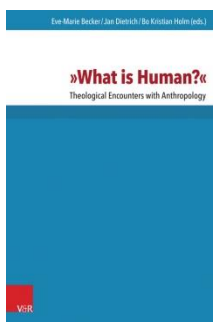


# "What is Human? Theological Encounters with Anthropology":

## Book Celebration with Reviews and Reception



- with **Kirsten Nielsen (Aarhus University)** and **Karen D. Scheib (Emory University)**

Date **Friday, June 16**

Time **13-16 incl. reception**

Place **AU Auditorium 1 (Room 012), Building 1441, Tåsingegade 3**

Early this year, more than 20 members of the **research program at the Department of Theology at Aarhus University** published an "Aarhus-anthology" under the title **"What is Human? Theological Encounters with Anthropology" (Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht 2017)**. The idea of the volume was to bring together scholars from all disciplines of the Department of Theology at Aarhus University in order to stimulate and coordinate disciplinary and interdisciplinary theological research cooperation on one of the most momentous topics in nowadays theological research: anthropology in a theological perspective. To celebrate this publication, the research program at the Department of Theology invites all students and scholars interested in the fields of anthropology and theology to a book-event with critiques, reviews and reception on Friday, June 16, in auditorium 1, building 1441, room 012 at 13.00-16.00 o'clock. Two book-reviewers will present their critiques: Kirsten Nielsen, Professor emeritus for Old Testament at Aarhus University, and Karen D. Scheib, Associate Professor of Pastoral Care and Pastoral Theology at Emory University, Atlanta, USA.

**Kirsten Nielsen** er Professor emeritus i Gammel Testamente på Aarhus Universitet, tidligere dekan for Det Teologiske Fakultet på Aarhus Universitet og æresdoktor ved Det teologiske Menighedsfakultet i Oslo. Hun fik licentiat i teologi på afhandlingen "Jahve som anklager og dommer" (TeolTryk Aarhus 1977) som også er udgivet på engelsk i revideret form som "Yahweh as Prosecutor and Judge" (Sheffield 1978), og teologisk doktorgrad på afhandlingen "For et træ er der håb. Om træet som metafor i Jes 1-39" (Gads Forlag 1985) som også er udkommet på engelsk i revideret udgave som "There is Hope for a Tree. The Tree as Metaphor in Isaiah" (Sheffield 1989).

**Karen D. Scheib** is Associate Professor of Pastoral Care and Pastoral Theology at Emory University. She has taught practical and pastoral theology at Candler since 1998, and served as director of the school's Women, Theology, and Ministry program for many years. She is also on the faculty of the Emory Center for Ethics. Karen Scheib's research interests include faith and health, theological and cultural dimensions of crises and trauma, and narrative theory and therapy. She is the author of *Challenging Invisibility: Practices of Care with Older Women* (Chalice Press, 2004), has contributed to several other books, and has written for numerous scholarly and popular publications. She has served on the editorial board of *Journal of Pastoral Theology* at the Society for Pastoral Theology. Her current writing explores the intersection of ecclesiology and practices of care.

**The publisher's website** with the book's table of content as well as an extract: [http://www.v-r.de/de/what\\_is\\_human/t-0/1036877/](http://www.v-r.de/de/what_is_human/t-0/1036877/)

**Kirsten Nielsen's website** at Aarhus University: [http://pure.au.dk/portal/da/persons/kirsten-nielsen\(3db827c8-d476-4df4-8f6e-6a66ed098576\).html](http://pure.au.dk/portal/da/persons/kirsten-nielsen(3db827c8-d476-4df4-8f6e-6a66ed098576).html)

**Karen Scheib's website** at Emory University: <http://candler.emory.edu/faculty/profiles/scheib-karen.html>