

## PROGRAM

### Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June:

- 16-18: Arrival – registration – warm meal
- 18.00: Opening of the conference  
Fredrik Wandrup: “Jens Bjørneboe and the problem of evil “
- 19.30: Bus to Tønsberg
- 20.00: Concert at Maskinistenes Hus  
Mirele: Jewish/Arabic music

### Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June:

- 08-09: Breakfast
- 09.30: Tore Frost: “The impossible freedom and the inevitable evil”  
The destiny of humanity as described by Jens Bjørneboe in his trilogy “The History of Bestiality”  
Discussion
- 11.00: Coffee and tea
- 11.30: Nina Witoszek: “The Devil and democracy”  
Discussion
- 14.00: Lunch at “Den Blå Brygge”  
on the island of Hvosser  
Excursion to “The World’s End”  
Tore Frost: “The importance of being me at the World’s End!”
- 18.00: Christopher Clouder: “Love and Evil in Education”  
Discussion
- 19.30: Dinner
- 21.00: Concert with Jørn Simen Øverli

## JENS BJØRNEBOE AND THE PROBLEM OF EVIL

### Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June:

- 08-09 Breakfast
- 09.30: Kjell Olaf Jensen: “Bjørneboe and the fight for freedom of expression”  
Discussion
- 11.00: Coffee and tea
- 11.30: Steinar Bryn: “Dialogue as a means of handling conflict situations”  
Discussion
- 13.00: Lunch
- 15.00: Lars Fredrik H. Svendsen: “The philosophy of evil”  
Discussion
- 16.30: Excursion to Veierland, Bjørneboe’s last home
- 18.00: Concert in Veierland church  
Poetry read by Tone Bjørneboe and Ellen Horn  
Music by Tobias Southcott and the Sorella Quartet
- 20.00: Dinner at school
- 21.00: Film: “3 rooms of melancholia”  
by Pirja Honkasalo, Finland

### Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June:

- 08-09: Breakfast
- 09.30: Khadzhat Gataeva: “Working with children in the war zone of Chechnya”  
Discussion
- 11.00: Coffee and tea
- 11.30: “The situation in Chechnya”  
Khadzhat. Gataeva continues
- 13.00: Lunch

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## LECTURERS, ARTISTS AND PARTICIPANTS

### Lecturers

- Steinar Bryn** - leader of the Nansen Dialogue project for Balkan, lecturer at Nansenskolen, Lillehammer
- Christopher Clouder** - leader of ECSWE, Waldorf teacher in humanities, author
- Tore Frost** - philosopher, lecturer at the University of Oslo
- Khadzhat Gataeva** - works with homeless children in Chechnya, called “The Angel of Chechnya”
- Kjell Olaf Jensen** - leader of Norwegian PEN, writer and translator
- Lars Fredrik H. Svendsen** - philosopher, lecturer at the University of Bergen, author
- Fredrik Wandrup** - journalist in Dagbladet, author, biographer of Bjørneboe
- Nina Witoszek** - professor at the University of Oslo, author

### Artists

- Tone Bjørneboe** - drama pedagogue, art therapist and former wife of Jens Bjørneboe
- Ellen Horn** - actress, leader of Riksteatret, Norway
- Mirele** - a group of musicians that perform Jewish/Arabic music
- Sorella Quartet** - a young string quartet from the Tønsberg district
- Tobias Southcott** - Indian/German harpist from Ireland
- Jørn Simen Øverli** - composer, musician and singer

### Participants

The conference is open for all those who are interested in, or would like to know more about Jens Bjørneboe’s life and writing,

### Organizers

The conference is arranged under the auspices of the European Council for Steiner Waldorf Education (ECSWE), which comprises 20 national Waldorf Associations, representing 580 schools in Europe  
For more information: [www.ecswe.org](http://www.ecswe.org)

The members of the organizing committee are:

Meri Arni-Kauttu, Finland, Christopher Clouder, UK, Örjan Retsler, Sweden, Ellen Fjeld Köttker, Norway, Dag Hornvedt, Norway and Astrid Bjønness, Norway