

Center for Police research

Annual Report of Activities 2019

Below follows a report of activities in 2018 carried out by the Centre and the Centre's director, Professor Iain Cameron. The activities are set out under three headings, research and research applications, education and interaction with agencies and civil society.

Research

The Problem of Oversight, in Jan-Hendrik Dietrich, Satish Sule (eds) Intelligence Law and Policies in Europe: A Handbook, Beck/Hart/Nomos, 2019.

Nationell säkerhet och mänskliga rättigheter, [National Security and Human Rights] Kungliga vetenskaps-Societeten i Uppsala, årsbok 2018, 2019.

Research applications

During 2019, the director continued his work on his two externally financed projects, the regulation of signals intelligence 014-43244-111283-15, Swedish Science Research Council and an international project on surveillance coordinated by the University of Dundee, granted research funding by the Nordic Council (Nordforsk).

Education etc.

Teaching in the optional course Police Law

Conferences, interaction with administrative agencies and other activities

CPR events

Gang violence and a culture of non-cooperation with the police: criminal law and criminal procedure law counter-measures, 2 May 2019,

Research Workshop on The Digitalisation of the Area of Freedom, Security and Justice—Current Issues and Future Challenges, (jointly with the European Law seminar series, 29 May)

Automatic responses and decision-making under physical and mental stress in relation to police interventions, Dr. Johan Bertilsson, 29 October

Other activities

The director has participated in drafting the replies of Uppsala university and the Law faculty official regarding legislative proposals in the area of police/security law. Lecture on reconciling privacy and security, LUISS Rom, 11 April Lecture on EU law and the regulation of the powers of European intelligence services, Inaugural conference of the European College of Intelligence, Berlin 22-23 October Participation in a panel discussion on new data retention rules and law enforcement, SNS, Stockholm 14 november.

Member of the Ethical Advisory Committee of the Chief of the Swedish Police (two meetings during 2019)