**Traumatized Borders kick off seminar**

**Monday 20th February 2017**

Agora Building, AG 109, University of Eastern Finland
Languages: English and Finnish

10:00–10:15 Tuulikki Kurki, UEF: Opening of the seminar and introducing the project
10:15–10:45 Eeva-Kaisa Prokkola, University of Oulu: Border heritage-ization as a cultural trauma reconciliation
10:45–11:15 Tuulikki Kurki, UEF: Trauma – the visible and invisible in cultural studies
11:15–11:30 Discussion
11:30–12:15 Lunch
12:15–12:45 Ismo Björn, UEF: Rivien välin historia (History in between the lines)
12:45–13:15 Pirjo Pöllänen, UEF: Haastattelututkimuksen saavuttamaton tieto (Unattainable knowledge in interviews)
13:15–13:30 Discussion
13:30–14:00 Coffee break (complimentary)
14:00–14:30 Laura Assmuth, UEF: Politicizing identity issues: ethnographic research encounters at a post-Soviet border
14:30–15:00 Johan Schimanski, University of Oslo, UEF: Memory, trauma in (or as) narratives of border-crossing
15:30–15:45 Final discussion and concluding words

**Tuesday 21st February 2017**

Research seminar in the Karelian Institute AU 104–105
Languages: English and Finnish

10:15–11:45 Tiitu Jaago, Tartu yliopisto: Elämänkertojen tutkiminen folkloristisesta näkökulmasta (Studying life stories through the viewpoint of folklore research)
11:45–12:30 Lunch
12:30–13:15 Thekla Musäus, University of Greifswald: Literature connected with the Finnish Russian border
13:15–14:00 Researchers of Traumatized Borders project introduce their research