



Osiliana

ACTION PLAN 2020-2025

1. **Landscape inspections** or the control of the sites will take place on a running basis according to the incoming information about these sites. The public will be notified about these events through news articles, lectures, and seminars. If possible, that information will be shared with the public through the homepage of Osiliana as well.
2. **Academic research** will focus on specific topics to avoid becoming excessively broad. In 2020-2025, the main focus is on the era from the end of prehistory until the early medieval period of Saaremaa: the hillforts and known burial sites, Christianizing, and the societal changes that Saaremaa went through in the 13th century. Most of the scientific analyses planned for these years will serve the same goal. The results are going to be demonstrated in local and international conferences and publications.
3. The activity of SA Osiliana will be shared through the **homepage**, which is going to be updated on a running basis in Estonian and English languages.
4. By introducing the rich material of Saaremaa that is until today widely and systematically unpublished, to all the interested parties as well as to the international specialists, the homepage will also serve as **the information center of Osiliana**. The information center contains various intertwined parts: the database of artefacts, the database of the archaeological sites of Saaremaa, the database of published articles and researches. Merging the database for historical coins and sacred sites is under consideration. The above-mentioned databases do not claim to be final, as these will be updated continuously. The information presented in these databases will be in Estonian and English languages. At the latest in 2023, databases will be shared with everyone through the homepage of Osiliana.
5. If possible, SA Osiliana will provide **information stands** for each archaeological and historical site of Saaremaa.
6. SA Osiliana organizes and aids to arrange **seminars and courses** about the early history of Saaremaa. For this, there will be active cooperation with the local organizations and individuals who value the past.
7. The history of Saaremaa will be popularized through different **media outlets** and **cooperation with several other initiatives**, for example with the project 'ELU on seiklus' ('LIFE is an adventure' is a course at Tallinn University), 'Ajadetektiivid' ('Detectives of Time' is a children's history club at the Estonian History Museum), *etc.*