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Seminar with Professor Sara Louise Muhr from CBS on

Unconscious Bias and Diversity

Wednesday 4 October, from 14-17 The Auditorium, Aarhus School of Architecture



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You are invited to a seminar with Professor Sara Louise Muhr, CBS

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As architects, we create spaces for different ways of living. But are you aware of your unconscious biases? All people are biased. We are biased in everything we do - our studies and work.

We invite all our partners in the profession who are interested in the subject, students, and colleagues to a seminar on unconscious bias and diversity. The purpose of the seminar is to make us more aware of bias to improve our ability to block its negative effects on our decisions, relationships and collaborations.

Bias causes us to make safe and familiar decisions, look for people who resemble us, and prefer situations that make us feel safe but in which we do not develop. When we become aware of bias, we open up to more diversity in our approach to others.

Achieving diversity can, however, be difficult because ensuring psychological safety and an inclusive culture requires more of us. Working with bias is not only important to open up to diversity. It is also important because it requires inclusion and provides an opportunity to challenge your thought patterns and those of other people and the way you approach people in our shared everyday life.

Attendance is free. The seminar is open to everyone. Signing up is not necessary.

Programme

14.00-14.10: Welcome

14.10-15.00: Discrimination and dimensions of identity

15.00-15.30: Bias 15.30-15.45: Break

15.45-16.05: Bias blockers in processes 16.05-16.25: Inclusive everyday actions

16.25-16.55: Group work

16.55-17.00: Closing remarks

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