

## What (not) to trust in the science of well-being

**Dr. Anna Alexandrova**

(Cambridge HPS and King's College)

### LECTURE SERIES

**Tuesday,  
27<sup>th</sup> February  
2018**

12:15 - 13:15

In this talk I analyse the main challenge to the very idea that there can be a science of well-being, that is the measurability of well-being. Against the critics I argue that there is a sense in which well-being is measurable. Getting clear on this sense also reveals the limits of knowledge produced by this field. I argue that the science of well-being is on surest footing when it does not pretend to study all-things-considered individual well-being ■

Campus Biotech  
Room H8.01.D (144.165)  
9, chemin des Mines  
Geneva

Swiss Doctoral School in Affective Sciences

**swissuniversities**