

## ***ENCORE***

### **Exploring Nordic Culture: an Original Rural Experience 21/22 – 28 September 2017**



### **STUDY VISIT DAILY PROGRAMME**

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- Thu 21 Sep:** Travel from Edinburgh Airport to Oslo (10 people).  
(Depart Edinburgh: 11.25 / Arrive Oslo: 14.10)  
B&B Accommodation: Radisson Blu Oslo Airport
- Fri 22 Sep:** Travel from London Gatwick Airport (South Terminal) to Oslo (10 people).  
(Depart Gatwick: 09.20 / Arrive Oslo: 12.25)
- Both groups meet and travel to Bø by train (Departing: 13.43) 16.37  
Mini taxi booked to meet group at Bø Station and transfer to [Beverøya Cabins](#)  
Check in to Cabins
- 18.30 Group meeting and briefing at [Beverøya Cabins](#)  
19.45 Tele Tur taxi transport to Pizzeria  
20.00 Dinner - Pizza Fjosest in Bø  
Accommodation – [Beverøya Cabins](#)
- Sat 23 Sep:**
- 08.00–09.00 Breakfast at Cabins  
09.00-09.45 Marketing Workshop – Susan Briggs  
09.45 – 11.00 Case Study time  
11.00 – 11.10 Welcome by host partners – Gudrun Helgadottir, USN  
11.10 – 11.30 Welcome – Marianne Dale, Visit Telemark  
11.30 Depart to Gvarv  
12.00 – 15.00 Visit Eplefest 2017 programme: welcome and entertainment  
15.00 – 16.00 Site Visit –  
16.15 Return to [Beverøya Cabins.](#)  
18.50 Bus departure from Beverøya  
19.00 Dinner [Bø Hotel](#)  
**Time TBA** Transfer back to Beverøya cabins  
Accommodation – [Beverøya Cabins](#)
- Sun 24 Sep:**
- 08.00-09.00 Breakfast at Cabins  
09.00 Depart for Rauland  
10.30 Visit to the University College of Southeast Norway  
10.45-11.30 Wild Foods Workshop – Mark Devonshire  
11.30-12.00 Case study group time at University  
12.00 Lunch  
13.00-14.00 Tour of Telemark stunet and visit to Laven  
14.00 Depart (25 minutes' drive)  
14.30 Visit [Hardangervidda National Park Centre](#)  
15.15-16.15 Case Study time & coffee  
16.15 Depart to Rjukan and Krossobanen Gondola (30 mins drive)  
17.00 Light meal – Gvepseborg (closes at 18.00)  
18.00-20.00 Bus depart Rjukan to drive to Bø.  
Accommodation - [Beverøya Cabins](#)

<b>Mon 25 Sep:</b>	08.00-09.00	Breakfast at Cabins
	10.00	Depart - Check out of Beverøya
	10.15	<a href="#">Eviu Bygdetun</a> – an interesting and lively local museum in Mid-Telemark – focus on slow food
	10.30–11.15	Hospitality Service Workshop – Rob Hayward Case study group time
	17.00	Depart Check in to <a href="#">Norsjø Hotel</a>
	19.30	Dinner Accommodation - <a href="#">Norsjø Hotel</a>
	<b>Tues 26 Sep:</b>	
08.30 -08.45		Depart for HSN
09.00-12.20		ENCORE Seminar: see separate programme
12.30-13.30		Lunch
13.30–14.15		Free time
14.15		Depart
14.30-16.30		Visit to <a href="#">Lindheim Microbrewery</a>
16.45-17.45		Visit to <a href="#">Gvarv frukt og baer</a> Free time/return to accommodation
19.30		Dinner - Norsjø hotel Accommodation – <a href="#">Norsjø Hotel</a>
<b>Wed 27 Sep:</b>		Breakfast
	09.00-12.00	Destination Funding Workshop – Jude Leitch & Case studies
	12.00-13.30	Visit(s) to relevant businesses – <a href="#">Galleri Nyhuus Farm</a>
	13.30 – 14.45	Lunch – <a href="#">Aarnes Kafeteria</a>
	15.00 – 16.30	Visit to <a href="#">Øvre Verket</a>
	16.30 – 17.30	Final case study time
	17.30 – 18.30	Group de-brief and case study presentations
	19.00	Dinner at Spiseriet <a href="#">Øvre Verket</a> Accommodation – <a href="#">Norsjø Hotel</a>
<b>Thurs 28 Sep:</b>		Breakfast
	09.45	Check out of Norsjø Hotel and transfer to Bø train station Departures back to the UK Train to Oslo Airport (Departing: 10.27 Arrive: 12.57) (Edinburgh flight: Depart Oslo: 14.50 Arrive Edinburgh: 15.40) (Gatwick flight: Depart Oslo: 18.45 Arrive: Gatwick 20.05)