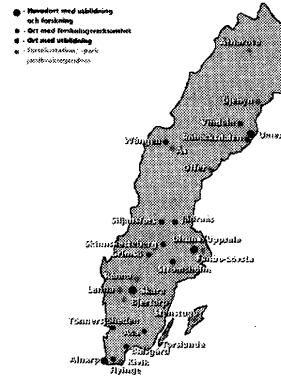


Research, facilities and education at SLU and Uppsala University, Sweden

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In this paper I will present the main fields of research and education carried out at SLU (Sveriges lantbruksuniversitet–Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences) and at Uppsala University, in Sweden. In the first part of the talk I give an overview picture of the Swedish landscape and countryside, while in the second part I present the research activities and the education carried out at the two Universities with special attention given to SLU. The Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences was established in 1977 but root stretch back more than 200 years. The University activities are spread between several departments in three faculties : Faculty of Agriculture, Landscape Planning and Horticulture, Faculty of Forestry and Faculty of Veterinary Medicine and the main campuses are located at Alnarp, Skara, Ultuna and Umeå. The University research and teaching activities are carried out throughout the country in University campus as well as in different research centres and field stations.

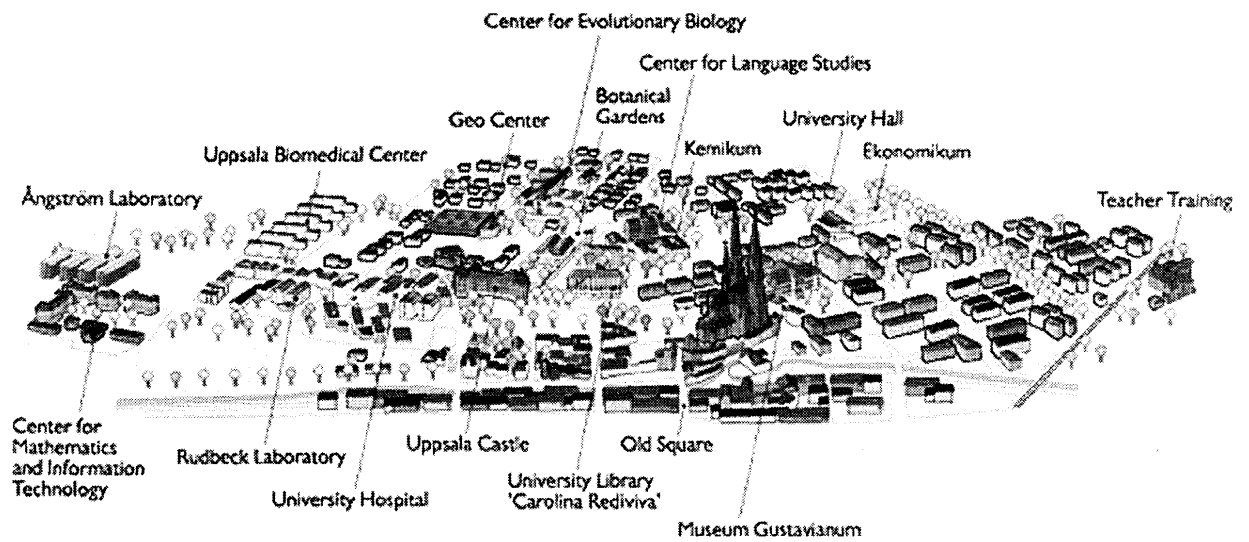


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