

5th MAMBA Rural Mobility Webinar

26 March 2020, 12:30-16:45.

12:30 - Registration

12:45 – Welcome and presentation of MAMBA project

13:00

Results from the rural mobility study

Jonas Strömstedt, Program Office Manager at Skånetrafiken

The public transportation provider will present a study about rural mobility in the Region of Skåne. An overview of mobility in rural areas of the region.

13:15

The emission-free future of aeroplanes

Magnus Friberg and Anders Nilsson, Braathens Regional Airlines (BRA flyg)

BRA flyg have the vision of making all domestic flights in Sweden emission-free before 2030. With this insight, BRA flyg have started their journey on finding tomorrow's innovations and mobility solutions for rural areas all over Sweden.

Link: <https://www.flygbra.se/en/sustainability/>

14:00

Pilot with driverless pods for disabled people

Dr Richard Fairchild, Operations Director at Aurrigo

The UK-based company Aurrigo is running a pilot in Brighton involving blind veterans. This kind of pilot has never been done before and will open up many new opportunities for weak mobility groups. Aurrigo is hoping to give back the independence to people that have lost it for various reasons.

Link: <https://aurrigo.com/news/2019/03/aurrigo-teams-up-with-blind-veterans-uk-to-launch-the-worlds-first-driverless-pods-trial-for-disabled-people/>

14:45 – 15:00 Break

15:00

Self-driving “rolling bus stop” provides comfort and security.

Petra Bassioukas Hanseklint, Traffic engineer at Skellefteå Municipality

To make the journey safer and more pleasant in all different weather conditions, a pilot with self-driving bus stops will be tested in the municipality of Skellefteå, Sweden. Autonomous buses take residents from smaller rural villages and drive them to connection hubs, along the high ways, where the regional buses take the passengers to end destinations.

Link: <https://news.europawire.eu/ramboll-skelleftea-municipality-study-the-fundamental-prerequisites-for-implementing-self-driving-bus-are-in-place-and-we-now-hope-to-do-so-in-2019-9746163/eu-press-release/2018/10/26/>

15:45

Tomorrow’s rural mobility today

Magnus Qvant, CEO/Secretary General, & Sylvia H Olsson, Operations manager, at Resilient Regions

New technologies are becoming crucial to how our society develops and functions. By embracing them, innovative opportunities are created for a more resilient society.

Link: <http://www.resilientregions.org/english/>

16:30

Questions & Answers

16:45

End