

# Planning and Promotion of Cycling in Denmark

## Study Trip November 4-6, 2024

### Day Program

#### Monday, November 4, 2024

20.00 Meeting you at Comfort Hotel, [Vesterbrogade 23/29](#) in the conference room (second floor, to reach by the spiral staircase).

**Thomas Krag**, former CEO of Danish Cyclists' Federation: **Introduction to Cycling in Denmark.**

**Jens Erik Larsen**, expert in bicycle route planning and signposting: **Cycle route planning and signposting in Denmark and abroad including the history of EuroVelo.**

We invite you for a drink afterwards.

#### Tuesday, November 5, 2024

08:15 Pick-up e-bikes at Comfort Hotel. We take some time to adjust the bikes.

08:45-10:25 **Bicycle trip 1** (11 km) in central Copenhagen, passing Nørrebro (among Europe's busiest bicycle streets), visiting the "traffic island" of Nørrebro, the bicycle street Nordre Frihavnsgade and other high-level bicycle facilities.

10:30-11:15 **Andreas Røhl: Transport as a means to creating liveable cities**, Gehl Architects, [Vesterbrogade 24](#).

11:15 -12:00 **Bicycle trip 2** (3 km) passing a crossing with a diagonal cycle lane, passing the iconic Cykelslangen (The Bicycle Snake) and Bryggebroen.

12:00-13:00 **Lunch** (covered by the study trip) in Bryggens Spisehus, [Islands Brygge 18](#), 2300 København S.

13:00-15:00 **Bicycle trip 3** (6.5 km) following parts of the signposted route Havneringen, University of Copenhagen, Inderhavnsbroen ending at Nordre Toldbod.

15:00-16:00 **Marie Kåstrup and Sidsel Birk Hjuler on Copenhagen's cycle planning and bicycle superhighways. Urban Cycle Creators**, [Nordre Toldbod 27](#), 1259 København K.

16:00-17:00 **Bicycle trip 4** (4.5 km) back to Comfort Hotel.

19.00 **Evening meal** at Floras Steakhouse & Café, [Vesterbrogade 16](#), 1620 København V (covered by the study trip).



#### Wednesday, November 6, 2024

8:30-10:30 **Bicycle trip 5** from hotel along cycle superhighway C95 to the town hall of Furesø Municipality, room Bryllupssalen, [Stiager 2](#), 3500 Værløse (19 km - maybe partly by train).

10:30-11:00 **Introduction to the state of cycling in Furesø Municipality** by **Carina Botoft** and **Jonas Jørgensen**, Municipality of Furesø.

11:00-11:45 **Bicycle trip 6** (5 km) from the town hall to Farum, 3.5 km north of Værløse. We will see bicycle parking facilities, other bicycle superhighways and various examples of bicycle infrastructure.

11:45-12:45 Lunch (covered by the study trip).

12:45-13:30 Train back to Copenhagen with bikes on train.

13:30-14:00 **Bicycle trip 7** (3.5 km) to Danish Road Directorate, [Carsten Niebuhrs Gade 43](#), 1577 København V.

14:00-15:00 **Anne Eriksson**, Traffic Safety Engineer at the Danish Road Directorate: **Promoting cycling and cycle safety from the national level.**

15:00-15:15 **Cycle** back to the hotel for a drink and **evaluation** of the study trip.

16:00 **End of program**



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## The Organizers



**Jens Erik Larsen**, M.Sc, has since the late 1970'ies worked as a consultant with bicycle route planning. He is co-founder of Foreningen Frie Fugle (company registration number [DK29268843](#)) and has been part of the Danish Road Directorate expert group on bicycle signpost standardization as well as the EuroVelo Council. Jens Erik has made several bicycle maps and bicycle route plans including signposting. He is also an experienced study trip organizer, and has guided numerous cycle trips in Denmark and abroad.



**Thomas Krag**, M.Sc., was director of Danish Cyclists' Federation 1986-2000 and started his campaigning career as a volunteer 10 years earlier. Since year 2000 Thomas Krag has been in charge of Thomas Krag Mobility Advice, a consultancy with expertise in mobility and transport behavior (company registration number [DK25226631](#)). Thomas Krag has been part of the organization of several national and international bicycle conferences and is also an experienced study trip organizer. Thomas Krag Mobility Advice is member of the Cycling Embassy of Denmark.



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