

Invitation - Department of Law Anniversary: Can Law Help Save the World? Inaugural Lectures

When and Where:

On Friday the 5th of October 2018 (9:30-13:00)

Department of Law, Aalborg University, Niels Jernes Vej 6a, 9220 Aalborg.

Background:

Over its first ten years, the Department of Law, AAU, has been involved in lecturing and research aimed at critically examining, securing, and promoting the quality and effectiveness of the legal regulation and legal systems. Issues of effectiveness, equity, efficiency, but also of legal relevance and sustainability have been at the core of institute's activity – and will continue to be so for the coming ten years (and beyond).

In this sense, the institute is involved in probing and mending the life-worlds of and well-being of individual citizens, and also of the state – in a metaphor: engaged in saving the world.

Department of Law Anniversary – Inaugural Lectures

We are combining our celebration of the first ten years with the inaugural lectures of several new guest- and honorary professors at the institute: Professor Nancy Dowd, University of Florida; Professor Jens Sherpe, University of Cambridge, UK; and Dr. Edward T. Canuel – U.S diplomat and honorary professor at American University (Washington) and University of Aarhus, DK.. In addition our honorary professors in previous five year period have been re-appointed for a new five years period. We have invited them all to form a program with a joint opening and ending and three parallel tracks.

9:30-10:00	Arrival/Coffee		
10:00-10:30	Opening Session: Department of Law, Aalborg University: 10 years and counting! Head of Department Ulla Steen (and others)		
10:30 Parallel panels	Track 1 Can Law help Save the Oceans? (In English) Introduction: Associate Professor, AAU Birgit Feldtmann Inaugural lecture: Edward Canuel, "Unraveling the Blue Economy", Lecture: Daud Hassan, Centre of Ocean Governance, Western Sydney University, "Effectiveness of Marine Environmental Law and Policy" Responses	Track 2 Can Law Protect Novel Family Practices? (In English) Introduction: Professor, AAU Marianne Holdgaard Inaugural lecture: Nancy E. Dowd "Equality, Equity, Dignity" Inaugural lecture: Jens M. Scherpe "The Present and Future of Parent-Child Relationships" Responses	Track 3 Can Law help Protect Cyberspace and Ensure Cybersecurity? (In Danish) Introduction and Lecture: Professor, AAU Søren Sandfeld Jacobsen, "Cybercrime og retsstaten: Vil de kriminelle altid være et skridt foran?" Lecture: Christian Lundblad, (re-appointed honorary professor), "Cybercrime set i et dommerperspektiv". Responses
13:00	OFFICIAL LUNCH RECEPTION		

How to participate ?

We are looking forward to welcome you: Please sign up for the event at konference@law.aau.dk at the latest on 20. September 2018.

- Please indicate, which of the three tracks (Track 1, 2, 3 above) you would like to sign up for.
- Please indicate if you want to join the lunch reception

In case of questions concerning Track 1- Track 3 please contact Birgit Feldtmann, (bfe@law.aau.dk) Marianne Holdgaard (Marianne@law.aau.dk), and Søren Sandfeld Jakobsen (SSJ@law.aau.dk)

