



TRISTAN COIGNARD

From France to Sweden



Project: **Cosmopolitan education in Europe**

Research topic: **Humanities**

Swedish Institution: **Karlstad University / Stockholm University / KTH**

French Institution: **University of Bordeaux**

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PRESENTATION

[Tristan Coignard](#) is Associate Professor of German Studies at the Faculty of Languages, Cultures and Media Studies at the [University of Bordeaux](#) and is also member of the [University Institute of France](#). Notably, he authored the book “[Une histoire d’avenir. L’Allemagne et la France au défi cosmopolite – 1789-1925](#)”. He obtained his PhD in German Studies from the University of Bordeaux in 2005 and was habilitated in 2014.

ACTIVITIES IN SWEDEN

Tristan Coignard started his mobility by visiting [Elisabeth Herrmann](#), Professor of [German Literature](#) at Stockholm University ([SU](#)). Both of them work on cosmopolitanism and they discussed joint projects. He also met with Prof. [Miyase Christensen](#) ([Institute of Journalism](#) at SU and the [Division of History of Technology, Science and Environment](#) at the Royal Institute of Technology [KTH](#)) and discussed their joint research projects on cosmopolitan problematics, such as cosmopolitanism and the media, and cosmopolitanism in societal and cultural margins. Notably, they planned conferences at the [University College London](#) and in Bordeaux in 2017, and a joint European research proposal on medias and transnational dynamics. Coignard then visited Karlstad University ([KAU](#)), where he was hosted by [Pilar Alvarez](#) (In charge of the [Language Department](#)), [Marie Wejrum](#) and [Zara Hedelin](#). They discussed bilateral French-Swedish language exchanges of lecturers from both universities. In terms of research collaboration, Coignard met with [André Jansson](#) and his [GEOMEDIA team](#), conducting research on the social impact of high-level mobility in the context of globalization and mediatization for families and friendships. They defined a collaboration on the works of Pierre Bourdieu and his categorizations applied on contemporary media research. Further researchers involved are [Johann Lindell](#) ([Uppsala University](#)), Karin Fast ([KAU](#)) and [Jenny Jansdotter](#) ([Nordic Women in Film](#)). Finally, he also briefly visited the [Department of Peace and Conflict Research](#) at Uppsala University, and Prof. [Johan Brosché](#).