



ASSOCIATION OF ACCREDITED ADOPTION ORGANISATIONS

## INVITATION LETTER

### 2020 EurAdopt Conference

14<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> May 2020

Copenhagen, Denmark

Dear colleagues,

EurAdopt is an association of adoption organisations from 14 Western European countries. A number of European organisations working in the area of intercountry adoptions have met regularly since the late 1970's to discuss topics of common concern. In 1991 it was decided to formalize this cooperation, and in 1993 EurAdopt was established.

The association presently has member organisations in Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Iceland, Italy, Luxembourg, The Netherlands, Malta, Norway, Sweden and the UK. Almost 700 children receive new homes each year through these organisations.

Every two years EurAdopt arranges a one and a half day conference to address various issues linked to intercountry adoption.

EurAdopt is pleased to announce that the 14th EurAdopt International Conference will be held in Copenhagen, Denmark, organized by DIA – Danish International Adoption.

Please find any relevant information on the website [www.d-i-a.dk/euradopt](http://www.d-i-a.dk/euradopt)

The 14<sup>th</sup> Conference “*Sustainability of intercountry adoption*” aims to consider the current status of intercountry adoption from a variety of perspectives.

The conference will comprise:

- Evaluation of intercountry adoption as a child protection measure
- Cooperation and sustainability of intercountry adoption
- Post Adoption Service



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The discussions will involve scholars, representatives from the Permanent Bureau of Hague, representatives of Central Authorities from both countries of origin and receiving countries, members of accredited organizations, and adoptees.

Another important aim of this Conference is to offer networking opportunities and foster debate among up to 250 participants from all over the world. These interactive exchanges will take place during the coffee breaks, business lunches as well as during the Gala Dinner on May 14<sup>th</sup> (reservation required).

Registration and payment, as well as travel information, can be found here:

<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/danishinternationaladoption/341062#>

### **Costs and registration**

The following tickets are available:

#### **Early Bird: General Admission without Gala Dinner - € 250**

(only available until February 29<sup>th</sup> – then regular price of € 280)

includes: 2 days conference, refreshments during both days, light lunch on May 14<sup>th</sup> and lunch on May 15<sup>th</sup>

#### **Early Bird: General Admission with Gala Dinner - € 305**

(only available until February 29<sup>th</sup> – then regular price of € 325)

includes: 2 days conference, refreshments during both days, light lunch on May 14<sup>th</sup> and lunch on May 15<sup>th</sup>, Gala Dinner on May 14<sup>th</sup>

You will receive a confirmation mail with your ticket once you have registered and paid.



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### **Accommodation**

Accommodation is not included in the conference fee. There are rooms reserved at the conference venue at a special discounted price. In order to book a room, you need to write directly to [MEETING.sydhavnen@scandichotels.com](mailto:MEETING.sydhavnen@scandichotels.com) and specify your attendance in the conference. Discounted rooms will be allocated on a first-come-first-served basis.

### **Cancellations and refunds**

In case of cancellation, the conference fee will only be refunded up to April 3rd.

We look forward to seeing you at the EurAdopt Conference in Copenhagen in May!

Copenhagen, January 2020

Best regards,

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DIA Director