Brown-bag Seminar

Friday, 19 May 2017 (14.30-16.30)

at the Center for Research & Studies (C.R.S)
(Conference Room, Building E)

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“Tracing new social contracts in (cyber)space”

The social dynamics and processes –in short, the social contract of post-WWII West– assumed a positive relationship between capital and state that is now questioned, if not crumbling altogether. How does this change play out in spatial terms? What new contracts come to replace this? And what are the new developments –in security, in technology, in the management of populations– that can help us better understand the new, emerging relationship between space, the state and its subjects?

Antonis Vradis and Jayva Klara Brekke are visiting researchers hosted by the Laboratory of Social Analysis and Applied Social Research – Department of Sociology. The seminar will be given in English.

Brown-bag Seminars at the CRS aim to create an informal atmosphere for researchers to present their on-going research, stimulate cross-disciplinary dialogue, generate questions, and possibly some good answers. Attendees can bring their own light lunch.