

# NorGeoSpec Technical Seminar 2025

06<sup>th</sup> May 2025  
Lund, Sweden

We are delighted to invite you to the NorGeoSpec Technical Seminar 2025, taking place in Lund, Sweden. For our international attendees, we recommend flying into Copenhagen Airport and taking the Öresundståg train to Lund Central, a journey that takes just 40 minutes. This seminar will serve as a valuable platform for manufacturers, distributors, infrastructure authorities, designers, and academic institutions to gather and share insights on the latest advancements and challenges in the geosynthetics industry.



PROGRAMM THUESDAY 06.05.2025		
<b>09:00 – 09:30 h</b>	<b>Arrival &amp; Registration</b>	
09:30 – 09:40 h	Welcome by the chairman of NorGeoSpec Technical Committee	Fredrik Griwell, Trafikverket
09:40 – 10:00 h	The new Construction Products Regulation (CPR) for marketing of construction products in Europe and its impacts on NorGeoSpec	Philippe Delmas
10:00 – 10:45 h	The new NorGeoSpec Guideline, rev. 2, 2025 – A Nordic system for the certification and specification of geosynthetics and geosynthetic-related products	Christoph Hessing, SINTEF
<b>10:45 – 11:00 h</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>	
<b>11:00 – 12:20 h</b>	<b>Challenges and developments in geosynthetic applications (1)</b>	
	Introduction / Current and upcoming infrastructure projects and their challenges	Arnstein Watn, Watn Consult
	Challenges in railway construction facing poor ground conditions in Norway	Kjetil Brattlien , Bane NOR
	Sustainability of reinforced substructure constructions and embankments in railway engineering - understanding and major project examples	Lars Vollmert, BBG Bauberatung Geokunststoffe GmbH & Co. KG
	Selected case studies for the use of geosynthetics on soft soils	Oliver Detert, HUESKER Synthetic GmbH
<b>12:20 – 13:30 h</b>	<b>Lunch break</b>	
<b>13:30 – 14:30 h</b>	<b>Challenges and developments in geosynthetic applications (2)</b>	
	The use of geosynthetics in timber pile-supported embankments	Per Gunnvard, Luleå University of Technology
	Subgrade stabilization with recyclable woven geosynthetic reinforcement	Perttu Juntunen, Solmax Geosynthetics GmbH
	Discussion and closing of session	
14:30 – 14:50 h	Updating the guidelines for the use of geosynthetics in Estonia and taking into account the requirements of NorGeoSpec	Karl-Kristjan Suits
14:50 – 15:10 h	Current activities and status of CEN/TC 189 / WG7 Geosynthetics sustainability and environmental aspects	Philippe Delmas
<b>15:10 – 15:30 h</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>	
15:30 – 16:30 h	Open presentations of manufacturers and distributors (10 minutes), e.g. - interesting projects realized - experiences with NorGeoSpec - requirements from the market to products and certification - sustainability requirements - other topics	Please send your suggestions by Email to christoph.hessing@sintef.no
16:30 – 17:00 h	Discussion and closing of seminar	
<b>19:00 h</b>	<b>Seminar dinner</b>	

**SEMINAR & EXHIBITION** AF-Borgen – The Students’ House in Lund  
Conference Room “Gustafscenen”, Sandgatan 2, 223 50 Lund, Schweden, [www.afborgen.se](http://www.afborgen.se)

**SEMINAR DINNER** Grand Hotel Lund, Bantorget 1, 222 29 Lund, Sweden, [www.grandilund.se](http://www.grandilund.se)

**FEE** For details please refer to the attached registration form. Travel and accommodation must be arranged and paid by the participants.

**RESPONSE** **For the further planning, we need to know the number of participants, exhibitors and student sponsors latest by 04.04.2025**  
Please send your registration by Email to [christoph.hessing@sintef.no](mailto:christoph.hessing@sintef.no)  
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Registration Form

Company/University/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Designation: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal code/City: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## PARTICIPATION IN TECHNICAL SEMINAR

### Full technical seminar

includes coffee, lunch, beverages during seminar and seminar dinner  
participation in seminar dinner (information required for planning)

EUR 350

yes /  no

Note: for multiple participants per company please fill in separate registration forms.

## EXHIBITION

### Room for exhibitor in foyer

EUR 1250

The foyer is opposite the conference. Here the beverages and coffee is served in the breaks. The exhibition booking includes one participant in the technical seminar, a table, chairs and room for exhibition banners and displays.

## STUDENT SPONSORSHIP

We invite companies to become sponsors for the participation of \_\_\_\_\_ number(s)  
students during the NorGeoSpec Technical seminar (09:00-17:30 h) @ EUR 100/student

Students of the Faculty of Engineering (Geotechnical & Infrastructure Engineering) will be invited upon availability of sponsorships.  
The idea is to facilitate contact between students and industry representatives.

## PAYMENT

One invoice per company for the participation, exhibition and sponsorship fees will be issued after registration with SINTEF AS.  
Special requirements to the invoice such as project number etc., can be noted here:

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Date

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