

# Interuniversity



# Centre for Public Health

Research and Education

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- \* **Interdisciplinarity:** bringing together sociology, (bio)medicine, political science, philosophy, history, innovation studies
- \* **Methodological innovation:** critically drawing from different research traditions and methodological toolboxes
- \* **Engagement:** opening up and sustaining dialogue between disciplines, sectors and geographies (incl. post-Soviet settings) with specific focus on involving public

# Approach

- \*To provide critical analysis of public health problems, theories and practices with specific focus on areas and geographies that have been neglected by public health scholarship (such as post-Soviet settings)
- \*To contribute into development of inclusive and responsive public health and to develop and promote dialogical approaches for appraising public health problems and ways to address them
- \*To innovate methodological and conceptual apparatus for understanding and acting on public health problems
- \*To support development of education opportunities and formats that draw on critical, interdisciplinary and participatory public health

# Goals

- \* CPH relates to international higher education capacity-building project BIHSENA (Bridging Innovations, health and societies)
- \* CPH is developing a series of new master/postgraduate level courses to prepare professionals to work for citizens' health under conditions of rapid socio-technical change
- \* CPH is a part of a new Russia-Norway network 'Science, Technology and Medicine: Global Challenges' headed by the university of Oslo - plans for developing research projects (Science&Technology Studies X Health Policy Studies X Medical Humanities,

# Initiatives under way 1

- \* Ongoing research projects in parasitic disease control, biomedical knowledge production and health innovation politics
- \* Biannual conference ‘Social Sciences and Health Innovations’. The 2017 theme is ‘Making health public’ <http://en.past-centre.ru/2016/10/fincall/>; next conference in 2019

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