

# Programme *Rising inequalities*

## September 14-15, 2017, Copenhagen

A NOS-HS workshop (The joint committee for Nordic research councils within the humanities and social sciences)

### Programme

#### Thursday September 14, DGI-byen

8.30-9.30 Welcome, coffee.

9.30-10.30 Opening session

Mike Savage & Magne Flemmen: *The politics of nationalism and white racism in the UK*

Discussant: Predrag Cveticanin

10.30-10.45 Break

10.45-12.30 Paper session I: “Class and Politics” Discussant: Frédéric Lebaron

- Gitte Sommer Harrits & Jakob Skjøtt-Larsen: *It's the Composition of Capital, Stupid!: Changing Class Structures and Political Divides in Denmark*

- Magne Flemmen, Vegard Jarness, Lennart Rosenlund: *Class, culture and politics. A three-way homology.*

12.00-12.45 Lunch

12.45-14.30 Paper session II: “Elites” Discussant: Marianne Nordli Hansen

-Aaron Reeves, London School of Economics, Sam Friedman, Charles Rahal & Magne Flemmen: *The Dogged Persistence of the Old Boy: Private Schools and Elite Recruitment 1897-2016*

-Semi Purhonen and Minttu Haaparanta: *A Comparison of British and Finnish Young Elites, 1970-2010: Social Background, Mobility, Current Position and Cultural Self-Image*

-Christoph Houman Ellersgaard, Anton Grau Larsen, Lasse Folke Henriksen & Jacob Aagaard Lunding: *Pathways to the Power Elite - Career trajectories in the core of the Danish Networks of Power*

14.30-15.00 Break

15.00-16.45 Paper session III: “Changes” Discussant: Johs. Hjellbrekke

- Maren Toft & Magne Flemmen: *Was class society really ever on the wane? Revisiting and reframing the ‘death of class’ debate*

- Gitte Sommer Harrits: *Class without conflict, and conflict without class? On the relevance of Bourdieu's sociology for a theory on class conflict.*

- Andreas Melldahl & Martin Gustavsson: *The Middle Class Torn Apart. Changed Levels of Qualifications and Remunerations, 1960-2020*

**16.45-17.15 Break****17.15-18.00 Futures: Life AFTER the "Rising Inequalities" workshop**

Predrag Cveticanin

**20.45 Dinner at Bodil – et spisedsted****Friday, September 15****9.00-10.15 Paper session V “Cultural capital and cultural practices” Discussant: Jan Fredrik Hovden**

- Mikael Börjesson: *The Swedish Space of Cultural and Media Practices, 2015*
- Anders Vassenden & Merete Jonvik: *Photo elicitations in the study of cultural capital.*

**10.15-10.45 Break****10.45-12.00 Paper session VI: “Experiences of inequalities” Discussant: Vegard Jarness**

- Sune Qvotrup Jensen & Annick Prieur: *Personal skills as embodied cultural capital*
- Bruno Monteiro and Virgílio Borges Pereira: *Body, pain and society: injured Portuguese workers and their experience of suffering. A preliminary relational reading.*

**12.00-12.30 Update on SPAD (for MCA analysis): New features**

Brigitte Le Roux

**12.30-13.15 Lunch****13.15-15.00 Paper session VII: “Social and economic capital” Discussant: Gitte Sommer Harrits**

- Predrag Cvetičanin, Inga Tomić-Koludrović, Mirko Petrić & Adrian Leguina: *From existential to social class – on the primacy of relations and on the rebirth of mechanical solidarity.*
- Johs Hjellbrekke: *Social class & social capital*
- Marianne Nordli Hansen & Øyvind Nicolay Wiborg: *Wealth accumulation and wealth transfers - variations by social class*

**15.00 Closing/coffee**