

Research seminar arranged by the *Human Health – Health and Wellbeing Assessment, Health Communication and User Involvement* program

## Concepts of health, illness and wellbeing and their practical ramifications



April 28, 2020, 10.00-15.00  
Meeting room *New Sapphire*

University of Southern Denmark,  
Campusvej 55, 5230 Odense M

The meeting is open to all – no registration needed

10.00-11.45 Thomas Schramme (professor, University of Liverpool): *The quantitative problem for theories of dysfunction and disease*

Thomas Schramme is one of the worlds leading philosophers of health. He has published extensively on theories of health (the naturalism-normativism debate etc.), mental health and illness, health justice and resource allocation, as well as on disability and the good life. His publications include *Patienten und Personen* (Fischer 2000), *Krankheitstheorien* (Suhrkamp 2012), *Forms of Fellow Feeling. Empathy, Sympathy, Concern and Moral Agency* (with N. Roughley; Cambridge University Press 2017), and *Theories of Health Justice* (Rowman & Littlefield 2019).

11.45-12.30 Lunch break

12.30-13.15 Thor Hennelund Nielsen (PhD-student, Human Health – Health and Wellbeing Assessment, University of Southern Denmark): *Existential versus Physiological Functionality – Perspectives on the Functionalist Notion of Health*

13.15-14.00 Jesper Lundsryd Rasmussen (postdoc, Human Health – Health and Wellbeing Assessment, University of Southern Denmark): *Functional Metamorphosis: On the Transformative Function of Disease*

14.15-15.00 Søren Harnow Klausen (professor, University of Southern Denmark): *At the margins of illness: Vulnerability, illness and mistriving*

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