

Future road safety requires intelligent vehicles and roads

Conference in Copenhagen, Eigtveds Pakhus, 15th - 16th June, 2005

The Nordic countries have a high road safety standard when compared to many other European countries

- What can we do to maintain and improved this image?
- How can new technology contribute?
- What are future vehicles and roads going to be like?
- How will road users respond to new technical systems?



This, and much more, will be discussed in Copenhagen at the Nordic conference which will be opened by the Danish Minister for Transport and Energy.

The final programme and other practical information will be sent out in May.

However, reserve the 15th and 16 June, 2005 now.

The following topics, amongst others, will be on conference agenda

- Has the effect of traditional measures reached its peak and should focus instead be placed on new technology? Presentation by Rune Elvik, Chief Research Political Scientist at the Institute of Transport Economics in Norway.
- What progress have we made in the development of intelligent vehicles and roads? Presentation by ERTICO, responsible for the coordination of the e-Safety network, for the European Commission, the motor industry and other interested organisations.
- Trial results on intelligent systems, such as, Intelligent Speed Adaption (ISA) in Sweden, use of intelligent road signposting in Denmark and the project on intelligent speed regulation in Northern Jutland.
- The human factor - can we cope? Presentation by Lisbeth Harms, Graduate in Applied Psychology, Copenhagen University.
- Practical demonstration of vehicles equipped with new technical systems.

Should you have any questions you are welcome to contact Ingrid Lembke at il@cowi.dk



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