

NSL Colloquium (2019/2)

## Are Integrated Infrastructure Networks Governable in Contemporary City Regions?

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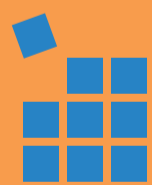
### Programme

- 17:00 Entry
- 17:15 Welcome by Prof. Bryan Adey
- 17:30 Prof. Michael Neuman  
*Are Integrated Infrastructure Networks Governable in Contemporary City Regions?*
- 18:15 Discussion
- 19:00 Apéro

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The very possibility of governance that is critical – in terms of providing robust human rights, meaningful participative democracy, equitable distribution of wealth, goods and services, and strong environmental protection – is being severely tested in this neoliberal age. Evidence abounds on both sides of the question. Many small scale initiatives are bubbling up to fill the voids created as the result of the multiple failures of mainstream institutions in all sectors of society to maintain a long-standing social contract to protect individuals from harm and to advance the public good. This lecture addresses some key issues to consider when designing and redesigning governance institutions to promote the common welfare, focusing on infrastructures.

