## Invitation to Bridging Ages Conference in Finland 2009

## "Bridging Local History in a Global Context"

10-13.9.2009

Welcome to the next Bridging Ages' conference in Ostrobothnia, Finland for exciting and inspiring days with the theme: "Bridging local history in a global context". The theme will be discussed in seminars and workshops with participants from all over the world. We all have a local history! But how do we interpret, communicate and learn from it?

The conference will take place on the western coast of Finland, at Stundars Open Air Museum (10-11.9.2009) and in the surroundings of the city of Kokkola (12-13.9.2009). The latter part of the conference will be in cooperation with Finnish-Swedish Museum Association. The Market Square in Kokkola will be the scene for a big Time-travel back to 1809 and the dawn of a new autonomous nation, Finland... During the conference we will also take you to the first World Natural Heritage of Finland, Kvarken Archipelago and other interesting sights along the coast. There is a possibility to join already on Wednesday 9.9.2009 and participate in hands-on archeological project with school children. There will be a Call for papers in February and the detailed programme will be ready in end of March.

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The city of Kokkola



Stundars Open Air