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## Invitation to NJS conference 29<sup>th</sup> may 2026

# The efficient and attractive railway

NJS - the Association of Nordic Railway professionals - invite you to the conference on recent developments in the Danish Railway sector. The topics are automation, capacity expansion and the Governments' initiative to reduce costs and complexity in safety approvals.

The conference is held prior to the 2026 NJS General Assembly.

### Program

09:30 Registration and coffee. Moderator: *Helena Kyster-Hansen*

10:00 Welcome. *Helena Kyster-Hansen, president NJS*

Autonomous S-trains in Greater Copenhagen. *Joachim Bak, DSB (Danish State Railways)*

Expanding the capacity in the Eastern part of Denmark: The Øresund Line. *Klaus S. Jørgensen, Femern A/S*

Coffee break

Flyovers at Ringsted station. *Kaya Olsen, Banedanmark*

Copenhagen Central station. *Ann Christina Schultz & Jan Schneider-Tilli, Banedanmark (Rail Net Denmark)*,

Expected growth in international passenger rail. *Miles C. Kjær Trafikstyrelsen (Danish Transport Authority)*

Questions / Discussion

12:30 – 13:15 Lunch

The Danish approach to reducing the cost of Railway operation. *Lars Olsen, The Danish Ministry of Transport*

Approval of new trains – lessons learned. *Pia Juul Laugesen, DSB*

Coffee break

Removing bureaucracy in the railway business. *NN, Midtjyske Jernbaner A/S (tbc) & NN, Lokaltog A/S (tbc)*

Tendering of train operations – the Norwegian Experience. *Anders Venbakken, Jernbanedirektoratet (Norwegian Railway Directorate)*

15:25 Closing of the conference. *Helena Kyster-Hansen, president NJS*

### Date

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2026 10:00-15:30.

Registration and coffee from 09:30

### Venue

Banedanmark (Rail Net Denmark),  
Carsten Niebuhrs Gade 43, 1577 København V  
(close to Dybbølsbro S-train station)

### Registration

<https://njs.nemtilmeld.dk/4/>

Or at the website [njs.one](https://njs.one)

Latest registration: Friday 22<sup>th</sup> may

### Conference fee

500 DKK paid by credit card at registration.

Members \*:The conference fee covers the full General Assembly program, dinner and study trip (optional to attend).

\* You can become a member if you pay membership before 22<sup>th</sup> May (please register at <https://njs.one>, select your country of residence).

Non-members: The fee includes also a free membership of NJS July-December 2026.

