

Aarcon Spring Conference | MAY 2nd 2025

PEACE

IN A CHANGING WORLD



In collaboration with



RIKO

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Konfliktløsning

 **Aarhus University | Mogens Zieler Stuen**
building 1422/125. Time: 10.00 – 16.00

In changing times with historical global uncertainty, finding pathways to lasting peace has never been more important. This spring, the **Aarhus Centre for Conflict Management (Aarcon)**, together with the **Council for International Conflict Resolution (RIKO)**, invites you to our conference *Peace in a Changing World*, where practitioners, students, and researchers will come together to explore pathways for a more peaceful and sustainable future.

At **PEACE IN A CHANGING WORLD 2025** you will:

- Engage with a unique network of leading voices in conflict resolution, peace and security, restorative justice, development, and climate change.
- Be inspired by innovative approaches to peacebuilding, diplomacy, and international cooperation.

Whether you're a professional, a student, or simply interested in peacebuilding, this conference is a unique opportunity to connect, exchange ideas, and take part in meaningful dialogue.

Talks and Program for the day | May 2nd 2025

- 10.00 | Welcome** by Christian Gade, Director at Aarcon
- 10.30 | 'The EU and Peace in Ukraine'** Rasmus N. Sørensen, RIKO
- 13.00 | 'Climate, Peace and the UN in Africa'** Louise W. Moe, RUC
- 14.15 | 'Memory and Peacebuilding'** Sara D. McQuaid, AU
- 15.00 | Panel discussion** with speakers
- 16.00 | Thank you for today**

Q/A, activities, breaks, and lunch in between talks.

CONFERENCE SPEAKERS



Rasmus Nørlem Sørensen
Director at RIKO

Expertise on the EU, European politics, democracy and European integration.



Sara Dybris McQuaid
*Assoc. Prof. at Aarhus University.
Visiting Researcher at DIIS*

Expertise on the “post-conflict” peace process in Northern Ireland. Works across Peace, Conflict, and Memory studies, on how the past is mobilised in conflict, negotiated in peace agreements and dealt with in the aftermath of violence.



Louise Wiuff Moe
Associate Professor at Roskilde University.

Works within Global Studies with regional expertise in Sub-Saharan Africa. Investigates the interrelations between conflict, peace, the UN, development, climate change, and security.

PRICE: DKK 50

The price includes coffee/tea, vegetarian lunch, and cake

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: APRIL 20TH

Only 60 seats available. First come, first served.



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