

A New Nordic Research Network in Journalism Studies

The Nordic Research Network in Journalism Studies is one of the 30 new research networks that will be funded by NordForsk in the period 2009-2011. The new network in journalism studies is based on cooperation between journalism, media and communication departments at 14 Nordic and Baltic universities, all with PhD-programs that include journalism studies. Around 60 researchers, half of them PhD-students, are connected to the network.

The network's main aim is:

- To inspire cross-disciplinary journalism studies in areas vital for democracy.
- To strengthen contacts and cooperation between senior and young researchers in this field.
- To initiate and support cross-national working groups in different areas of journalism studies.

The Department of Journalism, Media and Communication (JMK) at Stockholm University manage the network. Project leader is professor Sigurd Allern, University of Oslo/Stockholm University.

The home page of the network you'll find at this address:

<http://research.jmk.su.se/nordic-network>