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*SCANDINAVIAN STUDIES IN BULGARIA –  
SO FAR, TODAY AND HENCEFORWARD...*

*The twentieth anniversary of the Department of Scandinavian Studies is an occasion for celebration, but also for striking a balance and revising the positive results of its development. Much has been done but there is still a lot to do. There are objective (and sometimes subjective) reasons for not being able to realize many ambitions and projects. The third decade of the existence of our Department comes as a challenge and a hope. We must continue on our way giving the expected proofs of our capability to overcome obstacles and to show that the crisis is not in but outside us.*