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The keynote speaker is Lennart Sjöberg: a scholar in risk communication from the Stockholm School of Economics. The hosts are North Carolina State University's College of Humanity and Social Sciences (CHASS), and the Public Communication of Science and Technology (PCOST) Project.

Students will not be charged to attend. The workshop will involve extensive video conferencing and the entire meeting will be broadcast over the internet at http://communication.chass.ncsu.edu/nirt/Home.html.

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