


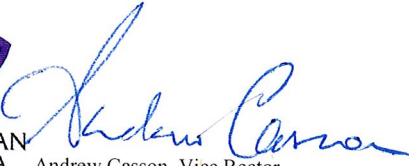
# SCHOLARS AT RISK NETWORK SWEDEN SECTION


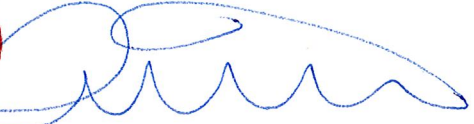
## Founding Statement

### Launch of Scholars at Risk–Sweden Section

University of Gothenburg, March 9, 2016

On behalf of the Swedish members of the Scholars at Risk Network, we declare the official launch of Scholars at Risk–Sweden Section, this March 9, 2016 at the University of Gothenburg. Scholars at Risk–Sweden Section is a partnership between Swedish higher education institutions and Scholars at Risk (SAR), an international network of higher education institutions dedicated to promoting academic freedom and defending the human rights of scholars worldwide. In joining Scholars at Risk, Swedish academic leadership, faculty, students and staff send a strong message of solidarity with scholars and universities in situations where academic freedom is restricted and research, publication, teaching and learning are repressed. Together with Scholars at Risk members at more than 400 institutions in 38 countries around the world, we hope to make a difference.


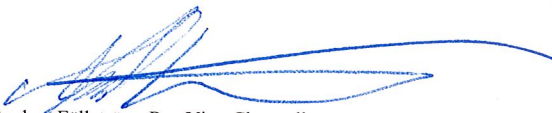
  
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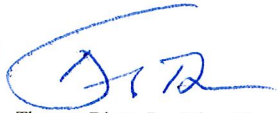
  
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