The university’s anniversary will also be celebrated on Friday 21 September, when the Student Council, AU Sport and the university invite all students and employees to Denmark’s biggest Friday bar and sports day.

Find more information about the annual celebration at www.au.dk/annualcelebration2018

AARHUS UNIVERSITY’S 90TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

STAFF INVITATION

Friday 14 September 2018 at 13:30 at the Main Hall
and 20:00 at the Concert Hall Aarhus
In appreciation of everything we have achieved together over the past year, Aarhus University is delighted to invite you and your guest to attend the 90th anniversary celebration on Friday 14 September 2018 at 13:30 at the Main Hall, Aarhus University, Nordre Ringgade, building 1412, 8000 Aarhus C and to the concert followed by refreshments on Friday 14 September 2018 at 20:00 at the Concert Hall Aarhus, Thomas Jensens Allé, 8000 Aarhus C.

Seats in the Main Hall (afternoon) and in the Concert Hall Aarhus (evening) for Aarhus University staff and their guests will be assigned by drawing lots.

Aarhus University was officially opened on 11 September 1928 and holds an anniversary celebration each year to celebrate the university’s founding. In addition to staff, we also invite external associates whose support is invaluable to Aarhus University.

Please register at kongresk.eventsair.com/au2018/enmeda no later than 21 August 2018. Your invitation is personal and non-transferable.

You can register for the afternoon ceremony and/or for the evening concert with or without a guest. Registration opens on 6 August at 9:00. Registration closes on 21 August and KongresKompagniet will then allocate seats by drawing lots among registered employees.

In early September, you will receive an email stating whether you have been offered a seat at the afternoon ceremony and/or the evening concert after the drawing of lots. If your name is not drawn, you will be notified about the waiting list. If your name is drawn and you are assigned ticket(s) to the Main Hall and/or Store Sal, your ticket(s) will be sent by email.

Conny Hedegaard
Chair of the University Board

Brian Bech Nielsen
Rector

CEREMONY AT THE MAIN HALL, AARHUS UNIVERSITY

13:30
Song for the audience: Danmark, nu blunder den lyse nat (Denmark, the bright night slumbers now)

Speeches by Chair of the University Board Connie Hedegaard, Rector Brian Bech Nielsen and Maria Møller, Master’s degree student in education studies

Song: Vi søger det frygtløst i dybet (We seek it fearlessly in the depths)

Conferral of the HM Queen Margrethe II Travel Grant for Students at Aarhus University

Conferral of the Aarhus University Anniversary Foundation Prize of Honour for Pedagogics and the Aarhus University Anniversary Foundation Research Communication Prize

Announcement of Aarhus University’s Distinguished Alumnus 2018

Songs by the Music Students’ Choir

Conferral of honorary doctorates

Celebration address by Professor Lotte Bøgh Andersen, Department of Political Science

Song for the audience: Septembers himmel (September’s sky)

15:30
Reception in the Ambulatory and the Museum of Ancient Art ending at 16:30

CONCERT HALL AARHUS

20:00
“Like a Rolling Stone”
Concert performed by Danish musicians including Indra, Nina Forsberg, Kira Skov, Jesper Binzer, Jimmy Jørgensen and Steen Jørgensen. The orchestra will be conducted by Per Chr. Frost and Peter Vuust. Master of ceremonies: Martin Brygmann

22:00
Wine and snacks

23:00
Thank you and goodnight

(Please note the ceremony in the Main Hall will be videotaped)