

# INVITATION TO BOOK LAUNCH AND RECEPTION

A special issue of 'Magaart contributions' on the theme: Stability, Democracy and Rights in post-conflict areas. Before the book launch and reception, there is a seminar with presentations on aspects of the special issue, which you are also welcome to attend.

Thursday 16 August 2018, Aalborg University

Seminar 9:00-12:00 Kroghstræde 3, room 3.104

Book Launch and Reception 14:00-15:30 Kroghstræde 3, lunch room

Best regards

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Please [sign up](#) for  
the event  
no later than  
Friday 10 August 2018.



## Closed session with invited participants

- 9:00 Welcome and introduction/ Inger Lassen and Jens Seeberg
- 9:15 - 9:45 Associate Professor Oscar Garcia Agustin/ Invited speaker from DIR (Centre for Development and International Relations). Title: 'When solidarity matters. Democratic transformations from below' (Including questions and answers/ 10 minutes)/ Chair Inger Lassen
- 9:45 - 10:15 Associate Professor Christian Ydesen/ Invited speaker from Department of Learning and Philosophy, Aalborg University (confirmed). Title: Testing 'the other' in Danish history of education - trajectories of intervention, inclusion and the public good. (Including questions and answers/ 10 minutes)/ Chair Inger Lassen
- 10:15 - 10:30 Coffe and tea

### **Stability, Democracy and Rights in the aftermath of conflict – implications for higher education and critical research in Kenya, Nepal and Uganda?/ Chair Jens Seeberg**

- 10:30 - 11:00 **The situation of Kenya:**  
Associate Professor Florence Indede, Chairperson, Department of Kiswahili & Other African Languages, Maseno University (Including questions and answers/ 10 minutes)
- 11:00 - 11:30 **The situation of Uganda:**  
Associate Professor Charles Okumu, Gulu University – the situation of Uganda.(Including questions and answers/ 10 minutes)
- 11:30 - 12:00 General discussion
- 12:00 - 13:00 Lunch
- 13:00 - 14:00 Campus walk

## Open session – book launch and reception

14:00 - 15:30

- Word of welcome/ Inger Lassen
- Presentation of the special issue by Associate Professor Florence Indede, Chairperson of Department of Kiswahili & Other African Languages, Maseno University, Kenya (Chair of Guest Editorial Board)
- Brief comments by:**  
Associate Professor Lise-Lotte Holmgreen, Vice Head of Department, Culture and Global Studies, Aalborg University
- Professor Jens Seeberg, Department of Anthropology, Aarhus University (Director of the MAGAART project)
- Dr. Betty Ogange, Commonwealth of Learning, Canada (Former Director eCampus, Maseno University and key resource person in eLearning, MAGAART project)
- Associate Professor Charles Okumu, Dean of Faculty of Education and Humanities, Gulu University, Uganda (member of Guest Editorial Board)
- Professor Inger Lassen, Department of Culture and Global Studies, Aalborg University (member of Guest Editorial Board)