Olomouc, 19.06.2019

**Subject: Travel report – NASS 2019**

**Place of stay: Stavanger University, Stavanger, Norway**

**Travel period: 12.06.2019 – 16.06.2019**

**Summary of activities:**

I attended the NASS 2019 conference in order to present my paper “Everything Seems So Settled Here: The Conceivability of Post-Peircean Biosemiotics” in front of an audience of established semioticians. I obtained some feedback and generated a positive discussion around my presentation, which will culminate as a paper submission to a semiotics journal within the coming weeks. As the theme of the conference was “anticipation and change,” it was a fruitful exchange with researchers working on biosemiotics, and I learned about particular topics relevant to my research, such as semiosis in minimal frameworks of cognition, Umwelt theory and ecosemiotics.

I also helped promote the journal of our department, Linguistic Frontiers, to researchers who may not have been aware of its existence.

**Justification of expenses**

Conference registration, train ticket from Olomouc to Prague, transportation from Stavanger airport to hotel, public transportation to attend conference, transportation from hotel to Stavanger airport, train ticket from Prague to Olomouc.

Meals, plane tickets and hotel were paid in advance by the university.

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