



**ST.OLAV WAYS**  
THE PILGRIM PATHS TO TRONDHEIM

Cultural route  
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# Route of Saint Olav Ways



## Pilgrim 4 Peace walking conference 2023

### Summary

The "Pilgrim 4 peace" program uses the St. Olav Ways for dialogue on our common challenges. In 2023 they invited young adults from the partner institutions to join in a 7 days walking conference in the borderland between Sweden and Norway. Every day had a different theme, and professors and students engaged in dialogue on war, peacemaking, inclusion, trust, human rights and freedom of speech, while walking. The borders of Europe are physical remains of past conflicts, but crossing these borders tell the story of a will to connect and unite. Crossing a border was therefore an essential part.

### Date and Venue

2023  
From Åre to Stiklestad (Norway and Sweden)

### Fields of action

- Co-operation in research and development
- Enhancement of memory, history and European heritage
- Cultural and educational exchanges for young Europeans
- Contemporary cultural and artistic practice
- Cultural tourism and sustainable cultural development

### Type of Best practice

Conference

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