 11:55 | 4x400m        | Men   | R1    |
| 12:00 | Shot Put Dec  | Men   | A/B   |
| 12:50 | Discus Throw  | Men   | Q B   |

### DAY 3 - SATURDAY 18 JULY - AFTERNOON

|       |               |       |                     |
|-------|---------------|-------|---------------------|
| 15:00 | 400m H        | Women | SF                  |
| 15:05 | High Jump Dec | Men   | A/B                 |
| 15:15 | 10,000m Walk  | Men   | Victory Ceremony 11 |
| 15:20 | 400m H        | Men   | SF                  |
| 15:30 | Pole Vault    | Women | Final               |
| 15:35 | Javelin Throw | Men   | Final               |
| 15:40 | 200m          | Women | SF                  |
| 16:00 | 200m          | Men   | SF                  |
| 16:20 | 800m          | Men   | SF                  |
| 16:45 | 100m H        | Women | Final               |
| 16:55 | Shot Put      | Women | Final               |
| 17:00 | 110m H        | Men   | Final               |
| 17:06 | Javelin Throw | Men   | Victory Ceremony 12 |
| 17:15 | 800m          | Women | Final               |
| 17:22 | 100m H        | Women | Victory Ceremony 13 |
| 17:30 | 3000m SC      | Women | Final               |
| 17:45 | High Jump     | Men   | Final               |
| 17:45 | 400m          | Women | Final               |
| 17:49 | 110m H        | Men   | Victory Ceremony 14 |
| 18:00 | 400m          | Men   | Final               |
| 18:04 | 800m          | Women | Victory Ceremony 15 |
| 18:10 | 3000m SC      | Women | Victory Ceremony 16 |
| 18:15 | Hammer Throw  | Women | Final               |
| 18:20 | 200m          | Women | Final               |
| 18:23 | 400m          | Women | Victory Ceremony 17 |
| 18:29 | Shot Put      | Women | Victory Ceremony 18 |
| 18:35 | 200m          | Men   | Final               |
| 18:37 | 400m          | Men   | Victory Ceremony 19 |
| 18:50 | 3000m         | Women | Final               |
| 19:00 | Triple Jump   | Men   | Q A/B               |
| 19:05 | Pole Vault    | Women | Victory Ceremony 20 |
| 19:10 | 1500m         | Men   | Final               |
| 19:20 | 400m Dec      | Men   |                     |
| 19:22 | 200m          | Women | Victory Ceremony 21 |
| 19:30 | 200m          | Men   | Victory Ceremony 22 |
| 19:40 | 1500m         | Men   | Victory Ceremony 23 |
| 19:50 | 5000m         | Men   | Final               |

### DAY 4 - SUNDAY 19 JULY - MORNING

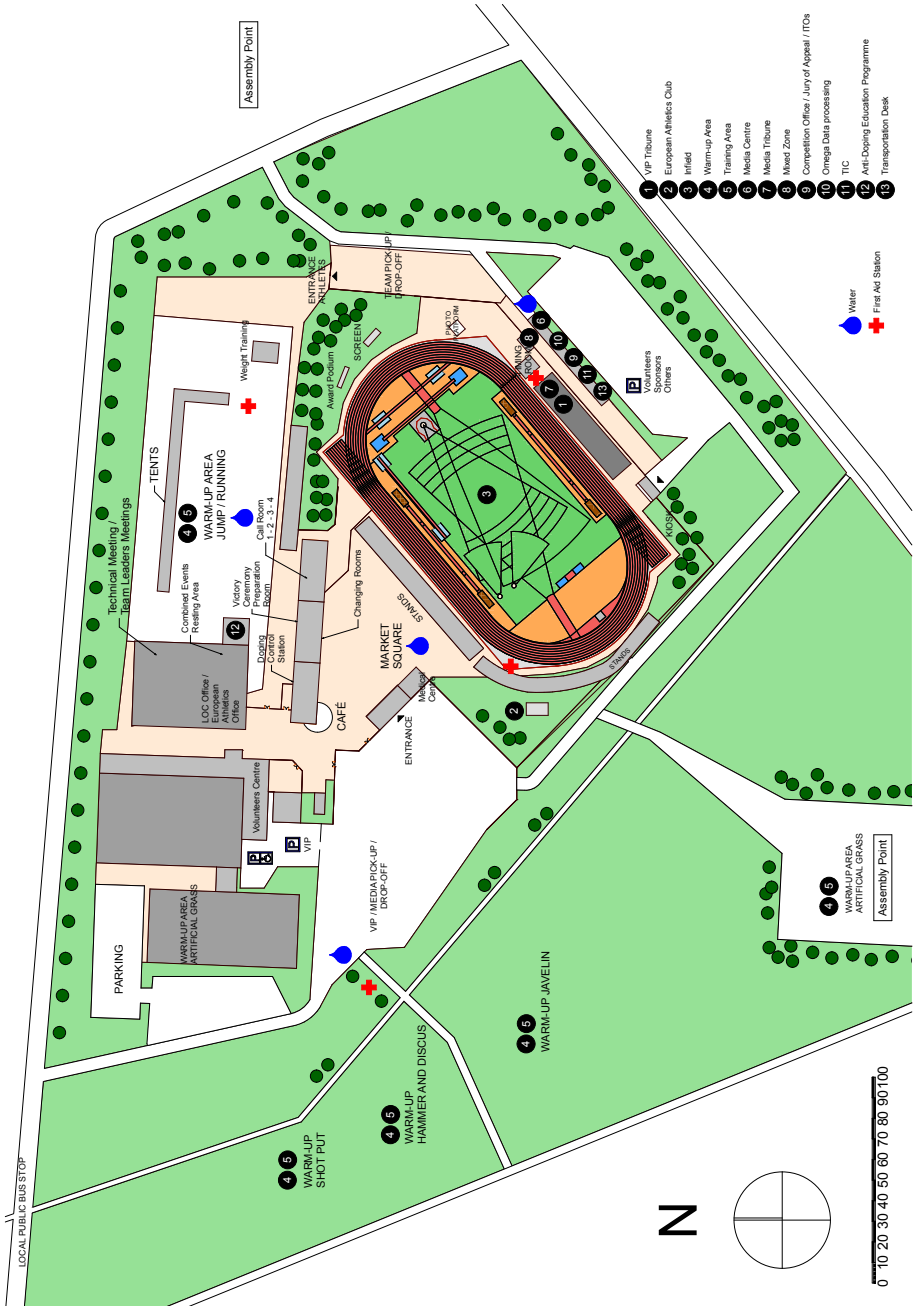
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|-------|------------------|-------|-----|
| 09:30 | 110m H Dec       | Men   |     |
| 10:25 | Discus Throw Dec | Men   | A/B |
| 10:30 | 4x100m           | Women | R1  |
| 11:10 | 4x100m           | Men   | R1  |
| 13:10 | Pole Vault Dec   | Men   | A/B |



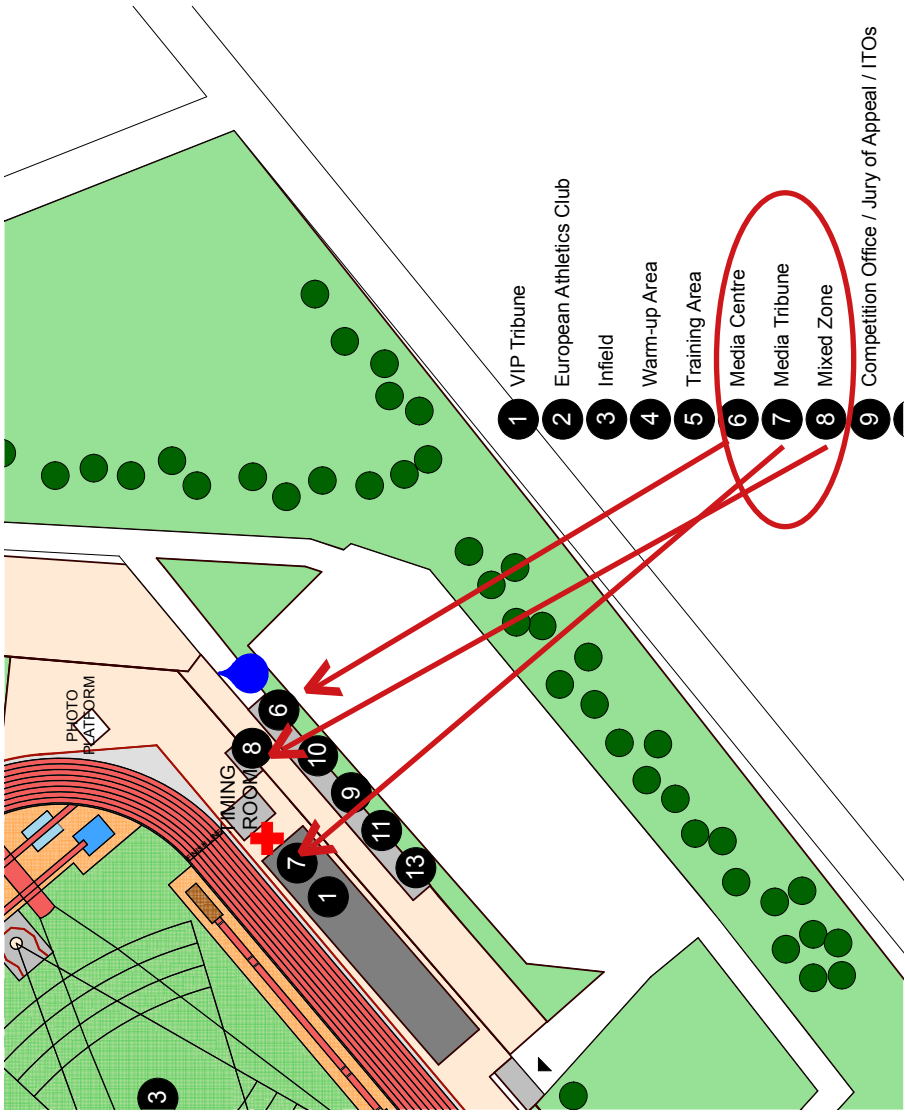
## DAY 4 - SUNDAY 19 JULY - AFTERNOON

|       |                   |       |                     |
|-------|-------------------|-------|---------------------|
| 14:45 | Discus Throw      | Men   | Final               |
| 15:00 | 400m H            | Women | Final               |
| 15:10 | 3000m             | Women | Victory Ceremony 24 |
| 15:20 | 400m H            | Men   | Final               |
| 15:27 | 5000m             | Men   | Victory Ceremony 25 |
| 15:35 | High Jump         | Women | Final               |
| 15:40 | 800m              | Men   | Final               |
| 15:44 | High Jump         | Men   | Victory Ceremony 26 |
| 15:55 | Triple Jump       | Men   | Final               |
| 16:06 | 4x100m            | Women | Final               |
| 16:10 | Hammer Throw      | Women | Victory Ceremony 27 |
| 16:20 | 4x100m            | Men   | Final               |
| 16:25 | Javelin Throw Dec | Men   | A/ B                |
| 16:37 | Discus Throw      | Men   | Victory Ceremony 28 |
| 16:45 | 1500m             | Women | Final               |
| 16:55 | Pole Vault        | Men   | Final               |
| 17:06 | 400m H            | Women | Victory Ceremony 29 |
| 17:20 | 3000m SC          | Men   | Final               |
| 17:31 | 400m H            | Men   | Victory Ceremony 30 |
| 17:36 | 800m              | Men   | Victory Ceremony 31 |
| 17:50 | Long Jump         | Women | Final               |
| 17:50 | 4x100m            | Women | Victory Ceremony 32 |
| 17:55 | 5000m             | Women | Final               |
| 18:05 | Javelin Throw     | Women | Final               |
| 18:15 | 4x100m            | Men   | Victory Ceremony 33 |
| 18:20 | High Jump         | Women | Victory Ceremony 34 |
| 18:24 | Triple Jump       | Men   | Victory Ceremony 35 |
| 18:29 | 1500m             | Women | Victory Ceremony 36 |
| 18:35 | 1500m Dec         | Men   | Final               |
| 18:56 | 3000m SC          | Men   | Victory Ceremony 37 |
| 19:05 | 4x400m            | Women | Final               |
| 19:16 | 5000m             | Women | Victory Ceremony 38 |
| 19:32 | Decathlon         | Men   | Victory Ceremony 39 |
| 19:40 | 4x400m            | Men   | Final               |
| 19:50 | Long Jump         | Women | Victory Ceremony 40 |
| 19:55 | Javelin Throw     | Women | Victory Ceremony 41 |
| 19:59 | Pole Vault        | Men   | Victory Ceremony 42 |
| 20:05 | 4x400m            | Women | Victory Ceremony 43 |
| 20:15 | 4x400m            | Men   | Victory Ceremony 44 |

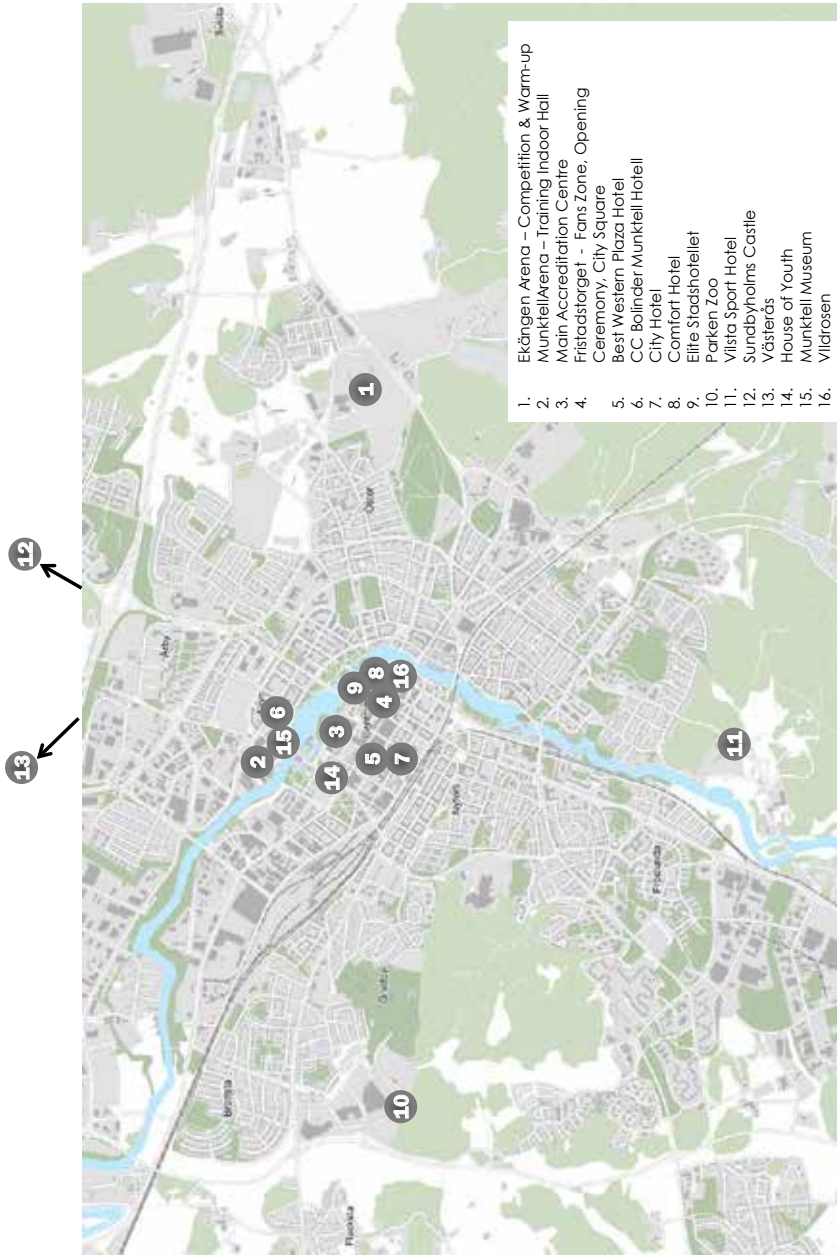
# APPENDIX 2 - EKÄNGEN ARENA



# APPENDIX 3 - MEDIA AREAS AT EKÄNGEN ARENA



# APPENDIX 4 - HOTEL MAP ESKILSTUNA







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