

# FISH HUB FRIDAYS

**FISH IS BACK ON THE MENU  
AT AARHUS UNIVERSITY!**

**12th February**

**12th March**

**23rd April**

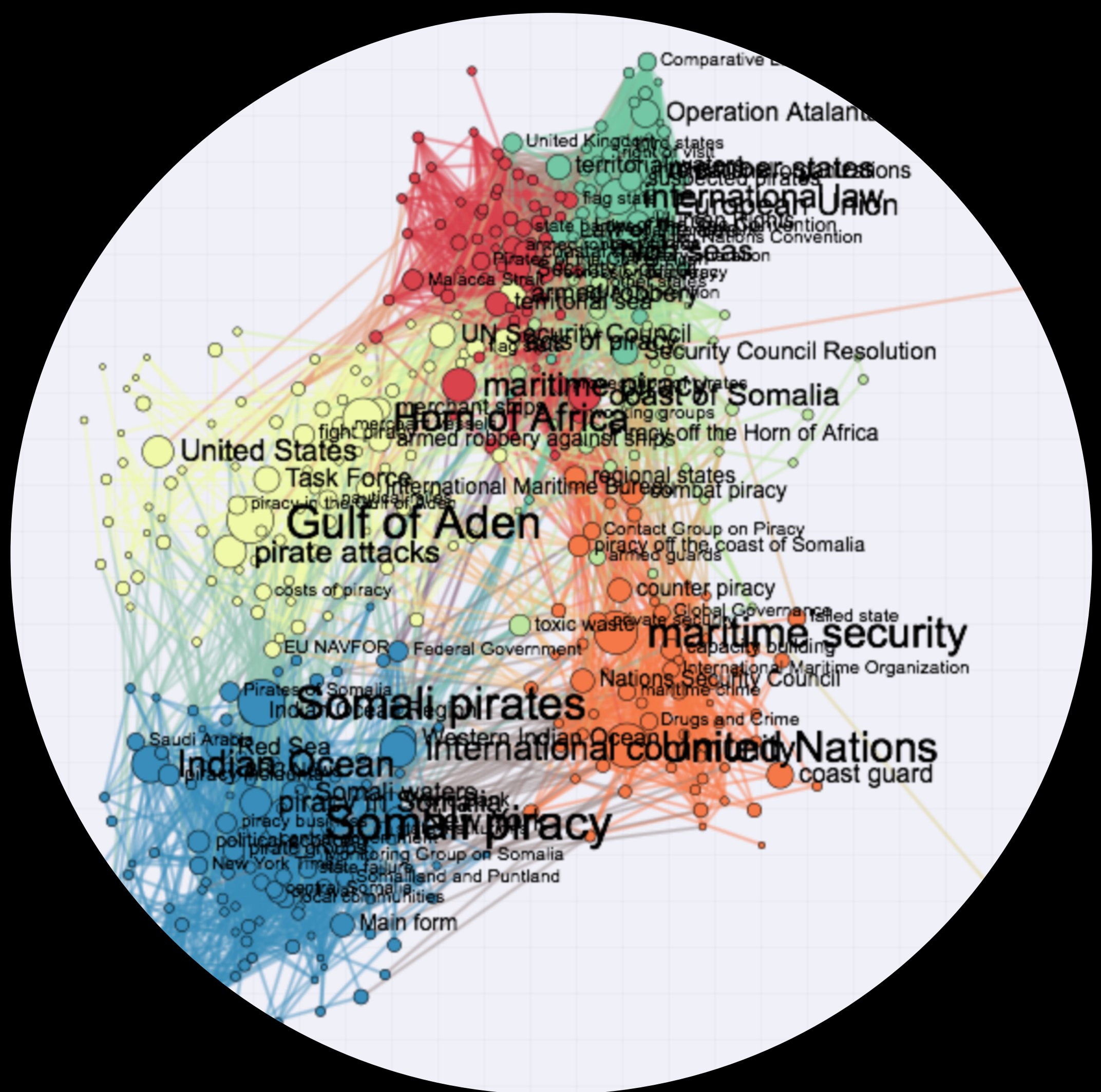
**THE FISH HUB FRIDAYS ARE THREE PRESENTATIONS IN SPRING'21 THAT WITHIN AN INFORMAL SETTING DISCUSSES FISHERY AND MARITIME ETHNOGRAPHY AND ITS RELEVANCY WITHIN A WIDER SOCIAL SCIENCE DIALOGUE ANNO 2021.**

**THE FORMAT FOLLOWS 30 MIN OF PRESENTATION WITH Q&A, AND 1 HOUR OF CASUAL OPEN-FLOOR-DIALOGUE, OVER A BEVERAGE IF PHYSICALLY PRESENT. HERE WE WISH TO LINK UP WITH THE PARTICIPANTS' WIDER RESEARCH INTERESTS.**

**INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING IN ONE OR MORE OF THE FISH HUB FRIDAYS?**

PLEASE SIGN UP WITH AMANDA RASMUSSEN (AMAMOLRAS@CAS.AU.DK)

LET US KNOW IN THE EMAIL IF YOU WANT TO PARTICIPATE PHYSICALLY OR OVER ZOOM  
THE FISH HUB FRIDAY'S WILL TAKE PLACE AT MOESGAARD, 8000 HØJBJERG.



**REGISTER TO PARTICIPATE:**

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**FRIDAY 12TH OF FEBRUARY AT 16:00**

**‘ANY HOLES IN THE NET(WORK)S?’ – USING NATURAL LANGUAGE PROCESSING TO FISH FOR FISHERMEN IN THE HORN OF AFRICA SEA**

AS MARITIME STUDIES BECOME MORE POPULAR FOLLOWING BOTH THE RISE OF THE BLUE ECONOMY AGENDA AND ACADEMIC EFFORTS TO AVOID ‘SEA-BLINDNESS’ MORE RESEARCH IS GOING INTO THE MARITIME SPHERE. HOWEVER, IN LOCATIONS SUCH AS THE HORN OF AFRICA IT SEEMS AS MARITIME RHYMES MOSTLY WITH SECURITY ISSUES. IN THE SECOND FISH HUB FRIDAY WE WILL UTILIZE NATURAL LANGUAGE PROCESSING TO INVESTIGATE THE ACADEMIC DISCURSIVE SPACES OF ENGAGING WITH THE SEA SURROUNDING THE HORN OF AFRICA.

FROM THIS POINT OF DEPARTURE, WE WILL DISCUSS HOW DIGITAL QUANTITATIVE METHODS CAN HELP IN ETHNOGRAPHIC WORK, AND LOOK INTO A SEEMINGLY PARADOX – WHAT HAPPENED TO ALL OF THE FISHERS IN THE SOMALIA, SOMALILAND, ERITREA, AND DJIBOUTI SEA?

**PRESENTERS:**

**DANIEL BACH**, PHD FELLOW ROSKILDE UNIVERSITY,  
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**AMANDA RASMUSSEN**, PHD FELLOW AARHUS UNIVERSITY,  
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**FRIDAY THE 12TH OF MARCH AT 16:00**

**WHAT HAS FISH GOT TO DO WITH AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK'S FISHY PROJECTS IN AFRICA?**

IN OUR SECONDFISH HUB FRIDAY WE WILL PRESENT AN INTERESTING OBSERVATION ON HOW THE AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK IN THE 1990S AND EARLY 2000S SEEMINGLY DUPLICATED A PRIVATIZATION OF FISHERIES ON BOTH THE WEST AND EAST COAST IN AFRICA. WHAT HAPPENED TO THESE PROJECTS; AND HOW DID THIS AFFECT FISHERIES IN AFRICA TODAY?

THE POINT OF DEPARTURE IS CASES FROM DJIBOUTI AND SIERRA LEONE, AND HOW THEY RELATE TO A LARGER GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT TREND OF SEEING FISHERIES AS 'ONE SIZE FITS ALL' SECTOR. PARTICULARLY WE ARE INTERESTED IN EXPLORING HOW FISHERIES CAME TO BE SEEN AS A "SURPLUS" SECTOR, CAPABLE OF INCOOPERATING ANY, SEEN BY DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS, 'PROBLEM-POPULATION' (REFUGEES, UNEMPLOYED YOUTH, WOMEN, POTENTIAL PIRATES, ETC.).

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**FRIDAY 23RD OF APRIL AT 16:00**

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