



Centre for Advanced Security Theory (CAST) has the pleasure of inviting you to a workshop on security

# The Duality of Technology

**Monday 22 October 2012: 13.00-16.00**

*Technology is often taken to be apolitical. Three researchers have taken on the task of discussing how technology is indeed highly political: How can we understand the political nature and securityness of technology? What role does technology play in juggling and producing risks and security threats? How is the technology-security nexus involved in the production of both openness and secrecy, two apparently conflicting demands in contemporary politics?*

## PROGRAMME

- 13.00-13.10 **Introduction**  
Trine Villumsen Berling, CAST
- 13.10-13.40 **Ethics and security, whose responsibility?**  
David Koepsell, Delft University of Technology
- 13.40-14.10 **Specialized knowledge meets Intelligence (the case of bird flu)**  
Kathleen Vogel, Cornell University
- 14.10-14.30 **Coffee break**
- 14.30-15.00 **'What's the use...? Figuring out why security matters'**  
Nisha Shah, University of Ottawa
- 15.00-16.00 **Discussion**  
Discussant: Casper Sylvest, Visiting researcher, CAST

Chair: Trine Villumsen Berling, CAST

## Practical information

The workshops will take place in the lunch hall, room 4.2.26 University of Copenhagen Department of Political Science Øster Farimagsgade 5A 1353 Copenhagen K

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The workshop will be in English

Participation is free of charge.

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