

SAST is a Swedish non-profit association for everyone interested in software testing. Started in 1995 it has over 3,000 members today.

The goals are to

- Create forums where members can exchange experiences and network with each other
- Support the development of software testing
- Aid the members' skills development

Four times a year **SAST** arranges a full day seminar on testing and testing related subjects. Presenters from all over the world are invited to share their knowledge. The meetings are sponsored by more than a dozen testing companies and are at cost price for the members.

Another goal is to book speakers from other parts of the software devevelopment process such as requirements management, project management and development. We all believe that closer cooperation with other disciplines is necessary to enhance the quality of our testing as well as the quality of the systems we test.

We have established a cooperation with the academic world and invite researchers both from the industry and the academic world as speakers.

The SAST board has fourteen members, deeply devoted to testing and to the testing community. The board members arrange the seminars. Attracting dedicated board members is really the key to our success. All their work is unpaid and outside of regular office hours.

The testing community is growing rapidly and we believe **SAST** will become even more successful in the future.

We are hoping to see a record number of SAST members at Eurostar this year and we will be present at the exhibition.

Do join us and discuss how we together can improve testing!

Read more at: www.sast.se

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