### **Nationalmuseet**

## Passion and Professionbalancing administration and co-creation

## A long story short-Treasure trove in Denmarkframework and present administration

Moving from administration and cooperation towards co-creation

Head of The Treasure Trove Secretary Anne-Kathrine Kjerulff

Photo: Louise Stahlschmidt

# Code of Jutland 1241

Treasure Trove regulated since 1241

- What is not owned by others belongs to the King
- Finders will be compensated upon delivery to the King (1736)

eth logh stal land byggues au wi de huar man outet ar siv egher or lara men nyra rafnelye-tha thyrfra men ekki logh runth-an angi logh ar am gooth ar tylgha sinn cannend-hua or sinn man euer um cannend-tharar stal

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The country shall be built through<br/>the LawFoto: from Haandkrift.ku.dk

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### Framework present day

#### Rigths

- Search with and without a metal detector with the permission from landowner
- Rigth to keep or sell finds that are not treasure trove
- An evaluation and verdict on wheather the find is treasure trove and compensation for treasure trove
- Rigth to complaint
- Acess to documents and verdicts

#### Restrictions

- Permission from landowner
- No searhing or digging closer than
  2 meters from protected ancient monuments
- No digging beyond the "Ploug layer"
- Deliver to the museum
- Careful storage until delivery
- Logging context data
- No cleaning beyond water

#### Photo: Louise Stahlsmidt

# **Object life in the Agricultural landscapes**



Wellpreserved fibula, short time in the ploug layer. Photo: Kirstine Pommergaard Degraded fibula, longer time in the plough layer. Photo: Rikke Søgaard

Photo: Louise Stahlschmidt

## Framework and proces present day

Amateur archeolog ist Finds and the first registration Local Museums Recieve objects and Information and many objects for the local collections, research and exhibition

The National Museum Evaluation, accesion of objects, Compensation and research and exhibition

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# **5** categories for caseprocessing

- Quick cases- One treasure trove trove-secretariary
- inspector
- Coinquick cases One treasure trove-secretariary inspector
- Quickrelay cases between the 2 treasuretrove inspectors
- Relay cases involves other experts in the National Museum-often at shared meetings to ensure consistency the verdicts
- Priority cases for preservation reasons, exhibitions or research

### **Development of the intake and efficacy of administration**

Årstal	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Objects	5.556	7.176	9.756	17.055	14.364	17.385	8.537	9.149	30.366
Incoming cases	728	1.034	1.137	2.047	2.194	2.463	926	891	3959
Treasure Trove letters sendt	320	502	551	585	527	2.554	2.558	2.621	2.339
Compen- sations in mill DKK	1,2	3,0	4,23	3,66	3,16	7,68	4,95	8,06	6,26

### **Towards co-creation**



# Thank you for your attention

