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Our globalized, cyber-mediated world characterized by extraordinary social, political, economic, and moral fragmentation raises a variety of questions about social problems, including: How do people who experience the consequences of social problems understand the causes of their misery? How do people not suffering understand the experiences of those who do? How do activists convince others to work toward social change? The answer to a variety of such questions is the same: Narratives, or what simply are called “stories” in daily life. Social problem narratives create meaning from the buzzing confusion of practical experience, they convey complex experiences to others, they motivate, they shape public opinion and social action.

Whether told as stories about unique people facing specific troubles or about types of people—the abused child, the terrorist, the welfare mother—in types of situations, social problem narratives are pervasive in daily life. Individuals tell stories to make sense of their troubling experiences, politicians tell stories to sell themselves and their policies; teachers, preachers and parents use stories to convey moral lessons; courts work through the telling and evaluating of stories. Narratives about social problems are pervasive because they are persuasive. Unlike statistics or research, stories can appeal to minds and to hearts: The story of the “Migrant Mother” told through the photographs of depression-era photographer, Dorothea Lange, for example, remains to this day a compelling testimony of the human tragedy created by economic collapse.

Regardless of the extent to which images in a story match indicators of empirical reality, social problem narratives can be personally, socially, and politically consequential. These narratives are about power: Those told by people in privileged positions are assumed to be believable and important, while those told by others are routinely challenged, if not completely silenced; stories whose plots, characters, and morals reflect the status quo are more likely to be positively evaluated than those challenging entrenched power and privilege. Stories become material power when they shape public opinion and social policy. Yet social actors most certainly are not cultural robots who simply accept whatever images of them circulate in the social world. On the contrary: Narratives can be a site of resistance as individuals and groups challenge the truth of those offering ideological support for oppression. Resistance, in turn, can lead to authoring and promoting new stories that foster equality and thus are transformative.
In order to understand public reactions toward social problems and, in order to do something about these conditions causing so much human misery, we need to know much more about the work of social problem narratives. In a world of countless competing stories, we need to know how some—and only some—stories achieve widespread cognitive and emotional appeal and go on to influence public opinion and social policy; how different stories appeal to people in different social positions. We need to know how stories promoting particular images of social problems reflect and challenge and/or perpetuate existing inequalities and structures of power, and how stories encourage or discourage social change. We need to more fully understand how story contents and meanings change as they circulate through particular societies and throughout the globe.

The power and workings of social problems narratives will be the focus of our conversations at the 2017 meetings of the Society for the Study of Social Problems to be held in the fascinating, beautiful, bi-lingual, multi-cultural city of Montreal. I look forward to seeing you there.

Bon voyage!

Donileen R. Loseke, SSSP President
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PART I. Annual Meeting Information

Annual Meeting Schedule

The official days of the 2017 SSSP Annual Meeting are Friday, August 11 to Sunday, August 13. Program sessions are scheduled on all three days of the meeting.

Most daytime program sessions are 1 hour and 40 minutes in length, followed by a 20 minute break. Exceptions are clearly noted in the detailed program schedule.

Sessions, committee meetings, and special events will be held at the Montreal Bonaventure Hotel, located at 900 De La Gauchetiere W., Montreal, Quebec H5A 1E4.

The turnover schedule is as follows:

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On Friday, the 6:30pm-7:30pm time slot is allocated for the Welcoming Reception and the 10:00pm-11:00pm time slot is allocated for the Graduate Student Happy Hour. On Saturday, the 4:15pm-5:25pm time slot is allocated for the SSSP Business Meeting, the 5:30pm-6:30pm time slot is allocated for the Presidential Address, the 6:45pm-7:45pm time slot is allocated for the Awards Ceremony, and the 7:45pm-8:45pm time slot is allocated for the Division-Sponsored Reception. On Sunday, all sessions end at 6:10pm.

Please refer to the Preliminary Program Schedule (pages 20-79) for a daily listing of all sessions, meetings, and special events. Session presiders and committee chairs should ensure that sessions and meetings end on time to avoid conflicts with subsequent activities scheduled in the same room and to allow participants time to transit to the next session or meeting.
Bienvenue à Montréal!

While globalization, mass migration, and the wide-spread availability of information disseminated through the internet has made our world more connected than ever, it has also exposed and in some cases deepened the significant fragmentations in social, political, economic, and moral viewpoints that exist in our world. In response to such differences, there appears to be a growing acceptance of populist rhetoric focusing on exclusion and isolation. These reactionary approaches often ignore the pain and misery of those who experience the consequences of social problems both within their country and around the world. With such a backdrop, it is both critical and timely that this SSSP annual meeting focus on “Narratives in the World of Social Problems: Power, Resistance, Transformation”. The conference will feature panels, workshops, and thematic sessions that will examine and advocate for those who are suffering the consequences of social problems and consider solutions to alleviate their misery. A major theme running throughout the conference will be to explore ways in which we can advance transformative narratives by resisting the largely status quo narratives presented by those in privileged positions of power. Transformative narratives, as SSSP President Donileen R. Loseke writes, have the capacity to create meaning, motivation, and stimulate social action in a way that can challenge narratives advanced by the privileged by appealing to both “minds and hearts”.

For more information about SSSP and how to register, visit: http://www.sssp1.org/2017_Annual_Meeting_Registration.

Montreal is an ideal location to hold an SSSP conference focusing on Power, Resistance, and Transformation. The province of Quebec, where the city of Montreal is located, has a long history of resistance of its own from the Quiet Revolution of the 1960s (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ Quiet_Revolution) to the largely successful 2012 student protests against increases to university tuition (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2012_Quebec_student_protests). The Quiet Revolution itself ushered in progressive values that are still present today including a minimum wage of $11.20 per hour, rent control, universal health care, affordable daycare ($7.55 per day), nearly a year of paid maternity leave, and among the most affordable universities in North America. The labor movement is also very strong with nearly 40% of workers belonging to a union.

The metropolitan area of Montreal has a population of just over 4 million. Montreal is an extremely diverse city with 32% of the population being non-white. In fact, nearly 25% of the population was born outside of Canada. Over the last 2 years the city has welcomed over 5,000 Syrian refugees and this February it declared itself a sanctuary city for refugee and illegal migrants. While profoundly diverse, Montreal is primarily a French speaking city. In fact, it is the second largest French speaking city in the world after Paris. Roughly 57% of the Montreal residents speak French at home and about the same amount speak both English and French. The French culture permeates Montreal from the language heard on the street to its many fantastic French restaurants to its beautiful architecture.

I strongly encourage conference attendees to take some time to explore all that the city has to offer. Those with a limited amount of time may want to explore the Old Port which is the historic district within the city (see the walking tour guide for the major attractions and sites in this area). The Old Port has the charm of historic architecture and dining (see the restaurant guide for a list of great places to eat on any budget!) as well as numerous cultural activities and entertainment (see http://www.oldportofmontreal.com/map for a list of activities).

For those who have a little more free time and would like to take advantage of more of the city while they are here, there are a number of major events taking place during the week of the conference that are just a short subway ride away from the conference hotel including the Rogers Cup (Professional Tennis), Italian Week (a celebration of the Italian community - http://italianweek.ca/en/), Under Pressure (International Graffiti Festival - http://underpressure.ca/), and a number of events will take place from August 11-20 to celebrate Montreal Pride (a Celebration of Canada’s LGBTQ community - http://www.fiertemontrealpride.com/en/canada-pride-montreal-2017/). Finally, for those who rent a car while in town, you may want to catch a world renowned hot air balloon festival less than 1 hour away from Montreal (https://www.ballooncanada.com/).

How to Navigate the City

- **Airport to the Conference Hotel**
  - Taxi $40
  - Uber $23–$32
  - City Bus #747. $10 Pick-up is curb-side outside of arrival section of the Airport. For schedule and drop-off locations see: http://www.stm.info/en.

- **Getting around the City**
  - The Metro (or the subway) is the easiest and most affordable way to navigate the city. There is a metro one block from the hotel (Station Bonaventure) that gives you access to the rest of the city. A single ride on the metro will cost $3.25 but I suggest (especially for those coming for 3 or more days) to purchase a three-day pass that will give you unlimited use of all buses and the subway for $18 (tickets purchased in the metro station). If you want to find an entrance to a metro look for this sign:

    ![Metro Sign](https://example.com/metro-sign)

  - For those of you renting a car while in the city, I strongly recommend bringing a GPS system. All of the street signs are in French and the roads in the city can even be difficult to navigate for those who live here.
  - Taking the bus is also easy and affordable. Schedules, routes and fares can be found at [http://www.stm.info/en](http://www.stm.info/en).
Traveling to Canada

For tips on traveling to Canada and the travel documentation required (hint, you need a passport!) see: http://www.sssp1.org/index.cfm/m/690/Traveling_Tips_to_Canada/

If you have questions about the city, do not hesitate to contact Dr. Jason Carmichael, Chair of the Local Arrangements Committee – jason.carmichael@mcgill.ca. We look forward to seeing you all in Montréal!

Bienvenue à Montréal!–Graduate Student Version

As a graduate student living in Montréal for the past six years, I can confirm that this city lives up to its ‘joie de vivre’ mantra. Please do relish in the diversity, splendor, and celebrations Montréal offers—from cuisine and music to lounging in one of the many beautiful parks. Montréal is also a great walking city. So bring your running shoes! The metro and bus system are also efficient and reliable. We’ve provided a transportation guide which offers directions for Montréal’s Metro system. It has been a joy and a privilege to pursue my doctorate in such a vibrant and diverse city. I hope you have a chance to take in some of what Montréal has to offer. After the SSSP conference, I have no doubt that you’ll be planning your return trip to Montréal. Some of the main attractions to check out are:

Les Tam-Tams du Mont Royal: Every Sunday afternoon, cost: free. This free festival takes place on Sundays, near the monument to Sir George-Étienne Cartier and in Mount Royal Park’s surrounding green spaces. A colourful gathering of drummers, dancers, vendors, and their admiring audiences.

Montréal Museum of Fine Arts, 1380 Rue Sherbrooke O, cost: Ages 31 and up: $15, Ages 13-30: free. It is Montréal’s largest museum and is amongst the most prominent in Canada. The museum is located on the historic Golden Square Mile stretch of Sherbrooke Street.

McGill University, 845 Rue Sherbrooke O, cost: free. McGill’s main campus is situated in downtown Montréal at the foot of Mount Royal. The community immediately east of University Street and south of Pine Avenue is known as the McGill Ghetto, where a large number of students reside.

Mount Royal Lookout, cost: free. The Mount Royal belvedere lookout walk begins at Peel Metro station on the Green line and takes you on a 2 kilometer walk and climb up to the viewpoint which offers spectacular vistas of downtown Montréal.

Biodome, 4777 Avenue Pierre-De Coubertin, cost: $20.25. The Montréal Biodome is a facility located at Olympic Park in the Montréal neighbourhood of Mercier–Hochelaga-Maisonneuve that allows visitors to walk through replicas of four ecosystems found in the Americas.

Mount Royal Cemetery, 1297 Chemin de la Foret, cost: free. You may ask: ‘Why would I want to visit a cemetery?’ The answer is, established in 1852, it’s a history lesson amongst majestic monuments, obelisks, and statues. The beautiful landscape and grounds management resulted in Mount Royal Cemetery being designated a National historic site. It is a wonderful place to contemplate and relax.

Clock Tower Beach, 351 Avenue Laurier E, cost: $2. The Old Port of Montréal’s urban beach offers a vacation atmosphere with its fine sand, chairs, parasols and refreshing mist. There is also the bar L’Horloge, where you can meet with friends over a drink and a bite late into the evening.

Cité Mémoire, every night at the Clock Tower Quay and the Bonsecours Island, Cost: free. Discover two nocturnal scenes from Cité Mémoire in the Old Port. Loosely based on the history of Montréal, first-hand accounts of how the city has evolved over the course of history. With a touch of poetry and playfulness, over twenty scenes are brought to life through words, images, and music. Simply download the free Montréal en Histoires application to enjoy the sights and sounds.

Stroll the cobble stone streets of old port and discover the plethora of shops, art, food, and drink!

In keeping with Montréal’s French heritage, here are some of the best French and Quebecois restaurants:

L’Express, 3927 Rue Saint-Denis. An iconic Parisian bistro. Personally, my favourite restaurant in Montréal.

La Croissanterie Figaro, 5200 Rue Hutchison. An enchanting Parisian café in the lovely Outremont neighbourhood of Montréal.

Brasserie Ti, 1425 Rue Jeanne-Mance. Glass-wall space for great charcuterie & bistro classics, plus a patio next to famous fountains.

L’Original, 79 Rue Saint Alexis, L’Original. French for “moose,” serves Québécois farm-to-table game & seafood dishes in a funky & woody chalet setting.

A visit to Montréal is not complete until you’ve devoured a poutine—a French-Canadian tradition of fries, cheese curds, and gravy. Here are some great spots:

Patati Patata Friterie de Luxe, 4177 Boulevard St-Laurent. A tiny and charming diner which serves up some of Montréal’s best poutines.

La Banquise, 994 Rue Rachel East. Serves twenty-five different kinds of poutine and is open 24 hours. American chef Anthony Bourdain recommended La Banquise as one of his favourite meals in Montréal.

Chez Claudette, 351 Avenue Laurier E. A local favourite for cheesy fry gravy goodness.
Known for its fabulous cafés, here are some of Montréal’s best:

- **Café Olimpico**, 124 Rue Saint Viator O. Hipster Italian cafe in a 1970s pool-hall setting with TV sports & a patio (popular even in winter). Nestled in the heart of the ever-growing Mile End district, Café Olimpico has undoubtedly been one of Montréal’s best-kept secrets.

- **Café Santropol**, 3990 Rue Saint-Urbain. One of my favourite places in Montréal. This garden oasis serves sandwiches, herbal teas, and coffee.

- **Humble Lion**, 904 Rue Sherbrooke O. Right across the street from McGill, this rustic-chic indie cafe turns out a variety of coffee drinks, teas, and hot chocolate, plus pastries.

- **Café Aunja**, 1448 Rue Sherbrooke O. A downtown gem near the Modern Art Museum. Cozy basement-level Persian tea and coffee spot offering sweets, art on the walls, and live music.

- **Crew Collective & Café**, 60 Rue Saint-Jacques. Housed in a 1920s bank, this is one of Montréal’s most beautiful cafés, with 50-foot-high vaulted ceilings, chandeliers, intricate tiling, and marble and bronze galore.

- **MELK Bar à Café**, 1206 Stanley St. Really great coffee in a quaint yet trendy spot.

Enjoy your stay—happy exploring!

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Local Arrangements Committee, 2016-2017

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**Hotel Services**

Stay at SSSP’s conference hotel, Montreal Bonaventure Hotel, an Urban Oasis offering a rooftop sanctuary in the heart of downtown Montreal. The hotel is only steps away from many major attractions such as Dorchester Square, Centre Bell, Central Train Station, and shopping districts including Underground City and Centre Eaton de Montréal. See this link for their top 10 questions answered: [http://hotelbonaventure.com/en/services/pratical-information/](http://hotelbonaventure.com/en/services/pratical-information/).

**Rooms**

The hotel features 397 guest rooms, all of which include a choice of garden or city skyline views. On-site features include an outdoor heated rooftop pool, fitness room, car rental desk, hair salon, foreign currency exchange, free high-speed Internet, room service, and a knowledgeable bilingual concierge staff. Cribs and rollaway beds are available upon request ($35 CAD daily).

**Childcare Services**

The Montreal Bonaventure Hotel has been using Madame Claudette Miller for many years for most of their childcare needs. Her office may be reached at 514-792-1188. The hotel also recommends [The Genies’ Services Inc.](http://www.thegeniesservicesinc.com) as another option for childcare. Call 514-525-4364 for reservations, hours, and fee information.

**Dining Options**

**Le Bisco**: Steaks and seafood abound at this convenient restaurant. Le Bisco is open every day for breakfast and weekdays for lunch (open Mon-Fri: 6:30am-2:00pm and Sat-Sun: 7:00am-12:00pm).

**Restaurant Bar Le Kube**: Delicious soups, salads, pizzas, plus signature steaks and seafood are conveniently located at the hotel bar and restaurant (open daily 11:30am-11:30pm).

**Nearby Dining Options**:

- Just north of the conference hotel on Metcalfe there is a great pub called the Dominion Square Tavern ([http://www.tavernedominion.com/](http://www.tavernedominion.com/)): 1243 Rue Metcalfe
- A few blocks away from the conference hotel there are two streets (Bishop and Crescent streets) loaded with Irish pubs and local microbreweries.
  - [Brutopia](http://brutopia.net/): 1219 Rue Crescent
  - [Hurley’s Irish Pub](http://www.hurleysirishpub.com/): 1225 Crescent Street
  - [The Irish Embassy](http://www.irish-embassy.com/): 1234 Bishop Street
  - [McKibbin’s Irish Pub](http://www.mckibbinsirishpub.com/): 1426 Bishop Street

* A quick meal by the conference hotel!

There are plenty of options if you want to get out of the hotel and get something quick to eat (or not so quick). Here are a couple suggestions that are within a block from the hotel.

- **Dunn’s Smoked Meat**—open 24 hours!
  1249 Metcalfe Street
- **Café Republic**: 1200, rue Peel

**Shopping**

Simply walk a few blocks north on Mansfield street (next to the conference hotel) until you reach St. Catherine Street and turn right or left. You’ll find every conceivable place one can shop.

**Distance to the ASA Annual Meeting**

The ASA Annual Meeting will be held at the Palais des congrès de Montréal, a little over half a mile away from the Montreal Bonaventure Hotel, and can be accessed by Metro, bus, cab, or walking. Walking directions are provided on page 10.
Reservations
We have exceeded our room block. Unfortunately, we are unable to add more rooms, as the hotel is sold out on certain nights during our conference. We explored adding an overflow hotel, but the financial risk to the Society is too high, since the Society must pay for the rooms that are not used by our registrants. Some registrants have checked the Montreal Bonaventure Hotel link periodically and found cancellations have occurred, so we encourage you to do this.

To make a reservation, click here to book a room. You may also call the Montreal Bonaventure’s toll free number at 1-800-267-2575. International callers, call directly at 1-514-878-2332 and ask to be connected to Reservations. Please request the SSSP group room rate when booking a room to ensure the correct discounted rate is given (based on availability). Our group block code is: CSOCII. The cut-off date for the SSSP group room rate is July 15, 2017. Reservations must be confirmed by this date to guarantee the group rate. Reservations made after July 15th or after the room block is filled are subject to availability and rate increase.

The group rate is $189 CAD + tax per night for a single/double room. Room rates are exclusive of 5% Goods & Services Tax, 9.975% Provincial Tax, and 3.5% Occupancy Tax per night. All taxes and fees are subject to change.

Montreal Area Attractions

- Notre-Dame Basilica of Montreal, a magnificent Neo-Gothic Roman Catholic church in the heart of the historic district of Old Montreal. Built in the 1800’s, this beauty seats over 4,000 and contains breathtaking interior furnishings.
- The Underground City, over 20 miles of interconnected hotels, shopping centers, universities, and performing arts venues that form the heart of Downtown Montreal—2,000 shops, 200 restaurants, hotels, museums, concert halls, universities, and an arena can all be reached by foot.
- Centre Bell, is the home of the Montreal Canadiens hockey team as well as concerts, shows, and gatherings. OneRepublic and Shawn Mendes, Canadian singer, songwriter, are scheduled there while we are. Other entertainment options are Cirque du Soleil – Volta and Keith Urban. See the calendar: http://www.evenko.ca/en/events/calendar/2017/08.
- Museum of Archaeology and History, follow the development of Montreal from its days as a fledgling colony through the present day and an exhibit showing the city’s multicultural lifestyle.

Attractions further from the hotel are readily accessible by public transportation (Central Station is across the street). Here are a few suggestions:

- Jean Drapeau Park, the ideal spot for outdoor enthusiasts all year round. Here you’ll find an amusement park, a bike path, a sandy beach, an aquatic park, vast gardens, and hiking trails, all in the shadow of the city. Also visit Biosphere, a museum dedicated to raising environment awareness and water ecosystems.
- Mount Royal Park, laid out by Frederick Law Olmsted, the landscape architect who created Central Park in New York, this park was officially inaugurated in 1876 and remains the undisputed jewel in the crown of Montreal’s natural heritage. The Smith House, which gives visitors an overview of Mount Royal’s history, is the ideal place to begin a visit of “the Mountain.”
- Olympic Park, built originally for the 1976 Olympic games, is home to the Biodome, combination of a zoo and aquarium. Also see Montreal’s Botanical Garden, one of the largest and most spectacular botanical gardens in the world, and Montreal Tower inside Olympic Stadium, the largest inclined tower in the world-- 175 meters (626 feet) --with impressive views of Montreal.


Optional Tours

Guided Tours – For those who prefer guided tours, there are a large number of private companies that offer tours of the city (https://www.viator.com/tours/Montreal/Montreal-City-Guided-Sightseeing-Tour/d625-3355C1?pref=02). Seats fill on many of the popular tours, so be sure to book in advance.

Here is a selection of interesting guided tours and pricing information.

- Flavors of The Main Montreal North City Food Tour – (price - $64.23 USD per person). Diverse food, city culture, storytelling, street art, and a little exercise - this tasting tour on foot offers a great mix for the curious urban adventurer. On this North City neighborhood experience, you will follow Montreal’s most important street over 3 hours and cross 3 neighborhoods to learn all about the diverse cultural communities that inhabit them, sample classic food & drink that are symbolic to their identity here in Montreal, all while hearing stories about mom & pop shop owners, and spotting ever-evolving street art & murals along the way.

Read more about Flavors of The Main - Montreal North City Food Tour | Viator at: https://www.viator.com/tours/Montreal/Flavors-of-The-Main-Montreal-North-City-Food-Tour/d625-46377P2?pub=vcps

- Montreal City Guided Sightseeing Tour - (price - $40.96 USD per person). Experience an overview of Montreal on this guided, 3.5-hour sightseeing tour of the city. Visit over 200
points of interest and many of Montreal’s top attractions and historical sites — like Notre-Dame Basilica, Chinatown, Mount Royal Park, Olympic Stadium, Saint Joseph’s Oratory, Old Port and Old Montreal, to name just a few. Hop aboard a comfortable motor coach and get to know the largest city in Quebec, with live commentary from a professional tour conductor. Montreal hotel pickup and drop-off included.

Read more about Montreal City Guided Sightseeing Tour | Viator at: https://www.viator.com/tours/Montreal/Montreal-City-Guided-Sightseeing-Tour/d625-3355C1?pub=vcps

- **Beyond the Bagel: Montreal Jewish Food Walking Tour** - (price - $63.30 USD per person). Get a taste of Montreal’s Jewish heritage on this guided, 3.5-hour, small-group, culinary walking tour. Montreal is the birthplace of many Jewish foods and is known around the world for its unique take on Jewish cuisine. Explore the city’s Mile End and Plateau neighborhoods and taste a wide range of exclusive local foods, including smoked meat and bagels, at popular food spots old and new. Along the way, learn more about Montreal’s Jewish community and discover the backyards and alleyways of the city’s hidden Jewish food history.

Read more about Beyond the Bagel: Montreal Jewish Food Walking Tour | Viator at: https://www.viator.com/tours/Montreal/Beyond-the-Bagel-Montreal-Jewish-Food-Walking-Tour/d625-14992P1?pub=vcps

**Self-Guided Walking Tour** – The best way to see the city is by walking! The map below provides an ideal path to see the Old Port (historic district) of the city. An electronic copy of the map can be found at (http://www.mcgilltribune.com/student-living/self-guided-walking-tours-montreal-9012391/).
SSSP will make arrangements for sign-language interpreters, sighted guides, and other communication avenues for meeting registrants. Please use the “Accessibility Services” portion of the registration form to identify the service that you need no later than June 30. Michele Koontz, Administrative Officer & Meeting Manager, will contact you to discuss needs and possible arrangements.

Arrangements for accessibility services can become quite costly, and funds are limited. The SSSP has established an Accessibility Services Fund in order for members to be able to contribute directly to making the Annual Meeting accessibility services more affordable for attendees with disabilities. Please consider making a donation when you register.

Hotel. The Montreal Bonaventure Hotel has five accessible sleeping rooms, all of which have been reserved for our attendees. The hotel also features an accessible entrance and all meeting spaces are accessible. Please note that the Fitness Room is not accessible. If you would like Michele to verify that your accessibility request(s) will be honored, please contact her at mkoontz3@utk.edu after making your reservation. She will follow-up with the hotel to ensure that your request is honored.

Air Quality – Smoking – Service Animals. Please refrain from wearing any scented products to respect attendees who may be sensitive and/or allergic to these types of chemicals. Smoking is not allowed in the meeting space or restaurants. Unless you yourself use a service or therapy dog or other credentialed assistance animal, we ask that you not bring companion animals to the book exhibit or areas where members are presenting.

The Comfort Zone provides a quiet environment for you to relax, reflect, and re-energize. This space is available to ALL conference attendees, no matter where you are staying. Please feel free to bring your morning coffee or afternoon snack and relax, unwind, or get organized for the rest of your day. The Comfort Zone is located in the St-Laurent Room on the Banquets Level on Friday and Saturday and in the Net Café on the Banquets Level on Sunday and available during the following hours:

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Gender-Neutral Public Restroom. A gender-neutral restroom is located near the Verdun Room on the Banquets Level. This facility is available for use by all persons, regardless of their gender identity. The gender-neutral restroom may also function as a family restroom or as a restroom for people with disabilities.

Sessions. SSSP strives to make its annual meeting as accessible as possible. Each presentation or session should be designed and conducted with the full participation of all in mind. Therefore, the Accessibility Committee requests that all presenters review the guidelines for accessible presentations and take the necessary steps to maximize programming access to all participants.
Trains. As Canada’s national passenger rail service, VIA Rail Canada offers inter-city connections along the Ottawa-Montréal, Toronto-Kingston-Montréal, and Québec City-Montréal corridors. A minibus service is available between the VIA station in Dorval and the Montréal–Pierre Elliott Trudeau International Airport. Cost is $20-$40 (CAD) per person depending on advanced booking and availability.

Registration Services and Audio-Visual Services

Registering early saves you time and money. Attendees who miss the July 15th pre-registration deadline will be required to pay on-site registration. Register online: http://www.sssp1.org/2017_Annual_Meeting_Registration.

Registration will be located in Inscription and the Book Exhibit will be across in Fontaine B, both on the Banquets Level. Name badges are required for entry to all meetings, exhibits, and functions.

Registration Hours:
Thursday 2:00pm-6:00pm
Friday 8:00am-6:00pm
Saturday 7:00am-6:00pm
Sunday 8:00am-5:00pm

Book Exhibit Hours:
Thursday 2:00pm-6:00pm
Friday 8:00am-6:00pm
Saturday 8:00am-5:30pm
Sunday 8:00am-2:00pm

Audio-Visual Services:
Projectors and screens will be available for all regular sessions. Roundtable and Critical Dialogue sessions will not have audio-visual equipment; however, in some cases these sessions were placed in meeting rooms designated for regular sessions due to space constraints and will have access to a projector and screen. Presenters must bring their own laptop (and the connection cord if you have an Apple computer or HDMI connection cord) or arrange with someone else in your session to share. Internet access will be available in the meeting space.

Book Exhibit

The Scholar’s Choice has a long and successful history of managing academic book exhibits, and we welcome them to our meeting. Any member interested in having their book displayed at the meeting should contact their publisher as soon as possible to see if they are amenable to sending the book for exhibit. Please keep in mind that the publishers pay a fee to display with The Scholar’s Choice and may not have the marketing budget necessary to honor all requests, particularly for older titles. The Scholar’s Choice asks that books be relevant to the meeting topics. Reservations from the publishers will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis until their exhibit space is full. All requests must come from the publishers, not the author.

Policy Press is delighted to be exhibiting at the SSSP conference again this year. Come to the stand to meet our Head of Commissioning Victoria Pittman and Nick Lilly from the University of Chicago Press (who market and distribute us in North America) and buy books at conference discount. Victoria would also be delighted to discuss any book proposals you have.

Listing of Organizations Also Meeting in Montreal

For your convenience, below is a listing of organizations that are meeting concurrently or around the time of the SSSP meeting.

American Sociological Association (ASA)
August 12-15
Palais des congrès de Montréal
1001 Jean Paul Riopelle Place
514-871-8122

Association for the Sociology of Religion (ASR)
August 13-14
InterContinental Montreal
360 Saint-Antoine Street West
514-987-9900

Association of Black Sociologists (ABS)
August 10-12
Montreal Bonaventure Hotel
900 De La Gauchetiere W.
514-878-2332

Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction (SSSI)
August 11-13
Hotel Omni Mont-Royal
1050 Sherbrooke Street West
514-284-1110

Sociologists for Women in Society (SWS)
August 12-14
Palais des congrès de Montréal
1001 Jean Paul Riopelle Place
514-871-8122

Walking Directions to the ASA Annual Meeting

The ASA Annual Meeting will be held at the Palais des congrès de Montréal (1001 Jean Paul Riopelle Place). The walk is about 10-15 minutes. Exit the lobby onto Rue de la Gauchetiere. Turn right and walk 550 meters (about 6 city blocks). When you reach Rue de Bleury turn right and walk for 110 meters. The Palais des congrès de Montréal will be on your left just past Avenue Viger.
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PART II. Annual Meeting Events
(shown in chronological order)

Arrival Meet & Greet Reception
Open to SSSP Registrants

All meeting registrants are invited to the Arrival Meet & Greet Reception on Thursday, August 10, to celebrate the opening of the 67th Annual Meeting. This social hour kicks off at 6:30pm (Room: Salon Ville-Marie, Lobby Level) and provides opportunities to renew past acquaintances, chat with old friends, and find a newcomer to befriend. New members and first-time meeting attendees are particularly encouraged to attend.

Accessibility Committee Informational Meeting

Plan to attend an informational meeting chaired by Sara Green for those interested in or with concerns about the inclusion of people with disabilities in SSSP on Friday, August 11 from 10:30am-12:10pm (Room: Outremont, Banquets Level).

Graduate Student Meeting
with the Student Board Representatives

Student Board Representatives Kasey Henricks and Sarah St. John would like to meet with all graduate students on Friday, August 11 from 2:30pm-4:10pm (Room: Frontenac, Banquets Level). This will be an excellent opportunity for students to mingle and discuss any issues.

The Graduate Student Happy Hour is scheduled later in the evening from 10:00pm-11:00pm (Location: Le Kube, Hotel Bar, Lobby Level). Complimentary drinks will be provided.

Open Discussion of Proposed Resolutions
Being Proposed to the SSSP Board of Directors

Plan to attend the open forum of discussion where resolutions will be presented among concerned members on Friday, August 11 from 2:30pm-4:10pm (Room: Mont-Royal, Banquets Level). Each proposed resolution will be presented by the person who created the resolution (or designated representative) and the sponsoring Division’s Chairperson and adequate time for discussion will be properly allotted. All Division Chairs should plan to participate in this session or designate a proxy from their division if unable to attend.

At the Annual Business Meeting, the resolutions will be presented (including any modifications or revisions) by Vice President Valerie Leiter as a package for approval for action by the attending membership. The membership will vote on proposed resolutions that were discussed and revised on the first day of the meeting. If objections from the floor are raised to any specific resolution at the SSSP Business Meeting, that resolution can, by majority vote of those present, be separated from the package, and voted on separately. Those present can either vote to support the resolution as proposed or decide to table the resolution for further discussion at the subsequent year’s annual meeting. For more information, visit http://www.sssp1.org/index.cfm/m/694/Call_for_Resolutions/.

Welcoming Reception
Open to SSSP Registrants

All meeting registrants are invited to the Welcoming Reception on Friday, August 11. This social hour kicks off at 6:30pm (Room: Salon Ville-Marie, Lobby Level) and provides opportunities to renew past acquaintances, chat with old friends, and find a newcomer to befriend. New members and first-time meeting attendees are particularly encouraged to attend.

New Member Breakfast

On Saturday, August 12 from 7:15am-8:15am (Room: Salon Ville-Marie, Lobby Level), established SSSP members will host a breakfast, greeting, welcoming, and networking with new members. Enter the room with a “New Member” or “Host” ribbon on your SSSP name badge.

Free Film Screening: “Tested”
with Curtis Chin

Plan to attend the Free Film Screening of “Tested” with Curtis Chin on Saturday, August 12 from 2:30pm-4:10pm (Room: Verdun, Banquets Level).

“Tested” looks at the important issue of racial diversity and public schools by following a dozen families in New York City from different racial, socio-economic and religious backgrounds as they prepare to pass the grueling standardized test to get into one of the city’s best high schools. The film premiered at the DOC NYC film festival in NYC where The Village Voice named it one of the best films in the festival. The film has since screened with Lincoln Center, the White House, the American Educational Research Association, the National Conference on Race and Ethnicity, the Southern Sociological Society, SXSWedu and more. In total, the film has had 125 screenings in 10 countries.

The gap in opportunities for different races in America remains extreme. Nowhere is this more evident than our nation’s top public schools. In New York City, where blacks and Hispanics make up 70% of the city’s school-aged population, they represent less than 5% at the city’s most elite public high schools. Meanwhile, Asian Americans make up as much as 73%. This documentary follows a dozen racially and socioeconomically diverse 8th graders as they fight for a seat at one of these schools. Their only way in: to ace a single standardized test. “Tested” includes the voices of such education experts as Pedro Noguera and Diane Ravitch as it explores such issues as access to a high-quality public education, affirmative action, and the model-minority myth. To view the trailer, please go to: www.testedfilm.com.
SSSP Business Meeting

Open to SSSP Members

Plan to attend the SSSP Business Meeting on Saturday, August 12 from 4:15pm-5:25pm (Room: Westmount, Banquets Level) for an update on the status and future of SSSP. The meeting concludes with the traditional transfer of the gavel, marking the transition of duties from Donileen R. Loseke to incoming President Luis A. Fernandez. An open discussion period will follow the meeting. Please consult the flyer in your registration bag for details on the Business Meeting agenda.

Presidential Address

Open to SSSP Registrants

Plan to attend the Presidential Address featuring the formal address of President Donileen R. Loseke on Saturday, August 12 from 5:30pm-6:30pm (Room: Westmount, Banquets Level). All members are invited to this session.

Drinking and Drugs Division Reception

The Drinking and Drugs Division will once again be holding its annual joint reception with the Alcohol, Drugs, and Tobacco Section of ASA. The reception will be held at L’Assommoir (211 Notre-Dame Ouest, coin St-François-Xavier) on Saturday, August 12 from 6:30pm-8:30pm. Drinks and light food will be served.

Awards Ceremony

Open to SSSP Registrants

Plan to attend the Awards Ceremony, conferring the 2017 major SSSP awards, on Saturday, August 12 from 6:45pm-7:45pm (Room: Westmount, Banquets Level).

AWARDS TO BE PRESENTED

SSSP Division Awards: Winners of the student paper competitions will be announced.

Arlene Kaplan Daniels Paper Award: For an author of the best paper on Women and Social Justice.

Beth B. Hess Memorial Scholarship: This $15,000 scholarship will be awarded to a new or continuing graduate student who began her or his study in a community college or technical school.

C. Wright Mills Award: For a distinguished book that exemplifies outstanding social science research and an understanding of the individual and society in the tradition of C. Wright Mills.

Doris Wilkinson Faculty Leadership Award: For an outstanding faculty member who has exercised an extensive leadership role within the SSSP and other professional societies and within the larger community.

Joseph B. Gittler Award: For significant scholarly achievement that a SSSP member has made in contributing to the ethical resolution of social problems.

Kathleen S. Lowney Mentoring Award: For an outstanding faculty member or community activist who recognizes the value of quality mentoring relationships between mentor and mentee and/or mentoring programs especially those for undergraduate or graduate students and/or for social activists, particularly for younger scholars and activists.

Lee Founders Award: For recognition of significant achievements that have demonstrated continuing devotion to the ideals of the founders of the Society and especially to the humanistic tradition of the Lee’s.

Racial/Ethnic Minority Graduate Scholarship: Two $15,000 scholarships will be awarded annually for support of graduate study and commitment to a career of scholar-activism.

Thomas C. Hood Social Action Award: This $5,000 award will be presented to a not-for-profit organization in the Montreal area in recognition of challenging social inequalities, promoting social change, and/or working toward the empowerment of marginalized peoples.

Division-Sponsored Reception

Open to SSSP Registrants

Following the Awards Ceremony on Saturday, August 12, the following divisions will host a joint reception from 7:45pm-8:45pm (Room: Salon Ville-Marie, Lobby Level): Community Research and Development; Conflict, Social Action, and Change; Crime and Juvenile Delinquency; Disability; Educational Problems; Environment and Technology; Family; Global; Health, Health Policy, and Health Services; Institutional Ethnography; Labor Studies; Law and Society; Poverty, Class, and Inequality; Racial and Ethnic Minorities; Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities; Social Problems Theory; Society and Mental Health; Sociology and Social Welfare; Sport, Leisure, and the Body; Teaching Social Problems; and Youth, Aging, and the Life Course.

Thomas C. Hood Social Action Award Fundraiser–Raffle

There will be a raffle for a two-night hotel stay at the Montreal Bonaventure Hotel, the 2017 SSSP conference hotel. The certificate is valid until August 31, 2018. The winner will be announced at the awards ceremony. You do not have to be present to win. All proceeds will benefit the winner of the 2017 Thomas C. Hood Social Action Award.
Optional One-Day Workshops

Institutional Ethnography

Monday, August 14, 10:00am–4:00pm
Montreal Bonaventure Hotel
Room: Mont-Royal, Banquets Level

Registration Fee: $75 for employed registrants or $50 for unemployed/activist/student registrants

The Institutional Ethnography Division is hosting an interactive workshop for researchers who use or are interested in institutional ethnography – the method of inquiry developed by Dorothy E. Smith. The workshop features a keynote presentation by Dorothy E. Smith as well as opportunities for large and small-group discussion and learning. The workshop will provide people with opportunities to engage directly with institutional ethnographies in the proposal, analysis, and final writing stages. Those who registered in advance will receive their ticket(s) with their name badge.

Program Schedule

10:00am–10:15am: Welcome, Coffee and Light Snacks
10:15am–11:15am: Keynote Address: Dorothy E. Smith
11:15am–11:30am: Break
11:30am–1:00pm: Working Group Session 1
1:00pm–2:00pm: Lunch (on your own)
2:00pm–3:30pm: Working Group Session 2
3:30pm–4:00pm: Closing

For more information contact: Lauren Eastwood eastwole@plattsburgh.edu and Naomi Nichols naomi.nichols@mcgill.ca

Qualitative Research Practice

Monday, August 14, 9:00am–4:00pm
Montreal Bonaventure Hotel
Room: Verdun, Banquets Level – SOLD OUT

This one day workshop will be separated into two sections: Section I will focus on epistemological and methodological foundations of qualitative research; Section II will center on practical issues associated with the most common methods used by qualitative researchers. Those who registered in advance will receive their ticket(s) with their name badge.

Program Schedule

9:00am: Welcome
9:15am–10:00am: The Epistemological Base of Qualitative Research: Sara L. Crawley
Making explicit the four epistemological bases grounding varieties of sociological work that ground the logic of qualitative methodologies
10:15am–11:15am: Varieties of Qualitative Methods: James A. Holstein and Jaber F. Gubrium
Procedural and analytic implications of a variety of qualitative research approaches
11:15am–12:15pm: Foundations of Grounded Theory: Kathy Charmaz
Changing epistemological foundations of grounded theory, the logic of the method, coding strategies and examples, writing and analytic strategies, theorizing qualitative data
12:15pm–1:15pm: Lunch (on your own)
1:15pm–2:00pm: Working with Interview Data: Amir B. Marvasti
Representing the qualitative research interview: Recruitment and sampling, questions, place, time, interviewer and interview characteristics, rapport. Example 1: What not to do: The interview without questions. Example 2: Best practices: The situated interview
2:15pm–3:00pm: Narrative Methodologies: Donileen R. Loseke
Types of narratives, types of narrative research, establishing social contexts of stories. Example 1: Oprah Winfrey and the co-production of stories. Example 2: The American Dream and social policy justification
3:15pm–4:00pm: Ethnography: Margarethe Kusenbach
Strengths and limitations of ethnographic research, theorizing from ethnographic data, creative innovations. Example 1: The photography of Vivian Meier as visual ethnography. Example 2: Go-Alongs in urban and community research

For more information contact: Donileen R. Loseke dloseke@usf.edu

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**PART III. Program Schedule**

### Committee and Divisional Meetings

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The following committees will not meet because they have completed their work and/or do not have anything on their agenda to warrant meeting in Montreal.

- Arlene Kaplan Daniels Paper Award Committee
- C. Wright Mills Award Committee
- Committee on Committees
- Erwin O. Smigel Award Committee
- Joseph B. Gittler Award Committee
- Justice 21 Committee
- Kathleen S. Lowney Mentoring Award Committee
- Lee Founders Award Committee
- Lee Scholar Support Fund Committee
- Lee Student Support Fund Committee
- Research Review Committee
- Thomas C. Hood Social Action Award Committee

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Plenary, Thematic, and Special Sessions

PLENARY SESSIONS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

4:15pm-5:25pm
Session 115 SSSP Business Meeting

5:30pm-6:30pm
Session 116 Presidential Address

THEMATIC SESSIONS

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11

8:30am-10:10am
Session 3 CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Social Constructions of Policing and Violence
Session 6 Narratives of Health and Illness
Session 9 Environmental Racism: Power, Resistance, Transformation
Session 10 Narratives of Power and Differential Social Control

10:30am-12:10pm
Session 17 Narratives of Autism
Session 22 Global Environmental Justice: Stories of Power and Resistance
Session 23 Retelling the Stories of Immigrants and Immigration

12:30pm-2:10pm
Session 29 Storytelling as an Act of Resistance
Session 30 CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Resistance Narratives and Scholar Activism
Session 32 Research that Challenges Dominant Stories
Session 33 Resistance to Inequality I
Session 35 Immigrant Identity and Immigration Law

2:30pm-4:10pm
Session 37 Power, Resistance and Transformation In and With Institutions
Session 41 Storytelling as a Path toward Social Change
Session 42 CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Self-Care and Therapeutic Use of Drugs
Session 43 Writing the Refugee Narrative: Who Gets to Tell Their Story?
Session 47 Resistance to Inequality II
Session 48 Narratives of Globalization and Sociology

4:30pm-6:10pm
Session 56 Narratives of Interdependence
Session 57 Using Photos and other Visual Media in Community Research and Action
Session 58 Motherhood and Work: Narratives in the Global Context

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

8:30am-10:10am
Session 70 Narratives, Accounts, and the Language of Ruling Relations
Session 73 Narratives of Poverty

10:30am-12:10pm
Session 77 Levels of Disability Narratives: From the Cultural to the Personal
Session 80 Changing the Narrative: Advocating for Quality Pedagogy in the Academy
Session 81 CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Working with Narratives in Institutional Ethnographic Analysis
Session 84 Conscience & Connection in Service & Care Work: Narratives in a Global Context
Session 85 Transnational Narratives of Families
Session 86 Narrating Illness and/or Disability Across the Life Course
Session 87 Narratives of Poverty II

12:30pm-2:10pm
Session 90 Gendered and Sexual Institutions and Embodiments
Session 91 Narratives of Self, Body, and Mind
Session 92 Urban and Rural Narratives of Belonging
Session 93 Personal Narratives as Teaching Tools
Session 95 Intersectional Identities and Drug Use
Session 99 Educated in Whiteness: Narratives of Reproduction and Resistance

2:30pm-4:10pm
Session 104 Urban Redevelopment, Gentrification, and Resistance
Session 105 CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Applications in Environmental Studies and Narratives on Interdisciplinary Research
Session 106 Mobilization and Narratives of Resistance in Today’s America
Session 110 Globalizing Social Problems Narratives Part I: European, American and African Perspectives

SUNDAY, AUGUST 13

8:30am-10:10am
Session 118 Autoethnography, Narrative, and Social Problems
Session 120 Narratives of Fear in Popular Culture
Session 121 Sexual and Gender Narratives
Session 123 CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Urban Redevelopment, Gentrification, and Resistance in Diverse Contexts
Session 124 CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Social Construction of Race, Class, and Gender Stratification in Schools
Session 125 Narrative Constructions of the Other
Session 129 Untold Narratives about Crime and Juvenile Delinquency

10:30am-12:10pm
Session 132 Globalizing Social Problems Narratives Part II: Asian Perspective
Session 134 Sexual and Gender Narratives II
Session 141 Conceptualizing Social Change through Sport
Session 142 Profiting Off the Poor: The Privatization of Poverty and Poverty Entrepreneurs
Session 143 Public Perceptions on Crime and Law

12:30pm-2:10pm
Session 145 How Bodies Become Marked and the Stories They Tell
Session 146 Narratives of Labor in the Global Economy
Session 148 Narratives as Methods
Session 149 Narratives of Oppression and Resistance in the Context of Substance Use
Session 156 Race, Crime, and Media Narratives

2:30pm-4:10pm
Session 158 How Bodies Become Marked and the Stories They Tell: Part II
Session 160 The Disruption of Dominant Stories
Session 163 CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Narratives of Exclusion: Constructing Walls
Session 166 Narrating Sex, Narrating Bodies
Session 168 Beyond Spectacles and Hashtags: Making Sense of Disasters in the 21st Century
Session 169 Race, Crime, and Media Narratives II

4:30pm-6:10pm
Session 171 The Technologies of Telling
Session 173 Challenging and Resisting Neo/Liberalism in Sexualities Activism and Research
Session 175 Narratives of International Migration
Session 178 Law and Narrative, Narrating Law

SPECIAL SESSIONS

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11

10:30am-12:10pm
Session 20 PAPERS IN THE ROUND: Undergraduate Research

2:30pm-4:10pm
Session 45 Open Discussion of Resolutions Being Proposed to the Board of Directors

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

8:30am-10:10am
Session 75 Indigenous Peoples and Sociology: Decolonization, Resistance and Revitalization

10:30am-12:10pm
Session 88 CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Social Constructionism: Its Origins and Futures, Part I
Session 89 The Changing Narrative of Race in the 21st Century

12:30pm-2:10pm
Session 100 Social Action - Highlight the Work of the Social Action Winner
Session 101 CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Social Constructionism: Its Origins and Futures, Part II

6:45pm-7:45pm
Session 117 Awards Ceremony

Receptions and Special Events

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10

6:30pm-7:30pm
Arrival Meet & Greet Reception
Room: Salon Ville-Marie, Lobby Level

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11

6:30pm-7:30pm
Welcoming Reception
Room: Salon Ville-Marie, Lobby Level

10:00pm-11:00pm
Graduate Student Happy Hour
Location: Le Kube, Hotel Bar, Lobby Level

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

7:15am-8:15am
New Member Breakfast
Room: Salon Ville-Marie, Lobby Level

4:15pm-5:25pm
SSSP Business Meeting
Room: Westmount, Banquets Level

5:30pm-6:30pm
Presidential Address
Room: Westmount, Banquets Level

6:30pm-8:30pm
Drinking and Drugs Division Reception
Location: L’Assommoir
(211 Notre-Dame Ouest, coin St-François-Xavier)

6:45pm-7:45pm
Awards Ceremony
Room: Westmount, Banquets Level

7:45pm-8:45pm
Division-Sponsored Reception
Room: Salon Ville-Marie, Lobby Level
Preliminary Program Schedule

Thursday, August 10

9:00am – 11:30am       Meeting
Budget, Finance, and Audit Committee, 2016-17
Room: Frontenac

11:45am – 4:45pm       Meeting
Board of Directors Meeting, 2016-17
Room: Mont-Royal

5:00pm – 6:00pm        Reception
Board of Directors Reception, 2016-17
Room: Salon Ville-Marie

6:30pm – 7:30pm       Arrival Meet & Greet Reception
Arrival Meet & Greet Reception (Open to SSSP Registrants)
Room: Salon Ville-Marie

Friday, August 11

8:00am – 10:10am      Meeting
Permanent Organization and Strategic Planning Committee,
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Room: Frontenac

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2016-17
Room: Outremont

8:30am – 10:10am      Sessions
Session 1: Work-Family Policies
Room: Côte-St-Luc

Sponsor: Family

Organizer & Discussant: Rachel Teressa Macfarlane, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Presider: Natasha Stecy-Hildebrandt, University of British Columbia

Papers:

“Job-Family Compatibility in the Segregated Labor Force,” Kaitlin L. Johnson, Indiana University

“Work-Family Conflict Among Low-Income Single Mothers: Set Up to Fail,” Amanda Lynne Freeman, University of Hartford


“Fathers’ Care in Context: Examining How Work Shapes Fathers’ Involvement in Care,” Natasha Stecy-Hildebrandt, University of British Columbia

Session 2: International Students in Higher Education
Room: Fontaine C

Sponsors: Educational Problems
Global

Organizer, Presider & Discussant: Yingyi Ma, Syracuse University

Papers:

“A Clash of Cultural Expectations: Collectivists and Individualists in the American Graduate Classroom,” Patricia Morency, Widener University

“Trailing Spouses of International Scholars: A Gender and Migration Inquiry,” Ran Keren, Northeastern University

THEMATIC
Session 3: CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Social Constructions of Policing and Violence
Room: Hampstead

Sponsors: Crime and Juvenile Delinquency
Social Problems Theory

Organizer & Presider: Terrence Tyrone Allen, University of Texas at Austin

Papers:

“African Americans and the Police: A Legacy of Exclusion, Profiling, and Oppression,” Charles Bell, Wayne State University

“Boundary Work and Signification in the Policing of Race and Place,” Daanika Gordon, University of Wisconsin-Madison

“Crime Reporting and Theories of Crime,” Ellen T. Meiser, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa

“The Influence of Neighborhood Characteristics on the Public’s Confidence in the Police to Protect Them from Crime,” Terrence Tyrone Allen, Ahmed Whitt and Tianca Crocker, University of Texas at Austin

“Trust in the City: The Social Determinants of Trust in Chicago Neighborhoods,” Michael Evangelist, University of Michigan
Friday, August 11, 8:30am

Session 4: Race, Class, and Gender in Sports and Leisure
Room: Jacques-Cartier

Sponsors: Poverty, Class, and Inequality
Sport, Leisure, and the Body

Organizer & Presider: Rebecca J. Kissane, Lafayette College

Papers:

“Twirling on the Glass Escalator: Men and Boys’ Experiences with Advantage and Disadvantage in a Feminized Sport,” Trenton M. Haltom, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

“She’s Not Our ‘Target’ Audience... Identity Politics at the Gun Range,” Christina M. Partin, Jennifer E. Lewis and Maralee Mayberry, University of South Florida

“The Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Leisure-Time Physical Activity among Women: The Association between Nativity, Social Network and Physical Activity Awareness,” Eugena Kwon, Western University and Health Awareness Canada (HAC)

“It’s a Part of Me, but it’s Not Who I Am’: Saliency of the Runner Identity among Middle-Class Black Women Who Run,” Alicia C. Smith-Tran, Case Western Reserve University

“Japanese American Basketball as Community Cultural Wealth,” Nicole A. Willms, Gonzaga University

Session 5: Critical Dialogue: Sex Work and Narratives of Victimization, Perpetration, and Resistance
Room: Lachine

Sponsors: Conflict, Social Action, and Change
Law and Society
Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities

Organizers & Presiders: Amanda Jungels, Columbia University
Edith Kinney, San Jose State University

Papers:

“A National Survey of the Erotic Labor Market,” Jessica C. Bishop-Royse and Greg Scott, DePaul University Social Science Research Center

“Accountable Advocacy: Colonial Violence and Sex Workers’ Rights Organizing in Canada,” Claire Stewart-Kanigan, University of Victoria

“Indigenous Sex Worker Stories and Decolonization,” Rachelle McKay, McMaster University

“Punishment or Protection: Contested Shifts in Legislation for Sex Trafficking Survivors in Cambodia,” Tania E. DoCarmo, University of California, Irvine

Session 6: Narratives of Health and Illness
Room: Lasalle

Sponsor: Health, Health Policy, and Health Services

Organizer & Presider: Lillian Walkover, University of California, San Francisco

Description:

This session will explore narratives of health and illness, including narratives developed between clinicians, patients and parents. The session also explores how groups and individuals develop narratives to understand and communicate health-related experiences, both in and outside clinical settings.

Papers:

“Talk About Dying: Tumor Progression Forcing Difficult Conversations Between Patients and Oncologists,” Dagoberto Cortez, University of Wisconsin at Madison

“Parent-Provider Conversations: A Qualitative Exploration of How Latina Mothers Express Activation,” San Juanita García, University of California, Riverside

“Indigenous Sex Worker Stories and Decolonization,” Rachelle McKay, McMaster University

“Punishment or Protection: Contested Shifts in Legislation for Sex Trafficking Survivors in Cambodia,” Tania E. DoCarmo, University of California, Irvine

Session 7: Changing Dynamics on Campus: Engaged Scholarship, Academic Unionization, and Advocacy Work
Room: Longueuil

Sponsors: Institutional Ethnography
Labor Studies

Organizers: Suzanne Vaughan, Arizona State University
Yvonne A. Braun, University of Oregon

Presider: Suzanne Vaughan, Arizona State University
Session 7, continued

Papers:

“Engaged Scholarship, Social Innovation and the Knowledge Economy,” Naomi Nichols, McGill University and Alison I. Griffith, York University

“Anti-Discrimination Programs on U.S. Campuses,” Wendy Simonds and Rachael McCrosky, Georgia State University


“Unionization, Precarity, and Equality for All: Connecting the Movement to Organize Academic Workers with Other Political Struggles,” Hillary Lazar, University of Pittsburgh

Session 8: PAPERS IN THE ROUND: Ongoing Debates and New Frontiers in Life Course Research

Room: Outremont

Sponsor: Youth, Aging, and the Life Course

Organizers: Kaitlyn Barnes Langendoerfer, Case Western Reserve University
Casey L. Albitz, Case Western Reserve University

Roundtable #1 Title: Life Course Transitions

Presider: Perri S. Leviss, University of Massachusetts Boston

Papers:

“Does Order Matter?: Role Sequencing and Resource Availability,” Pamela Braboy Jackson, Jasmine Davis, Muna Adem and Anna Russian, Indiana University Bloomington

“Emerging Adult Capabilities: The Role of Social Agency in the Pathway(s) to Adulthood for Low-Income Emerging Adults and Emerging Adults of Color in Rhode Island,” Perri S. Leviss, University of Massachusetts Boston

“Family, Education, and Tolerance: Does Parents’ Education Have an Effect on Opinions About Homosexuality?” Michael Branch, Syracuse University

“An Examination of the Life Histories of Serious Offenders: Accumulating Disadvantage,” Tamara A. Humphrey and Erin Gibbs Van Brunscht, University of Calgary

Roundtable #2 Title: Aging and Well-Being

Presider: Jennifer Karas Montez, Syracuse University

Papers:

“Contextualizing the Social Determinants of Health: Educational Disparities in Disability across U.S. States,” Jennifer Karas Montez, Syracuse University, Anna Zajacova, Western University and Mark D. Hayward, University of Texas at Austin

“His Service, Her Service: Do Own and Spouse’s Military Service Affect Variation in Overweight and Obesity?” Theresa A. Yera and Andrew S. London, Syracuse University

“Reconciling the Insights of Gender Order and Sex Role Theories in Explanations of Gendered Mental Health Outcomes,” Margaret McGladrey and Robyn L. Brown, University of Kentucky


“Falling through the Cracks: How Older Women Negotiate their Movement through Homelessness,” Judith G. Gonyea, Boston University and Kelly Melekis, Skidmore College

THEMATIC Session 9: Environmental Racism: Power, Resistance, Transformation

Room: St-Lambert

Sponsors: Environment and Technology
Racial and Ethnic Minorities

Organizer, Jedi & Discussant: Daina Cheyenne Harvey, College of the Holy Cross

Papers:

“Beyond Price: Farmers’ Livelihood Opportunities and the Political Economy of Avocados,” Angela Serrano, University of Wisconsin-Madison

“Overrepresentation in Hazardous Zones: How Many Native Americans Live near EPA Listed Facilities?” Robin Renée Robinson, The Graduate Center, CUNY

“Stratification in the Storm: Neighborhood Residential Segregation and Inequality in Outcomes of ‘Natural’ Disasters,” Brian Louis Levy and Akram Al-Turk, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

“Toxic Colonialism: Transnational Resistance to Environmental Destruction from Grassy Narrows to Minamata,” Devin Clancy, York University
Friday, August 11, 8:30am

**THEMATIC**

**Session 10:** Narratives of Power and Differential Social Control  
Room: St-Pierre

Sponsor: Sociology and Social Welfare

Organizer, Presider & Discussant: Caitlin A. Carey, University of Massachusetts Boston

Papers:


“Radical Social Welfare and Anti-Authoritarian Mutual Aid,” Joel P. Izlar, University of Georgia

“Using Narratives to Assess Success in Supportive Housing,” Miriam J. Landsman, University of Iowa

“The Path Less Traveled: Working Incrementally Toward a Positive Right to Housing,” Jason David Wright, University of Massachusetts Boston

10:30am – 12:10pm  Meetings

**Accessibility Committee, 2016-17**  
Room: Outremont

**Council of Division Chairpersons, 2016-17 & 2017-18**  
Room: Mont-Royal

10:30am – 12:10pm  Sessions

**Session 11:** Families and Poverty  
Room: Côte-St-Luc

Sponsors: Family  
Poverty, Class, and Inequality

Organizer & Presider: Michael D. Sousa, University of Denver College of Law

Papers:

“Engineering the Good Mother: A Case Study of Opportunity NYC,” Carolyn A. Fraker, University of Minnesota

“How Homeless Mothers Engage with Policy to Create Opportunities for Housing amidst Poverty and Segregation,” Alex Trillo, Saint Peter’s University, Giovani Burgos, Adelphi University and Michael Schwartz, Stony Brook University

“Using Geoffrey Ingham’s ‘The Nature of Money’ to Understand Poverty in the Modern Economy,” Karen Manges Douglas, Sam Houston State University and Gideon Sjoberg, University of Texas at Austin


“Bankruptcy, Social Status, and the Acceptability of Suicide,” Michael D. Sousa, University of Denver College of Law

10:30am – 12:10pm  Meetings

**Council of Division Chairpersons, 2016-17 & 2017-18**  
Room: Mont-Royal

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**Session 12:** Connecting Education and the Criminal Justice System I: Theory & Policy  
Room: Fontaine C

Sponsors: Crime and Juvenile Delinquency  
Educational Problems

Organizer & Presider: Annie L. Freitas, Tulane University

Papers:

“Cops on Campus: The Contextual Patterning of Police in Schools,” Rebecca Gleit, Stanford University

“Reforming Discipline Practices in Boston Public Schools: Preliminary Impacts of Chapter 222 and the BPS Code of Conduct,” Andrew R. King, University of Massachusetts Boston


10:30am – 12:10pm  Sessions

**Session 13:** Teaching Race and Ethnicity  
Room: Fundy

Sponsors: Racial and Ethnic Minorities  
Teaching Social Problems

Organizer, Presider & Discussant: Atiya Husain, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Papers:

“Innovating the Teach-In to Transform the Faculty: Findings from a #BlackLivesMatter Teach-In,” Xavier L. Guadalupe-Díaz, Lina Rincón and Virginia Rutter, Framingham State University


**Session 14:** CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Race, Struggle, and Sport  
Room: Hampstead

**Sponsor:** Sport, Leisure, and the Body

**Organizers:** Alicia C. Smith-Tran, Case Western Reserve University  
John D. Foster, University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff

**Presider:** Alicia C. Smith-Tran, Case Western Reserve University

**Description:**

The panelists for this Critical Dialogue session discuss how sports participants and athletic institutions both perpetuate and challenge racial categories. Panelists will explore these processes in a variety of sports contexts, including cricket and hockey in Canada, the Ultimate Fighting Championship (UFC), and the Olympics. Taken together, these examples argue that 1) race is a flexible, historically contingent system of power that exists at all levels of sports, 2) athletes and other sports-based actors can successfully contest racial inequality and privilege, and 3) a variety of theoretical and methodological approaches are necessary for researchers to capture the complex ways that race is articulated and experienced through sport.

**Papers:**

“Black Cultural Politics and Sport,” Ben H. Carrington, University of Texas at Austin  
“Race, Diaspora, and Ethnicity: Stories of Resistance from the (Cricket) Field,” Janelle B. Joseph, University of Toronto  
“Race, Struggle, and the Ultimate Fighting Championship,” Adam Szetela, Berklee College of Music  
“South Asians, Hockey, and Multiculturalism in Canada,” Courtney Szto, Simon Fraser University

**Session 15:** Suburbs and Society  
Room: Jacques-Cartier

**Sponsor:** Community Research and Development

**Organizer:** Alan V. Grigsby, University of Cincinnati

**Presider:** Jeanne E. Kimpel, Hofstra University

**Papers:**

“Suburban Anomie: Narratives of Hopelessness in the Shifting Social Landscape of the Suburbs,” Miriam Boeri, Bentley University  
“New Community Spaces in New Cassel: Outcomes and Assessments,” Jeanne E. Kimpel and Chris Nietd, Hofstra University

**Session 16:** CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Sexuality, Gender, and Reproduction  
Room: Lachine

**Sponsor:** Program Committee

**Organizer:** Amir B. Marvasti, Penn State Altoona

**Presider:** Apoorva Ghosh, University of California, Irvine

**Papers:**

“The Problem with Square Pegs: Sexual Orientation Concordance as Predictor of Depressive Symptoms,” Zoe Caplan, Indiana University Bloomington  
“This Survey Did Not Define it as Sexual Intercourse’: Non-Heterosexual Women’s Participation in Demographic Surveys,” Jamie Louise Budnick, University of Michigan  
“Engineering Masculinity: Gendered STEM Culture in the US and South Korea,” Yun Kyung Cho, University of Wisconsin-Madison  

**Session 17:** Narratives of Autism  
Room: Lasalle

**Sponsors:** Disability Health, Health Policy, and Health Services Society and Mental Health

**Organizers:** Alexis A. Bender, Emory University  
Brian R. Grossman, University of Illinois at Chicago

**Presider:** Brian R. Grossman, University of Illinois at Chicago

**Papers:**

“Growth in Context: The Use of a Disability Framing to Account for the Development of Adults with Autism,” Benjamin DiCicco-Bloom, Hamilton College
"Narratives of Emergence: Coming to Autism in Mid to Late Adulthood,” Kate Jenkins, Winona State University

"Narratives of Structural Inequalities: Alternative Caregiver Voices Navigating Autism Services,” Jennifer Singh, Georgia Tech

"Perceiving and Treating Autistic Bodies: The Construction of Dis-Embodied Knowledge within the Alternative Biomedical Movement,” Catherine D. Tan, Brandeis University

"The 'Western Disease': Epistemic Contestations over Autism in the Somali Diaspora,” Claire Decoteau, University of Illinois at Chicago

**Session 18:** Subversive Bodies: Activism and Activist Research Room: Longueuil

**Sponsors:** Conflict, Social Action, and Change Institutional Ethnography

**Organizer, Facilitator & Discussant:** Chris Wakefield, University of Nevada

**Papers:**

"(Bringing) Women and LGBTQ persons (Back) in Black Resistance,” Chaniqua D. Simpson, North Carolina State University

"Collaborative Community Determinations: Centring Sex Worker (Re)definitions of Research in Victoria, BC,” Rachelle McKay, McMaster University and Claire Stewart-Kanigan, University of Victoria


"Prison Gang Formation as Collective Action,” Brittany Friedman, Northwestern University

**Session 19:** PAPERS IN THE ROUND: Drinking and Drugs Room: Outremont

**Sponsor:** Drinking and Drugs

**Organizer:** Ellen Benoit, National Development and Research Institutes, Inc.

**Roundtable #1 Title:** Papers in the Round: Drinking and Drugs

**Discussant:** Ellen Benoit, National Development and Research Institutes, Inc.

**Papers:**

"Prevalence of Polydrug Use, STIs and HSV-2 in Young Mexican American Women from a Disadvantaged Community,” Alice Cepeda, Jessica Frankeberger, Esmeralda Ramirez and Avelardo Valdez, University of Southern California

"Sexual Assault Victimization and Substance Use: An Analysis Using General Strain Theory,” Corey Pomykacz and Jason Ford, University of Central Florida

"What Happens When Parental Hype Goes Viral? An Analysis of Advice Columns, Parenting Blogs, Facebook Pages, and Public Responses to Underage Alcohol and Other Drug Use,” Duane R. Neff, Winthrop University

**SPECIAL Session 20:** PAPERS IN THE ROUND: Undergraduate Research Room: Outremont

**Sponsor:** Program Committee

**Organizers:** Chris Wellin, Illinois State University Janelle M. Pham, University of California Santa Barbara

**Roundtable #1 Title:** Advanced Undergraduate Research

**Presider & Discussant:** Chris Wellin, Illinois State University

**Papers:**

"Case Study Exploring Second-Generation Somali Adolescents’ Academic Success;” Isaac D. Doppenberg, Northwestern University

"Knowledge of Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Among Undergraduate Students Entering First Responder Careers,” Chastity L. Blankenship, Rachel Wallace and Andrew Bethiaume, Florida Southern College

"Models of Education: The Banking Model and Proposed Alternatives,” Kamie M. Schladenhauffen, Illinois State University

"Transgressing Species: Embodied Experiences of Persons Who do Not Identify as Entirely Human,” Jasmine L. Suryawan, University of Colorado Boulder
Session 21: Research Methods in the Study of Social Problems  
Room: Pointe-aux-Trembles

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizer & Presider: Amir B. Marvasti, Penn State Altoona

Papers:

“Research Topics in Leading Sociology Journals, 1960-2010: Societal Influence or Discipline Interest?” Robert Perrucci, Carolyn Cummings Perrucci and Mangala Subramaniam, Purdue University

“Accounting for College Fights: An Exploration of Student Excuses, Justifications and Nonintervention,” Karen G. Weiss, West Virginia University

“Ethnographic Reflexivity: The Contribution of Comparison and Ethical Issues of Social Justice,” Robert J. Duran, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

“Action-Rhetoric Sequences and Unexpected Failure Among Political Windbags,” Jedediah Q. Schlumperdinck, Cornell University

THEMATIC Session 22: Global Environmental Justice: Stories of Power and Resistance  
Room: St-Lambert

Sponsors: Environment and Technology Global

Organizer & Presider: Ian Robert Carrillo, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Papers:

“Make America Great Again (in Mexico)?: How White Expatriates Recreate the Racial Order,” Devon R. Goss, University of Connecticut

“Navigating School–Work Transitions: A Canadian Study about the Children of Immigrants,” Awish Aslam, University of Western Ontario

“New Medium, New Messages, New Immigrants?: Depictions of Immigrants on Netflix,” Katherine Abbott, University of New Hampshire

“Religion, Race and West African Immigrant Youth,” Dialika Sall, Columbia University

Session 24: Critical Studies of Social Control  
Room: Verdun

Sponsors: Law and Society Social Problems Theory

Organizer & Presider: Jared Del Rosso, University of Denver

Papers:

“Making ‘Model Citizens’: The Valorization of Junior Police as Social Control,” Mai Thai, Indiana University-Bloomington

“We are Breeding ‘Bulls’ for a Fight: An Ethnographic Examination of Correctional Officer Training and Use of Force,” Amy Lynn Klassen, University of Toronto

“Narratives of Reclamation: Police Constructions of Body Worn Cameras,” Ashley K. Farmer, Illinois State University

“In Search of The Reasonable Officer: Is It Time to Abandon the Objective Reasonableness Standard in Excessive Force Cases?” Peter A. Hanink, University of California, Irvine

“Global Anti-Police Terrorism: Exploring the Conditions of Perpetual War,” Mathieu Deflem, University of South Carolina, Derek M.D. Silva, King’s University College at Western and Anna Sheree Rogers, University of South Carolina
Friday, August 11, 10:30am

10:30am – 2:10pm  Meeting
Editorial and Publications Committee 2016-17 & 2017-18
Room: Frontenac

12:30pm – 2:10pm  Meetings
Nominations Committee, 2016-17 (Closed Meeting)
Location: Le Bisco-Hotel Restaurant
Program Chair(s), 2016-17 & 2017-18 (Closed Meeting)
Location: Le Bisco-Hotel Restaurant

12:30pm – 2:10pm  Divisional Meetings
(Open to SSSP Members)
Community Research and Development
Room: Outremont
Disability
Room: Outremont
Drinking and Drugs
Room: Outremont
Educational Problems
Room: Outremont
Labor Studies
Room: Outremont
Racial and Ethnic Minorities
Room: Outremont
Social Problems Theory
Room: Outremont
Sociology and Social Welfare
Room: Outremont
Teaching Social Problems
Room: Outremont

12:30pm – 2:10pm  Sessions
Session 25:  Institutional Ethnography and International Organizations
Room: Côte-St-Luc
Sponsors:  Global Institutional Ethnography
Organizer & Presider:  Naomi Nichols, McGill University
Papers:
“Institutional Ethnography in the Global South,” Henry Parada, Ryerson University
“Mapping the Policy and Governing Relations of Sustainability Education in Taiwan,” Ying-Syuan (Elaine) Huang, McGill University
“Transnational NGOs as ‘Development Governance’: A Story from Kyrgyzstan,” Deborah Dergousoff, University of British Columbia
“What’s in a Declaration?: Indigenous Activism and the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples,” Lauren Eastwood, Celestine Alfonso and Megan Humiston, SUNY College at Plattsburgh

Session 26:  Connecting Education and the Criminal Justice System II: Narratives & Practice
Room: Fontaine C
Sponsors:  Crime and Juvenile Delinquency Educational Problems
Organizer, Presider & Discussant:  Annie L. Freitas, Tulane University
Papers:
“Dialogues of the War on Drugs: Towards Restorative Racial Justice,” Vanessa Lynn, Stony Brook University
“Locating Youth Narratives: Going Beyond ‘Making Good Choices’,” Sanna King, University of Hawai‘i, Mānoa
“Transformation Behind Bars: Collaborative Multidisciplinary Art,” Annie Buckley, California State University, San Bernardino

Session 27:  Sexuality, Gender, and the Law
Room: Fundy
Sponsors:  Law and Society Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities
Organizer, Presider & Discussant:  Lloyd Klein, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY
Papers:
“Maternal Violence in an Age of Precarity,” Clara S. Lewis, Stanford University
“Organizing Around Non-Offense: A Qualitative Study of a Pedophile Support Group,” Chris Wakefield, University of Nevada
“Playing the Rape Card: Conversations About Sexual Assault on Social Media,” Francine Banner, University of Michigan-Dearborn
**Session 28:** The Academic Job Market  
Room: Hampstead

**Sponsor:** Program Committee  
**Organizer & Presider:** Héctor L. Delgado, University of La Verne

**Description:**

This session is designed to provide participants with ideas on how to improve their chances of finding a position. Panelists with experience (some of it very recent) looking and hiring for positions will kick off the discussion, but ample opportunity will be given to participants to share their own experiences and ask questions.

The sooner in their graduate careers that individuals begin thinking about going on the market, the better it is, since there are things that they can do in graduate school to improve their prospects. So, this session is for Society members currently looking for a position, but also for anyone who plans to be on the market in the next three-four years -- and for anyone who feels that s/he has useful information to share with others about her/his own experiences.

**Panelists:**  
Héctor L. Delgado, University of La Verne  
Kristen M. Budd, Miami University  
Adriana Leela Bohm, Delaware County Community College  
James A. Holstein, Marquette University

**THEMATIC Session 29:** Storytelling as an Act of Resistance  
Room: Jacques-Cartier

**Sponsor:** Program Committee  
**Organizer & Presider:** Hsiao-Chuan Hsia, Shih Hsin University, Taiwan

**Papers:**

- “Beyond the Wall: Transforming the Jewish-American Political Consciousness through Palestinian Narratives,” Emily M. Schneider, University of California, Santa Barbara
- “Deconstructing Care from Below: Storytelling as Resistance to the Ruling Relations of Long Term Care in Taiwan,” Frank T.Y. Wang, National Chengchi University, Taiwan
- “The Collective Storytelling as Methods of Reflection and Strengthening of Marriage Migrants’ Resistance in Taiwan,” Hsiao-Chuan Hsia, Shih Hsin University, Taiwan

**Session 30:** CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Resistance Narratives and Scholar Activism  
Room: Lachine

**Sponsor:** Environment and Technology  
**Organizer & Presider:** Erin E. Robinson, Canisius College

**Papers:**

- “Interviews as Interaction: Peer-Interviews in Participatory Action Research,” Abby I. Templer Rodrigues, University of Massachusetts Amherst, Winner of the Community Research and Development Division’s Student Paper Competition
- “Knowing Your Place? An Examination of How Scholar-Activists Align with Different Groups in an EJ Community,” Victor W. Perez, University of Delaware
- “Marine Justice & Embedded Seascapes: Coastal Resistance to Offshore Oil Drilling,” Patricia Widener, Florida Atlantic University

**Session 31:** Workshop on Publishing in Health Journals  
Room: Lasalle

**Sponsors:** Health, Health Policy, and Health Services  
Society and Mental Health

**Organizer, Facilitator & Discussant:** Teresa L. Scheid, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

**Description:**

This will be a panel presentation with leading scholars and editors providing insights on how to publish health related research. The panelists include Allan V. Horwitz (leading mental health scholar), Stefan Timmermans (current Sociology Editor for Social Science and Medicine), and Deborah Carr (leading author and current editor, Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences).

**Panelists:**  
Allan V. Horwitz, Rutgers University  
Stefan Timmermans, University of California, Los Angeles  
Deborah Carr, Rutgers University
THEMATIC Session 32: Research that Challenges Dominant Stories
Room: Longueuil
Sponsor: Conflict, Social Action, and Change
Organizer & Presider: Ezra J. Temko, University of New Hampshire
Discussant: Katherine Abbott, University of New Hampshire
Papers:
"Training Police: Alternatives to Violent Force," Juliette Roddy, Paul Draus and Donald Shelton, University of Michigan-Dearborn
"Narratives from the Field: Central Appalachia Speaks," Rachel S. Steele and Misti Jeffers, Brandeis University
"The Devil Made Him Do It: Examining Male Criminality Through the Lens of General Strain Theory and the Gender Role Strain Paradigm," Amanda L.C. Fontaine, University of New Hampshire
"Riots as Civil Resistance: Rethinking the Dynamics of 'Nonviolent' Struggle," Benjamin Steinhardt Case, University of Pittsburgh

THEMATIC Session 33: Resistance to Inequality I
Room: Pointe-aux-Trembles
Sponsor: Poverty, Class, and Inequality
Organizer, Presider & Discussant: E. Brooke Kelly, University of North Carolina at Pembroke
Papers:
"Beyond the 'Usual Suspects': Reimagining Democracy with Participatory Budgeting in Chicago," Madeleine Pape and Chaeyoon Lim, University of Wisconsin-Madison
"Explaining Community Meetings and Their Shortcomings in a Disadvantaged Black Neighborhood," Francisco Vieyra, Washington University in St. Louis
"Coming Out of the Shell: Conquering Fear, Vulnerability, and Despair through Family-Focused Community Organizing," Jennifer E. Cossyleon, Loyola University Chicago
"The Impact of Service Learning Projects on Community Development and Social Justice," Helen Rosenberg, University of Wisconsin-Parkside and Anne Statham, University of Southern Indiana

Session 34: Gender and Empowerment
Room: St-Lambert
Sponsor: Program Committee
Organizer, Presider & Discussant: Linda M. Waldron, Christopher Newport University
Papers:
"Restorying Resistance: The Use of True Stories in Feminist Self-defence Teaching in Aotearoa/New Zealand," Bell A. Murphy, University of Otago
"Variation in Firm Characteristics of Women-Owned Businesses in the U.S.,” Stephanie A. Pullés, University of California, Irvine
"Fantasy Sports' Popularity and Their Impact on the Real Game, Sports Knowledge, Interest, Consumption, and Fanship: An Exploration of Gender Similarities and Differences,” Rebecca J. Kissane, Lafayette College and Sarah Winslow, Clemson University

THEMATIC Session 35: Immigrant Identity and Immigration Law
Room: St-Pierre
Sponsor: Program Committee
Organizer & Presider: Karyn McKinney Marvasti, Penn State Altoona
Papers:
"A Seat at the Table for Whom? The Embeddedness of Intersectionality in South Asian American Political Organizing,” Sheena Sood, Temple University
"Halo-Halo: The Effects of Legal Status on Ethnic Identity Formation in Filipino Immigrant Young Adults,” Daniela Pila, University at Albany, SUNY
"Reframing the Perfect DREAMer: The Emotional Narratives of the Immigrant Rights Movement,” Girsea Martinez, University of South Florida
"System Embeddedness: How Immigrants Perceive the Risk of Immigration Law and Enforcement,” Asad L. Asad, Harvard University
Friday, August 11, 12:30pm

**Session 36: Youth and Health**  
Room: Verdun

**Sponsors:**  
Sport, Leisure, and the Body  
Youth, Aging, and the Life Course

**Organizer, Presider & Discussant:** Margaret McGladrey, University of Kentucky

**Papers:**
- “Uneven Anxiety Experience and Diagnosis among Adolescents: A Longitudinal Study,” Jennifer Esala, The Center for Victims of Torture; Jennifer Vanderminden, University of North Carolina at Wilmington
- “High School Sport Participation and Depression in Young Adulthood,” Kaitlin A. Pericak and Kathryn Nowotny, University of Miami
- “Maternal Obesity and Child Peer Victimization: Intergenerational Impact of Weight Stigma in the United States,” Rong Fu, Siena College; Miao Li, University of Notre Dame; Hong Xue and Youfa Wang, Ball State University
- “Youth and Cyber-Risk in Canada: Enticements and Risks in Cyberspace - ’Kind of Cool to Watch’,” Michael Adorjan, University of Calgary; Rose Ricciardelli, Memorial University of Newfoundland

2:30pm – 4:10pm  
**Meetings**

- Council of Division Chairpersons, 2016-17, Room: Mont-Royal
- Graduate Student Meeting with Student Board Representatives, Room: Frontenac
- Open Discussion of Proposed Resolutions to the Board of Directors, Room: Mont-Royal
- Transnational Initiatives Committee, 2016-17, Room: Outremont

2:30pm – 4:10pm  
**Sessions**

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**Session 37:**  
Power, Resistance and Transformation In and With Institutions  
Room: Côte-St-Luc

**Sponsors:**  
Institutional Ethnography  
Sociology and Social Welfare

**Organizer, Presider & Discussant:** Lauren Eastwood, SUNY College at Plattsburgh

**Papers:**
- “Changing Risk While Changing Structures: The Potential of a University-Based HIV Prevention Intervention,” Samira Ali, University of Houston; Roberta M. Leal, University of Houston; Clear Lake; Maria I. Wilson and Luis Torres, University of Houston
- “Doing Quality Work: Preliminary Data Analysis of an Institutional Ethnography of Nurse’s Work of Quality,” Sophie Pomel, Université d’Ottawa
- “Precarity and Resistance in the Situation of Long-Term Unemployment: Findings from a Multi-Level Collaborative Ethnographic Study in the United States and Canada,” Rebecca M. Aldrich, Saint Louis University; Debbie Laliberte Rudman, University of Western Ontario
- “Privatizing Energy,” Mary Ellen Dunn, University of Toronto

**Session 38:**  
An Examination of Inequality and Social Problems in Sport, Leisure, and Education  
Room: Fontaine C

**Sponsors:**  
Crime and Juvenile Delinquency  
Sport, Leisure, and the Body

**Organizer:** Courtney A. Waid-Lindberg, Northern State University

**Presider:** Adam Szetela, Berklee College of Music

**Description:**
This session contains papers that engage broad theoretical orientations and varied methodological approaches to the examination of social inequality, social problems, and crime/deviance occurring in sport and leisure participation as well as educational engagement.

**Papers:**
- “Inequality and Exploitation in the Ultimate Fighting Championship,” Adam Szetela, Berklee College of Music
- “Investigating Productivity Anxiety through the Cultural Status of Television,” Abigail M. Letak, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- “Is Sociology Too WEIRD? Observations from the Gambling/Gaming Discipline,” Shekinah Hoffman, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
- “The Importance of Capital in Veterans’ Use of Educational Benefits,” Lisa A. Leitz, Chapman University
- “College Internships and the Pathway to (In)Equality: A Study of First-Generation College Student’s Well-being During Internship Placements,” Christian Rafael Suero, George Mason University

**Session 39:**  
Sexuality, Gender, and the Law II  
Room: Fundy

**Sponsors:**  
Law and Society  
Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities

**Organizer & Presider:** Lloyd Klein, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY
Friday, August 11, 2:30pm

**Papers:**

“Medicalized Citizenship: Transgender Rights Claims in Employment Discrimination Court Decisions,” Kyla Bender-Baird, The Graduate Center, CUNY, Winner of the Law and Society Division’s Student Paper Competition

“Black & LGBT: Identity Salience and Perception of Same-Sex Marriage,” Jess Lee, University of California, Irvine

“How Sexuality Knowledge Shapes LGBTQ Sociopolitical Life: The Case of Expert Evidence in Obergefell,” Jamie Louise Budnick, University of Michigan

“An Exploration of Sexual Victimization in Non-Heterosexual College Men,” Colleen M. Ray and Kimberly Tyler, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

“LGBTQ Prison Policy and Violent Victimization by Prison Staff,” Braxton Jones, Boston University

**Session 40: CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Presidential Reflections: SSSP Presidents Discuss the Meaning and Purposes of SSSP in the Current Political Era**

Room: Hampstead

**Sponsor:** Program Committee

**Organizer & Presider:** Donileen R. Loseke, University of South Florida

**Panelists:**

Stephen J. Pfohl, Boston College, SSSP President 1991-1992
Claire M. Renzetti, University of Kentucky, SSSP President 2005-2006
Nancy A. Naples, University of Connecticut, SSSP President 2007-2008
A. Javier Treviño, Wheaton College, SSSP President 2010-2011
R.A. Dello Buono, Manhattan College, SSSP President 2012-2013
Marlese Durr, Wright State University, SSSP President 2014-2015

**THEMATIC Session 41: Storytelling as a Path toward Social Change**

Room: Jacques-Cartier

**Sponsor:** Program Committee

**Organizer, Presider & Discussant:** Jessica Sperling, Duke University

**Description:**

This session highlights narrative as a means toward social change. We will explore the varying ways in which the dissemination of narratives on key social issues can contribute to individual and societal change in perspective and behavior.

**Papers:**

“Storytelling in Advocacy: Negotiating Economic and Relational Value for the Advocate, Storyteller and Audience,” Tania E. DoCarmo, Jessica Callahan, Francesca Polletta and Kelly Ward, University of California, Irvine

“The Bible, Religious Storytelling and Revolution: The Case of Solentiname, Nicaragua,” Jean-Pierre Reed, Southern Illinois University

“Fitting Stories: Homeless Outreach Workers’ Strategies for Providing Housing,” Curtis Smith and Leon Anderson, Utah State University

“How Do We Know?: Understanding Media Impact through a Practitioner Lens,” Ellen Schneider, Active Voice Lab and Jessica Sperling, Duke University

**THEMATIC Session 42: CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Self-Care and Therapeutic Use of Drugs**

Room: Lachine

**Sponsor:** Drinking and Drugs

**Organizer:** Dina Perrone, California State University

**Presider:** Andrew Golub, National Development and Research Institutes, Inc.

**Papers:**

“Parental Segregation, Marijuana Legalization, and Concerns over the Social Mobility of Children,” Burrel J. Vann, University of California, Irvine

“Drugs, Homeless Youth, and Surviving Street Life: A New Narrative,” Elizabeth Joniak-Grant, National Coalition of Independent Scholars

“The Experiences of Opiate Use Transitions Among Residentially Instable Adults Utilizing Harm Reduction Services in Skid Row, Los Angeles,” Tasha Perdue, Julie A. Cederbaum and Alice Cepeda, University of Southern California

“Cannabis as a Harm Reduction Strategy: Progression Paths in Drug Trajectories,” Miriam Boeri, Bentley University
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Session 43: Writing the Refugee Narrative: Who Gets to Tell Their Story?
Room: Lasalle

Sponsor: Racial and Ethnic Minorities

Organizer & Presider: Steve Garner, Birmingham City University, UK

Papers:

“Framing Refugees: Comparative Discourse Analysis of Media Rhetoric about Syrian Refugees in the U.S. and Canada,” Ana Litviniuc and Pallavi Banerjee, University of Calgary

“How Refugees and Citizens Co-Construct Displacement: An Ethnography of Zatari Refugee Camp in Jordan,” Rawan M. Arar, University of California, San Diego

“The European Refugee Crisis and the Myth of the Immigrant Rapist,” Caitlin P. Carroll, University of Texas at Austin

“The Violence of Self-Disclosure: Unaccompanied Minors’ and the Process of Accessing Legal Resources,” Kati V. Barahona-Lopez, University of California, Santa Cruz

Session 44: Environmental Health, Mobilization, and Justice
Room: Longueuil

Sponsors: Conflict, Social Action, and Change Environment and Technology Health, Health Policy, and Health Services

Organizer: Marko Salvaggio, Goucher College

Presider: Nicholas Baxter, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Papers:

“The Bhopal Disaster: A ‘Normal Accident’ in the World-System,” Nikhilendu Deb and R. Scott Frey, University of Tennessee, Knoxville


“Clean-up Not Cover-up: Negotiation, Resistance, and Collective Action in a Landfill Town,” Karolina Staros, Western Michigan University

“Environmentalism at a Crossroads: Critical Scholarship, Justice, and Transformation,” Elisabeth Wilder, Northeastern University

Session 45: Open Discussion of Resolutions Being Proposed to the Board of Directors
Room: Mont-Royal

Sponsor: Council of Division Chairpersons

Organizer & Presider: Valerie Leiter, Simmons College

Description:

Plan to attend the open forum of discussion where resolutions will be presented among concerned members. Each proposed resolution will be presented by the person who created the resolution (or designated representative) and the sponsoring Division’s Chairperson and adequate time for discussion will be properly allotted. All Division Chairs should plan to participate in this session or designate a proxy from their division if unable to attend.

At the Annual Business Meeting, the resolutions will be presented (including any modifications or revisions) by Vice President Valerie Leiter as a package for approval for action by the attending membership. The membership will vote on proposed resolutions that were discussed and revised on the first day of the meeting. If objections from the floor are raised to any specific resolution at the SSSP Business Meeting, that resolution can, by majority vote of those present, be separated from the package, and voted on separately. Those present can either vote to support the resolution as proposed or decide to table the resolution for further discussion at the subsequent year’s annual meeting.

Session 46: PAPERS IN THE ROUND: Communities and Neighborhoods in Poverty
Room: Outremont

Sponsor: Community Research and Development

Organizer: Ranita Ray, University of Nevada

Roundtable #1 Title: PAPERS IN THE ROUND: Communities and Neighborhoods in Poverty

Presider: Rachel L. Rayburn, Indiana University Purdue University - Fort Wayne

Papers:

“Do Perceptions of Neighborhood Safety, Social Cohesion, and Infrastructural Quality Among Former Public-Housing Residents and Current Residents of a Historically-Black Community Affect Residents’ Physical and Mental Health Status?” Harvey Nicholson and Amy Melissa Donley, University of Central Florida
“Exploring Community Stress and Empowerment among Stakeholders and Youth in an Urban Community,” Brad Forenza, Robert Reid, Pauline Garcia-Reid and Autumn Bermea, Montclair State University and David Thomas Lardier Jr., University of New Mexico


“Which Comes First: Crime or Homelessness?” Rachel L. Rayburn, Indiana University Purdue University - Fort Wayne

Papers in the Round: Communities and Neighborhoods in Poverty II

Presider: Melis S. Kural, University at Buffalo, SUNY

Papers:

“Activism under Fire: Insurgent Citizenship in Rio de Janeiro’s Conflict Zones,” Anjuli Nicole Fahlberg, Northeastern University

“Relational Resources: Poverty, Peer Support and Adolescent Wellbeing,” Jasmin Sandelson, Harvard University, Winner of the Youth, Aging, and the Life Course Division’s Student Paper Competition

“The Determinants of Housing Stability for Formally Homeless Veterans Participating in the HUD-VASH Program,” Kelly L. Patterson and Tom Nochajski, University at Buffalo, SUNY

“The Intersection of Urban Informal Economy and Urban Transformation: The Stories of Mussel Laborers in Turkish Context,” Melis S. Kural, University at Buffalo, SUNY

“Unsettled Lives in an Informal Settlement: Precarious Provisioning in Lima, Peru,” Kyle R. Woolley, Loyola University Chicago

Themeatic Session 47: Resistance to Inequality II

Room: Pointe-aux-Trembles

Sponsor: Poverty, Class, and Inequality

Organizer, Presider & Discussant: E. Brooke Kelly, University of North Carolina at Pembroke

Papers:

“Scaling Down to the Local to Go Global: Scale Shift and Political Opportunity in the Student Anti-Sweatshop Movement,” Matthew S. Williams, Loyola University Chicago

“A Race Against (White) Time: The Temporal Constraints of Whiteness for Youth,” Rahsaan H. Mahadeo, University of Minnesota Twin Cities

“Madea, Harambe & the Black Church: Resisting Racist Narratives Through Comedy and Online Culture,” Gwendolyn Purifoye, North Park University

Themeatic Session 48: Narratives of Globalization and Sociology

Room: St-Lambert

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizer & Presider: Amy Brainer, University of Michigan-Dearborn

Papers:

“Defining Diaspora, Refining Nationalism: Nation-Making and Constructing Diaspora on the Margins,” Jamella N. Gow, University of California, Santa Barbara

“Testing the Top Income Hypothesis in Extreme Unequal Societies: A Cross-National Analysis of USA and Mexico,” Esra Burak-Ho, Lingnan University, David Grusky, Stanford University and Juan Enrique Huerta-Wong, UPAEP


Session 49: Education in the Early Years

Room: St-Pierre

Sponsors: Educational Problems Family

Organizer: Shelley M. Kimelberg, University at Buffalo, SUNY

Presider & Discussant: Sarah Faude, Northeastern University

Papers:

“It Can be Scary . . . the External Impressions and Judgements: School Choice as Mothers’ Work in Homeschooling Families,” Mahala Dyer Stewart, University of Massachusetts Amherst

“How Culture of Poverty Ideas Influenced the Founding of Head Start,” Casey L. Stockstill, University of Wisconsin-Madison

“The ‘Unequal Childhoods’ of Chinese Middle-Class Parents and Their Children,” Lily Liang, University of Wisconsin-Madison

“Who Says You’re Involved? Racial Disparities and Instances of Parent/Teacher Mismatch in Reporting Parent Involvement,” Brent E. Hutchison, Indiana University
**Session 50:** New Work in Social Problems Theory  
Room: Verdun

**Sponsor:** Social Problems Theory

**Organizer, Presider & Discussant:** Joshua H. Stout, University of Delaware

**Papers:**


“Invasiveness, Endangerment, and Other Problems with Animal and Plant Species,” Joel Best, University of Delaware

“Rethinking Moral Panic for Digitally Mediated Social Worlds,” Sean P. Hier, University of Victoria

4:15pm – 6:15pm Meeting  
Board of Directors Meeting, 2016-17  
Room: Mont-Royal

4:30pm – 6:10pm Divisional Meetings  
(Open to SSSP Members)

**Conflict, Social Action, and Change**  
Room: Outremont

**Environment and Technology**  
Room: Outremont

**Family**  
Room: Outremont

**Health, Health Policy, and Health Services**  
Room: Outremont

**Institutional Ethnography**  
Room: Côte-St-Luc

**Poverty, Class, and Inequality**  
Room: Outremont

**Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities**  
Room: Outremont

**Society and Mental Health**  
Room: Outremont

4:30pm – 6:10pm Sessions

**Session 51:** Interactive and Critical Issues in Teaching and Learning  
Room: Fontaine C

**Sponsor:** Crime and Juvenile Delinquency

**Organizer, Presider & Discussant:** Arthur J. Jipson, University of Dayton

**Description:**

Research papers on critical and Interactive teaching and learning strategies.

**Papers:**

“We are Humans First”: Expanding Learning Outcomes in a Research Methods Course through an Experiential Learning Project on Homelessness,” Megan Welsh and Mounah Abdel-Samad, San Diego State University

“Arts in Prison: Restorative Power of Music,” Stephanie A. Henry, Lansing Correctional Facility, Kansas City


“School Inclusion and the Interplay of Structure and Agency,” Ezra J. Temko, University of New Hampshire

**Session 52:** Race, Ethnicity, and the Law  
Room: Fundy

**Sponsors:** Law and Society  
Racial and Ethnic Minorities

**Organizer & Presider:** Aaryn L. Green, University of Cincinnati

**Papers:**

“Marijuana Businesses: Opportunities, Challenges and Barriers for Minority Populations,” Miriam Boeri and Ángel Ortiz-Siberón, Bentley University

“Racialized Class Relations, Citizenship and Migrant Illegality,” Salvador L. Rangel, University of California, Santa Barbara

“The ‘Prison within a Prison’ as a Barrier to Freedom: The Health Impact of Racial Disparities in Solitary Confinement in Michigan Prisons,” Finn McLaugherty Bell, University of Michigan, Reuben Jonathan Miller, University of Chicago, Natalie Holbrook and Peter J. Martel, American Friends Service Committee and Qi Yang, University of Michigan

“The Repressive Impacts of Voter ID Policies on Racial and Ethnic Minorities,” Jennifer Darrah-Okike and Nathalie Rita, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa and John R. Logan, Brown University

“The Rules of (Dis)Engagement: Black Youth and their Strategies for Navigating Police Contact in NYC,” Brittany Fox-Williams, Columbia University, Winner of the Crime and Juvenile Delinquency Division’s Student Paper Competition
Session 53:  Navigating the Process of Publishing Books  
Room: Hampstead

Sponsor:  Social Problems Theory

Organizer & Presider:  David C. Lane, University of South Dakota

Panelists:
Carla Shedd, Columbia University
Ilene Kalish, New York University Press
Naomi Schneider, University of California Press
James A. Holstein, Marquette University
Joel Best, University of Delaware

Session 54:  Sociology of Emotions  
Room: Jacques-Cartier

Sponsor:  Program Committee

Organizer & Presider:  Sara L. Crawley, University of South Florida
Discussant:  Maggie Cobb, University of Tampa

Papers:
“Evaluating the Influence of Interspecies Psychological Distance on Perceived Risk,” Cameron T. Whitley, Michigan State University

“‘Your Girlfriend without the Negative Parts’: Negotiating Exchanges, Emotions, and Inequality in Sugar Arrangements,” Carmen Rowe, Boston University

“Symbolic Codes of Help: Examining Public Narratives of Adoption,” Carley Geiss, University of South Florida

Session 55:  CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Social Institutions and Social Structures  
Room: Lachine

Sponsor:  Program Committee

Organizer:  Amir B. Marvasti, Penn State Altoona
Presider:  Changling Cai, University of Massachusetts Amherst

Papers:


THEMATIC
Session 56:  Narratives of Interdependence  
Room: Lasalle

Sponsor:  Disability

Organizer, Presider & Discussant:  Kate Caldwell, University of Illinois at Chicago

Description:
One narrative that has become ingrained within the disability rights movement is that of independence. In part, in response to the persistent stigma of disability as a burden in our society. However, this rhetoric of independence does not necessarily allow space to discuss the realities of living with a disability, and can serve to reinforce ableist standards. Feminist Disability Studies scholars have begun to develop a theory of interdependence, which acknowledges more complex theories of care and social justice. This thematic session will feature papers that discuss the role that interdependence plays in disability from a theoretical perspective and/or perspectives applied to research and policy.

Papers:
“Looping’ Schizophrenia: Care, Embodiment, and the Ethics of Disability in Virginia Woolf’s ‘Mrs. Dalloway,’” Ajitpaul Singh Mangat, University at Buffalo, SUNY

“Narrative Constructions of Helen Keller: Where are we Now and Where do we go from Here?” Cheryl Najarian Souza, University of Massachusetts Lowell

“Stigma Management as Celebration: Disability, Diversity, and the Marketing of Difference,” Jacqueline Low, University of New Brunswick

“The Interdependent Brain: Narratives of Brain Injury, Self, and Society,” Jorie Hofstra, Rutgers University and Johannes Verstraete, Montclair State University
**THEMATIC Session 57:** Using Photos and other Visual Media in Community Research and Action  
Room: Longueuil

**Sponsors:** Community Research and Development  
Youth, Aging, and the Life Course

**Organizer:** Amanda Michelle Jones, University of Chicago

**Presider & Discussant:** A. Javier Treviño, Wheaton College

**Description:**
A collection of three participatory research projects using photographs and other methods of data collection (mapping, journaling, interviews). The session will end with a paper discussing the importance of visual and participatory methods in understanding people’s lives.

**Papers:**
- “Understanding Youth Experiences Using Photovoice,” Cynthia Puddu, MacEwan University and Candace I.J. Nykiforuk, University of Alberta
- “The Power of Collaborative Photography,” Andrea C. Klimt, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth
- “Seeing the Just and Inclusive City,” Jerome Krase, Brooklyn College, CUNY

**THEMATIC Session 58:** Motherhood and Work: Narratives in the Global Context  
Room: Pointe-aux-Trembles

**Sponsor:** Labor Studies

**Organizer & Presider:** Jackie Krasas, Leigh University

**Papers:**
- “Employment Behavior of Mothers with Preschool Children: Narratives from Kazakhstan,” Aimzhan Iztayeva, University of Minnesota
- “Silent Voices: ‘South Asian’ Mothers and Transition to High School,” Rashmee Karnad-Jani, OISE, University of Toronto
- “Income-Generating Strategies Among Women in one Detroit Neighborhood,” Jenny Lendrum, Wayne State University
- “Peer Breast Milk Sharing as Reproductive and Emotive Labor,” Shannon K. Carter and Beatriz M. Reyes-Foster, University of Central Florida

**THEMATIC Session 59:** Political Beliefs: Changes and Consequences  
Room: St-Lambert

**Sponsor:** Program Committee

**Organizer:** Amir B. Marvasti, Penn State Altoona

**Presider:** Alecia D. Anderson, University of Nebraska Omaha

**Papers:**
- “Trust and Political Attitudes of South Africans in the 21st Century,” Alecia D. Anderson and Jonathan B. Santo, University of Nebraska Omaha
- “We, the Undersigned: The Mechanisms Behind Petition Support,” Afife Idil Akin, Stony Brook University
- “Gun Owners’ Political Attitudes since the 1970s,” Jaesok Son, NORC at the University of Chicago
- “Race, Political Beliefs, and Charge Reductions: The Relationship Between Political Beliefs and Charge Reductions,” Jacob Church and Brennan Miller, Kent State University and Katrina R. Bloch, Kent State University at Stark
- “Whither the Lost Progressives? Collapse of the Family Farm, Alienation, and Conservatism in Rural America,” Thomas J. Burns, Joshua T. Davis, Gilbert Richard Wolford and Leslie A. Miller, University of Oklahoma

**Session 60:** Contemporary Educational Reform: Inequality, Experimentation, and Mobilization  
Room: St-Pierre

**Sponsors:** Educational Problems  
Sociology and Social Welfare

**Organizer & Presider:** Hava Rachel Gordon, University of Denver

**Papers:**
- “Choosing Late: Considering Late Registration in School Choice,” Kelley Fong, Harvard University and Sarah Faude, Northeastern University, Winner of the Educational Problems Division’s Student Paper Competition
- “Addressing Racial Inequalities in Schools through Culturally Relevant Pedagogy Training,” Melissa Archer, University of Delaware

“The Education Crisis: Unmaking Citizenship,” Erin Michaels, The Graduate Center, CUNY

“The Value of Value-Added: The Politics of Science in Educational Assessment,” Daniel Douglas, Rutgers University

**Session 61: CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Pedagogical Substance: Fresh Perspectives on Teaching Race, Class and Gender**

*Room: Verdun*

**Sponsor:** Teaching Social Problems

**Organizer:** Lynn H. Green, Cheyney University of Pennsylvania

**Presider:** To be Announced

**Description:**
As instructors we not only need to continue to improve our teaching techniques; we also need to keep up with subject matter relevant to our courses. This Critical Dialogue will enable those of you who teach in the areas of race, class and gender to pause, refresh, reflect and re-boot.

**Papers:**

“Wealth, Race, and Place: How Neighborhood Disadvantage from Adolescence to Middle Adulthood Affects Wealth Inequality and the Racial Wealth Gap at Age 50,” Brian Louis Levy, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Winner of the Poverty, Class, and Inequality Division’s Student Paper Competition

“Honoring Treaties and the Tribal Law and Order Act: Responsible Federal Data Collection on Crime and Justice in Indian Country,” Anne M. Luna-Gordinier, California State University, Sacramento and Eileen M. Luna-Firebaugh, University of Arizona

“Deliberative Policymaking? Race, Gender, and Diversifying Media Policy,” Jason A. Smith, George Mason University

“Advertising in Black and White: Constructing the Middle-Class in Ebony and Life Magazines in the 1960s,” Chelsi C. Florence, University of California, Davis


“The Relevance of Teaching Social Problems in a Diverse World,” Penny M. Harvey, Georgia State University, Winner of the Teaching Social Problems Division’s Student Paper Competition

6:30pm – 7:30pm    Reception

**Welcoming Reception (Open to SSSP Registrants)**

*Room: Salon Ville-Marie*

All meeting registrants are invited to the Welcoming Reception. This social hour provides opportunities to renew past acquaintances, chat with old friends, and find a newcomer to befriend. New members and first-time meeting attendees are particularly encouraged to attend.

10:00pm – 11:00pm    Reception

**Graduate Student Happy Hour (Open to SSSP Graduate Student Members)**

*Location: Le Kube-Hotel Bar*

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**Future Annual Meetings**

**August 10-12, 2018**
Sheraton Philadelphia Doubletree Hotel Philadelphia, PA

**August 9-11, 2019**
Roosevelt Hotel New York City, NY

**August 14-16, 2020**
Park Central Hotel San Francisco, CA
Saturday, August 12

New Member Breakfast
(Open to SSSP New Members and Invited Hosts)
Room: Salon Ville-Marie

Local Arrangements Committee, 2016-17 & 2017-18
Room: Frontenac

Session 62: Problematizing Bodies
Room: Côte-St-Luc

Sponsors: Social Problems Theory
Sport, Leisure, and the Body

Organizer, Presider & Discussant: David C. Lane, University of South Dakota

Papers:
“A Tilted Playing Field: Expertise and the Institutional Reproduction of Sex Difference,” Madeleine Pape, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Winner of the Sport, Leisure, and the Body Division’s Student Paper Competition

“Problematizing the Pregnant Body: Challenging Reproductive Choice through Surrogacy,” Anabel Stoekle, Wayne State University

“Subversive Scholarship or Anti-Intellectual Identity Politics? An Analysis of Media Frames of Fat Studies,” Ariane Prohaska and Cassidy D. Ellis, University of Alabama

“Techno-Physical Feminism, Wearable Technology, and Shifting Bodily Paradigms,” Renee M. Shelby, Georgia Institute of Technology

Session 63: Disability and Relationships
Room: Fontaine C

Sponsors: Disability
Family
Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities

Organizer & Presider: Jessica Penwell Barnett, Wright State University

Papers:

“Reproductive Citizenship. Experiences of Mothers with Disabilities in Russia,” Alfiya Battalova, University of Illinois at Chicago

“Caregivers and Critics: How Healthcare Knowledge Shapes the Social Networks of Older Adults Facing Neurocognitive Disorders,” William R. McConnell, Indiana University Bloomington

“Learning About the Lived Experiences of Women with Autism from an Online Community,” Jolynn L. Haney and Jennifer A. Cullen, Widener University

“Community Conflict within the Disability Community creating Social Change: Possibilities within Moments of Access Intimacy,” Ashley Volion, University of Illinois at Chicago

Session 64: Research Challenges and Dilemmas in Community-Based Participatory Research
Room: Fundy

Sponsors: Community Research and Development
Health, Health Policy, and Health Services

Organizer & Presider: Kristen A. Berg, Case Western Reserve University

Papers:
“Community Engagement: Problems of Agency vs Systemic Inequality,” Beth Frankel Merenstein, Central Connecticut State University

“Estimating Homelessness through Point-in-Time Studies: Opportunities and Challenges for Public Sociologists,” Arturo Baiocchi and Matthew Foy, California State University, Sacramento

“Participant Reflexivity in Community-Academic Partnerships: Findings from Two Community Based Participatory Research (CBPR) Projects in Central California,” Ethel Nicdao, University of the Pacific

“Reflecting on the Challenges of Rural Community-Based Participatory Research on Poverty,” Cynthia Needles Fletcher, Iowa State University

“Seeking Justice: How Community-Based Participatory Research May Empower Women and Promote Shared Governance in Rural Northwestern China,” Yiliang Zhu, University of New Mexico and KuoRay Mao, Colorado State University-Fort Collins

Session 65: Getting Published in Social Problems and the Student Editorial Board
Room: Hampstead

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizer & Presider: Pamela Anne Quiroz, University of Houston
Saturday, August 12, 8:30am

Description:

This session addresses the review and publishing process from the eyes of student participants and the editor. We will discuss the various aspects of the process from submission through decision, along with features of the journal like social media, translation, and promotion.

Panelists:

Pamela Anne Quiroz, University of Houston
Kasey Henricks, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Session 66: Workshop: Sharing Strategies on Being/Becoming a Scholar-Activist
Room: Jacques-Cartier

Sponsors: Conflict, Social Action, and Change
Labor Studies

Organizers: Jennifer Heineman, University of Nebraska Omaha
Noreen M. Sugrue, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Jessica Dianne Cook, DePaul University Labor Education Center

Presiders: Jackie Krasas, Leigh University
Noreen M. Sugrue, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Description:

The purpose of this session is to have an open dialogue centering on how to successfully navigate the scholar activist role.

Session 67: CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Higher Education in the 21st Century
Room: Lachine

Sponsors: Educational Problems
Teaching Social Problems

Organizer & Presider: A. Fiona Pearson, Central Connecticut State University

Papers:

“Campus-Based Sexual Assault Victim Advocates: Contested Meanings of Neutrality and Expertise,” Sarah Jane Brubaker, Virginia Commonwealth University

“(E)Valuating Knowledge and its Contemporary Challenges: the Case of San Francisco City College,” Malou Windeler, Free University of Berlin/University of British Columbia

“Mechanisms Driving Connections between College Advisers and High School Students,” Irina Chukhray, Houston Education Research Consortium, Rice University and Amanda Bancroft, Rice University

“Unveiling Perceptions Held by Community Residents of an Academic Institution in Their Midst,” Shawna L. Thomas-EL, Drexel University

“Persisting Through Life as a Result of My Urban Education: The Making of a Black Male Professor,” Omari Jackson, Morgan State University

“Who Climbs the Academic Ladder? Race and Gender in a World of Whiteness;” Jason A. Smith, George Mason University, Roberta Spalter-Roth and Jean Shin, American Sociological Association

“Navigating Whiteness: Examining Black and Chicana Women’s Experiences in Diverse Academic Spaces,” Allison Monterrosa, Jessica Christine Moronez, Lori Walkington and Julisa McCoy, University of California, Riverside

Session 68: Author Meets Critics: “Calling the Shots: Why Parents Reject Vaccines” by Jennifer A. Reich
Room: Lasalle

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizer: Sara L. Crawley, University of South Florida

Presider: Dana Berkowitz, Louisiana State University

Description:

Based on interviews with parents who fully reject vaccines as well as those who believe in “slow vax,” or altering the number of and time between vaccinations, the author provides a fascinating account of these parents’ points of view. Placing these stories in dialogue with those of pediatricians who see the devastation that can be caused by vaccine-preventable diseases and the policy makers who aim to create healthy communities, Calling the Shots offers a unique opportunity to understand the points of disagreement on what is best for children, communities, and public health, and the ways in which we can bridge these differences.

Critics:

Shannon K. Carter, University of Central Florida
Norah MacKendrick, Rutgers University
Anthony Hatch, Wesleyan University
Amy L. Best, George Mason University
Session 69: Evolving Narratives on Cannabis Use, Law and Policy  
Room: Longueuil

Sponsors: Drinking and Drugs  
Law and Society

Organizer, Presider & Discussant: Juliette Roddy, University of Michigan-Dearborn

Papers:
“Legalization: Lessons from Maine,” Wendy L. Chapkis, University of Southern Maine

“Marijuana Initiation and Use Patterns in Black Female College Undergraduates,” Aukje K. Lamonica and Marian Evans, Southern Connecticut State University

“The Marijuana Movement, Discourse, and Legalization,” Burrel J. Vann, University of California, Irvine

“Transitions into and out of Medical Marijuana Patient Status Among Young Adults,” Stephen Lankenau, Avat Kioumarsi, Megan Reed, Ekaterina Fedorova and Janna Ataiants, Drexel University

THEMATIC Session 70: Narratives, Accounts, and the Language of Ruling Relations  
Room: Mont-Royal

Sponsor: Institutional Ethnography

Organizer & Presider: Liza McCoy, University of Calgary

Papers:

“The Influence of Institutional Discourses on the Work of Informal Carers: An Institutional Ethnography from the Perspective of Informal Carers,” Guro Øygard, Nord University, Norway

“Opt Out or Push Out? Mothering and Identity in Taiwan and America,” Wen-hui Anna Tang, National Sun Yat-sen University

“Moving: Transformation of the Organization of Residential Relocation during the 20th Century,” Paul C. Luken, University of West Georgia and Suzanne Vaughan, Arizona State University

Session 71: Immigration and Mental Health  
Room: Pointe-aux-Trembles

Sponsors: Global  
Society and Mental Health

Organizer, Presider & Discussant: John Taylor, Florida State University

Papers:
“Children of Immigrants in the US: Identity Formation and Health,” Tamara van der Does, Indiana University and Muna Adem, Indiana University Bloomington

“How Are Immigrants Perceived When Americans Lose Social Capital?” Yoosun Chu and Jie Yang, Boston College

“International Students’ Post-Graduation Migration Plans and the Search for Home,” Cary Wu, University of British Columbia

“Voices of South Asian Immigrant Men: Gender, Culture, and Mental Health,” Praveena Lakshmanan and Marie Carmen Abney, Michigan State University

Session 72: Geography and Human Capital  
Room: St-Lambert

Sponsors: Environment and Technology  
Youth, Aging, and the Life Course

Organizer & Presider: Rebecca Wang, Syracuse University

Papers:
“Adoptees’ as a Reflection of U.S. White Adoptive Parents’ Racial and National Preferences,” Elisha Marr and Taek Been Nam, Calvin College

“Depressive Symptoms among Mexican and Caribbean Immigrants,” Ynesse Abdul-Malak, Syracuse University


“Spatial Discord: (Dis)Abling the City,” James D. Stevens, Syracuse University

THEMATIC
Session 73: Narratives of Poverty
Room: St-Pierre

Sponsor: Poverty, Class, and Inequality
Organizers: Gretchen Purser, Syracuse University
Jenny Lendrum, Wayne State University

Presider: Jenny Lendrum, Wayne State University

Papers:
“A Not-So ‘Radical’ Urban Political-Economic Narrative: Transforming Failed Conservative and Liberal Approaches to Poverty,” R.K. Piper and Theresa K. Barron-McKeaghy, University of Nebraska Omaha

“Creating ‘Troubled Families’ through Institutionally Generated Discourses of Family Homelessness,” Annette Tézli, University of Calgary

“Government-Nonprofit Relations: The Case of the War on Poverty’s Community Action Program,” Curt Yowell, University of Texas at Austin


“‘What You Really Were Looking For:’ Construction of Poverty and Welfare Narratives in Legislative Hearings,” Alissa Klein, University of South Florida

Session 74: CRITICAL DIALOGUE: The Future of Healthcare
Room: Verdun

Sponsor: Sociology and Social Welfare
Organizer & Presider: Frank Ridzi, Le Moyne College/Central New York Community Foundation

Papers:
“What Lessons Will Remain when Obamacare is Repealed?” Ethan J. Evans, University of California, Davis

“Institutional Power in Medical Field: Racial Prejudice, Social Inequality, and Emancipation of Power,” Natalee M. Briscoe, University of Alabama

“Going on the Offense While Playing Defense: Narratives of Hope and Resistance within the Single Payer Movement During the Time of Obama and Trump,” Lindy S. Hern, University of Hawai’i at Hilo

“The Relationship between Sleeping Location and Service Provider Contact among Homeless Youth in Atlanta, Georgia,” Kara Tsukerman, Georgia State University

“The ‘Good’ Kind of Cancer: Being Diagnosed with Early Stage or Curable Cancer,” Evelina W. Sterling and Linda A. Treiber, Kennesaw State University

SPECIAL
Session 75: Indigenous Peoples and Sociology:
Decolonization, Resistance and Revitalization
Room: Westmount

Sponsor: Racial and Ethnic Minorities
Organizer, Presider & Discussant: James Fenelon, California State University, San Bernardino

Description:
Indigenous and Allied Scholars present their observations on decolonization strategies, resistance to and revitalization from settler colonialism of dominant states in North America with a special focus on First Nations of Canada.

Papers:
“Settler Colonialism at 150: a snapshot,” Bonita Lawrence, York University

“Migwetch! Reconciliation beyond Selfies,” Jeffrey Denis, McMaster University

“Indigenous Knowledge, Women and Land,” Patricia D. McGuire, Carleton University, Ottawa

10:30am – 12:10pm Divisional Meetings
(Open to SSSP Members)

Crime and Juvenile Delinquency
Room: Outremont

Global
Room: Outremont

Law and Society
Room: Outremont

Sport, Leisure, and the Body
Room: Outremont
Session 76: Sexualities on the Edge
Room: Côte-St-Luc

Sponsor: Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities

Organizer & Presider: Kathleen A. Asbury, Community College of Philadelphia

Papers:

“Because I Was His Baby Girl: Teen Mothers, Teen Fathers, and the Policing of Youth and Sexuality,” Jennifer Beggs Weber, University of West Georgia


“Hate Crimes and Bias Incidents in the Ivory Tower: Results from a Large-Scale Campus Survey,” Walter S. DeKeseredy, James Nolan and Amanda Hall-Sanchez, West Virginia University

“Intersecting Invisibilities: Colorblind Racism and Heteropatriarchy in HIV Prevention Strategies for Black Lesbians,” Brittany Jean Taylor, Georgia State University

“Old Cowgirls Just Keep Riding: Sexuality and Gendered Perceptions in Women over 40,” Kathleen A. Asbury, Community College of Philadelphia

Session 77: Levels of Disability Narratives: From the Cultural to the Personal
Room: Fontaine C

Sponsor: Disability

Organizer & Presider: Sara Green, University of South Florida

Papers:


“Narratives of (Im)Mobility: Cross-State Moves Stories of Medicaid Home-Based Services Users,” Brian R. Grossman and Ashley Volion, University of Illinois at Chicago

“Deaf and Queer: The Narrative Trope of Coming Out & Finding One’s Deaf Identity,” Laura Mauldin, University of Connecticut

“Personal Narratives We Long to Tell: A Father’s Autoethnography of Coming to Terms with his Son’s Mental Illness Diagnosis,” Doug Engelman, University of South Florida

Session 78: Community Development and Local Food Systems
Room: Fundy

Sponsors: Community Research and Development Environment and Technology

Organizer, Presider & Discussant: Leslie Hossfeld, Mississippi State University

Papers:

“Lessons Learned from a Community Supported Agriculture Program Rooted in an Urban Appalachian Community,” Michelle Lee Kaiser, Jack Wheeler and Sarah Huber, The Ohio State University

“The Local Impact of an Urban Farm: Race, Place, and Class in a Postindustrial City,” Jared Strohl, University at Buffalo, SUNY


“The Town That Food Saved? Investigating the Promise of a Local Food Economy in Vermont,” Kathryn Olson, Boston College

Session 79: Cuba after Fidel: Progress and Challenges
Room: Hampstead

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizer: R.A. Dello Buono, Manhattan College

Presider: Rebecca Hensley, Southeastern Louisiana University and 2017 AHS President

Description:

This panel discusses the cumulative effects of socialist reforms in Cuba over recent years. It features an invited Cuban expert from the University of Havana along with three other sociologists whose work involves Cuba. The focus is on the progress and challenges arising from the substantial reforms in the revolutionary process that have been enacted during the Raul Castro administration. Reflections of the new political context in the post-Obama era will be exchanged. The panel will also feature an update on the upcoming Association for Humanist Sociology (AHS) conference in Havana (November, 2017), the first major US sociological association conference to take place in Cuba since 1959.

Panelists:

Elena Díaz, FLACSO-Cuba/University of Havana
R.A. Dello Buono, Manhattan College
Johnny E. Williams, Trinity College
Rebecca Hensley, Southeastern Louisiana University and 2017 AHS President
Saturday, August 12, 10:30am

**THEMATIC Session 80:** Changing the Narrative: Advocating for Quality Pedagogy in the Academy
Room: Jacques-Cartier

**Sponsors:** Conflict, Social Action, and Change Teaching Social Problems

**Organizer & Presider:** Jennifer Heineman, University of Nebraska Omaha

**Papers:**
- “Effectiveness of Team-Based Learning in a Research Methods Class: Preliminary Findings,” Aya Ida, Patricia Morris, Todd Migliaccio, Sandra De La Torre and Yusuke Tsukada, California State University, Sacramento
- “Leveling the Sociology Playing Field in Higher Education through Active Learning and Public Sociology Programs,” Kathleen Odell Korgen, William Paterson University and Elizabeth Lyman, Radford University
- “Mapping Change - Social Network Analysis in the Context of Institutional Reform Projects,” Jennifer E. Lewis and Maralee Mayberry, University of South Florida
- “Scholar Activism and the Struggle in the Street: Negotiating Contractions and Building Unity,” Britany J. Gatewood and Walda Katz-Fishman, Howard University, Jerome Scott, League of Revolutionaries for a New America and Anthony Jackson, Howard University

**THEMATIC Session 81:** CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Working with Narratives in Institutional Ethnographic Analysis
Room: Lachine

**Sponsor:** Institutional Ethnography

**Organizer:** Marie L. Campbell, University of Victoria

**Presiders:** Lauren Eastwood, SUNY College at Plattsburgh
Marie L. Campbell, University of Victoria

**Description:**
This year’s conference focuses on narrative (description) and its analytic possibilities. This Critical Dialogue session looks at the ways in which narrative is central to trustworthy social analysis and possible transformative action. The institutional ethnographic narrator produces accounts of the actualities of everyday world of informants encountered in ethnographic data-collection will guide subsequent IE inquiry. IE’s analytic goal is, typically, discovery of the social relations of ruling invisibly organizing the lives of ethnographic informants. This Critical Dialogue session invites presentations that help us understand and debate the challenges arising for a sociology (such as IE) in which narrative plays a key part in an analytic strategy.

**Papers:**
- “‘Nobody Knows Where It Goes’: Police Officer Narratives of Traffic Stop Data as an Entry Point for Understanding the Symbolic Value of Data in Policing,” Megan Welsh, San Diego State University
- “Examining Local Processes when Applying a Cumulative Impact Policy to Address Harms of Alcohol Outlet Density,” Daniel Grace, University of Toronto, Dalla Lana School of Public Health, Matt Egan and Karen Lock, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine
- “Making the Work Visible Together: Peer Interviewing as a Tool in IE,” Manda Ann Roddick, University of Victoria
- “The Use of a ‘Metrics Discourse’ in Cardiovascular Disease Prevention Policy in England: The ‘Prevalence Gap’ in Everyday Lives,” Caroline Morris, University of Leicester and Janet Rankin, University of Calgary in Qatar
- “Translating Social into Linguistic Problems: The Narrative of Multilingualism as a Hope of and Burden on Migration Societies,” Barbara Rothmüller, University of Luxembourg
- “USAID in Afghanistan and Pakistan: An Applied Study of the Discursive Transformation of ‘Capacity’ as a Development Project in the Age of Contemporary Globalization,” Avidéh Mayville, George Mason University
- “Writing from Narrative in Institutional Ethnography: Youth’s Experiences of Neoliberal Reforms,” Jayne Malenfant and Naomi Nichols, McGill University
**Session 82:** CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Race, Ethnicity, and Diversity  
Room: Lasalle  

**Sponsor:** Program Committee  

**Organizer:** Amir B. Marvasti, Penn State Altoona  

**Presider:** Elizabeth Korver-Glenn, University of New Mexico  

**Papers:**  
“Inventing the Muslim after 9/11: A Content Analysis of Sociology Textbooks,” Sabrina Akbar Almahomved-Wilson, California State University, Long Beach  

“Racial/Ethnic Contrasts in the Relationships Between Physical Disability, Perceived Discrimination, and Depressive Symptoms,” Quentin K. Kilpatrick and John Taylor, Florida State University  

“Contingent Threat: Positive Appraisals, Indifference, and the Mitigation of Threat Perceptions and Narratives,” Watoii Rabii, University at Buffalo, SUNY  


“Transgressive Temporalities: CP Time and the Importance of Being Off Time to Youth of Color,” Rahsaan H. Mahadeo, University of Minnesota Twin Cities  

“Legal Discrimination and the Reproduction of Racial Inequality in the Contemporary Houston Housing Market,” Elizabeth Korver-Glenn, University of New Mexico, Winner of the Racial and Ethnic Minorities Division’s Student Paper Competition  

“The Path to Presence: Reconstructing Cultural Schemas,” Ezra J. Temko, University of New Hampshire  

“Testing the Paradox: High Black Self-Esteem and Psychological Distress,” Omar Tariq Bird, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa  

**Session 83:** Overdose: Context, Venues, and Policy  
Room: Longueuil  

**Sponsors:**  
Drinking and Drugs  
Health, Health Policy, and Health Services  

**Organizer:** Honoria Guarino, National Development and Research Institutes, Inc.  

**Presiders:** Brett Wolfson-Stofko, New York University/National Development and Research Institutes, Inc.  
Honoria Guarino, National Development and Research Institutes, Inc.  

**Papers:**  
“Contextual Characteristics Associated with Recent Overdose Among Persons Who Inject Drugs in Baltimore,” Danielle German, Johns Hopkins University  

“Examining Non-Fatal Overdose in the Context of Young Adults’ Opioid Use Trajectories,” Honoria Guarino, Pedro Mateu-Gelabert, Jennifer Teubl and Elizabeth Goodbody, National Development and Research Institutes, Inc.  

“User Accounts of Overdose Experiences with Cannabis Edibles,” Nicholas Lau, Sheigla Murphy, Paloma Sales and Fiona Murphy, Institute for Scientific Analysis  

“Naloxone Impacts Across Individual and Institutional Settings,” Alex S. Bennett and Luther Elliott, National Development and Research Institutes, Inc. and Brett Wolfson-Stofko, New York University/National Development and Research Institutes, Inc.  

“‘I’m Not Sure That There’s Much We Can Do’: A Qualitative Study of Manager and Staff Perspectives of Drug Use, Syringes, Naloxone and Overdose Occurring in Business Bathrooms,” Brett Wolfson-Stofko, New York University/National Development and Research Institutes, Inc., Alex S. Bennett and Luther Elliott, National Development and Research Institutes, Inc., Marya Gwadz, New York University and Ric Curtis, John Jay College of Criminal Justice  

**THEMATIC**  
**Session 84:** Conscience & Connection in Service & Care Work: Narratives in a Global Context  
Room: Mont-Royal  

**Sponsors:**  
Labor Studies  
Sociology and Social Welfare  

**Organizer & Presider:** Linda Houser, Widener University  

**Papers:**  
“Love It or Leave It: Family Child Care Educators, Business Sustainability, and Turnover,” Kimberly D. Lucas, Brandeis University  

“Morality at Work: An Ethnography of an Abortion Clinic,” Kelly Ward, University of California, Irvine  

“Branding Labor Regimes: Examining Worker Inequalities and the Logic of Service in Upscale Restaurants,” Eli R. Wilson, University of California, Los Angeles  

“Why Networks Sometimes Fail: Tie Strength and Job Referrals for Low-Wage Work,” Lindsey M. Ibanez, The Ohio State University
Saturday, August 12, 10:30am

**THEMATIC Session 85:** Transnational Narratives of Families  
Room: Pointe-aux-Trembles

**Sponsor:** Family

**Organizer & Presider:** Praveena Lakshmanan, Michigan State University

**Papers:**

“Arab Families’ Stories of Migration from War Zones: Gender and Family Roles in Flux,” Lynda M. Ashbourne, University of Guelph, Abdallah Badahdah, Doha International Family Institute, Mohammed Baobaid, Muslim Resource Centre for Social Support and Integration, Dora Tam, University of Calgary and Abir Al Jamal, Muslim Resource Centre for Social Support and Integration

“Global Care Chain, Transnational Eldercare and Undocumented Mexican Migrant Women in the US,” Iftekhar Amin and Syeda S. Jesmin, University of North Texas at Dallas

“It’s in their Own Hands: Narratives of Risk, Responsibility, and Children’s Autonomy,” Mary Ann Kanieski, Saint Mary’s College

“The Political Consciousness of Latinas,” Fátima Suárez, University of California, Santa Barbara

“Transnational Processes: Preserving the Links to South Asian Color Ideology Through Family and Consumption,” Radha Modi, University of Illinois at Chicago

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**THEMATIC Session 86:** Narrating Illness and/or Disability Across the Life Course  
Room: St-Lambert

**Sponsor:** Youth, Aging, and the Life Course

**Organizer & Presider:** Scott Landes, University of North Florida

**Papers:**

“Chaos and Continuity: Constructing Narratives of Recovery from Spinal Cord Injury,” Alexis A. Bender, Emory University and Elisabeth O. Burgess, Georgia State University

“Episodically (In)visible: Examining Formula Stories about Health, Illness, and Disability in the New York Times,” Melissa Jane Welch, University of South Florida

“Childhood Cancer and Adult Health: A Life Course Perspective,” Dorothy Kou and Andrew S. London, Syracuse University

“‘One or Many Wounded Healer Identities?’: The Content and Rhetorical Function of Taiwanese Folk Healers’ Discursive Construction of Personal Experiences of Illness and Recovery,” Hwa-Yen Huang, Rutgers University

“‘They Sprayed Us Like Mosquitos’: Gulf Coast Residents’ Attributions of Responsibility for the Lingering Effects of the BP Oil Spill,” Jeannine A. Gailey and Lisa K. Vanderlinden, Texas Christian University

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**THEMATIC Session 87:** Narratives of Poverty II  
Room: St-Pierre

**Sponsor:** Poverty, Class, and Inequality

**Organizers:** Gretchen Purser, Syracuse University  
Jenny Lendrum, Wayne State University

**Presider:** Gretchen Purser, Syracuse University

**Papers:**

“We’re Not Trailer Trash’: Mobile Home Residents in Their Own Words,” Katie M. Founds, University of Kentucky

“Addressing the Magnet Myth: Transience, Homelessness, and Unresolved Motives,” Matthew Foy and Arturo Baiocchi, California State University, Sacramento

“Poverty Simulations as Social Problem Narratives,” Sam Snow Plummer, University of Pittsburgh

“Precarious Seoul: Urban Inequality and Belonging of Young Adults in South Korea,” Minwoo Jung, University of Southern California

“Social Control, Cultural Violence, and Resistance: Financial and Credit Identities among Fringe-Credit Customers,” Jascha Wagner, University of Delaware

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**SPECIAL Session 88:** CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Social Constructionism: Its Origins and Futures, Part I  
Room: Verdun

**Sponsors:** Program Committee  
Social Problems Theory

**Organizer & Presider:** Michael Adorjan, University of Calgary

**Description:**

This critical dialogue session centers on the rise and contribution of social constructionism in the study of social problems. This first of two panels highlights the origins of the perspective, epistemological debates, and empirical contributions.
Session 88, continued

Papers:

“Constructing Social Problems Forty Years Later,” Malcolm B. Spector

“What Do We Have after Forty Years?” Joel Best, University of Delaware

“John Kitsuse: Reflections on Understanding Understandings,” Peter Ibarra, University of Illinois at Chicago

“Where to Stand?” Dorothy Pawluch, McMaster University

“Social Constructionist Perspectives in a World of Contested Meaning,” Donileen R. Loseke, University of South Florida

“Credible Constructions in an Un-Accountable Age,” James A. Holstein, Marquette University

“The Modest Constructionist Witness in Social Problems Sociology,” Joseph Schneider, Drake University

SPECIAL
Session 89: The Changing Narrative of Race in the 21st Century
Room: Westmount

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizer, Presider & Discussant: Karyn McKinney Marvasti, Penn State Altoona

Papers:

“The Elite White Male Dominance System: Hidden Realities,” Joe R. Feagin, Texas A&M University and Kimberly Ducey, University of Winnipeg

“Racists,' ‘Class Anxieties,’ and Hegemonic Racism in TrumpAmerica,“ Eduardo Bonilla-Silva, Duke University

“Guarding the Gates and Building Walls: Ethnoracism and Exclusion in the 21st Century,” Elizabeth Aranda, University of South Florida

12:30pm – 2:10pm
Meeting
Budget, Finance, and Audit Committee, 2017-18
Room: Frontenac

12:30pm – 2:10pm
Divisional Meeting
(Open to SSSP Members)
Youth, Aging, and the Life Course
Room: Hampstead

12:30pm – 2:10pm Sessions

THEMATIC
Session 90: Gendered and Sexual Institutions and Embodiments
Room: Côte-St-Luc

Sponsor: Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities

Organizers: Sonny Nordmarken, University of Massachusetts Amherst
Demetrios Psophaidas, University of Southern California

Presider: Amy Brainer, University of Michigan-Dearborn

Papers:

“Proper Sexuality and the Resilient Nation: Imagining the Anti-Homosexuality and Anti-Pornography Bills in Uganda (2009-2014),” S.M. Rodriguez, Hofstra University

“The Belly Effect: Parental Embodiment and Negotiating Insider-Outsider Status as a Pregnant Researcher,” Jennifer M. Randles, California State University, Fresno

“Where are the Parents of the Femme Lesbians? What Missing Subjects Teach Us about Sex, Gender, and Family in Taiwan,” Amy Brainer, University of Michigan-Dearborn

“Workplace Activism, Corporate Institutions, and LGBT Health Benefits in the New Millennium,” Apoorva Ghosh, University of California, Irvine

“Workplace Incivility and Gendered Institutions,” Apoorva Ghosh, University of California, Irvine and Mary Bernstein, University of Connecticut

THEMATIC
Session 91: Narratives of Self, Body, and Mind
Room: Fontaine C

Sponsors: Disability
Health, Health Policy, and Health Services Society and Mental Health

Organizers: Alexis A. Bender, Emory University
Brian R. Grossman, University of Illinois at Chicago

Presider: Alexis A. Bender, Emory University

Papers:

“Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder: Examining the Discrepancies Between Mass Media and Scientific Studies,” Grant Michael Wallenfelsz, Florida State University College of Medicine
“Illness Narratives as Evidentiary Performance: The Experience of Fluoroquinolone Toxicity on YouTube,” Kristin Kay Barker and Natalie Kay Fullenkamp, University of New Mexico

“Dis/Ability and Racial Identities: Intersectional Experiences of Tokenism, Passing, Othering, and Social Distancing,” Mollie Greenberg and Rashawn Ray, University of Maryland

“Medicalization of Trichotillomania, a Hair-pulling Disorder,” Andrea D. Kelley, University of Delaware

THEMATIC Session 92: Urban and Rural Narratives of Belonging
Room: Fundy

Sponsors: Community Research and Development Conflict, Social Action, and Change

Organizer & Presider: Andrea Dassopoulos, University of Nevada

Papers:


“Diversity in Black and White: Divergent Narratives of Racial Residential Integration,” Gina A. Spitz, Loyola University Chicago, Center for Urban Research and Learning

“Entering Into the Pain: Interrogating the Belonging Discourses of People Who Relocate to Marginalized Neighborhoods,” Sara M. Perisho Eccleston, Vanderbilt University

“From Hierarchy to Belonging: Re-Imagining Youth in the City,” Darcie Vandegrift, Drake University

“Active Absences: Moving Narratives of Memory, Loss, Identity and Community in Detroit,” Paul Draus and Juliette Roddy, University of Michigan-Dearborn

THEMATIC Session 93: Personal Narratives as Teaching Tools
Room: Jacques-Cartier

Sponsor: Teaching Social Problems

Organizer & Presider: Hephzibah V. Strmic-Pawl, Manhattanville College

Papers:

“Getting to Know Your Students Should Change How You Teach: Student Narratives and Course Design,” Sang-hyoun Pahk and Hannah Liebreich, University of Hawai’i at Mānoa

“The Power and Perils of Using Narratives of Incarcerated Women in the Classroom,” Eileen Leonard, Vassar College

“Transforming Understandings of Disability and Oppression through Theatrical Narratives,” Deborah Lynn Little and Margaret Lally, Adelphi University


“Narratives are a Two-Way Street,” Hephzibah V. Strmic-Pawl, Manhattanville College

Session 94: CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Crime and Juvenile Delinquency Division Invited Panel
Room: Lasalle

Sponsor: Crime and Juvenile Delinquency

Organizer: Tim Berard, Kent State University

Presider: Kelley J. Sittner, Oklahoma State University

Description:
Invited panelists share expertise on a range of important issues in contemporary crime and criminal justice, leading into a broad discussion.

Papers:

“School-to-Prison Pipeline: Broadening Our Understanding and Considering the Complexities of Inequality,” Anthony A. Peguero, Virginia Tech

“The Role of Stories in Crime, Legal Harm, and Other Social Injustice,” Lois Presser, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

“The BBC’s ‘The Prisoner’ (1967-68) at 50: Contemporary Relevance for Surveillance Studies,” Glenn W. Muschert, Miami University

“Bringing Sociology Back into the Study of Violence Against Women in Intimate Relationships,” Walter S. DeKeseredy, West Virginia University

“Developing a Complex Understanding of Crime and Delinquency in Marginalized Communities: Commentary on the Sexual Abuse of Indian Children,” Paul D. Steele, Native American Children’s Alliance; National Center for Adoption and Permanency

“International Criminal Justice as a Response to Human Rights Offenses: Conditions and Consequences,” Joachim J. Savelsberg, University of Minnesota
THEMATIC
Session 95: Intersectional Identities and Drug Use
Room: Longueuil

Sponsor: Drinking and Drugs

Organizers & Presiders: Kathryn Nowotny, University of Miami
Philip R. Kavanaugh, Penn State Harrisburg

Papers:

“Brewing Gender: Positioning and Performance in the Craft Beer Community,” Jacob Alden Miller, Indiana University

“Getting to the Point: Risk and Narratives of Resistance,” Alan D. Brown, Southern Connecticut State University and James A. Forbes, York University

“Keg Stand, Keg Stand: Racial Differences in Drinking Motives, Protective Strategies, and the Relationship with Alcohol Problems,” Sheena K. Gardner, Courtney Walker, Angela Robertson and Andrew Tatch, Mississippi State University Social Science Research Center

“Unequal Treatment: Naturalizing Inequality in American Rehab,” Sarah Whetstone, Bradley University

“Waterpipe Tobacco Smoking Among Sexual Minorities in the United States: Evidence from the National Adult Tobacco Survey (2012-2014),” Kasim S. Ortiz, University of New Mexico, Ramzi G. Salloum, University of Florida, Jamal Mamkhezri, University of New Mexico, Phoenix A. Matthews, University of Illinois at Chicago and Wasim Maziak, Florida International University

Session 96: Innovative Sites for IE Research: Ongoing Directions and Contributions
Room: Mont-Royal

Sponsor: Institutional Ethnography

Organizer & Presider: Janet Rankin, University of Calgary in Qatar

Papers:

“Coloniality of Power as Ruling Relations: A Latin American, Postcolonial Institutional Ethnography,” Guillermo Rosabal-Coto, Universidad de Costa Rica

“Challenging Behaviour – Discourse and Interaction at Residential Homes,” Kjeld Hoegsbro, Aalborg University, Denmark

“Ruling Texts Intersect: An Institutional Ethnographic Scoping Review and Policy Analysis of Family Caregivers’ Information Work,” Nicole K. Dalmer, University of Western Ontario, Winner of the Institutional Ethnography Division’s Student Paper Competition

Session 97: PAPERS IN THE ROUND: Global
Room: Outremont

Sponsor: Global

Organizer: Heidy Sarabia, California State University, Sacramento

Roundtable #1 Title: Mobility and Immigration

Presider: San Juanita García, University of California, Riverside

Papers:

“Mexican American and Mexican Immigrant Youth Relations,” Liliana V. Rodriguez, University of California, Santa Barbara

“Immigration, Citizenship, and Well-Being: The Uneven Trajectories of Undocumented Young Adults,” Christian Ugaz and Alex Trillo, Saint Peter’s University

“Don’t You Think You’re Making Us Look Bad? Reframing Perceptions about IPV in the Face of Islamophobia & Rising Anti-Arab Sentiment,” Salam Aboulhassan, Wayne State University

Roundtable #2 Title: Religion

Presider: Ying-Chao Kao, Rutgers University

Papers:

“Aspects of the Crisis of the Eastern Orthodox Religion in the United States,” Cezara O. Crisan, Purdue University Northwest

“Hope for Unity versus Translucent Boundaries: Memory, Positionality, and Intergroup Solidarity amongst Indian Christians in Diaspora,” Autumn Lee Mathias, Northeastern University


“Transnational Circulations of Moral Conservatism: How the US and Taiwanese Christian Pro-Family Movements Conspire to Produce Sexual Inequalities,” Ying-Chao Kao, Rutgers University
“Religion and Crime in the South: Understanding the Relationship between Religion, Inequality, and Crime in Georgia,” Amanda Kahl Smith, University of Michigan-Flint

**Roundtable #3 Title: Social Movements**

**Presider:** Juan Herrera, Oregon State University

**Papers:**

“‘The Problem is Not the People, It’s the System’: Challenging Dominant Stories about the Animal Industrial Complex,” Tracey D. Harris, Cape Breton University

“Advances in Data Sharing Technologies that are Empowering Community Education Collective Impact Coalitions,” Frank Ridzi, Le Moyne College/Central New York Community Foundation

“Voting to ‘Shake Things Up’: Examining the Data on Right-Wing Voters in Europe,” Pamela Irving Jackson, Rhode Island College and Peter Doerschler, Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania

“Politicizing Houses of Worship: Buddhist Pagodas as Sites of Confrontation and Contestation among Vietnamese Immigrants and Refugees in Berlin,” Phi Hong Su, University of California, Los Angeles

“Pre-Civil Rights Era Protests Against Police Misconduct,” Britany J. Gatewood, Howard University

**Roundtable #4 Title: Knowledge and Memory**

**Presider:** Kemi Balogun, University of Oregon

**Papers:**

“No One Really Cares: The Lived Experience of Community-Based Persons with Alzheimer’s disease (PWAD) and their Caregivers,” William Cabin, Temple University and Christopher Cabin, Havens Consulting, Inc.

“Practices of Seeing and Knowing in Colonial Conflict,” Nicholas G. Cragoe, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

“Remembering and Forgetting Across Generations in Northern Ireland,” Michael Soto, University of Minnesota


“Contexts of Competition: Student Mental Health and Service Use Across Post-Secondary Institutions,” Nicole Malette, University of British Columbia

**Roundtable #5 Title: Labor**

**Presider:** Stephanie A. Limoncelli, Loyola Marymount University

**Papers:**

“Chinese Workers’ Tolerance, Division and Dependence on External Support within Their Initial Resistance,” Changling Cai, University of Massachusetts Amherst

“Coming of Age at the Crossroads of America: New Latino Immigrants in Northern Indiana,” Nicole A. Perez, University of Notre Dame

“Female Labor Force Participation in the US: How is Immigration Shaping Recent Trends?” Patricia A. McManus and Kaitlin L. Johnson, Indiana University

“Laboring against Exploitation: INGOs, Unions, and Anti-Human Trafficking Responses,” Stephanie A. Limoncelli, Loyola Marymount University

“Financial Capability and Behavioral Social Policy as Roll Out Neoliberalism,” Miranda J. Martinez, The Ohio State University

**Roundtable #6 Title: Racialization Processes**

**Presider:** Jacqueline Brooks, California State University, Sacramento

**Papers:**

“Canadians’ Understanding of Race and Ethnicity,” Jessica Braimoh, Greta Bauer and Christoffer Dharma, Western University

“Racial, Ethnic, and Religious Microaggressions as a Racial Project: Arabs, Middle Easterners, and Muslims as Ethnoracial Others,” Bradley J. Zopf, University of Illinois at Chicago

“I’m not Spanish, I’m from Spain’: Spaniards’ Bifurcated Ethnicity and the Boundaries of Whiteness and Hispanic Panethnic Identity,” José G. Soto-Márquez, New York University, Honorable Mention of the Racial and Ethnic Minorities Division’s Student Paper Competition

“Saffronising India - Construction of Symbolic Boundaries Between In-Group and Out-Group by Hindutva Organizations,” Dhruba Sinha, Oklahoma State University

“What Does Race Have to Do with It: Race Relations in a Post-Racial America,” TaShanda Dennison and Vanessa Faye Rinker, University of Central Florida

**Roundtable #7 Title: Families**

**Presider:** Emme Edmunds, Cornell University

**Papers:**

“Child Labour and Family Economic Background: A Reflection of Poverty in Nigeria,” Bashiru Salawu, Abubakar Yinusa Mohammed and Abdulateef Raji, University of Ilorin, Nigeria, Adejoke Adijat Joseph, Bowen University, Iwo, Osun State, Nigeria and Oluyemi Adesoji Joseph, University of Ilorin, Nigeria
Session 97, continued

“Gender Binary and the Paradoxes of Taboo: Negotiating Heteronormativity in Middle-Class Delhi, India 2011 - 2015,” Emme Edmunds, Cornell University

“Neglected Children and Increased Part-Time Nuclear Family System in Nigeria; Implications for Social Workers and Counselors in Nigeria,” Arike Adedele Omengala, Kaduna Polytechnic, Kaduna, Nigeria, Christianah Kantiyok, Kaduna State University and Eunice O. Ohidah, Kaduna Polytechnic, Kaduna, Nigeria

“Class Inequality and Psychological Care,” Oyman Basaran, Bowdoin College

Roundtable #8 Title: Health and Health Care

Presider: Amy Y. Zhou, University of California, Los Angeles

Papers:

“‘It Takes Two to Tango’: HIV Non-Disclosure and the Neutralization of Victimhood,” Erica Rae Speakman, McMaster University

“Remedies to the Problem of Medical Tourism and Under-Development of Health Care System in Nigeria,” Bashiru Salawu, Abubakar Yinusa Mohammed, Olayemi Adesoji Joseph and Abdulateef Raji, University of Ilorin, Nigeria and Adejoke Adijat Joseph, Bowen University, Iwo Osun State, Nigeria

“Un-Developing Institutions: HIV Policies and the Therapeutic Triage of Prenatal Care in Malawi,” Amy Y. Zhou, University of California, Los Angeles

“Where There Is No Doctor in Tamil: Translating Motivation, Imagining Readers,” Lillian Walkover, University of California, San Francisco

Roundtable #9 Title: Activism

Presider: Elisa Martinez, University of Massachusetts Amherst

Papers:

“Ain’t I an Activist? Organizing Movements, Moving Organizations, and the Narrative Politics of Change-Agent Identity,” Elisa Martinez, University of Massachusetts Amherst

“Cloppers and the Pornification of Nature,” Stephanie Alvarez, Florida Atlantic University

“Growing Resistance and Cultivating Reform in US Food Organizations,” Brian W. Marbury, Northern Arizona University

“Rural and Urban Imaginaries in Canada: Young Activists and the Negotiation of Space,” Jayne Malenfant, McGill University

“Leveraging Social Location and Networks in Social Movement Building Actions,” Callie Watkins Liu, Heller School of Social Policy and Management/Brandeis University

Roundtable #10 Title: Education

Presider: Yun Kyung Cho, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Papers:

“Bringing Political Conflicts into the Moral Sphere: Overcoming Normative Narratives and Inequality in Genocide Education,” Lily Ivanova, University of British Columbia

“Masculine Domination in Academia: Gendered Higher Education in the U.S. and South Korea Masculine Domination in Academia: Gendered Higher Education in the U.S. and South Korea,” Yun Kyung Cho, University of Wisconsin-Madison

“Space and Personal Contacts: Cross-Group Interaction between Mainland and Local University Students in Hong Kong,” Xiaoli Tian, The University of Hong Kong

“The Social Science Effect: Studying the Impact of Social Stratification Analysis,” Tasmiah Amreen and Patricia Snell Herzog, University of Arkansas

“Theorizing Global Vulnerabilities: International Students as a Vulnerable Population,” Lydia J. Hou, University of Illinois at Chicago

Roundtable #11 Title: Law and Society

Presider: Merilys Wollam Huhn, Stanford University

Papers:

“‘Seeing’ Terror Through Law: Notes from the Sociology of Law on the Functional Differentiation of Terrorism in the Canadian Legal System,” Derek M.D. Silva, King’s University College at Western

“Back to the Future: Assessing the Legal System and the Legacy of COINTELPRO Programs,” Lloyd Klein, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY

“Climate Legislation and Morality of the Market, 2007-2011,” Rebecca L. Stepnitz, University of Minnesota

“Contingent Professionals: Examining Non-Standard Employment in the Legal Profession,” Merilys Wollam Huhn, Stanford University

“Dominant and Marginal Voices in the Narratives around Urban Renewal Initiatives in Nigeria,” Ojo Melvin Agunbiade, Obafemi Awolowo University and Abiodun O. Oyebode, Federal Polytechnic Offa Kwara State, Nigeria

“Rural and Urban Imaginaries in Canada: Young Activists and the Negotiation of Space,” Jayne Malenfant, McGill University

“Leveraging Social Location and Networks in Social Movement Building Actions,” Callie Watkins Liu, Heller School of Social Policy and Management/Brandeis University
Roundtable #12 Title: Glocalization

Presider: Amanda McMillan Lequieu, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Papers:
“Created for Disconnection: Rural and Urban Sacrifice Zones in the American Rustbelt,” Amanda McMillan Lequieu, University of Wisconsin-Madison

“Integrating the Small City: Demographic and Neighborhood Factors Associated with Social Interactions between Immigrant Hispanic and Established White Residents,” Joseph F. Cabrera, University of La Verne and Meghan Ashlin Rich, University of Scranton

“The Social Accomplishment of a Local Adolescent Gender Order,” Margaret McGladrey, University of Kentucky

“Unionization at Volkswagen Chattanooga,” Abe Walker, Queen’s College, CUNY

“When the Well Runs Dry: Discourses of Scarcity in Contestation over Bottled Water in Ontario, Canada,” Robert A. Case, Renison University College, University of Waterloo and Daniel Jaffee, Portland State University

Roundtable #13 Title: Human and Social Rights

Presider: Anna Maria Santiago, Michigan State University

Papers:

“No Food in the ‘Hood:’ Neighborhood Food Insecurity and Childhood Obesity,” Anna Maria Santiago, Michigan State University

“Restructuring Inequalities? Environmental Justice and Water Banking in California,” David Champagne, University of British Columbia

“Trapped in the Nest?: Opportunities and Constraints for Independent Household Formation among Young Adult Women,” Anna Maria Santiago, Michigan State University, Hans Christian Sandlie and Viggo Nordvik, NOVA/Oslo University College

“Predicting Prison Misconduct with Measures of Social Control: A Logistic Regression Model,” Anne Rinehart, University of North Carolina at Wilmington

Roundtable #14 Title: The city and the state

Presider: Anne M. Luna-Gordinier, California State University, Sacramento

Papers:
“Coercive Population Control and Asylum in the U.S.,” Connie Oxford, SUNY College at Plattsburgh

“Perceptions of the Impact and Potential of the Boston Human Rights City Resolution,” Konstantinos Koutsioumpas and Gillian MacNaughton, University of Massachusetts Boston

“When the Well Runs Dry: Discourses of Scarcity in Contestation over Bottled Water in Ontario, Canada,” Robert A. Case, Renison University College, University of Waterloo and Daniel Jaffee, Portland State University

Session 98: Black Middle Class: New Intersections in a New Era

Room: Pointe-aux-Trembles

Sponsor: Racial and Ethnic Minorities

Organizers: Omari Jackson, Morgan State University
Saida Grundy, Boston University

Presider: Saida Grundy, Boston University

Discussant: Omari Jackson, Morgan State University

Papers:
“Class Differences in Altruism and Prosocial Behaviors Among Black Americans,” Candice C. Robinson, University of Pittsburgh

“Portraits of the Black Ethnoburb,” Orly Clerge, Tufts University

“Public Sector Contraction and the Experiences of Middle-Income African Americans: The Case of the Detroit Public School System,” Jessica S. Welburn, University of Iowa

“The Homeownership Dream and Social Mobility for Middle Income African Americans,” Nora E. Taplin-Kaguru, University of Chicago
**THEMATIC**  
**Session 99:** Educated in Whiteness: Narratives of Reproduction and Resistance  
Room: St-Lambert

**Sponsor:** Educational Problems

**Organizer:** Maralee Mayberry, University of South Florida

**Presider & Discussant:** Michael A. Miner, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

**Papers:**

“High School Students’ Colorblind Discourse about Race,” Irina Chukhray, Houston Education Research Consortium, Rice University and Jenifer Bratter, Rice University

“How Do Multiracial College Students Talk About Race and Discrimination in STEM College Majors? Expressions of Color-Blind Ideology,” Mette Evelyn Bjerre, University of Notre Dame

“Crossing the Line’: Converting Black and Latinx Lives into Living Curriculum in the name of ‘Building Community’ at Edison Middle School,” Amanda Frye Leinhos, Stanford University

“A Double-Edged Sword: Underrepresented Minority Students and the Burden of Teaching Inequality in Medical Schools,” Lauren Olsen, University of California, San Diego

**SPECIAL**  
**Session 100:** Social Action - Highlight the Work of the Social Action Winner  
Room: St-Pierre

**Sponsor:** Program Committee

**Organizer & Presider:** Sophie Pomerleau, Université d’Ottawa

**Description:**

Representatives from the Montreal winner of the 2017 Thomas C. Hood Social Action Award will discuss their organization’s history, mission, and the unique and crucial work it does.

**SPECIAL**  
**Session 101:** CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Social Constructionism: Its Origins and Futures, Part II  
Room: Verdun

**Sponsors:** Program Committee  
Social Problems Theory

**Organizer:** Michael Adorjan, University of Calgary

**Presider:** Peter Ibarra, University of Illinois at Chicago

**Description:**

This critical dialogue session centers on the ongoing contributions and future directions of social constructionism in the study of social problems.

**Papers:**

“Constructionism, Pedagogy, & Critique,” Jared Del Rosso, University of Denver

“Imagine,” Jack Spencer, Purdue University

“Research Methods in Constructionist Analysis,” Amir B. Marvasti, Penn State Altoona

“Let’s Change the Rules of the Game: Playing the Social Problems Game from the Margins,” Tony Christensen, Wilfrid Laurier University

“Future Directions: Constructionism and Neoliberalism,” Michael Adorjan, University of Calgary

2:30pm – 4:10pm  
**Meeting**  
Membership and Outreach Committee, 2016-17 & 2017-18  
Room: Frontenac

2:30pm – 4:10pm  
**Sessions**

**Session 102:** Issues in Researching and Teaching Poverty, Class, and Inequality  
Room: Côte-St-Luc

**Sponsor:** Poverty, Class, and Inequality

**Organizer, Presider & Discussant:** Georgios P. Loizides, University of Wisconsin-Stout

**Papers:**

“Co-Curriculars: A Means for Expanding on Traditional Social Science Curriculums,” Sheila Barnhart, University of Kentucky and Keith M. Kilty, The Ohio State University

“Issues of Homelessness: In Their Own Words,” Stephanie Southworth and Sara Brallier, Coastal Carolina University

“Poverty Simulations and the Sociological Imagination: A Critical Reflection,” Jeffrey Sweat, University of Wisconsin-Stout

“Predicting Chronic Homelessness,” Annie Duchesne, Old Brewery Mission, Katherine Maurer, McGill University and Nestor Arcia, Old Brewery Mission
Session 103: Drugs and Mental Health  
Room: Fontaine C  
Sponsors: Drinking and Drugs  
Society and Mental Health  
Organizer, Presider & Discussant: R. Terry Furst, John Jay College of Criminal Justice  
Papers:  
“Effects of Educating Patients about the Neuroscience of the Disease of Substance Use Addiction,” Lisa Cerullo, Widener University  
“Fifteen Year Incarceration Trajectories and Mental Health among Drug Using Mexican American Young Adult Men,” Avelardo Valdez and Sandra Arevalo, University of Southern California, Kathryn Nowotny, University of Miami and Alice Cepeda, University of Southern California  
“Synthetic Cathinones: Preliminary Findings and User Perspectives on Bath Salts after Prohibition,” Luther Elliott, Ellen Benoit and Carlos Poston, National Development and Research Institutes, Inc.  

THEMATIC  
Session 104: Urban Redevelopment, Gentrification, and Resistance  
Room: Fundy  
Sponsor: Community Research and Development  
Organizer & Presider: Judith R. Halasz, New Paltz, SUNY  
Papers:  
“Artists Are a Tool for Gentrification: Maintaining Artists and Residential Diversity in Arts Districts,” Meghan Ashlin Rich, University of Scranton  
“Intangible Cultural Heritage Preservation and the Managing of Culture in Urban Redevelopment,” Sara Gwendolyn Ross, Osgoode Hall Law School, York University  
“Resisting the High Line Effect: The Ranch on Rails Project and the Promise and Perils of Tactical Urbanism,” Steven Lang, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY and Julia Rothenberg, Queensborough Community College, CUNY  
“The Role of Arts in the Making of a Neoliberal Urban Community: Gentrification in Miami’s Wynwood Community,” Luigi Esposito and Fernando M. Perez, Barry University  

“Urban Development, Neoliberal Policies, and Housing Affordability: Short Term Rentals (STRs) as a New Form of Tourism Gentrification in New Orleans,” Christopher Oliver and Isaac Freitas, Tulane University  

THEMATIC  
Session 105: CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Applications in Environmental Studies and Narratives on Interdisciplinary Research  
Room: Hampstead  
Sponsor: Environment and Technology  
Organizer & Presider: Victor W. Perez, University of Delaware  
Papers:  
“Analyzing the Spatial Location and Distribution of Landfills across the United States,” Clare Cannon, University of California, Davis  
“Farms, Fish, Forests: An Ethnography of Climate Change in Maine,” Kathryn Olson, Boston College  
“Going Down with the Ship: Understanding ‘Stayers’ in Small Communities Threatened by Climate Change,” Elise Largesse, Boston College  
“Ideological Obstacles to Effective Climate Policy: The Greening of Markets, Technology, and Growth,” Ryan Gunderson, Miami University, Diana Stuart and Brian Petersen, Northern Arizona University  
“Imaginaries of Interdisciplinary: Boundaries and ‘Unboundaries’,” Laura A. Frye-Levine, University of Wisconsin  
“Interdisciplinary Approaches to Coastal Restoration: Understanding How Sense of Place Leads to Restoration Involvement and Change,” Fernando I. Rivera, Timothy Hawthorne, Linda Walters, Lisa G. Chambers, Geoffrey Cook, Melinda Donnelly and Kelly Kibler, University of Central Florida  
“The Promises and Pitfalls of Alternative Food Institutions: Impacts on and Barriers to Engagement with Low-Income Persons in the United States and Canada,” Amy Jonason, Furman University  
“Using Art and Design to Connect to Communities: Interdisciplinary Action Research in Environmental Studies,” Nels Paulson, University of Wisconsin-Stout
Session 106: Mobilization and Narratives of Resistance in Today's America
Room: Jacques-Cartier

Sponsor: Conflict, Social Action, and Change

Organizer & Presider: Marcos Emilio Perez, Colby College

Papers:

“‘What It Means to Be Well in a Society That’s Pathologically Ill’: Youth of Color Re-Framing Dominant Narratives of Race & Health,” May Lin, University of Southern California


“Standing Rock Nation Water Protectors in North Dakota and Brazil’s Xukuru Nation: Human Rights Abuses by the State Against Indigenous First Nation Peoples,” Marcia Lee Mikulak, University of North Dakota


“This is What Inclusion Looks Like: Negotiating, Managing and Presenting Race and Gender in the Women’s March on St. Louis,” Florence Maatita, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

Session 107: CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Reflexivity, Research and Institutional Ethnography: How Analysis Changes Thinking
Room: Lachine

Sponsors: Institutional Ethnography, Social Problems Theory

Organizer & Presider: Samit Dipon Bordoloi, Western Washington University

Papers:

“An Institutional Ethnography of Outdoor Learning in Greater Montreal,” Mitchell McLarnon, McGill University

“Can I Say ‘Governmentality’ in my IE? Reflections on the Role of Critical Social Theory in Institutional Ethnography,” Daniel Grace, University of Toronto, Dalla Lana School of Public Health

“Engaging in Institutional Ethnography: Critical Perspective on Patient Partnership in Québec’s Public Health Care System,” Annie Carrier, Université de Sherbrooke and Sophie Pomerleau, Université d’Ottawa

“Ethnography Intersected: Gendered Race & Racialized Gender in Two Urban American Indian Communities,” Michelle Renee Jacobs, Wayne State University


“Telling ‘What’s Actually Happening’: Primary Narrative and Documentary Reality,” Marjorie DeVault, Syracuse University (Emerita)

Room: Lasalle

Sponsors: Crime and Juvenile Delinquency, Disability, Health, Health Policy, and Health Services, Racial and Ethnic Minorities

Organizers & Presiders: Deborah Lynn Little, Adelphi University, Laura Mauldin, University of Connecticut

Papers:

“Kill the Men, Baby Boys and Mothers, Rape the Beautiful Girls: Gender-Based Violence in Darfur,” Gabrielle Ferrales, University of Minnesota, Hollie Nyseth Brehm and Michael Englehart, The Ohio State University and Allison Nobles, University of Minnesota

“Moving from Analogy to Intersectionality: Disability and Race in Citizenship and Police Brutality,” Angela Frederick, University of Texas at El Paso and Dara Shifrer, Portland State University

“Restorative Justice in School and Youth with Disabilities,” Heather Dalmage, Roosevelt University


Session 109: Legal Mobilizations: Power and Resistance in Local and Global Contexts
Room: Longueuil

Sponsor: Law and Society

Organizer & Presider: Edith Kinney, San Jose State University

Papers:

“How do Political Contexts Shape Undocumented Youth Movements? Evidence from Three Immigrant Destinations,” Edelina M. Burciaga, University of Colorado-Denver and Lisa M. Martinez, University of Denver

“‘Disband, Disempower, and Disarm’: Amplifying the Theory and Practice of Police Abolition,” Meghan G. McDowell, Winston Salem State University and Luis A. Fernandez, Northern Arizona University
“‘I’m Gaining My Power Back:’ How Formerly Incarcerated Community Organizers Contest Exclusion through Narratives of Power,” Jennifer E. Cossyleon, Loyola University Chicago and Edward O. Flores, University of California, Merced

“Human Rights Organisations as Foreign Agents,” Ina Filkobski, McGill University

“‘Containing’ Sexual Risk in California? Legal Mobilization For and Against Sex Offender Residency Restrictions,” Edith Kinney, San Jose State University

THEMATIC Session 110: Globalizing Social Problems Narratives Part I: European, American and African Perspectives Room: Mont-Royal

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizers: Jun Ayukawa, Kwansei Gakuin University
Manabu Akagawa, University of Tokyo

Presiders: Joel Best, University of Delaware
Jun Ayukawa, Kwansei Gakuin University

Discussant: David A. Smith, University of California, Irvine

Papers:

“The Political Construction of a Punitive Turn in Criminal Policy: The Case of Sweden,” Henrik Tham, Stockholm University


“Using ‘The International Survey of Human Rights’ to Study Globalized Social Problems,” K. Russell Shekha, Denison University, Keri E. Iyall Smith, Suffolk University, Brian K. Gran, Case Western Reserve University, Mark Frezzo, University of Mississippi and David L. Brunsma, Virginia Tech

“Female Genital Mutilation in Nigerian Societies and Cultures: The Good, The Bad and The Ugly,” Bashiru Salawu, Abubakar Yinusa Mohammed, Olyuemji Adeosji Joseph and Abdulateef Raji, University of Ilorin, Nigeria and Adejoke Adijat Joseph, Bowen University, Iwo, Osun State, Nigeria

Session 111: PAPERS IN THE ROUND: Teaching Across the Spectrum: Stories from the Field by Adjuncts, Graduate Students, Assistant Professors Room: Outremont

Sponsor: Teaching Social Problems

Organizers & Presiders: Andrea D. Miller, Webster University
Kimberly Hennessee, Ball State University

Roundtable #1 Title: Teaching Across the Spectrum: Stories from the Field by Adjuncts, Graduate Students, Assistant Professors

Discussant: Andrea D. Miller, Webster University

Papers:

“Developing Students’ Capacity for Civil Discussions Through ‘Calling In,’” Lynn Verduzco-Baker, Albion College

“Bringing Students to Crisis: The Day I Called Everyone a Racist,” Colleen Rost-Banik, University of Minnesota

“Living in Shadow of Labels Attached: A Dialogical (Auto-Ethnographic) Narrative of Two Women Breaking Through Silence,” Elena Yu Polush, Iowa State University and Ruby Cain, Ball State University

Session 112: Gender and Globalization Room: Pointe-aux-Trembles

Sponsor: Global

Organizer: Nadia Shapkina, Kansas State University

Presider: To Be Announced

Papers:


“Chasing Shadows: The Intersectionality of Gender, Land and Corruption,” Kristy Kelly, Drexel University and Columbia University

“Gender Based Violence in Context: Urban Slums & Concentrated Risk in Kenya,” Jessica Penwell Barnett, Wright State University and Eleanor Maticka-Tyndale, University of Windsor


“Mines, ‘Matriarchy’ and ‘Mother Earth’: Gendered Resistance to Resource Extraction in Oaxaca, Mexico,” Alessandro Morosin, University of California, Riverside
Session 113: Social Class and Access to Higher Education
Room: St-Lambert

Sponsors: Educational Problems
Sociology and Social Welfare
Youth, Aging, and the Life Course

Organizer & Presider: Elizabeth Seton Mignacca, Cayuga Community College

Papers:
“Accessing the 4.0: Cultural contributors to the class-based achievement gap among four-year university students,” Mary L. Scherer, University of Massachusetts Amherst

“Factors that Influence Student Loan Default,” Jennifer S.K. Skornik, California State University, Northridge

“Social Class in the Formation of Scholars,” Elizabeth Seton Mignacca, Cayuga Community College

“Student Learning Habits, Perseverance, and Persistence of First-Generation College Students at a Diverse Public University,” Lauren E. McDonald, California State University, Northridge

“The Student Sensibility: What Lies Beneath the Retention/Persistence Puzzle,” Robin G. Isserles, Borough of Manhattan Community College, CUNY

Session 114: Identity Work
Room: St-Pierre

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizer: Amir B. Marvasti, Penn State Altoona

Presider & Discussant: David C. Lane, University of South Dakota

Description:
The session examines how social identities are achieved and maintained. In particular, the papers examine identity work in the context of occupations, disability, and race and ethnicity.

Papers:
“We Don’t Do That’: Symbolic boundaries and black racial identity,” Kennedy Alexandra Turner, University of Michigan

“An Identity Network Analysis of Toni Morrison’s Beloved,” Cynthia Baiqing Zhang, Central Washington University

“From Occupational Autonomy to Artistic Autonomy: How Tattooists Understand Their Work,” David C. Lane, University of South Dakota

Session 138: FREE FILM SCREENING: “Tested” (by Curtis Chin)
Room: Verdun

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizer: Amir B. Marvasti, Penn State Altoona

Discussants: Curtis Chin, New York University
Ellen Schneider, Active Voice Lab

Description:
“Tested” looks at the important issue of racial diversity and public schools by following a dozen families in New York City from different racial, socio-economic and religious backgrounds as they prepare to pass the grueling standardized test to get into one of the city’s best high schools. The film premiered at the DOC NYC film festival in NYC where The Village Voice named it one of the best films in the festival. The film has since screened with Lincoln Center, the White House, the American Educational Research Association, the National Conference on Race and Ethnicity, the Southern Sociological Society, SXSWedu and more. In total, the film has had 125 screenings in 10 countries.

The gap in opportunities for different races in America remains extreme. Nowhere is this more evident than our nation’s top public schools. In New York City, where blacks and Hispanics make up 70% of the city’s school-aged population, they represent less than 5% at the city’s most elite public high schools. Meanwhile, Asian Americans make up as much as 73%. This documentary follows a dozen racially and socioeconomically diverse 8th graders as they fight for a seat at one of these schools. Their only way in: to ace a single standardized test. “Tested” includes the voices of such education experts as Pedro Noguera and Diane Ravitch as it explores such issues as access to a high-quality public education, affirmative action, and the model-minority myth. To view the trailer, please go to: www.testedfilm.com.
Plan to Attend the Plenary Sessions

4:15pm – 5:25pm  SSSP Business Meeting  
*Open to SSSP Members*

**PLENARY**

**Session 115:**  SSSP Business Meeting  
Room: Westmount

**Sponsor:**  Program Committee

**Facilitator:**  Donileen R. Loseke, University of South Florida

**Description:**
All members should attend the SSSP Business Meeting for an update on the status and future of SSSP. The meeting concludes with the traditional transfer of the gavel, marking the transition of duties from President Donileen R. Loseke to incoming President Luis A. Fernandez. An open discussion period will follow the meeting.

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5:30pm – 6:30pm  Presidential Address  
*Open to SSSP Registrants*

**PLENARY**

**Session 116:**  Presidential Address  
Room: Westmount

**Sponsor:**  Program Committee

**Introduction:**  Joel Best, University of Delaware

**Presidential Address:**  Narrative and the Politics of Meaning in a ‘Post-Fact’ World  
Donileen R. Loseke, University of South Florida

6:30pm – 8:30pm  Drinking and Drugs Division Reception

The Drinking and Drugs Division will once again be holding its annual joint reception with the Alcohol, Drugs, and Tobacco Section of ASA. The reception will be held at L’Assommoir (211 Notre-Dame Ouest, coin St-François-Xavier) on Saturday, August 12 from 6:30pm-8:30pm. Drinks and light food will be served.

Announcing the

2016 C. Wright Mills Award Finalists  
(in alphabetical order of author’s last name)

**Matthew Desmond,**  *Evicted: Poverty and Profit in the American City,* The Crown Publishing Group

**Roberto G. Gonzales,**  *Lives in Limbo: Undocumented and Coming of Age in America,* University of California Press

**Faranak Miraftab,**  *Global Heartland: Displaced Labor, Transnational Lives, and Local Placemaking,* Indiana University Press

**Nicole Gonzalez Van Cleve,**  *Crook County: Racism and Injustice in America’s Largest Criminal Court,* Stanford University Press


The C. Wright Mills Award will be presented on Saturday, August 12 at the Awards Ceremony.

**C. WRIGHT MILLS AWARD COMMITTEE**

**David G. Embrick,**  Chair, University Connecticut  
**George Lipsitz,**  Chair-Elect, University of California, Santa Barbara  
**Robert Benford,**  University of South Florida  
**Kendal Broad,**  University of Florida  
**Nancy DiTomaso,**  Rutgers University  
**Laurence Ralph,**  Harvard University  
**Hephzibah V. Strmic-Pawl,**  Manhattanville College
6:45pm – 7:45pm  Awards Ceremony
(Open to SSSP Registrants)

SPECIAL
Session 117: Awards Ceremony
Room: Westmount

Sponsor: Program Committee
Organizer: Donileen R. Loseke, University of South Florida
Presiders: Donileen R. Loseke, University of South Florida
           Valerie Leiter, Simmons College

AWARDS TO BE PRESENTED

SSSP Division Awards: Winners of the student paper competitions will be announced.

Arlene Kaplan Daniels Paper Award: For an author of the best paper on Women and Social Justice.

Beth B. Hess Memorial Scholarship: This $15,000 scholarship will be awarded to a new or continuing graduate student who began her or his study in a community college or technical school.

C. Wright Mills Award: For a distinguished book that exemplifies outstanding social science research and an understanding of the individual and society in the tradition of C. Wright Mills.

Doris Wilkinson Faculty Leadership Award: For an outstanding faculty member who has exercised an extensive leadership role within the SSSP and other professional societies and within the larger community.

Joseph B. Gittler Award: For significant scholarly achievement that a SSSP member has made in contributing to the ethical resolution of social problems.

Kathleen S. Lowney Mentoring Award: For an outstanding faculty member or community activist who recognizes the value of quality mentoring relationships between mentor and mentee and/or mentoring programs especially those for undergraduate or graduate students and/or for social activists, particularly for younger scholars and activists.

Lee Founders Award: For recognition of significant achievements that have demonstrated continuing devotion to the ideals of the founders of the Society and especially to the humanistic tradition of the Lee’s.

Racial/Ethnic Minority Graduate Scholarship: Two $15,000 scholarships will be awarded annually for support of graduate study and commitment to a career of scholar-activism.

Thomas C. Hood Social Action Award: This $5,000 award will be presented to a not-for-profit organization in the Montreal area in recognition of challenging social inequalities, promoting social change, and/or working toward the empowerment of marginalized peoples.

7:45pm – 8:45pm  Division-Sponsored Reception
(Open to SSSP Registrants)

Division-Sponsored Reception
Room: Salon Ville-Marie

CONGRATULATIONS to the
2017 Student Paper Competitions and Outstanding Scholarship Award Winners

COMMUNITY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: “Interviews as Interaction: Peer-Interviews in Participatory Action Research,” Abby I. Templer Rodrigues, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Community Partner Paper Award Winner: No award given

CONFLICT, SOCIAL ACTION, AND CHANGE DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: “Political Opportunity Structures and Frame Contraction in Non-Receptive Contexts: Insights from Anti-Execution Movement in Iran,” Hadi Khoshneviss, University of South Florida

CRIME AND JUVENILE DELINQUENCY DIVISION

Lifetime Achievement Award Winner: Dr. Jonathan Simon, University of California, Berkeley School of Law

DISABILITY DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: No award given

DRINKING AND DRUGS DIVISION
Bruce D. Johnson Paper Award Winner: “Subject, Agent, Object, Other: Zoom, PnP and Crystal Methamphetamine,” Dean Ray, York University

EDUCATIONAL PROBLEMS DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: “Choosing Late: Considering Late Registration in School Choice,” Kelley Fong, Harvard University and Sarah Faude, Northeastern University

ENVIRONMENT AND TECHNOLOGY DIVISION
Brent K. Marshall Paper Award Winner: “Elites, Embeddedness, and Environmental Inequality: Examining the Growth in Farmland Acquisition in Brazilian Sugarcane,” Ian Robert Carrillo, University of Wisconsin-Madison

FAMILY DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: “When Mothers Can’t ‘Pay the Cost to be the Boss’: Roles and Identity within Doubled-Up Households,” Hope Harvey, Harvard University

Runner-Up Award Winner: “He Ain’t Heavy, He’s My Brother: Kin Support Strategies of the Black Middle Class,” Jasmine D. Hill, Stanford University

GLOBAL DIVISION/CRITICAL SOCIOLOGY
GLOBAL DIVISION BOOK AWARD

Honorable Mention: Boom, Bust, Exodus: The Rust Belt, the Maquilas, and a Tale of Two Cities, Chad Broughton, Oxford University Press, 2015

HEALTH, HEALTH POLICY, AND HEALTH SERVICES DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: “Critique, Reform, and Accountability: The Rise of Quantification in United States Health Care Delivery Policy, 1965-2015,” Taylor M. Cruz, University of California, San Francisco

INSTITUTIONAL ETHNOGRAPHY DIVISION

Dorothy E. Smith Award for Scholar-Activism Winner: Gary Kinsman, Professor Emeritus, Laurentian University

LABOR STUDIES DIVISION
Harry Braverman Paper Award Winner: “One Transnational Project, Two Labor Regimes: The Workers’ Experience with Labor Process and Racialization on a Chinese Hydroelectric Project in Ecuador,” Rui Jie Peng, University of Texas at Austin

LAW AND SOCIETY DIVISION

Lifetime Achievement Award Winner: Joachim J. Savelsberg, University of Minnesota

POVERTY, CLASS, AND INEQUALITY DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: “Wealth, Race, and Place: How Neighborhood Disadvantage from Adolescence to Middle Adulthood Affects Wealth Inequality and the Racial Wealth Gap at Age 50,” Brian Louis Levy, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

RACIAL AND ETHNIC MINORITIES DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: “Legal Discrimination and the Reproduction of Racial Inequality in the Contemporary Houston Housing Market,” Elizabeth Korver-Glenn, University of New Mexico

Paper Award Honorable Mention: “I’m not Spanish, I’m from Spain’: Spaniards’ Bifurcated Ethnicity and the Boundaries of Whiteness and Hispanic Panethnic Identity,” José G. Soto-Marquez, New York University

Eduardo Bonilla-Silva Book Award Winner: Crook County: Racism and Injustice in America’s Largest Criminal Court, Nicole Gonzalez Van Cleve, Stanford University Press, 2016


SEXUAL BEHAVIOR, POLITICS, AND COMMUNITIES DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: “Telling ‘Our’ Stories: Collectivity and Fragmentation in the LGBTQ+ Movement,” Julie Gouweloos, McMaster University

SOCIAL PROBLEMS THEORY DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: “How Racial Formation and Inequality Happen in Urban Housing Markets,” Elizabeth Korver-Glenn, University of New Mexico


SOCIETY AND MENTAL HEALTH DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: “The Long-Term Mental Health Impact of Early Pregnancy and Unfulfilled Educational Expectations Among Black and White Women,” Noreen Kohl, University of Hawai’i at Mānoa

James R. Greenley Award for Distinguished Contributions to the Sociology of Mental Health Winner: Allan V. Horwitz, Rutgers University

SOCIOLOGY AND SOCIAL WELFARE DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: “Who Gets ‘Housing First’?: Determining Eligibility in an Era of Housing First Homelessness,” Melissa Osborne, University of Chicago

SPORT, LEISURE, AND THE BODY DIVISION

TEACHING SOCIAL PROBLEMS DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: “The Relevance of Teaching Social Problems in a Diverse World,” Penny M. Harvey, Georgia State University

YOUTH, AGING, AND THE LIFE COURSE DIVISION
Paper Award Winner: “Relational Resources: Poverty, Peer Support and Adolescent Wellbeing,” Jasmin Sandelson, Harvard University

Maggie Kuhn Award for Scholar-Activists Winner: Dr. Mary Patrice Erdmans, Case Western Reserve University
Sunday, August 13, 8:30am

Board of Directors, 2017-18
Room: Mont-Royal

8:30am – 10:10am Sessions

THEMATIC
Session 118: Autoethnography, Narrative, and Social Problems
Room: Côte-St-Luc

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizer & Discussant: Sara L. Crawley, University of South Florida

Presider: Maggie Cobb, University of Tampa

Papers:

“Autoethnography as a Feminist Method: Sensitising the Feminist ‘I,’” Elizabeth Ettorre, University of Liverpool

“Challenges and Strategies for Incorporating Autoethnography into Dissertations,” Leon Anderson, Utah State University

“I’m Not Always Hispanic: An Autoethnography of Race and Place,” Edlin Veras, University of South Florida

Session 119: The Solidarity Economy was moved to Sunday, August 13 from 10:30am-12:10pm (Room: Longueuil)

THEMATIC
Session 120: Narratives of Fear in Popular Culture
Room: Fundy

Sponsors: Conflict, Social Action, and Change
Social Problems Theory
Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction

Organizer & Presider: Ross Haenfler, Grinnell College

Papers:

“Bullying the Bully Breeds? Pit Bulls, Moral Panic, and Breed Specific Legislation,” Genevieve Minter, University of Nevada Las Vegas

“Green vs. White: An Examination of Media Portrayals of White Nationalists and Radical Environmentalists,” Laurence Pedroni, San Jose State University

“It’s Not Yours to Take: People of Color Resisting Appropriation within Popular Culture,” Aaryn L. Green, University of Cincinnati

Session 121: Sexual and Gender Narratives
Room: Hampstead

Sponsor: Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities

Organizer & Presider: Margaret McGladrey, University of Kentucky

Papers:

“Narrative as Methodology: An Examination of Campus Sexual Assault,” Hannah Liebreich, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa

“Doing Trauma-Informed Research with Marginalized Groups,” Kristjane Nordmeyer, Westminster College and Nicole Bedera, University of Michigan

“The Role of Maternal Advocacy in Changing Narratives of Childhood Gender-Diversity,” Krysti N. Ryan, University of California, Davis

“Gender Goals and Failures: Masculine Identities and Narratives in the Transition to Adulthood,” Kiera D. Duckworth, University at Buffalo, SUNY

“#TERFLogic: Trans Exclusionary Radical Feminism, Women’s Spaces, and Determining Gender,” Megan Nanney and Jessica Herling, Virginia Tech

Session 122: Negotiating Climate Change and Food Security
Room: Jacques-Cartier

Sponsor: Environment and Technology

Organizer: Carmel E. Price, University of Michigan-Dearborn

Presider: Julia (Jill) Waity, University of North Carolina at Wilmington

Papers:

“Lettuce in the Desert: Agricultural Conquest in the Age of Climate Change,” Diana Stuart, Northern Arizona University

“Cyanobacteria and Social Capital: How Reconnecting Non-Operating Landowners to their Farming Tenants and Communities Could Help End Water Pollution,” Alexis C. Econie, Illinois State University and Nels Paulson, University of Wisconsin-Stout
“Climate Motivated Action: Inland PNW Wheat Producers Respond to Global Environmental Change,” Gabrielle E. Roesch-McNally, United States Department of Agriculture Climate Hub and J.D. Wulfhorst, University of Idaho

“Futures in Conflict: Defining and Negotiating Sustainable Community in Two Alternative Food Projects,” Amy Jonason, Furman University

“Gardening for Good: Using Community Gardens to Reduce Food Insecurity,” Carmel E. Price, University of Michigan-Dearborn

**THEMATIC**

**Session 123:** CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Urban Redevelopment, Gentrification, and Resistance in Diverse Contexts
Room: Lachine

*Sponsor:* Community Research and Development

*Organizer:* Judith R. Halasz, New Paltz, SUNY

*Presider:* Steven E. Schmidt, University of California, Irvine

*Description:*

This critical dialogue brings together scholars exploring the dynamics and effects of urban redevelopment, gentrification, and resistance in US and international contexts.

*Papers:*

“‘How Would YOU Spend a Million Dollars?’ A Tale of Gentrification and Pro-Poor Budgeting,” Laura Pin, York University

“Detroit, Inc: The Role of the Neoliberal State in Gentrification and the Draining of Wealth,” Michael L. Sabbagh, Wayne State University

“Ghosts, Doppelgängers, and Bêtes Noires: The Presence of Absent Neighborhoods in Urban Research,” Jeffrey Nathaniel Parker, University of Chicago

“Out of Sight, Out of Mind: The Transnational Capitalist Class, Gentrification, Police Presence and the Maintenance of Iconicity in Mexico City,” Joshua Lew McDermott, University of Pittsburgh

“The City as a Beaver Dam: A Canadian Perspective on Urban Development and Resistance,” Nathanael Lauster, University of British Columbia

“Urban Redevelopment and Political Exclusion in Mexico City,” Steven E. Schmidt, University of California, Irvine

“Using GIS and Market Segmentation Models to Influence Housing Development Policy - Two Case Studies,” Stephen J. Sills, UNCG Center for Housing and Community Studies

**THEMATIC**

**Session 124:** CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Social Construction of Race, Class, and Gender Stratification in Schools
Room: Lasalle

*Sponsor:* Educational Problems

*Organizers:* H. Lovell Smith, Loyola University Maryland
Johanna S. Quinn, University of Wisconsin-Madison

*Presider:* Johanna S. Quinn, University of Wisconsin-Madison

*Description:*

Disparities in educational outcomes between racial minorities and whites, the working and middle-classes, and male and female students are well documented in the social sciences. In this critical dialogue session, we aim to move beyond documenting differences, to explicating processes that intersectionally create race, class, and gender stratification in schools. We invite participants to explore interactional practices that reproduce inequalities, compare across settings and regions, detail historical processes and examine scholarly discourse and policies. We encourage discussion that considers multiple stakeholders and points of view, including the perspectives of community groups, students, teachers, parents, or policymakers that speak to the social construction of race, class, and gender stratification in schools.

*Papers:*

“‘Mean Girls’ and ‘Tough Guys’: The Gendered Dynamics of Anti-Bullying,” Sarah Miller, University of Massachusetts Amherst

“Black Families and Suburban Schooling: An Intersectional Approach to Understanding Inequality in ‘Good’ Schools and Districts,” Linn Posey-Maddox, University of Wisconsin-Madison

“Democratizing Teacher Education,” Katherina A. Payne, University of Texas at Austin and Ken Zeichner, University of Washington

“Making Racial Subjects in School,” Amanda E. Lewis, University of Illinois at Chicago

“Race and White Supremacy in the Sociology of Education,” John B. Diamond, University of Wisconsin-Madison

“Special Education, Black Students, and the Social Construction of Disability,” Karolyn Tyson, University of North Carolina

“The Racialized Construction of Exceptionality,” Rachel Elizabeth Fish, New York University

“Youth, Junior Police, and Social Control,” Mai Thai, Indiana University-Bloomington
Session 125: Narrative Constructions of the Other
Room: Longueuil
Sponsor: Program Committee
Organizer & Presider: Amir B. Marvasti, Penn State Altoona

Description:
This session explores the discursive and narrative constructions of ethnic and racial others. Among other themes, the authors explore how the media and political institutions script the way we think about ethnic and racial minorities.

Papers:
“Criminalize the Dead, Save the Farm: Settler Narratives in the Aftermath of Indigenous Death on the Canadian Prairies,” Annelies E. Cooper, York University

“Dialogue about Fear: A Case Study Examining the Interaction of Governmental Distrust, Race and Scientific Mistrust as Seen through Two Cities’ Newspaper Social Comments,” Kristine Artello and Michele Greep, Virginia Commonwealth University

“Hungry to be Heard: Voices from a Malnourished America,” Jonathan M. White, Bentley University

“White Nationalism, Islamophobia, and Homophobia in Trump’s America: Narratives and Health Policies,” Leland Spencer and Molly Malany Sayre, Miami University


Session 126: Race, Ethnicity, and Mental Health
Room: Pointe-aux-Trembles
Sponsor: Society and Mental Health
Organizer & Presider: Quentin K. Kilpatrick, Florida State University

Papers:
“Gender, Inter-Parental Disrespect, and Children’s Life Course Depressive Symptoms,” Jungyun Gill and Linsey Malia, Stonehill College

“Health and Interracial Relationships: An Application of the Stress Process Model,” Amy Irby-Shasanmi, University of West Georgia

“Neighborhood Social Interactions and Mental Health: Exploring Ethnic and Nativity Distinctions among Black Americans,” Christy L. Erving, University of North Carolina at Charlotte and Ornella Hills, University of Wisconsin-Madison

“Predicting Depressive Symptoms during the Transition to Adulthood: Variation by Gender and Race,” Jin Young Choi, J. Bart Stykes and Tze-Li Hsu, Sam Houston State University

“The Long-Term Mental Health Impact of Early Pregnancy and Unfulfilled Educational Expectations Among Black and White Women,” Noreen Kohl, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa, Winner of the Society and Mental Health Division’s Student Paper Competition

Session 127: Pharmacological Co-production of Health, Well-being, and the Body
Room: St-Lambert
Sponsors: Drinking and Drugs
Sport, Leisure, and the Body
Organizers: Luther Elliott, National Development and Research Institutes, Inc.
Jason Ford, University of Central Florida

Presider: Jason Ford, University of Central Florida

Papers:
“Awareness of Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) among Women Who Inject Drugs in NYC,” Suzan M. Walters, Stony Brook University, Kathleen Reilly, New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, Alan Neaigus, Columbia University and Sarah Braunstein, New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene

“Betel Nut and Tobacco Use and Cessation in a Micronesia Community,” Mark Lee Willingham, Jr., University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa

“Getting Clean at the VA: Moral and Ideological Dimensions of Methadone Treatment among Iraq/Afghanistan Military Veterans,” Luther Elliott and Alex S. Bennett, National Development and Research Institutes, Inc.

“Masculinity in the Labelling and Marketing of Alcoholic Beverages with Aphrodisiacs Claims in Southwest Nigeria,” Abiodun O. Oyebode, Federal Polytechnic Offa Kwara State, Nigeria and Ojo Melvin Agunbiade, Obafemi Awolowo University

“Undergraduate Prescription Stimulant Misuse: The Impact of Academic Strain,” Lauren B. Norman, Delta State University and Jason Ford, University of Central Florida
Session 128: The Role of Social Welfare with Families Post-Recession
Room: St-Laurent

Sponsors: Family Sociology and Social Welfare

Organizer & Presider: Margo Campbell, Widener University

Papers:
“College Access for Low-income Student Parents: Univ. of Hawai‘i Case Study,” Teresa Bill, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa

“Perceptions, Promises and Pathways of Homeownership after the Great Recession,” Jennifer Darrah-Okike, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa and Meredith Greif, Johns Hopkins University

“When Mothers Can’t ‘Pay the Cost to be the Boss’: Roles and Identity within Doubled-Up Households,” Hope Harvey, Harvard University, Winner of the Family Division’s Student Paper Competition

“Detroit’s Network of Exchanges & Activities,” Jenny Lendrum, Wayne State University

“The Fight for the Safety Net: Nonprofits Operating in Virtual Space,” Anne Statham and Samantha Church, University of Southern Indiana and Teresa Reinders, University of Wisconsin-Parkside

Session 129: Untold Narratives about Crime and Juvenile Delinquency
Room: St-Pierre

Sponsor: Crime and Juvenile Delinquency

Organizer: Matthew M. Le Claire, University of Nevada

Presider & Discussant: Anthony Ryan Peerenboom, University of Nevada

Description:
Fragmentation of society has subsequently created a disparity at the expense of marginalized narratives. This session offers a forum for the untold narratives of vulnerable populations in hopes of understanding new problems and perspectives.

Papers:
“Untold Tales from the ‘Troubled Teen’ Industry: Rehabilitated Adults reflect on their Delinquent Self,” Heather Mooney, Wayne State University

“Participant Narratives about the Influence of Family Drug Treatment Courts on Sobriety,” Erik Wittrup and Anna Maria Santiago, Michigan State University

“Sentenced to Care: A Feminist Look at Caregiving Activities among Offenders’ Families in Japan,” Mari Kita, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa

“Under the Shadow of Death and Beyond: Revisiting the Experiences of Women Formerly on Death Row in the Philippines,” Diana Therese M. Veloso, De La Salle University, Philippines

Session 130: Healthcare Providers and Care Practices
Room: Verdun

Sponsor: Health, Health Policy, and Health Services

Organizer & Discussant: Teresa L. Scheid, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Presider: Dennis P. Watson, Indiana University – Purdue University Indianapolis

Description:
The papers in this session all address critical issues in the delivery of health care and focus specifically on the role of various types of health care providers.

Papers:
“Stigma Management in Mental Health Care,” Kerry M. Dobransky, James Madison University

“Pastoral Power and Family Metaphors for Care among Hospital-Based CNAs,” Grace E. Scrimgeour, Care for the Carers, East Sussex, UK (non-profit)

“Addressing the Primary Care Physician Shortage: Gender Differences in Predictors of Specialty Choice Among Medical Residents,” Kelly Rhea MacArthur and Daniel N. Hawkins, University of Nebraska Omaha and Emily Royer, University of Nebraska College of Medicine

“Subjective Social Status and Premedical Students’ Attitudes Towards Medical School,” Matthew Grace, Hamilton College
Sunday, August 13, 10:30am

10:30am – 12:10pm  Sessions

**Session 131:** Methods and Methodology: IE Past, Present, Future  
Room: Côte-St-Luc

*Sponsor:* Institutional Ethnography

*Organizer & Presider:* Janet Rankin, University of Calgary in Qatar

*Papers:*

"Mapping the Path from H-1B to Permanent Residency: Using MindManager to Make Visible Regulatory Processes," Samit Dipon Bordoloi, Western Washington University

"Photovoice and Institutional Ethnography: Identifying the Problematic from the Community Standpoint," Cynthia Puddu, MacEwan University

"Reflections on a Study of Mental Health Reform Texts," Steve Durant and Fiona Webster, University of Toronto

"Institutional Ethnography and Transformative Mixed-Methods: A Dialogue between Two Paradigms Focused on Problematizing Unequal Power Relations in Social Research," Maureen Sanders-Brunner, Ball State University and Elena Yu Polush, Iowa State University

"Reading Institutional Ethnographies 1996-2016," Liza McCoy, University of Calgary, Eric Mykhalovskiy and Julia Gruson-Wood, York University

**THEMATIC Session 132:** Globalizing Social Problems Narratives Part II: Asian Perspective  
Room: Fontaine C

*Sponsor:* Program Committee

*Organizers:* Jun Ayukawa, Kwansei Gakuin University  
Manabu Akagawa, University of Tokyo

*Presider:* Jun Ayukawa, Kwansei Gakuin University

*Discussant:* Joel Best, University of Delaware

*Papers:*

"A Natural History of Low Birthrate Issues in Japan since 1990s," Manabu Akagawa, University of Tokyo

"The Meaning of ‘Kin-en’," Shin Tomabechi, Tokyo Gakugei University

"Life Course Construction through Talking about Motivation: Rural Migration and Adaptation," Isao Kido, Sapporo Gakuin University

"‘I Only Feel Like a Human Being on the Road of Looking for my Child’: The (Dis)Trust and Self-Help among Parents of Missing Children in China,” Jianhua Xu, Xuan Niu and Haiyun Zhao, University of Macau

**Session 133:** Rumors, Fear, and Public Perception  
Room: Fundy

*Sponsors:* Conflict, Social Action, and Change  
Social Problems Theory  
Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction

*Organizer & Presider:* Ross Haenfler, Grinnell College

*Papers:*

"It Was a Different Time: Hitchhiking Narratives," Kathleen J. Fitzgerald, Tulane University

"We Must Bring Them to Heel: 9/11, ‘Terrorists,’ and the Insecurity of Hegemonic Masculinity," Marisa Tramontano, The Graduate Center, CUNY

"Anti-Vaccinating Families: Intensive Mothering and the Rejection of Medicalization within the Natural Parenting Movement," Stephanie Laudone, Borough of Manhattan Community College, CUNY

"Rumor Studies, Post-Truth, and Fake Everything,” Pamela Donovan, Ardella Research

"Using the Race Card: The Role of White Fright in Anti-Immigration Sentiments," Karen Martinez, Kent State University

**THEMATIC Session 134:** Sexual and Gender Narratives II  
Room: Hampstead

*Sponsor:* Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities

*Organizer & Presider:* Margaret McGladrey, University of Kentucky

*Papers:*

“Telling ‘Our’ Stories: Collectivity and Fragmentation in the LGBTQ+ Movement,” Julie Gouweloos, McMaster University, Winner of the Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities Division’s Student Paper Competition

"Contested Communities at the Lesbian Herstory Archives,” Bek J. Orr, Christopher Newport University

"I’d Rather Swish than Fight’: Camp Narrative, Musical Beauty, and Gay Politics of the 1960s,” J. Todd Ormsbee, San Jose State University

"Challenging the Dominant Narratives of Aging & Sex,” Christina Barmon, Central Connecticut State University
Session 135: Food Sovereignty and Security  
Room: Jacques-Cartier

Sponsor: Environment and Technology

Organizer & Presider: Carmel E. Price, University of Michigan-Dearborn

Papers:
“Exploring Food Insecurity and Food Access Across Geographic Regions Using FoodAPS Data,” Julia (Jill) Waity, University of North Carolina at Wilmington

“Dietary Transformation among Marshall Islanders: Disaster, Military Occupation, and Migration,” Jin Young Choi, Sam Houston State University and Anthony Winson, University of Guelph

“Elites, Embeddedness, and Environmental Inequality: Examining the Growth in Farmland Acquisition in Brazilian Sugarcane,” Ian Robert Carrillo, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Winner of the Environment and Technology Division’s Student Paper Competition

“Challenges to Small-Scale Farmers on Vancouver Island,” Kora Liegh Glatt and Martha McMahon, University of Victoria

Session 136: Non-Academic Jobs and How To Get Them  
Room: Lachine

Sponsors: Community Research and Development  
Disability  
Drinking and Drugs

Organizer & Presider: Hillary R. Steinberg, University of Colorado Boulder

Description:
A panel of 4 members of SSSP who have experience working outside of academia (Dr. Alexis Brender, Dr. Gabrielle Roesch-McNally, Dr. Kevin Pinkston, and Dr. Jules Netherland) will describe how they came to their current careers and answer questions about their paths outside academia.

Panelists:
Alexis A. Bender, Emory University  
Gabrielle E. Roesch-McNally, United States Department of Agriculture Climate Hub  
Kevin D. Pinkston, University of Illinois at Chicago  
Julie C. Netherland, Drug Policy Alliance

Session 137: Author Meets Critics: “Botox Nation: Changing the Face of America” by Dana Berkowitz  
Room: Lasalle

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizer: Sara L. Crawley, University of South Florida

Presider: Jennifer A. Reich, University of Colorado Denver

Description:
Botox Nation draws from in-depth interviews with Botox users and providers as well as Dana Berkowitz’s own experiences receiving the injections to consider the construction of feminine bodies and selves, and explores the impact of cosmetic medical interventions aimed at maintaining the desired appearance of youth, the culture of preventative medicine, the application of medical procedures to seemingly healthy bodies, and the growth and technological advancement to the anti-aging industry.

Critics:
Laura M. Carpenter, Vanderbilt University  
Erica L. Toothman, University of South Florida  
Emily Fairchild, New College of Florida  
Shari L. Dworkin, University of California San Francisco

Session 119: The Solidarity Economy  
Room: Longueuil

Sponsor: Labor Studies

Organizer & Presider: Melanie E. L. Bush, Adelphi University, UNISA

Description:
This session will explore solidarity and alternative economic projects and environments that have been expanding in response to the social and political crises of the contemporary moment. What’s “new”; what’s “old”? What’s the “same”; what’s “different”? What is the significance of this movement?

Papers:

“Logistics Workers, Unions, and Solidarity in the Global Supply Chain,” Jake Alimahomed-Wilson, California State University, Long Beach

“Making the Collectivist Organization: Creativity, Conformity, and Social Closure,” Will Attwood-Charles, Boston College
Sunday, August 13, 10:30am

Session 119, continued

“Real Utopias in a Dystopian Futurity: Queering Alternative Economies,” Finn McLaugherty Bell, University of Michigan

“The Alternative Economy: The Projects and the People,” Melanie E. L. Bush, Adelphi University, UNISA

Session 138: FREE FILM SCREENING: “Tested” (by Curtis Chin) was moved to Saturday, August 12 from 2:30pm-4:10pm (Room: Verdun)

Session 139: PAPERS IN THE ROUND: Families Room: Outremont

Sponsor: Family

Organizer: Jennifer Haskin, Arizona State University

Roundtable #1 Title: Table 1: Families and the State

Presider: Jennifer Haskin, Arizona State University

Papers:

“It’s a Wonderful and Difficult Life’: Filipino Family-Petitioned Migrants and the Divergent American Dream,” Heather M. Gifford, University of Illinois at Urbana–Champaign

“An Examination of the Policy and Personal Challenges of Translating State-Sanctioned Permanence into Relational Permanence among Foster Care Alumni,” Alfred G. Perez, California State University, Stanislaus

“Are Family Courts Therapeutically Just?” Cindy Brooks Dollar, University of North Carolina at Greensboro

“Social Work in and Around the Home – Using Home as a Site to Create Inclusion,” Mia Arp Fallov and Maria Appel Nissen, Aalborg University, Denmark

“Family Wealth and Intergenerational Transfers - a European Comparison,” Ole Hexel, Northwestern University, Sciences Po Paris

Roundtable #2 Title: Table 2: Families and Identities

Presider: Rachel Teressa Macfarlane, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Papers:

“Interracial Marriage and Ethnoracial Identity,” Karolyn Abigail Stewart, University of California, Irvine

“Reproducing Family: How Parents Narrate Their LGB Children’s ‘Good’ Families,” Taylor Field Quiroga, University of Michigan

“Sexing the Fetus: How Sexed Fetuses Change the Experience of Pregnancy,” Christie Sillo, The Graduate Center, CUNY and Barbara Katz Rothman, City University of New York

“‘Too Much Pressure on Me’: Latina/o Citizen Youth Negotiating Illegality in Mixed-Status Families,” Cassandra Rodriguez, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Roundtable #3 Title: Table 3: Families and Health

Presider: Heather Dillaway, Wayne State University

Papers:

“Giving and Receiving Social Support and Anxiety among Intimate Dyads: An Actor-Partner Interdependence Analysis,” Stephanie Hansard, Georgia State University

“Questioning the Family Stress Model,” Margo Campbell, Widener University

“Trading Up? Multipartnered Fertility and Health at Midlife,” Margaret M. Gough, University of La Verne and Cassandra Dorius, Iowa State University

“Where the Men Are – a Redux? Addressing Maternal and Child Health through the Growing Responsible Fathers through Support and Education Project,” Jeffry Will, University of North Florida Center for Community Initiatives

“Do Not Negate the Fact that This is up There Next to Death’: The Impact of Foreclosure on Families and Children,” Kristen A. Berg, Case Western Reserve University and Cyleste C. Collins, Cleveland State University

Session 140: Religion and Mental Health – CANCELLED

THEMATIC

Session 141: Conceptualizing Social Change through Sport Room: St-Lambert

Sponsor: Sport, Leisure, and the Body

Organizer & Presider: Jeffrey O. Sacha, University of California, Davis

Papers:

“An Integrated Approach to Understanding and Healing Complex Trauma Through Running,” Ayrin Lynn Hnosko, Widener University

“The Spaces Between Us: Ashtanga Yoga, Nomadism, and the Intersubjective Self,” Andrea Jane Reid, Queen’s University
Session 142: Profiting Off the Poor: The Privatization of Poverty and Poverty Entrepreneurs
Room: St-Laurent

Sponsors: Poverty, Class, and Inequality
Sociology and Social Welfare

Organizer, Presider & Discussant: Gretchen Purser, Syracuse University

Papers:

“‘Your Dollars Put to Maximum Use’: Surveillance Culture, Investment Ideologies & the Emotional Politics of Philanthropy,” Jaclyn D. Carroll, Boston College

“Comparative analysis of private prisons & human rights in the United States & Israel,” Brandy Henry, Brandeis University

“Creative Financing: Race, Relation Valuation, and Diversity Commodification,” Christopher W. Munn, The Ohio State University

“Employees or Suspects? Surveillance and Scrutinization of Low-wage Service Workers in U.S. Dollar Stores,” Tracy L. Vargas, Syracuse University

Session 143: Public Perceptions on Crime and Law
Room: St-Pierre

Sponsors: Crime and Juvenile Delinquency
Law and Society

Organizer, Presider & Discussant: Kristen M. Budd, Miami University

Papers:

“Monitoring and Managing: Body Worn Cameras in an Age of Surveillance,” Erin Gibbs Van Brunschot and Tamara A. Humphrey, University of Calgary

“Perceptions of Victim Precipitation and Offender Responsibility,” Robert M. Clark, Pennsylvania Highlands Community College

“Problems with the Professional and Community Response to the Human Trafficking and Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children: Issues and Experience in the Age of Trump,” Paul D. Steele, Native American Children’s Alliance; National Center for Adoption and Permanency


Session 144: Global Sexual and Reproductive Health
Room: Verdun

Sponsors: Global Health, Health Policy, and Health Services
Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities

Organizers & Presiders: Stacy Harmon, CDC Foundation
Amanda Jungels, Columbia University

Discussant: Stacy Harmon, CDC Foundation

Papers:

“A Trauma-Informed Examination of the Life-Events of Abortion Fund Patients,” Gretchen E. Ely and Travis Hales, University at Buffalo, SUNY and D. Lynn Jackson, Texas Christian University

“Fragmented Bureaucracy and Institutional Barriers: A Case Study of the Top-Down Implementation of Maternal Care in Northwestern China,” Yan Shan and Kuoray Mao, Colorado State University-Fort Collins, Yiliang Zhu, University of New Mexico and Qian Zhang, Institute of Sociology, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

“Misconceptions and Perceived Fear of Modern Contraceptives among Women of Reproductive Age in Nigeria,” Mary O. Obiyan, Ambrose Akinlo and Marcellina Y. Ijadunola, Obafemi Awolowo University

“The Effect of Abortion Restrictions on Individual Outcomes: A Comparative Study,” Elizabeth Nalepa, Case Western Reserve University
12:30pm – 2:10pm  Meeting

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Location: Le Bisco-Hotel Restaurant

12:30pm – 2:10pm  Sessions

**THEMATIC**
**Session 145:** How Bodies Become Marked and the Stories They Tell
Room: Côte-St-Luc

*Sponsors:* Institutional Ethnography
Sport, Leisure, and the Body

*Organizers & Presiders:* Matthew Strang, York University
Alison Fisher, York University

*Discussant:* Gary Kinsman, Professor Emeritus, Laurentian University

*Papers:*


“Over, Under, Around, and Through: Navigating Non-Binary Gender within Binary Gendered Contexts,” Dylan Paré, University of Calgary and Tiffany Sostar, Community

“Narratives of the Wounded: How Patients are Institutionally Organized to Tell Their Stories through Their Wounds,” Nicola R. Waters, Thompson Rivers University and Janet Rankin, University of Calgary in Qatar

**THEMATIC**
**Session 146:** Narratives of Labor in the Global Economy
Room: Fontaine C

*Sponsors:* Global Labor Studies

*Organizers, Presiders & Discussants:* Noreen M. Sugrue, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Stephanie A. Limoncelli, Loyola Marymount University

*Papers:*

“One Transnational Project, Two Labor Regimes: The Workers’ Experience with Labor Process and Racialization on a Chinese Hydroelectric Project in Ecuador,” Rui Jie Peng, University of Texas at Austin, Winner of the Labor Studies Division’s Student Paper Competition

“Mapping Networks of Struggle: Drifting through Circuits of Precarious Employment Regimes in the Construction Industry,” Diego Avalos, Arizona State University

“Chinese Labor in the World-Economy: Workers, the State, and the Multinationals in Export Industries,” Wai Kit Choi, California State University, Los Angeles and David A. Smith, University of California, Irvine

**Session 147:** Policies, Actions, and Environmental In/Justice
Room: Fundy

*Sponsors:* Conflict, Social Action, and Change
Environment and Technology
Health, Health Policy, and Health Services

*Organizer & Presider:* Marko Salvaggio, Goucher College

*Papers:*

“Science for Compliance or Science for Resistance? Examining the Role of Citizens, Experts, and Governments in Volunteer Water Quality Programs,” Jaime McCauley, Coastal Carolina University


“Neoliberal Transitions: Understanding Shifts in Wisconsin’s Environmental Policy,” Sarah D’Onofrio, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

“Contested Waters: An Analysis of Indigenous Participation in Canadian Fisheries and Oceans Management,” Valerie Berseth and Ralph Matthews, University of British Columbia

“Financing Toxic Neighbors and Maintaining Environmental Injustices: Public Development Projects on Former Municipal Waste Sites in New Orleans,” Christopher Oliver, Tulane University

**THEMATIC**
**Session 148:** Narratives as Methods
Room: Hampstead

*Sponsor:* Program Committee

*Organizer & Presider:* Donileen R. Loseke, University of South Florida

*Papers:*


“Doing Lyrical Sociology: Living in Detroit,” Gregory Wurm, Brigham Young University

“The Active Nonhuman Interview,” Adrian Good, Rutgers University
Sunday, August 13, 12:30pm

“Using Visual Narratives to Explore the Lives of Academic Mothers,” Kristjane Nordmeyer and Jamie Joanou, Westminster College


THEMATIC Session 149: Narratives of Oppression and Resistance in the Context of Substance Use
Room: Jacques-Cartier

Sponsors: Drinking and Drugs
Social Problems Theory

Organizers & Presiders: Ellen Benoit, National Development and Research Institutes, Inc.
Aukje K. Lamonica, Southern Connecticut State University

Papers:

“We Will Continue to Drink Alcohol No Matter What’ Exploring Narratives of the Defiant Drinker and Alcohol Policy in Botswana,” Tebogo B. Sebeelo, University of Miami


“Subject, Agent, Object, Other: Zoom, PnP and Crystal Methamphetamine,” Dean Ray, York University, Winner of the Drinking and Drugs Division’s Student Paper Competition


Session 150: CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Teaching and Learning in the United States
Room: Lachine

Sponsor: Teaching Social Problems

Organizer: Lynn H. Green, Cheyney University of Pennsylvania

Facilitator: To Be Announced

Papers:

“Understanding Funding Inequalities in the American K-12 Public Education System,” John J. Lee, Northwestern University

“Demographic Analysis on Equal Access to Charter Schools in Chicago,” Qingyu Bu and Ruby Mendenhall, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

“The Importance of Mentoring: Helping Underrepresented Students Navigate the Complexities of Higher Education,” Sophie S. Alves, University of Arizona

“Students Who Leave College - Seen from the Inside,” Jacob Heller, SUNY Old Westbury

“The Humanities at Ground Zero: How to Rebuild and Reboot in a Time of Scarce Resources,” Glenda Jones, Jeffrey Sweat and Sarah Diebel, University of Wisconsin-Stout

“Decentering the US,” Beth Williford, Manhattanville College

“Interactive Pedagogies on Race through Culture,” Nikita Carney and Alex Kulick, University of California, Santa Barbara

Session 151: Feminists Telling Stories During Retirement
Room: Lasalle

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizers: Jean Elson, University of New Hampshire
Elizabeth Ettorre, University of Liverpool

Presider: Elizabeth Ettorre, University of Liverpool

Discussant: Barbara Katz Rothman, City University of New York

Description:

This session will be a critical discussion of two recently published books, *Gross Misbehavior and Wickedness: A Notorious Divorce in Early Twentieth-Century America* by Jean Elson and *Autoethnography as Feminist Method: Sensitising the feminist ‘I’* by Betsy Ettorre. The authors will discuss how their projects emerged during their retirement from academic life and how these projects allowed them to reflect upon their feminist practice. The discussant, Barbara Katz Rothman, will offer critical reflections on both books from a feminist perspective.

Panelists:

Jean Elson, University of New Hampshire
Elizabeth Ettorre, University of Liverpool
Barbara Katz Rothman, City University of New York
**Session 152: Re-imagining Schools: Alternative Narratives of Possibility for K-12 Schools**  
Room: Longueuil  
Sponsor: Educational Problems  
Organizer & Presider: Katie Kerstetter, George Mason University  
Discussant: Hava Rachel Gordon, University of Denver  

**Papers:**  
“Variation by Race, Socioeconomic Status, and Disability Status in 9th Graders’ Math and Science Potential and Learning Environments,” Dara Shifrer and Paul Deppen III, Portland State University  
“The Effects of a STEAM Focused Education on Female High School Students’ Academic Performance and Engagement in Risk-Taking Behaviors,” Lisa I. Speropolous, University of New Hampshire  

**Session 153: Teaching Sexuality and Sexual Responsibility**  
Room: Pointe-aux-Trembles  
Sponsors: Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities Society and Mental Health  
Organizer & Presider: Sandra E. Schroer, Muskingum University  
Discussant: Georgios P. Loizides, University of Wisconsin-Stout  

**Papers:**  
“I Was Having Sex 2 Years Before Somebody Told Me Not To: An Oral History of Abstinence-Only Sexuality Education in Ohio from 2001-2015,” Jacqueline Daugherty, Miami University  
“Making the Classroom, Making Sex Ed: An Ethnographic Inquiry into State Policy, Teachers’ Work, and Sexual Health Classrooms,” Katelin Albert, University of Toronto  
“Undergraduates’ Interpretations of Sexual Consent and Sexual Assault in Popular Media Portrayals of Sexual Interaction,” Nona Maria Gronert, University of Wisconsin-Madison

**Session 154: Law and In/Justice: When the Law Fails to be Just**  
Room: St-Lambert  
Sponsor: Law and Society  
Organizer, Presider & Discussant: Annulla Linders, University of Cincinnati  

**Papers:**  
“Fractured Identity and Wrongful Conviction,” Diana Rickard, Borough of Manhattan Community College, CUNY  
“Blue Lives Matter: Collective Identity, The Internet as a Safe Space, and The Internet as a Social Movement Resource,” Jennifer M. Stevens, University of Nevada, Las Vegas  
“Battered Women Behind Bars,” Rasha Aly-Vito, University of Cincinnati

**Session 155: Policy, Action, and Research in Housing and Homelessness**  
Room: St-Laurent  
Sponsors: Community Research and Development Poverty, Class, and Inequality Sociology and Social Welfare  
Organizers: Rahim Kurwa, University of California Patricia M. Chen, University of Texas at Dallas  
Presider: Patricia M. Chen, University of Texas at Dallas  
Discussant: Rahim Kurwa, University of California  

**Papers:**  
“Creating a Rural Housing Crisis: The Role of Economic Decline, Isolation, and Addiction in an Appalachian Community,” Rachel S. Ryding, University of Delaware and Stephen J. Sills, UNCG Center for Housing and Community Studies  
“Mothering In and Around the Shelter System,” Janet Garcia-Hallett, University of Missouri-Kansas City  
“Using Life Course Models to Determine the Health of Homeless Youth in Atlanta,” Erin Ruel and Eric R. Wright, Georgia State University  
“Who Gets ‘Housing First’?: Determining Eligibility in an Era of Housing First Homelessness,” Melissa Osborne, University of Chicago, Winner of the Sociology and Social Welfare Division’s Student Paper Competition
THEMATIC Session 156: Race, Crime, and Media Narratives
Room: St-Pierre

Sponsors: Crime and Juvenile Delinquency
Racial and Ethnic Minorities

Organizer & Presider: Stephani Williams, Northern Arizona University

Papers:
“Analyzing the Narratives and Impacts of Fictional Crime Dramas,” Stephani Williams and Kaitlin Sperling, Northern Arizona University, Kelley Nestuk, Arizona State University and Lori Berg, Northern Arizona University

“The Creation of Narrative and Counter Narrative of Police Videos: Social Constructionism and Impression Management,” Giovanna Follo, Wright State University-Lake Campus


“The Rise and Fall of Sambo in American Popular Culture,” Jacqueline Brooks, California State University, Sacramento

“Tuning in to Terrorism: Broadcast News and Framing Perpetrators of Mass Violence,” Reinmar Freis-Beattie, University of New Hampshire

Session 157: Community Living and Institutionalization
Room: Verdun

Sponsors: Disability
Family
Youth, Aging, and the Life Course

Organizer, Presider & Discussant: Brian R. Grossman, University of Illinois at Chicago

Papers:
“‘Like a Mini Prison:’ Constructions of Space in and After-Shelter,” Kristen A. Desjarlais-deKlerk, Medicine Hat College

“A Redesign of Community Occupational Therapy Practice to Promote Social Participation of Older Adults: Challenges and Issues of a Participatory Action Research,” Pier-Luc Turcotte, Annie Carrier and Mélanie Levasseur, Université de Sherbrooke

“A Reluctant Parsonian’s Experiential Critique of a Therapeutic Community: System without Lifeworld,” Kimberly Barton, Westfield State University

“The Formation of Friendships in a Recreational Program for Kids with Disabilities,” Hillary R. Steinberg, University of Colorado Boulder

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THEMATIC Session 158: How Bodies Become Marked and the Stories They Tell: Part II
Room: Côte-St-Luc

Sponsors: Institutional Ethnography
Sport, Leisure, and the Body

Organizers & Presiders: Matthew Strang, York University
Alison Fisher, York University

Papers:
“‘No Tough Guys Here’: The Organizational Gendering of Moral Masculinity,” Watoi Rabii, University at Buffalo, SUNY

“Survivor-Centric Sexual Assault Policy on Campus: An Institutional Ethnography of Sexual Assault Policy in Practice at York University,” Mandi M. Gray, York University

“The Epistemic Logic of Asylum Screening: (Dis)Embodiment and the Production of Asylum Knowledge in Brazil,” Katherine Jensen, University of Texas at Austin

“Trevis Smith: The Disruption of a Canadian Prairie Fantasy and the Construction of Racial Otherness,” Colin Hastings and Eric Mykhalovskiy, York University, Chris Sanders, Lakehead University and Laura Bisaillon, University of Toronto

“Embodiment and the Work of Being Bodied,” Alison Fisher and Matthew Strang, York University

Session 159: Disability and Work: The Visible and The Invisible
Room: Fontaine C

Sponsors: Disability
Labor Studies

Organizer: Mark Sherry, University of Toledo

Presider: Robert Gould, University of Illinois at Chicago

Papers:
“Awaking the Sleeping Giant of the American Workforce: Representations of Workers with Disabilities on the State-Fed VR Websites,” Andjela H. Kaur, University of Massachusetts Boston

“Changing Minds, Changing Futures: A Strategic Plan to Increase Family Expectations about Employment for Their Children with Disabilities,” Elizabeth C. Stone-Sterling, University of Massachusetts Boston
Session 159, continued

"Disability Inclusion and Organizational Change: Identifying Indicators of Progress," Robert Gould, Sarah Parker Harris and Anne Bowers, University of Illinois at Chicago

"Disability and Occupational Status," Alexandra Krause, Florida State University

"Sticks and Stones: Narratives of Emotional Coping Strategies of University Students with Disabilities," Melinda Leigh Maconi, University of South Florida

THEMATIC Session 160: The Disruption of Dominant Stories
Room: Fundy

Sponsor: Conflict, Social Action, and Change

Organizer & Presider: Ezra J. Temko, University of New Hampshire

Papers:

"This is Not to Be a Comfort to Us: Narrative Practices in Living Room Dialogues with White People Contemplating Racial Justice Activism," Timothy Corvidae, Northern Arizona University

"Grassroots Efforts to Frame and Disseminate an Indigenous Narrative about Resistance to the Dakota Access Pipeline at Standing Rock," Chris Dale, Bentley University

"Royall Must Fall: Old and New Battles on the Memory of Slavery in New England," Angie K. Beeman, Baruch College


"National Identities: Processes of Identification Among Poland's Jewish and LGBT+ Communities," Ian S. Bratcher, University of Michigan-Ann Arbor

Session 161: Science and Technology
Room: Hampstead

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizer: Amir B. Marvasti, Penn State Altoona

Presider: Thomas J. Burns, University of Oklahoma

Papers:

"Paradoxes of Science and Technology, and Their Implications for the Environment in the Third Millennium," Thomas J. Burns and Tom W. Boyd, University of Oklahoma

"Mobilizing in the Context of Uncertainty: Social Movement Organizations and Contentious Issues of Nanotechnology Safety, Governance, and Responsible Development," Cassandra Engeman, Uppsala University, Jennifer Rogers-Brown, Long Island University and Barbara Herr Harthorn, University of California, Santa Barbara

"Boston Saves: Building Trust in Government Using Technology," Kimberly D. Lucas, Brandeis University and Lauren Costello, Boston Planning and Development Agency

"Qualitative Case Study of Environmental Risk Perception in Southeastern Michigan Neighborhood," Brett Zeuner and Denise Reiling, Eastern Michigan University

"Predicting Concern for Sea Level Rise in an Urban EJ Community Using Latent Environmental and Health Factors," Victor W. Perez, University of Delaware

Session 162: Healthcare in the Wake of the Affordable Care Act
Room: Jacques-Cartier

Sponsor: Health, Health Policy, and Health Services

Organizer & Presider: Teresa L. Scheid, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Discussant: Dennis P. Watson, Indiana University – Purdue University Indianapolis

Description:

A critical policy issue is the impact of the Affordable Care Act, which has increased access to millions of Americans. Papers in this session examine the impact of the ACA on healthcare, and present theoretical models for understanding access to care.

Papers:

"Affordable Care Act Restricts Evidence-based Home Care," William Cabin, Temple University and Susan Havens-Lang, Havens Consultants, Inc.

"Lessons of the Affordable Care Act: Institutional Intermixing and Trump’s Promise that Competition will be Beautiful," Ethan J. Evans, University of California, Davis

"Sexual and Gender Identity Minority Experiences Across Healthcare Organizations: Theorizing Minority Stress in Context," Emily Allen Paine, University of Texas at Austin

"Critique, Reform, and Accountability: The Rise of Quantification in United States Health Care Delivery Policy, 1965-2015," Taylor M. Cruz, University of California, San Francisco, Winner of the Health, Health Policy, and Health Services Division’s Student Paper Competition
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**Session 163: CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Narratives of Exclusion: Constructing Walls**  
Room: Lachine

**Sponsor:** Social Problems Theory  
**Organizer:** Brian Monahan, Marywood University  
**Presider:** David C. Lane, University of South Dakota

**Papers:**

- “Mass Acceptance of Violent and Exclusionary Political Discourse: Symbolic Codes and Collective Emotional Experience,” Rebecca Blackwell, University of South Florida
- “An Examination of Housing Discrimination against LGBTQ Renters in Utah’s Rental Market,” Jessica L. Lucero, Molly Cannon, Gabriela Palomino and JoAnne Somers, Utah State University
- “Keeping Who Out: Visitation, Mail, and Telecommunication Policies in US Prison and Jails,” Jacqueline N. Henke and Lori Lundell, Purdue University
- “The Impact of Elite Domination and Media Influence on Public Opinion in the United States,” Curt Yowell, University of Texas at Austin
- “Hegemonic Whiteness in Public Media Narratives,” Laura Garbes, Brown University
- “Immigration, Austerity and the Crisis of Protection: The Case of Greece and Italy,” Emanuel Guay and Alessandro Drago, McGill University
- “Non-Political Politics: Externalizing the Social to Shut Down Debate,” Michael M. Bell, University of Wisconsin-Madison

**Session 164: Gender, Work and Poverty**  
Room: Lasalle

**Sponsors:** Poverty, Class, and Inequality  
**Organizers:** E. Brooke Kelly, University of North Carolina at Pembroke  
**Presider:** E. Brooke Kelly, University of North Carolina at Pembroke

**Papers:**

- “How Women Explain Poverty in Turkey,” Fatime Güneş, Anadolu University, Turkey
- “Mothers’ Nonstandard Employment, Family Structure, and Children’s Health Insurance Coverage,” Sojung Lim, Utah State University
- “Taking an Intersectional Approach to the Glass Ceiling: Race and Women’s Share of Management in US Workplaces,” Tiffany Taylor and Jacob Church, Kent State University, Katrina R. Bloch, Kent State University at Stark and Alison R. Buck, North Carolina State University

**Session 165: Education and the Significance of Place: Urban, Suburban, and Rural Contexts**  
Room: Longueuil

**Sponsors:** Community Research and Development  
**Organizer:** Shelley M. Kimeleberg, University at Buffalo, SUNY  
**Presider:** Todd Migliaccio, California State University, Sacramento

**Papers:**

- “Mapping the Landscapes of Bullying,” Todd Migliaccio and Mathew Schmidtlein, California State University, Sacramento
- “School Closings - Atlanta Style,” Tomeka Davis, Deirdre Oakley and Shanae Stover, Georgia State University
- “Separate and Unequal: What do School Accountability Labels Actually Measure in America’s Most Segregated Region?” Michael A. Miner, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
- “Building a Beautiful Safe Place for Lifelong Learners in Rainier Beach, Seattle,” ManChui R. Leung, University of Washington
**THEMATIC Session 166:** Narrating Sex, Narrating Bodies  
Room: Pointe-aux-Trembles

*Sponsor:* Program Committee

*Organizer & Discussant:* Sara L. Crawley, University of South Florida

*Presider:* Jessica M. Altice, University of South Florida

**Papers:**

“Transnationalizing the Heterosexual Matrix,” Vrushali Patil, Florida International University

“Not Enough: Rethinking Qualitative Approaches to Sexuality, Bodies, and Emotion,” Jessica Fields, San Francisco State University

“Competing Men’s Discourses of Sex Work and Human Trafficking,” Kari A. Lerum, University of Washington-Bothell

“Putting Gender on Ice: Comparing Gender Norms in Media Coverage of Elective Egg and Sperm Freezing,” Ashlyn M. Jaeger, University of California, Davis

**THEMATIC Session 167:** Law and In/Justice: Entanglements with the Law  
Room: St-Lambert

*Sponsor:* Law and Society

*Organizer & Presider:* Annulla Linders, University of Cincinnati

**Papers:**

“Policing Pleasure in the City: Determinants of Criminalization of Urban Youth,” Margaret S. Kelley, University of Kansas and Meggan J. Lee, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

“The Cycle of Violence Reified by the Criminal Legal System: Survivors of Intimate Partner Violence in Correctional Facilities,” Meggan J. Lee and Rebecca Morrow, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and Kristen Ethier, University of Chicago

“Another Uncertain Journey: Obstacles Migrant Victims of Crime Encounter in Their Attempts to Exercise Their Rights to Regularization and to Justice in Mexico,” Patricia E. Zamudio Grave, CIESAS-Golfo and María Auxiliadora Moreno Valenzuela, Universidad de Sonora


“Mental Health Court: Between Control and Support,” Audrey-Anne Dumais Michaud, Université du Québec à Montréal

“Homeowner Insurance and the Erosion of Housing Market Resilience to Hurricane Shocks,” Emanuel Ubert, University of Wisconsin-Madison


“The Culture of Spectaclization in the Long-Term Aftermath of Disaster: Lessons from Brad Pitt, Mardi Gras Indians, and David Simon’s Treme,” Daina Cheyenne Harvey, College of the Holy Cross

“Who Makes it on the Ark?: A Sociozoologic Scale for Japan,” Seven Marie Mattes, Michigan State University

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**THEMATIC Session 168:** Beyond Spectacles and Hashtags: Making Sense of Disasters in the 21st Century  
Room: St-Laurent

*Sponsor:* Program Committee

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**THEMATIC Session 169:** Race, Crime, and Media Narratives II  
Room: St-Pierre

*Sponsors:* Crime and Juvenile Delinquency  
Racial and Ethnic Minorities

*Organizer & Presider:* Stephani Williams, Northern Arizona University

**Papers:**


“From Ideology to Identity: Racial Meanings in the ‘War on Drugs’ Debate,” Michael Rosino, University of Connecticut

“I Faced for My Life: Law Enforcement’s Appeal to Murderous Empathy,” Martel A. Pipkins, Texas Woman’s University

“Reporting from the Whites of their Eyes: How the Mainstream Media promotes Racism in the News,” Sang Hea Kil, San Jose State University
"You Have to Know What to Look for: Using Victims’ Appearance to Justify the Anti-Human Trafficking Campaign in the United States," Billy James Ulibarri, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

**Session 170:** Changes in the Family across Generations  
Room: Verdun

**Sponsors:**  
Family  
Youth, Aging, and the Life Course

**Organizer & Presider:** Hyeyoung Woo, Portland State University

**Papers:**

"Childhood Discipline Experiences and Current Parental Beliefs," Jessica L. Burke and Jessica M. Doucet, Francis Marion University

"Fathers’ Gender Ideology and Early Caregiving for Children as Predictors of Later Caregiving Across Family Contexts," Rachel Teressa Macfarlane, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

"Black-White Multiracial and Adopted Children’s Oppression: Do White People See It?" Emmanuel Bernard Cannady, University of Notre Dame

"Explaining Both Reproduction and Weakening of the Patrilineal Marriage: The Case of Newlyweds in South Korea," Soomin Kim, Stanford University

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**Session 171:** The Technologies of Telling  
Room: Côte-St-Luc

**Sponsors:**  
Environment and Technology  
Institutional Ethnography

**Organizer:** Cheryl Zurawski, Athabasca University

**Presider & Discussant:** Alison I. Griffith, York University

**Description:**

Technologies tell particular stories. Sometimes, these stories are constructed from data already embedded in the technologies. The stories are there for the telling but they are only recounted when the technologies are activated by the people who use them. Other times, stories cannot be constructed until people enter data into the technologies. These stories are incomplete and not ready to be told until the act of data entry generates the report, read-out or other form of narrative or numerical representation that people then read and respond to in some way. This session invites papers that explicate the part that technologically-generated stories play in the social organization of knowledge. More specifically, it is interested in papers that draw attention to the unintended consequences technologically-generated stories produce when their moral (i.e., central theme or message) is expressed from the standpoint of institutions or organizations rather than the standpoint of the actualities of people’s everyday lives.

**Papers:**

"‘It Makes it so Hard to Write a Narrative’: Electronic Health Records and the (Re)Organization of Patient Notes," Carrie Elliott, Syracuse University

"Here it is, There it Goes: An Institutional Ethnography of Gender Based Violence in Schools," Alison Fisher, York University

"How Technologies Coordinate the Way Health Professionals Practice: Nurses and Occupational Therapists Working in Québec Public Healthcare System," Sophie Pomerleau, Université d’Ottawa and Annie Carrier, Université de Sherbrooke

"Strange(r) Things: Narrative, Expectation, and Television," Abigail M. Letak, Kerem Morgul and Michael M. Bell, University of Wisconsin-Madison

**Session 172:** Race and the Working Poor  
Room: Fontaine C

**Sponsors:**  
Labor Studies  
Racial and Ethnic Minorities

**Organizers:** Michael Rosino, University of Connecticut  
Corey Dolgon, Stonehill College

**Presider:** Corey Dolgon, Stonehill College

**Description:**

This session focuses on the intersection of racial oppression and class exploitation. We hope to explore issues such as racial capitalism, how racial ideologies and patterns of exclusion affect economic systems and labor markets, and how the politics of race and class influence policy formation and power relations. We are looking forward to insightful discussions and groundbreaking research in these areas.

**Papers:**

"Calcifying Migrant Precarity: Racializations of Day Laborers and Wage Theft in Metropolitan Denver," Daniel Olmos, University of Denver

"How Online Anonymity Fuels Systematic Oppression: Using Symbolic Annihilation and Violence to Analyze Welfare Recipient Discourse," Stephanie M. Baran, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
Session 172, continued

“How Racial Formation and Inequality Happen in Urban Housing Markets,” Elizabeth Korver-Glenn, University of New Mexico, Winner of the Social Problems Theory Division’s Student Paper Competition

“Lessons from the League of Revolutionary Black Workers: Race, Class, and Movement Leadership for the Current Moment,” Walda Katz-Fishman, Howard University, Jerome Scott, League of Revolutionaries for a New America and Ralph Gomes, Howard University

“Racial Differences in Worker Outcomes among Home Health Aides,” Scott Landes and Suzie Weng, University of North Florida

THEMATIC Session 173: Challenging and Resisting Neo/Liberalism in Sexualities Activism and Research
Room: Fundy

Sponsor: Conflict, Social Action, and Change

Organizer, Presider & Discussant: Crystal A. Jackson, John Jay College-City University of New York

Papers:

“‘Sex Workers’ Rights are Human Rights’: An Investigation of the Political Economy of ‘New’ Movements,” Emily Coombes, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

“When Porn Comes to Town’ - Insights and Critical Reflections of Studying an Adult Entertainment Expo from a Sex Positive Feminist Standpoint,” Crystal A. Jackson, John Jay College-City University of New York, Barbara G. Brens, University of Nevada, Las Vegas and Paul J Maginn, University of Western Australia

“An Intersectional Analysis of News Reports Concerning the 2016 Pulse Nightclub Shooting in Orlando,” Doug Meyer, University of Virginia

“Sex Work, Migration and Trafficking in NYC– Preliminary Findings from the Sexual Humanitarianism Study,” Heidi Hoefinger, Berkeley College & John Jay College CUNY and Nicola Mai, Kingston University

Session 174: Acing the Sociological Imagination: Success Stories Teaching Introduction to Sociology
Room: Hampstead

Sponsors: Social Problems Theory
Teaching Social Problems

Organizers: Lynn H. Green, Cheyney University of Pennsylvania
David C. Lane, University of South Dakota

Presider: David C. Lane, University of South Dakota

Papers:

“Integrating Applied Research and Theorizing in Undergraduate Sociology Courses,” Chris Wellin, Illinois State University

“Making Room for Methods: Using Extended Research Projects in Non-Methods Courses to Develop Future Sociologists and to Fight Social Problems at the University,” Daniel J. Bartholomay, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

“Teaching Foundational Sociology Courses with Jazz Hands: Creating a Desire for a Sociological Imagination,” Gwendolyn Purifoye, North Park University and Kyle R. Woolley, Loyola University Chicago

“The Value of Intersectional Frameworks in Building Sociological Imaginations,” Rebecca Collins-Nelsen, McMaster University

“Contrary Social Constructions of a Social Problem and their Complementarity,” Keith R. Johnson, Independent Scholar

THEMATIC Session 175: Narratives of International Migration
Room: Jacques-Cartier

Sponsor: Global

Organizer & Presider: Stephanie A. Limoncelli, Loyola Marymount University

Papers:

“Solidarity or Sanctuary? A Global Strategy for Migrant Rights,” Amy Foerster, Pace University

“Welcoming Immigrants in Unwelcome Times: Attracting and Retaining New Americans as an Effort to Stem Population Decline in Baltimore, Maryland,” Elizabeth J. Clifford, Towson University

“Using Gender Norms for Policing Marriage Fraud in U.S. Immigration,” Gina Marie Longo, University of Wisconsin-Madison

“Citizenship in the Global South: Policing Irregular Migrants and Eroding Citizenship Rights in Mexico,” Heidy Sarabia, California State University, Sacramento

“From DPs to Deportistas: Challenges to the ‘Deported’ Narrative by Deported Salvadorans,” Kelly Birch Maginot, Michigan State University

Session 176: PAPERS IN THE ROUND: Health, Health Policy, and Health Services
Room: Outremont

Sponsor: Health, Health Policy, and Health Services

Organizer: Paul Draus, University of Michigan-Dearborn
Roundtable #1 Title: Population Health and Health Policy

**Presider:** Juliette Roddy, University of Michigan-Dearborn

**Papers:**

“Determinants of Government Involvement in Obesity Control among American Adults,” Ami R. Moore, University of North Texas

“Does Gentrification Keep You up at Night? Exploring the Association Between Stress-Related Health Outcomes and Gentrification,” Elaina Johns-Wolfe and Aalap Bommaraju, University of Cincinnati

“Futile Knowledge: Medicare Denies Evidence-Based Care,” William Cabin, Temple University

“Medical Device Ancestry, the FDA, and Population Health Risks,” Shelley K. White and Abigail Walters, Simmons College

Roundtable #2 Title: Race, Ethnicity and Health

**Presider:** Ethel Nicdao, University of the Pacific

**Papers:**


“Ethnic Differences in Opinions toward Legalizing Abortion: The Case of Asian Americans,” Bohsiu Wu and Aya Ida, California State University, Sacramento

“Medicalization and the Health of U.S. Latinos: A Theoretical Consideration of Their Nexus,” Kristin Kay Barker and Mario Javier Chavez, University of New Mexico and Marilyn Garcia, University of Texas at El Paso

“Racialized Legal Status as a Social Determinant of Health,” Asad L. Asad and Matthew Clair, Harvard University


Roundtable #3 Title: Culture, Stigma and Mental Health

**Presider:** To be Announced

**Papers:**

“Cross-Cultural Differences in Construction of Post-Partum Depression,” Harmony D. Newman, Mariah Lewis-Elliott and Lauren McDonald, University of Northern Colorado

“Digital Media & Children’s Health and Well-Being,” Yuying Shen, Norfolk State University and Ami R. Moore, University of North Texas

“Mental Illness, Gun Violence and the Creation of a Moral Panic,” Sandra Lee Browning and Shamma Hickling, University of Cincinnati

“Professionalized Morality: Stigma and Personal Choice in Medical Professionals,” Sofia Pedroza, University of California, Irvine

“The Costs of Isolation: An Examination of the Association between Social Integration and Physical and Mental Health,” Bonnie Ha Khanh Bui, University of California, Irvine

Roundtable #4 Title: Health Care Settings and Physician Interactions

**Presider:** Paul Draus, University of Michigan-Dearborn

**Papers:**


“Implementation of a Person-Centered Medical Care Model in a Skilled Nursing Facility: A Pilot Evaluation,” Kathleen Abrahamson, Purdue University, Arif Nazir, Signature Health Care and Jaclyn Myers, Purdue University

“Organizational Role and Perception of Organizational Safety Culture,” Kathleen Abrahamson, Purdue University, Rong Fu, Siena College, Karis Presssler, Purdue University, Bradley R. Fulton and Kristopher H. Morgan, Press Ganey Associates, Inc. and James Anderson, Purdue University

“Power Dynamics in the Clinic and the Making of Staff Selves,” Susan G. Miller, Yvette Cuca and Carol Dawson-Rose, University of California, San Francisco

Roundtable #5 Title: Environment, Housing and Health

**Presider:** Carmel E. Price, University of Michigan-Dearborn

**Papers:**


“Meanings of ‘Green Parenting’: An Application of Social Practice Theory to how Parents of Young Children Understand their Efforts to Live Sustainably,” Debbie McCarthy Auriffeille, College of Charleston

“Substandard Housing and Pediatric Asthma: Using Geospatial Data Surveillance to Inform an Asthma-Reduction Initiative,” Stephen J. Sills, UNCG Center for Housing and Community Studies and Kenneth J. Gruber, UNCG Center for Family, Youth and Community Partnerships
Session 176, continued

“What’s Food Got to Do With It? The Medicalization of Food in Everyday Life,” Rachel Bogan, The Graduate Center, CUNY

Roundtable #6 Title: Gender, Sexuality and Health

Presider: Alice Cepeda, University of Southern California

Papers:

“Developing Inclusive Place-Based Research to Improve Health Care in Transgender Communities: Using Community Engagement to Guide Research Practice,” Danielle Albright, Gabrielle D. Abousleman, Linda J. Penaloza and Cameron Crandall, University of New Mexico

“LGBTQ Patients and Physicians: Does the white coat represent the rainbow?” Lindsay A. Toman, Wayne State University

“Promoting Health Behaviors through Projection Mapping: Effectiveness of an HIV Education and Harm Reduction Intervention among Active Crack Users in Mexico City,” Alice Cepeda, University of Southern California, Kathryn Nowotny, University of Miami, Jessica Frankeberger and Avelardo Valdez, University of Southern California

“Re-Imagining Birth: Feminist Perspectives on Moms Who Choose Out of Hospital Birth,” Alexandra A. Kisitu, University of Hawai‘i, Mānoa

Session 177: Genders, Sexualities, and Bodies

Room: Pointe-aux-Trembles

Sponsors: Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities
Sport, Leisure, and the Body

Organizer & Presider: Marni Brown, Georgia Gwinnett College

Papers:

“Ballsy Women On and Off the Court: The Intersection of Female Masculinity, Sexuality and Race in Sport,” Anna Russian, Indiana University Bloomington

“Gender, Race, and Aggression in Mainstream Pornography,” Eran Shor, McGill University

“Marked in His Flesh: A Study of the Relationship between Male Circumcision, Sexual Experience, Body Satisfaction, and Beliefs,” Lauren M. Sardi, Quinnipiac University, Brian D. Earp, Yale University and William A. Jellison, Quinnipiac University

“Ruin My Body to Save My Soul? An Autoethnography on Becoming a Roller Derby Athlete,” Amanda Draft, Wayne State University

“The Prevalence of Sexual Violence against Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, or Questioning Students: Identifying Factors Related to Sexual Violence Victimization for Students in the Sexual Minority,” Lindsey Blumenstein and Bradley A. Myrstol, University of Alaska, Anchorage

THEMATIC Session 178: Law and Narrative, Narrating Law

Room: St-Lambert

Sponsor: Law and Society

Organizer: Jay Borchert, John Jay College of Criminal Justice

Presider: Suzy McElrath, University of Minnesota

Papers:

“Narrative Failure and Fear in Ferguson,” Zoe Carey, New School for Social Research

“Narratives of Legal Competence: The Story of Indeterminacy in Legal Education,” Michael W. Raphael, The Graduate Center, CUNY


“The Head of the Family: State and Lineage in China,” Juan Wang, McGill University and Hongqin Mu, Shantou University

Session 179: Population, Space, and Community

Room: St-Laurent

Sponsor: Program Committee

Organizer: Amir B. Marvasti, Penn State Altoona

Presider & Discussant: Jochen Wirsing, University of New Hampshire

Papers:

“Population Dynamics in Nunavut, Canada,” Jochen Wirsing, University of New Hampshire

“Religious Coping and the Job Loss Experience: A Qualitative Study of Older, Unemployed Workers,” Annette Nierobisz, Carleton College and Dana Sawchuk, Wilfrid Laurier University
Session 180: Mental Health, Juvenile Delinquency, and Crime
Room: St-Pierre

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          Society and Mental Health
          Youth, Aging, and the Life Course

Organizer & Presider: Teague O'Neil Schoessow, Miami University

Papers:

“Early Trauma, Self-Control and Teen Dating Violence,” Roger M. Kernsmith and Madison Trace, Eastern Michigan University

“Education as a Means for Cultivating Mental Wellness in Canadian Youth,” Suzanne E. Wood and Satinder Virdi, University of Victoria

“Exploring Grade Retention Among Children with Chronic Health Conditions through a Developmental Framework,” Jenny Nguyen, Decision Information Resources, Inc., Melanie Hinojosa, Ramon Hinojosa, Boniface Noyongoyo and Rameika Newman, University of Central Florida

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2018 Theme: Abolitionist Approaches to Social Problems

“Be faithful, be vigilant, be untiring in your efforts to break every yoke, and let the oppressed go free.” –William Lloyd Garrison

“If there is no struggle, there is no progress.” –Frederick Douglass

“Fight for the right to live, love, and work wherever you please.” –The Repeal Coalition of Arizona (an immigrant rights group)

In the 18th and 19th centuries, abolitionist developed strong movements demanding the end of slavery. In the United States, individuals like Gerrit Smith, Harriet Tubman, Frederick Douglass, the Grimke sisters, and John Brown called for the immediate end to the enslavement of their fellow humans, and were unrelenting in their actions to reach their goals. These were zealots, individuals who were unapologetic about their demands. For instance, in 1855, abolitionists issued a call for an inaugural convention of Radical Abolitionists. It stated,

We want [people] at this crisis who cannot be frightened from the advocacy of our “radical” doctrines, because of their unpopularity . . . Let us not, then, grow weary, but believing that “whatever is RIGHT, IS PRACTICAL,” go forth with renewed determination to conquer, though we die in the conflict. (In The Black Hearts of Men, John Stauffer, p. 12)

As we face modern social problems, we can find inspiration in the Abolitionist Movement. As we see Latino, Black, and Indigenous youth killed and imprisoned at disproportionate rates, we need strategies to stop racial subjugation. As we witness the call for larger walls at our borders, we need new thoughts of liberation. As we confront patriarchy and economic inequality, we require stronger practices. To that end, the theme for the 2018 SSSP Annual Meeting is Abolitionist Approaches to Social Problems.
The SSSP has a long history of experimentation, inviting critique of ideas and concepts as it pushes towards a continual reimagining of social justice. In the current incarnation, we invite participants to help us develop ways to abolish social problems entirely, to think through what is required to eliminate systems of subjugation, and to document the current struggles that are already leading the way in these efforts. This will require not just a rethinking of how to confront social problems, but also a rediscovering of buried histories, of hidden struggles, and of ideas that are submerged below the surface. It is time, once again, to remember that *what is right is practical* and to be unafraid of principles that are unpopular.

To this end, the program committee will be inviting speakers, organizing thematic sessions, and assembling panels of scholars-activist who are confronting capitalism, colonialism, patriarchy, and other forms of subjugation. We also invite you to submit proposals that match the theme.

It is our hope that this year’s theme provides us with an opportunity to have an earnest discussion on the possibilities of developing and implementing strategies that eradicate subjugation. We invite you to engage in our efforts. We hope to see you in Philadelphia, a city steeped in an abolitionist tradition.

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