

Invitation to Inaugural Lecture at Department of Culture and Global Studies



OBEL-professor Donatella della Porta: *Social Movements in Times of Austerity*

**Tuesday October 10, 12.30 - 14.30
Krogstræde 3, Room 4.130**

The lecture will be followed by a reception hosted by the Department of Culture and Global Studies

Donatella della Porta is Professor of Political Science at Scuola Normale Superiore, Firenze, Italy and Director of the Centre on Social Movement Studies. Della Porta is a prominent international European scholar, whose impressive work on social movements, democracy and political violence has influenced students in political science, sociology, European studies, gender and migration studies. The lecture is based on her recent work, cf. 'Political Economy and Social Movement Studies: The class basis of anti-austerity protests', *Anthropological Theory* (forthc. 2017), *Oxford Handbook of Social Movements* (OUP) (with M. Diani) and *Social Movements in Times of Austerity. Bringing Capitalism Back into Protest Analysis* (Polity, 2015).

