



INTERSPECIES RELATIONS AND TECHNOLOGY IN THE ANTHROPOCENE

A seminar series under the project *Biosociality and more-than-human Relations in the Digital Anthropocene* – a social science and humanities collaboration exploring behaviour/agency, affect/emotions, and intelligence as both human and more-than-human traits in times marked by ecological crises and digitization.

27.09

14:30 - 16:00 (Kroghstræde 3, room 2.107 and online)

Applying ethological measures in cross-disciplinary studies of human-animal interaction

Karen Thodberg, Senior Researcher, Department of Animal and Veterinary Sciences - ANIS Behaviour, stress and welfare (BSW) – (Aarhus University)

Maternal affinities: women, cows, and empathetic labors in America's Dairyland

Katy Overstreet, Assistant Professor, Anthropology, Center for Sustainable Futures, (University of Copenhagen)

11.10

10.00 - 12.15, Public lectures (Kroghstræde 3, room 4.128, Lindgren and online)

Public lectures and project launch: *Biosociality and Technology in the Anthropocene* Keynotes: **Mia Cobb** (University of Melbourne) and **Koen Kramer** (Wageningen University)

Kl. 13:30 - 16:00 Seminar following up on public lecture

'Stuck in Time?': Reflections on Colonial Time and Decolonial Animal Narratives

Sune Borkfelt (School of Communication and Culture, Aarhus University)

25.10

14.30 - 16.00 (Kroghstræde 3, room 1.225 and online)

Animal boredom – concepts and ethics

Animals' perspectives, human concepts – bridging the epistemological gap

Jes Lynning Harfeld (Aalborg University)

Capturing the animal's perspective: can technology ever 'get' it?

Francoise Wemelsfelder (Scotland's Rural College)

Discussant: **Kenneth Shapiro** (Animals and Society Institute)

15.11

14.30 - 16.00 (Kroghstræde 3, room 2.107 and online)

The farmed, the rescued, and the wild: Thinking about multispecies lives and worlds through animal protection law and GPS movement ecology

Marie Leth-Espensen (Sociology of Law Department, Lund University) and

Andreas Thyrtsted Laursen (Aalborg University)

22.11

14:00 - 16:00 (Kroghstræde 3, room 2.107 and online)

Animals mourned and unmourned

Human grief after loss of a companion animal is frequent but disenfranchised

Tia G. B. Hansen (Aalborg University)

The Politics of Transparency and the Disciplining of Grievability in Industrial Slaughterhouse Tours

Eimear McLoughlin (Aarhus University)

The more things change, the more they stay the same? Mourning animals in the past and the present, the offline and the online

Michał Piotr Pręgowski (Assistant professor, Warsaw University of Technology)

06.12

14:30 - 16:00 (Kroghstræde 3, room 2.107 and online)

Getting to know goats and muskoxen: cognition, behaviour, and sociality in the digital anthropocene

Christian Nawroth (PostDoc, Institute of Behavioural Physiology, Research Institute for Farm Animal Biology) and **Astrid Oberborbeck Andersen** (Aalborg University)

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