

2021 Virtual Annual Meeting Attendance Report by Divisions and Program Committee

*Attendance number includes those that attended the session and those that watched the session recording thru 8/16.

Community Research and Development			
Session #	Session/Meeting Name	Sponsor(s)	Attendance*
1	Gentrification, Migration, and Decline: City and Community Change	Community Research and Development	27
9	Social Movements and Community Organizing for Criminal Justice Reform - Thematic	Law and Society Conflict, Social Action, and Change Community Research and Development	18
18	Social Control and Policing Communities and Cities	Crime and Juvenile Delinquency Community Research and Development Racial and Ethnic Minorities Law and Society	28
31	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Shifting Demographics, Race, Ethnicity, and Community Identity in the Current Political Climate	Community Research and Development	21
40	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Activist Café: Community Activists and Scholars in Dialogue	Conflict, Social Action, and Change Gender Community Research and Development	24
49	Social Control and Policing Communities and Cities II	Racial and Ethnic Minorities Law and Society Community Research and Development Crime and Juvenile Delinquency	Cancelled
59	Intersectionality, Capacity, and Adaptation in Disaster Response	Sociology and Social Welfare Family Society and Mental Health Community Research and Development	13
67	Social Control and Policing Communities and Cities III	Racial and Ethnic Minorities Law and Society Crime and Juvenile Delinquency Community Research and Development	20
75	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Social Impact of and Responses to the Covid-19 Pandemic in Global Communities	Community Research and Development	14
83	Beyond Migration: The Role of (Im)mobility in Community Inclusion and Exclusion	Program Committee Community Research and Development Transnational Virtual Initiatives Committee (Ad Hoc) Transnational Initiatives Committee	15
95	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Classroom Community Development: Fostering Healing, Hope, and Revolution in the Classroom	Teaching Social Problems Community Research and Development	22
102	Vulnerable Populations, Social Isolation, and Resilience	Sociology and Social Welfare Society and Mental Health Family Community Research and Development	17
110	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Loss and Healing in the Community	Youth, Aging, and the Life Course Sociology and Social Welfare Society and Mental Health Family Community Research and Development	10
118	Community Public Health and Racial, Ethnic, and Socio-economic Inequality	Community Research and Development Health, Health Policy, and Health Services	9

Conflict, Social Action, and Change			
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2	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Women and Justice: Rehabilitation, Resistance, Reflexivity and the Self in Institutional Spaces	Institutional Ethnography Conflict, Social Action, and Change	37
9	Social Movements and Community Organizing for Criminal Justice Reform - Thematic	Law and Society Conflict, Social Action, and Change Community Research and Development	18
32	Environmental Activism: Communication, Mobilization, and Policy	Conflict, Social Action, and Change Environment and Technology	22
40	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Activist Café: Community Activists and Scholars in Dialogue	Conflict, Social Action, and Change Gender Community Research and Development	24
60	Theorizing Revolution: Liberation, Populism, and Charismatic Mobilization	Conflict, Social Action, and Change Social Problems Theory	13
100	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Social Movements and Resistance Strategies that Work	Conflict, Social Action, and Change	11
111	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: A Theology of Hope: Religion, Justice, and Social Change in America	Conflict, Social Action, and Change	10
Crime and Juvenile Delinquency			
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11	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Sexual Violence, Power, and Justice	Gender Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities Crime and Juvenile Delinquency	22
18	Social Control and Policing Communities and Cities	Crime and Juvenile Delinquency Community Research and Development Racial and Ethnic Minorities Law and Society	28
43	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Racial Justice, Reconstruction, Abolition, and the Criminal Justice System	Crime and Juvenile Delinquency	27
49	Social Control and Policing Communities and Cities II	Racial and Ethnic Minorities Law and Society Community Research and Development Crime and Juvenile Delinquency	Cancelled
67	Social Control and Policing Communities and Cities III	Racial and Ethnic Minorities Law and Society Crime and Juvenile Delinquency Community Research and Development	20
76	Schools, Punishment, and Juvenile Justice	Youth, Aging, and the Life Course Educational Problems Law and Society Crime and Juvenile Delinquency	22
96	Theorizing Juvenile Delinquency, Drugs, and Precarity	Crime and Juvenile Delinquency Social Problems Theory	13
103	Pathways to Re-entry	Crime and Juvenile Delinquency	10

Disability			
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4	Disability, Family, and Care in the Covid-19 Era	Disability Youth, Aging, and the Life Course	16
21	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Disability and the Future of Work in a Post-Pandemic Economy	Disability Labor Studies	13
41	Disability Revolution: Of Oracles, Intersections, and Equality - Thematic	Disability	13
50	Transformative Technology and the Growing Digital Divide: Educational Promise and Peril	Environment and Technology Disability Educational Problems	18
62	The Future of Disability Rights in a Post-Pandemic World - Thematic	Disability	21
70	Revolutionizing the Disability Experience - Thematic	Disability	17
113	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Covid-19, Disability, & the Politics of Education	Educational Problems Institutional Ethnography Disability	16
Drinking and Drugs			
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22	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Harnessing Social Movements for Social Change	Drinking and Drugs	15
52	PAPERS IN THE ROUND: Drinking and Drugs	Drinking and Drugs	14
78	Sustaining Policy and Practice Change beyond Covid-19	Drinking and Drugs Sociology and Social Welfare	15
86	Revolutionary Approaches to Drug Treatment and Harm Reduction - Thematic	Drinking and Drugs	21
112	The Impact of Covid-19 on People Who Use Drugs, Drug Treatment, and Harm Reduction	Drinking and Drugs Health, Health Policy, and Health Services	16
119	Innovative Harm Reduction Strategies from Across the Globe	Drinking and Drugs	14
Educational Problems			
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5	Students on the Margins of Education	Educational Problems	29
13	Students on the Margins of Education II	Educational Problems	19
47	Immigrant Youth and Access to Higher Education	Educational Problems	10
50	Transformative Technology and the Growing Digital Divide: Educational Promise and Peril	Environment and Technology Disability Educational Problems	18
76	Schools, Punishment, and Juvenile Justice	Youth, Aging, and the Life Course Educational Problems Law and Society Crime and Juvenile Delinquency	22

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84	Race, Family and Community Cultural Wealth	Educational Problems Family	15
105	Radical Imagination, Global Social Change and Empowerment in Higher Education - Thematic	Educational Problems	12
113	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Covid-19, Disability, & the Politics of Education	Educational Problems Institutional Ethnography Disability	16
Environment and Technology			
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14	Theorizing Environment and Society in the Anthropocene	Environment and Technology Social Problems Theory	21
23	Theorizing Environment and Society in the Anthropocene II	Social Problems Theory Environment and Technology	23
32	Environmental Activism: Communication, Mobilization, and Policy	Conflict, Social Action, and Change Environment and Technology	22
50	Transformative Technology and the Growing Digital Divide: Educational Promise and Peril	Environment and Technology Disability Educational Problems	18
71	Confronting Compounding Crises: The Intersection of Social, Economic, and Environmental Inequalities in the 21st Century	Environment and Technology Labor Studies	15
87	Food Justice in Practice: Perspectives from Activists and Reckoning with the Role of Scholarship	Environment and Technology	12
114	Gender and Global Climate Change	Gender Global Environment and Technology	11
Family			
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24	Covid-19 and Families	Family Global	13
44	Social Movements and the Family - Thematic	Family	17
59	Intersectionality, Capacity, and Adaptation in Disaster Response	Sociology and Social Welfare Family Society and Mental Health Community Research and Development	13
84	Race, Family and Community Cultural Wealth	Educational Problems Family	15
102	Vulnerable Populations, Social Isolation, and Resilience	Sociology and Social Welfare Society and Mental Health Family Community Research and Development	17
110	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Loss and Healing in the Community	Youth, Aging, and the Life Course Sociology and Social Welfare Society and Mental Health Family Community Research and Development	10

Global			
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7	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Rise of Authoritarian Regimes	Global	27
15	Poverty and Inequality in the Global Context	Global	13
24	Covid-19 and Families	Family Global	13
42	Being Made Vulnerable in the Era of Covid-19: Global Responses and Perspectives	Health, Health Policy, and Health Services Global	23
51	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Labor and the Global Economy	Global Labor Studies	20
69	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Towards a Revolutionary Sociology: Voices for Global Justice and Healing	Global	9
97	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Space, Migration, and the (Trans)Formation of Global Inequality	Global Poverty, Class, and Inequality	17
114	Gender and Global Climate Change	Gender Global Environment and Technology	11
120	Negotiating Neoliberalism: Contestation and Co-optation in the Global South	Global	13
Health, Health Policy, and Health Services			
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25	PAPERS IN THE ROUND: Health, Healthcare, and Health Policy	Health, Health Policy, and Health Services	8
42	Being Made Vulnerable in the Era of Covid-19: Global Responses and Perspectives	Health, Health Policy, and Health Services Global	23
54	Translating Health Care Research into Action	Health, Health Policy, and Health Services	18
63	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Revolution, Reconstruction, and the Human Right to Health: A Calling for Sociology	Health, Health Policy, and Health Services	10
112	The Impact of Covid-19 on People Who Use Drugs, Drug Treatment, and Harm Reduction	Drinking and Drugs Health, Health Policy, and Health Services	16
118	Community Public Health and Racial, Ethnic, and Socio-economic Inequality	Community Research and Development Health, Health Policy, and Health Services	9
Institutional Ethnography			
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2	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Women and Justice: Rehabilitation, Resistance, Reflexivity and the Self in Institutional Spaces	Institutional Ethnography Conflict, Social Action, and Change	37
10	Health Services and Health Policies: Transforming Institutions	Institutional Ethnography Society and Mental Health	24
37	Institutional Ethnography in Support of Decolonization - Thematic	Institutional Ethnography	27
46	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Institutional Ethnography as an Alternative Revolutionary Sociology around the World	Institutional Ethnography	33
65	New Directions in the Social Organization of Knowledge	Institutional Ethnography	36
73	Concluding Thoughts	Institutional Ethnography	27
99	Reflexivity and the Self in Institutional Spaces	Gender Institutional Ethnography	19
113	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Covid-19, Disability, & the Politics of Education	Educational Problems Institutional Ethnography Disability	16

Labor Studies			
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3	Gender and Work	Gender Labor Studies	22
21	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Disability and the Future of Work in a Post-Pandemic Economy	Disability Labor Studies	13
51	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Labor and the Global Economy	Global Labor Studies	20
71	Confronting Compounding Crises: The Intersection of Social, Economic, and Environmental Inequalities in the 21st Century	Environment and Technology Labor Studies	15
79	Precurity: The Growth of the Non-standard Workforce, the Social Consequences, Workforce, and Organizational Responses	Labor Studies	13
101	Chicago Labor: From Whose Broad Shoulders Shall We Rise?	Labor Studies Program Committee	10
115	Reflections and Lessons from the 10th Anniversary of the Wisconsin Uprising - Thematic	Labor Studies	6
Law and Society			
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34	Gender, Sexuality, and the Law	Law and Society Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities	18
48	Author Meets Critics: Trenita Brookshire Childers, <i>In Someone Else's Country: Anti-Haitian Racism and Citizenship in the Dominican Republic</i>	Racial and Ethnic Minorities Law and Society	8
49	Social Control and Policing Communities and Cities II	Racial and Ethnic Minorities Law and Society Community Research and Development Crime and Juvenile Delinquency	Cancelled
67	Social Control and Policing Communities and Cities III	Racial and Ethnic Minorities Law and Society Crime and Juvenile Delinquency Community Research and Development	20
76	Schools, Punishment, and Juvenile Justice	Youth, Aging, and the Life Course Educational Problems Law and Society Crime and Juvenile Delinquency	22
89	Crimmigration Law and the Limitations of Citizenship	Law and Society	18
108	Cultural Wars and the Law	Law and Society	12
116	Law and Injustice: Can Law Repair the Harms of Systemic Racism? - Thematic	Law and Society	19
121	Gender, Sexuality, and the Law II	Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities Law and Society	8

Poverty, Class, and Inequality			
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8	End Inequality: Transformations in Disparities Research and Interventions - Thematic	Sociology and Social Welfare Poverty, Class, and Inequality	23
16	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: The End of White World Supremacy: Time for Radical Race, Class, and Gender Revolution	Poverty, Class, and Inequality	38
35	Author Meets Critics: Reuben J. Miller, <i>Halfway Home: Race, Punishment, and the Afterlife of Mass Incarceration</i>	Poverty, Class, and Inequality Racial and Ethnic Minorities	18
66	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Revolutionizing and Radicalizing Poverty Definitions	Poverty, Class, and Inequality	18
74	Revolutionary Housing: Innovative Strategies to Restructure Rent Arrears, Eviction, and Other Housing Issues - Thematic	Poverty, Class, and Inequality	18
82	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: The Organizational Dynamics of Racial/Ethnic Inequality	Racial and Ethnic Minorities Poverty, Class, and Inequality	19
97	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Space, Migration, and the (Trans)Formation of Global Inequality	Global Poverty, Class, and Inequality	17
117	Intersectional Capitalism: Past, Present, and Future	Poverty, Class, and Inequality Racial and Ethnic Minorities	15
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109	The Relevance of Racial Capitalism to Today's Moment	Racial and Ethnic Minorities	15
117	Intersectional Capitalism: Past, Present, and Future	Poverty, Class, and Inequality Racial and Ethnic Minorities	15
122	Covid-19, Criminal (in)Justice, and Racism	Racial and Ethnic Minorities	18
Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities			
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20	Queer Communities, Space, and Identities	Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities	18
34	Gender, Sexuality, and the Law	Law and Society Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities	18
64	Queer, Trans*, and Gender(ed) Lived Realities	Gender Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities	17
90	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Sexualities on the Edge	Sexual Behavior, Politics, and Communities	16
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23	Theorizing Environment and Society in the Anthropocene II	Social Problems Theory Environment and Technology	23
36	The Crisis of Expert Legitimacy	Social Problems Theory	21
45	Problematizing Classical Sociological Knowledge & Classes	Teaching Social Problems Social Problems Theory	33
60	Theorizing Revolution: Liberation, Populism, and Charismatic Mobilization	Conflict, Social Action, and Change Social Problems Theory	13
68	Shame, Stigma, and Society	Youth, Aging, and the Life Course Social Problems Theory	22
91	New Work in Social Problems Theory	Social Problems Theory	20
96	Theorizing Juvenile Delinquency, Drugs, and Precarity	Crime and Juvenile Delinquency Social Problems Theory	13
107	Contagion and Climate Change: Theorizing the Pandemic, Pollution, and Inequality	Social Problems Theory	13
Society and Mental Health			
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10	Health Services and Health Policies: Transforming Institutions	Institutional Ethnography Society and Mental Health	24
19	Institutions, Identity, and Well-Being	Society and Mental Health	14
38	Migration, Immigration, and Mental Health	Society and Mental Health	15
59	Intersectionality, Capacity, and Adaptation in Disaster Response	Sociology and Social Welfare Family Society and Mental Health Community Research and Development	13
81	Mind, Body, and Fitness	Sport, Leisure, and the Body Society and Mental Health	10
102	Vulnerable Populations, Social Isolation, and Resilience	Sociology and Social Welfare Society and Mental Health Family Community Research and Development	17
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Sport, Leisure, and the Body			
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17	The Body in Global Perspective	Sport, Leisure, and the Body	13
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Teaching Social Problems			
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80	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Making a Difference: Teaching Social Change and Empowering Students	Teaching Social Problems	33
95	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Classroom Community Development: Fostering Healing, Hope, and Revolution in the Classroom	Teaching Social Problems Community Research and Development	22
Youth, Aging, and the Life Course			
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68	Shame, Stigma, and Society	Youth, Aging, and the Life Course Social Problems Theory	22
76	Schools, Punishment, and Juvenile Justice	Youth, Aging, and the Life Course Educational Problems Law and Society Crime and Juvenile Delinquency	22
88	Activism over the Life Course	Youth, Aging, and the Life Course	22
98	Youth, Aging, and Life Course Theory-Research, Practice, and Policy	Youth, Aging, and the Life Course	11
110	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: Loss and Healing in the Community	Youth, Aging, and the Life Course Sociology and Social Welfare Society and Mental Health Family Community Research and Development	10
Program Committee			
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26	Zombie Sociology: Poverty and Culture - Thematic	Program Committee	20
27	OPENING PLENARY: Decolonizing Sociology: In Pursuit of Truth, Healing, Reparations and Restructuring	Bristol University Press Home of Policy Press Program Committee	123
28	Movie Night I: <i>A Reckoning in Boston</i>	Program Committee	10
29	Movie Night II: <i>Conscience Point</i>	Program Committee	14
30	Movie Night III: <i>Rebel Bells</i>	Program Committee	12
33	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: The Global Political Economy of Covid-19 Pandemic: The Impact of and Responses from Civil Society and International Community	Transnational Virtual Initiatives Committee (Ad Hoc) Transnational Initiatives Committee Program Committee	21
39	Managing Families and Professional Responsibilities	Program Committee	13
55	On Publishing . . . in <i>Social Problems</i> and elsewhere	Program Committee	40
56	SSSP Business Meeting	Program Committee	55
57	Awards Ceremony	Program Committee	75
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61	Developing Feminist Leadership and Research on Movements and Indigenous Communities in the Global South - Thematic	Transnational Initiatives Committee Transnational Virtual Initiatives Committee (Ad Hoc) Program Committee	14
77	Islamophobia and Anti-Muslim Racism	Program Committee	18

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85	The Academic Job Market	Program Committee	25
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93	Presidential Address	Program Committee	72
94	After Talk Social Gathering	Program Committee	19
101	Chicago Labor: From Whose Broad Shoulders Shall We Rise?	Labor Studies Program Committee	10
104	CRITICAL DIALOGUE: The Rise of and Opposition to Authoritarian Race-Ethnic-Religious-Caste Oppression in Late Capitalism	Transnational Virtual Initiatives Committee (Ad Hoc) Program Committee Transnational Initiatives Committee	11
123	Poetic Justice: Poetry Slam & Open Mic Night	Program Committee	22