





RESEARCH COMMITTEE ON CLINICAL SOCIOLOGY (RC46)

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS, ISA CONGRESS 2023, MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA

We have now reached the second stage of planning for the ISA World Congress that will take place in Melbourne, Australia, from June 25 to July 1, 2023. The conference makes provision for a hybrid format (Oral sessions will be a mix of in-person and virtual presenters, based on the presenter's preference.). The theme of the Congress is **Resurgent Authoritarianism: The Sociology of New Entanglements of Religions, Politics, and Economies**.

The Call for Abstracts opened for online submission via the Confex platform on July 1 and will close on September 30, 2022, at 24:00 GMT.

The Call for Abstracts link is now open on the Confex platform. When you click on the following link you will see a list of RC46 sessions that you can choose from.

https://isaconf.confex.com/isaconf/wc2023/webprogrampreliminary/Symposium769.html

Clicking on the above link will open the list of proposed sessions for RC46. Select the one that best suits your paper or the one that comes closest to the topic of your paper. Once you have selected the appropriate session, click on the following link to submit the abstract: https://isaconf.confex.com/isaconf/wc2023/cfp.cgi

All session organisers will prioritise RC46 members when selecting papers, as our membership number determines how many sessions we can host. If you are not a member yet, you will be requested to join the ISA and RC46 once your paper is selected. ISA members enjoy the privilege of a reduced registration fee and are eligible to apply for a registration grant.

The hard deadline is September 30 2022, at 24:00 GMT. The ISA is very strict about this deadline. Please do not delay in submitting your abstract.

Please read the following reminders before submitting your abstract:

- One cannot submit more than two abstracts.
- One cannot submit the same abstract to two different sessions.
- The abstract text cannot contain more than 300 words and must be submitted in English, French or Spanish.
- It is the author's responsibility to submit a correct abstract; any errors in spelling, grammar, or scientific fact will be reproduced as typed by the author.
- All changes/updates should be done via on-line system by September 30, 2022 24:00 GMT.
- Once abstracts have been accepted, no changes in authorship and text can be made.

- Author(s) must specify a preferred format of presentation: on-site or virtual.
- Each abstract received on-line will be assigned an identification number.
- Only abstracts submitted on-line will be considered in the selection process.

The list of RC46 sessions are as follows:

Addressing the Opportunities, Challenges and Lessons of Paid Domestic Work

<u>Building Local Participatory Democracies in the Era of Threatened National Democracies and Resurgent Authoritarianism.</u>

Citizen Involvement and Co-Production of Care in Vulnerable Community

Clinical Sociologists in Poverty Eradication Effort

Clinical Sociology for Supporting Refugees

<u>Community Resilience Innovations in Food Security: Towards Resilient Recovery from the COVID-19</u> Pandemic and Climate Disasters Asia-Pacific Region

Marginalised Communities As Agents of Social Change

Mythical Thinking, Religion and Politics. What about Democracy Today?

Navigating Academic Exclusion: Womxn in Pursuit of Leadership

<u>Post-Pandemic and Social Governance. Science and Politics. Expertise, State Leadership and Practical Democracy</u>

Return Migration during a Pandemic: Challenges and Interventions

Springer's Clinical Sociology Book Series: Celebrating the New Books and Submitting Your Proposal

Teaching Climate Change, Gender, and Community Interventions

The History of Clinical Sociology in Different Regions of the World

Whistleblowing and Social Justice

For further information about the conference, please consult https://www.isa-sociology.org/en/conferences/world-congress/melbourne-2023/deadlines-2023

I look forward to seeing your abstracts on the RC46 website!

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