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2015 Welcome and Program Statement

Welcome to Kansas City, Missouri—home of great barbecue, folks who refuse to believe anything they can't be shown, and, at least for one long weekend, some of the best sociology in the business.

We've got a great program on tap for MSS 2015. It features an incredibly diverse array of paper sessions, panels, workshops, roundtables, and poster events that covers the full range of subject matter in our field, an unprecedented number of thematic sessions, and a very special AKD teaching symposium running Thursday afternoon into Friday morning. In addition to all of the enriching professional sessions on research, teaching, and learning, the meetings will also feature the trademark MSS hospitality, congeniality, and good cheer. MSS Trivia night will be back by popular demand as part of the opening reception and festivities, and our Local Arrangements Chair Eve Blobaum has a great set of tours planned including one that should provide the opportunity for a taste or two of that famous KC BBQ.

The theme for this year's meetings is "Sociology and its Publics: The Next Generation." I have chosen this theme because I know that many of us MSS sociologists are inspired and driven by the call of public duty. In addition, I believe that the challenges of engagement raise deep and timeless questions about sociology itself: What is this discipline? Why and for whom do we do sociology? And how can we do it better? With the explosion of new media, increasing political attacks on the social sciences, and the ongoing transformations of higher education, these questions about sociological practice and its different publics have become more salient and significant than ever before—and we here in the Midwest can and should take the lead in asking and answering these questions for the field.

Some great plenary speakers are lined up to help inspire and guide our thinking about public engagement and sociology. **Lisa Wade** (Occidental College), founding editor of the wildly popular and award-winning website "Sociological Images," will give one presentation on Thursday entitled "Doing Public Sociology: Notes from a Practitioner." Then, on Saturday **Dalton Conley** (New York University), author of *You May Ask Yourself*, *Being Black*, *Living in the Red*, and the newly released *Parentology*, will offer a second plenary on the topic: "Out of the (Ivory) Tower and Into the Fire: The Promise and Peril of Outward Facing Sociology." And almost every time slot on the program contains a thematic panel highlighting some aspect of the many relationships between sociology and engagement. This includes a session on the status on public spaces that features a return engagement by **John Holmwood** (University of Nottingham, UK), the Past President of the British Sociological Association, and a special Saturday plenary panel on the status of the social sciences in politics and public affairs that will be headlined by Professors **Theda Skocpol** (Harvard; creator and convener of the nationwide Scholars Strategy Network), **Christopher Uggen** (Minnesota; editor and co-publisher of The Society Pages.org), and our own **Kevin Leicht** (Iowa) who is currently serving a term with the National Science Foundation in Washington, DC. And don't forget Leicht's Presidential address on Friday night, "Getting Serious about Inequality!"

Thanks to the 2015 program committee, listed inside the front cover, my unbelievably hard-working and efficient student director, Erin Hoekstra, and MSS Executive Director Lauren Tiffany, our ever-present pillar of knowledge, organization, and resilience, for helping to pull this conference together. I sincerely hope that these meetings will help each and every one of you in attendance develop your professional identity and skills as well make a contribution to the rejuvenation and continued revitalization of our field and craft.

Oh, and one more thing: don't forget to look for your set of the sociology greeting cards that the crew at The Society Pages.org prepared for MSS 2015. Yes, you read that correctly: sociology greeting cards. In a field that (rightly) talks a ton about public problems and social inequalities, a little sociology humor (such as it is) seemed like a good way to set a welcoming tone. Enjoy the cards and the conference!

Douglas Hartmann
University of Minnesota
MSS President Elect and 2015 Program Chair

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General Information

ATM: Lobby.

Awards Presentations: All award presentations will take place on Friday, March 27, 5:00 PM, in Count Basie Ballroom A, immediately preceding the Presidential Address.

Copying, Printing: Available 24 hours a day, Marriott's self-service business center is located off the lobby; entry is with your Marriott guestroom keycard. Available for-fee services include computers, printing, copying, and facsimile.

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Lost and Found: Please ask at the MSS Registration Center, 2nd Floor, top of the escalator.

Meeting Room Locator Maps: See back cover of program book.

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MSS Registration/Information Center: 2nd Floor.

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The Commons & Exhibits • Information & Registration Student Hospitality Suite

The Commons & Exhibits

Location: Count Basie Ballroom B, 2ND Floor

Thursday	NOON–6:00 PM
Friday	9:00 AM–5:00 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM–NOON

MSS Registration & Information Center

Location: Registration Center, 2ND Floor, near the top of the escalator

Thursday	10:00 AM–7:00 PM
Friday	7:30 AM–5:30 PM
Saturday	7:30 AM–5:30 PM
Sunday	7:30 AM–NOON

Student Hospitality Suite

Location & Hours: Look for a sign at the MSS Registration & Information Center.

Social Events—Everyone Welcome!

THURSDAY, MARCH 26

Welcome Reception: Snacks • Cash Bar • Get Acquainted

Count Basie Ballroom B, 2ND Floor, 5:30–6:30 PM

First Night Trivia Competition: Food • Cash Bar • Friendly Competition

Julia Lee A/B, 3RD Floor, 7:00–10:00 PM

FRIDAY, MARCH 27

Ice Cream Social

Count Basie Ballroom B, 2ND Floor, 4:14–4:45 PM

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

Presidential Reception

Basie Foyer, 2ND Floor, following the Presidential Address

The Commons and Exhibits

The Midwest Sociological Society invites all meeting participants and their guests to visit The Commons. Use The Commons as a place to socialize with friends and network with colleagues. Exhibitors include local organizations as well as book publishers; graduate sociology and professional programs; and state-level sociology societies.

Open Hours

Thursday, March 26: NOON–6:00 PM

Friday, March 27: 9:00 AM–5:00 PM

Saturday, March 28: 9:00 AM–NOON

While all exhibits are available during all open hours, some exhibits are highlighted and will have representatives present at the scheduled times.

What's Happening in the Commons & Exhibits					
Day	The Commons & Exhibits Open Hours	Sociology Grad Program Reps Available	Other Grad Program Reps Available	State Sociology Organization Reps Available	Social Events
Thursday	NOON–6:00 PM	1:00–2:00 PM	4:00–5:00 PM	2:30–3:30 PM	5:30 PM Welcome Reception
Friday	9:00 AM–5:00 PM	1:00–2:00 PM	2:30–3:30 PM	10:30–11:30 AM	4:15–4:45 PM Ice Cream Social
Saturday	9:00 AM–NOON	9:30–10:30 AM	9:30–10:30 AM	11:00 AM–NOON	

Tours

Tours require tickets! If you did not purchase tickets during the advance registration period ending March 11th, you may purchase them at the MSS Registration Center, 2nd Floor, if there are any left. Tours will meet 15 minutes before departure, in the hotel lobby, to board the bus at the west side doors on Central St. Watch for guides holding signs.

FRIDAY, MARCH 27

Tour #1: Creating the Racial Landscape

1:00–4:00 PM (meet in lobby at 12:45 PM)

Tour #2: 18th & Vine: The Walking Tour

4:30–6:30 PM (meet in lobby at 4:15 PM)

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

Tour #3: Food Systems in Cow Town

8:30–11:30 AM (meet in lobby at 8:15 AM)

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Plenary Sessions

THURSDAY, MARCH 26

Keynote

“Doing Public Sociology: Notes from a Practitioner”

Lisa Wade, Occidental College
Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor, 4:30 PM

FRIDAY, MARCH 27

Town Hall Discussion

“Sociology for What and for Whom?”

Lisa Wade, Occidental College; Douglas Hartmann, University of Minnesota
Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor, NOON–1:00 PM

Awards Presentations / Presidential Address

“Getting Serious about Inequality”

Kevin Leicht, University of Iowa/National Science Foundation
Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor, 5:00–6:30 PM

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

Scholars Strategy Network

“Social Science and Public Engagement”

Kevin Leicht, University of Iowa/National Science Foundation;
Theda Skocpol, Harvard University and Scholars Strategy Network;
Chris Uggen, University of Minnesota/The Society Pages
Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor, NOON–1:00 PM

Keynote

**“Out of the (Ivory) Tower and Into the Fire: The Promise and Peril
of Outward-Facing Sociology”**

Dalton Conley, New York University
Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor, 4:30 PM

Peter Hall Lecture

“From Basic to Applied to Policy: Teaming in Symbolic Interactionism”

Joseph Kotarba, Texas State University
Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor, 6:00 PM

Board and Business Meetings

THURSDAY, MARCH 26

2014–15 Board Meeting III

11:30 AM–4:15 PM, Yardbird A/B, 2nd Floor

FRIDAY, MARCH 27

Required Orientation for New Board Members and Committee Chairs

7:00–8:00 AM, Yardbird B, 2nd Floor

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

Luncheon Planning Meeting:

All members of Long Range Planning Committee

All 2015–16 Committee Chairs

1:00–2:30 PM, Yardbird B, 2nd Floor

SUNDAY, MARCH 29

2015 MSS Business Meeting

8:00–8:30 AM, Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor

2015–16 Board Meeting I

8:30 AM–NOON, Yardbird A/B, 2nd Floor

Meetings of Affiliated Groups

FRIDAY, MARCH 27

Midwest Sociologists for Women in Society [MSWS] Business Meeting

7:00–8:00 PM, Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor

Midwest Sociologists for Women in Society [MSWS] Dinner

Follows MSWS Business Meeting. Location to be announced.

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

American Sociological Association Departmental Chairs Breakfast

7:00–8:00 AM, Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor

Symbolic Interactionist Banquet

7:15 PM; advance reservations were required.

Committee Meetings

FRIDAY, MARCH 27

Orientation Breakfast for New Board Members & Committee Chairs

7:00–8:00 AM, Yardbird B, 2nd Floor

Long-Range Planning Committee

8:30–10:00 AM, Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor

Nominations & Elections Committee

8:30–10:00 AM, Yardbird A, 2nd Floor

Scholarship Development Committee

8:30–10:00 AM, Yardbird B, 2nd Floor

Annual Meeting Committee

10:15–11:45 AM, Yardbird A, 2nd Floor

Social Action Committee

10:15–11:45 AM, Yardbird B, 2nd Floor

Membership Committee

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Minority Scholars Committee

2:45–4:15 PM, Yardbird A, 2nd Floor

SATURDAY, MARCH 29

Student Issues Committee

8:30–10:00 AM, Yardbird A, 2nd Floor

Professional Issues & Standards Committee

8:30–10:00 AM, Yardbird B, 2nd Floor

Publications Committee

10:15–11:45 AM, Yardbird A, 2nd Floor

Committee on Teaching and Learning

10:15–11:45 AM, Yardbird B, 2nd Floor

Special Luncheon Planning Meeting:

All members of Long Range Planning Committee & 2015–16 Committee Chairs

1:00–2:30 PM, Yardbird AB, 2nd Floor

Sociological Practice Committee

2:45–4:15 PM, Yardbird A, 2nd Floor

Committee for Women in the Profession

2:45–4:15 PM, Yardbird B, 2nd Floor

Awards and Award Presentations

All awards will be presented on Friday, March 27, at 5:00 PM, in Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor, immediately preceding the Presidential Address. All are welcome for the brief award presentations, the Presidential Address, and the Presidential Reception following the address.

2015 Distinguished Book Award

Patricia Morris, Drury University - *Blue Juice: Euthanasia in Veterinary Medicine*

2015 Jane Addams Outstanding Service Award

Betty Edwards
for her role in founding the Human Trafficking Task Force
Colorado Springs, Colorado

2015 Social Action Awards

Veronica's Voice, Kansas City, Kansas
The Organization for Black Struggle, St Louis, Missouri

52nd Annual MSS Student Paper Competition in honor of R. Dean Wright

Graduate Division

First Place: Natasha Yurk Quadlin
Indiana University
Advisor: Brian Powell

Sharing Second Place: Ryan Ceresola
Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Advisor: Rachel Whaley

Sharing Second Place: Ray Sin
University of Illinois at Chicago
Advisor: Barbara Risman

Undergraduate Division

First Place: Mary Mitchell
Metropolitan State University
Advisor: Janet Enke

Second Place: Laura Tibbs
Benedictine College
Advisor: Karen Wood

Third Place: Sean D'Amico
Macalaster College
Advisor: Terry Boychuk

Honorable Mention: Marion Cosey
Purdue University
Advisor: Elizabeth Hoffmann

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11:00 AM–4:15 PM

2. Meeting: 2014–15 Board Meeting III Yardbird A/B, 2nd Floor

NOON–4:30 PM

3. Alpha Kappa Delta Teaching and Learning Event Day 1 [WORKSHOP]..... Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor

NOON–6:00 PM

4. The Commons & Exhibits Day 1 Count Basie Ballroom B, 2nd Floor

1:00–2:30 PM

5. Social Control [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Andy Kirk A, 3rd Floor
 6. Rise of the Neoliberal Right: Evidence from International Contexts
 [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor
 7. Critical Theory [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor
 8. Aging and Intergenerational Relationships [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor
 9. Defining Health: Exploring Issues of Access, Behavior, and Policy
 [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor
 10. Criminal Justice, Mass Incarceration, and Reentry [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor
 11. Classroom Exercises that Help Develop Critical Thinking [FORMAL PAPER
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 12. Comics as Public Sociology [WORKSHOP]..... Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor
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 14. Listening to Marginalized Students [PANEL]..... Lester Young B, 3rd Floor
 15. Environmental Decision Making and Public Engagement [PANEL]... Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor
 16. Professional Issues in the Classroom [PANEL]..... Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor

2:15–4:15 PM

17. Couples and Relationships II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor
 18. Pragmatism and Sociology [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor
 19. A Sociology of African American Men [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor
 20. Aging and the Economy [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Lester Young B, 3rd Floor
 21. Factory Farms, Fracking, Frankenfoods, and Beyond: Environment and
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 22. Visual Sociology [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor
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(THURSDAY)**(2:15–4:15 PM)**

24. Identities in Middle School: Lessons from a School-Wide Social Network
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25. Sociology and Its Publics: The 2015 MCAT Exam [PANEL]..... Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor
26. Politics in Higher Education: Students as Political Actors [PANEL]..... Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor
27. Integrity in Sociological Research [PANEL]..... Lester Young A, 3rd Floor

4:30 PM

28. Keynote Address: “Doing Public Sociology: Notes from a Practitioner”
[PLENARY]..... Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor

5:30–6:30 PM

- 28.1. Welcome Reception [SOCIAL EVENT]..... Count Basie Ballroom B, 2nd Floor

7:00–10:00 PM

29. Trivia Night [SOCIAL EVENT]..... Julia Lee A/B, 3rd Floor

FRIDAY, MARCH 27**7:00–8:00 AM**

30. Meeting: Required Orientation for New Board Members and Committee
Chairs Yardbird B, 2nd Floor

7:30 AM–5:00 PM

31. Registration and Information Day 2 MSS Registration Desk

8:00–10:00 AM

32. Meeting: Long Range Planning Committee Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor
33. Meeting: Nominations & Elections Committee..... Yardbird A, 2nd Floor
34. Meeting: Scholarship Development Committee..... Yardbird B, 2nd Floor
35. Law & Society [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor
36. Topics in Sociology in the Medical Field: Ethics, Medical Sociology, Medical
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37. Young Workers Navigating Hard Times [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Lester Young A, 3rd Floor
38. Health, Mental Health, and Criminal Behaviors of Younger Generations
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41. Conversation from the NWSA’s Curriculum Institute on Undergraduate
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42. MSS Authors Book Panel [AUTHOR-MEETS-CRITICS]..... Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor
43. Oppression in the Academy and Classroom: Unpacking Intersections of
Race, Gender, Class and Sexuality [PANEL] Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor
44. Teaching Social Action [PANEL]..... Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor

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(FRIDAY)**8:30 AM–NOON**

45. Alpha Kappa Delta Teaching and Learning Event Day 2 [WORKSHOP]..... Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor

9:00 AM–5:00 PM

46. The Commons & Exhibits Day 2.....Count Basie Ballroom B, 2nd Floor

10:15–11:45 AM

47. Meeting: Annual Meeting Committee Yardbird A, 2nd Floor
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 54. History of Sociology and Social Theory I [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor
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 56. Critical Theory and Method [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]Lester Young B, 3rd Floor
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 59. How to Get Published in Academic Journals [WORKSHOP] Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor
 60. GIFTS from TRAILS [WORKSHOP]Lester Young A, 3rd Floor
 61. Film Screening - Half The Sky: Expanding Knowledge in Global Gender Violence [FILM & DISCUSSION]..... Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor

NOON–1:00 PM

62. Plenary: “Sociology for What and for Whom?” [PLENARY].....Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor

1:00–2:30 PM

63. Undergraduate Poster Session [POSTER SESSION].....Count Basie Ballroom B, 2nd Floor
 64. Meeting: Membership Committee Yardbird A, 2nd Floor
 65. Youth and Adolescent Substance Use [FORMAL PAPER SESSION].....Andy Kirk A, 3rd Floor
 66. Nature, Society [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor
 67. Sustainability Policy: The Social and Ecological Transformation of Agriculture and Food Production [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor
 68. Exploring the Body and Embodiment in Sociological Research [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor
 69. Topics in Sociology in the Medical Field: Ethics, Medical Sociology, Medical Policy II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor
 70. Sociology of Education I [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor
 71. Gender and Social Change [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor
 72. Privacy and New Social Media [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor
 73. Immigrant and Refugee Communities [FORMAL PAPER SESSION].....Lester Young B, 3rd Floor
 74. Social Theory and Historical Explanation [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]... Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor
 75. Research and Theory in Symbolic Interactionism [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor
 76. EDUtainment Tonight! Reconciling Fun with Rigor in the Classroom [PANEL]..... Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor

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(FRIDAY)**1:00–2:30 PM**

77. Mentoring, Writing, and Publishing [PANEL] Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor
 78. Pragmatism and Sociology: C. Wright Mills' Contributions to Theory
 and Practice [PANEL] Lester Young A, 3rd Floor

1:00–4:00 PM

79. Tour 1: Kansas City: Creating the Racial Landscape Meet 12:45 west side lobby doors

2:45–4:15 PM

80. Meeting: Finance Committee Yardbird B, 2nd Floor
 81. Graduate and Professional Poster Session [POSTER SESSION] Count Basie Ballroom B, 2nd Floor
 82. Meeting: Minority Scholars Committee Yardbird A, 2nd Floor
 83. Race and Ethnicity II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor
 84. Gender Fluidity: Identity and its Lived Realities [FORMAL PAPER
 SESSION] Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor
 85. Couples and Relationships I [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor
 86. Religion and Social Change [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor
 87. Current Issues in U.S. Education [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor
 88. Urban Scenes and Urban Development [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor
 89. Retirement and Community Engagement [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor
 90. Public Opinion & Social Attitudes [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Lester Young A, 3rd Floor
 91. Sociology of LGBT and Queer Sexualities [FORMAL PAPER
 SESSION] Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor
 92. Crime, Justice, and the Public [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor
 93. Dedoose: Innovative Web-Based Tools for Qualitative and Mixed
 Method Social Science Research [WORKSHOP] Andy Kirk A, 3rd Floor
 94. Pouring Old Poison into New Bottles [WORKSHOP] Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor
 95. Program Review, Curriculum, and Strategic Planning: Drop-in Session
 with the Department Resources Group Consultants [WORKSHOP] Lester Young B, 3rd Floor
 96. Innovative Approaches to Teaching Introduction to Sociology [PANEL] Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor

4:15–4:45 PM

97. Ice Cream Social Count Basie Ballroom B, 2nd Floor

4:30–6:30 PM

98. Tour 2: 18th & Vine: The Walking Tour Meet 4:15 west side lobby doors

5:00–6:30 PM

99. Awards and Presidential Address: "Getting Serious about Inequality"
 [PLENARY] Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor

6:30–7:30 PM

100. Presidential Reception Basie Foyer, 2nd Floor

7:00–8:00 PM

101. MSWS Business Meeting [MEETING OF AFFILIATED GROUP] Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

7:00–8:00 AM

102. ASA Chairs Breakfast [BREAKFAST MEETING]..... Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor
 103. MSS Yoga Session Fitness Center Yoga Studio

7:30 AM–5:00 PM

104. Registration and Information Day 3MSS Registration Desk

8:30–10:00 AM

105. Meeting: Student Issues CommitteeYardbird A, 2nd Floor
 106. Meeting: Professional Issues & Standards CommitteeYardbird B, 2nd Floor
 107. The Affordable Care Act and You: Exploring Public Attitudes and
 Personal Experiences [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Andy Kirk A, 3rd Floor
 108. Ideologies of Inequality [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor
 109. Bridging to New Publics: Student Experiences with Applied Sociological
 Practice & Research [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor
 110. Sexual Inequality [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor
 111. Quantitative Methods [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor
 112. Development, Environment, and Civil Society [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] ...Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor
 113. Striving to Thrive: Families in the Current Economy [FORMAL PAPER
 SESSION]Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor
 114. Race and Institutional Inequalities [FORMAL PAPER SESSION].....Lester Young A, 3rd Floor
 115. Sociology of Culture: Past, Present, and Future [FORMAL PAPER
 SESSION]Lester Young B, 3rd Floor
 116. The Subjective Dimensions of Class: Awareness, Imagery, Identity,
 and Consciousness [FORMAL PAPER SESSION].....Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor
 117. Careers in the Liberal Arts: The Sociological Advantage [WORKSHOP] ... Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor
 118. Department Chair/Head Workshop [WORKSHOP].....Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor
 119. Neoliberalism and Higher Education [PANEL].....Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor

8:30–11:30 AM

120. Tour 3: Food Systems in Cow Town..... Meet 8:15 west side lobby doors

9:00–10:00 AM

121. Q & A on the Presidential Address [PANEL] Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor

9:00 AM–NOON

122. The Commons & Exhibits Day 3Count Basie Ballroom B, 2nd Floor

10:15–11:45 AM

123. Meeting: Publications Committee.....Yardbird A, 2nd Floor
 124. Meeting: Committee on Teaching and Learning.....Yardbird B, 2nd Floor
 125. Environmental Sociology [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Andy Kirk A, 3rd Floor
 126. Race, Gender and the Body [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor
 127. Teaching and Learning: Experiential Activities for Sociology [FORMAL
 PAPER SESSION].....Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor

(SATURDAY)**(10:15–11:45 AM)**

128. The Political Economy of Immigration under Neoliberal Globalization
[FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor
129. Sociology of Education II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor
130. Defending Public Spaces & Engaging Public Problems [FORMAL
PAPER SESSION] Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor
131. Gender, Sexuality and Violence: Research from the Arab World [FORMAL
PAPER SESSION] Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor
132. Contemporary Issues in Criminal Offending and Victimization [FORMAL
PAPER SESSION] Lester Young B, 3rd Floor
133. Sociology of Sport: Local and Global Processes [FORMAL PAPER
SESSION] Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor
134. Teaching Public Sociology [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor
135. Human Trafficking: A Global Issue [WORKSHOP] Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor
136. Academic Retention of Graduate Students and Faculty through Early Career
(Co-Sponsored with American Sociological Association Minority Affairs
Director, Dr. Jean H. Shin) [WORKSHOP] Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor
137. Sharing the Sociological Imagination: Undergraduate Students Creating
Public Sociology Using New Media [WORKSHOP] Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor
138. New Directions in Development Studies [PANEL] Lester Young A, 3rd Floor

NOON–1:00 PM

139. Scholars Strategy Network Plenary: “Social Science and Public Engagement”
[PLENARY] Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor

1:00–2:30 PM

140. Meeting: LRP Committee with Committee Chairs Lunch and Planning
Session Yardbird B, 2nd Floor
141. International and Comparative Sociology [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor
142. International Women’s Issues [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor
143. Topics in Historical Sociology [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor
144. Narratives and Discourse [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor
145. Globalization, Gender, Human Rights, and Sustainability [FORMAL
PAPER SESSION] Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor
146. Homelessness and Housing Insecurity [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor
147. Resisting, Transforming, and Utilizing Identities [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor
148. The Sociology of the Family: Highlighting Contemporary Issues/Experiences
[FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor
149. Teaching Sociology Through Community Engagement: How Do We Know
It’s Working? [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Lester Young A, 3rd Floor
150. Education and Inequality: Publics and Policies [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Lester Young B, 3rd Floor
151. Dedoose: Innovative Web-Based Tools for Qualitative and Mixed Method
Social Science Research [WORKSHOP] Andy Kirk A, 3rd Floor
152. Mentoring Graduate Students from Non-Traditional and Underrepresented
Backgrounds [WORKSHOP] Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor
153. Teaching Sociology Online [WORKSHOP] Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor
154. Engaging Students with Service Learning in Sociology Courses
[WORKSHOP] Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor

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(SATURDAY)**2:45–4:15 PM**

155. Tools for Teaching Sociology Online [WORKSHOP]..... Count Basie B, 2nd Floor
156. Meeting: Sociological Practice Committee Yardbird A, 2nd Floor
157. Holding Elites Accountable: Current Research on Political Corruption, White-Collar Crime, and Organizational Deviance [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Andy Kirk A, 3rd Floor
158. Collective Experience and Everyday Life (part of the Dennis Brissett Memorial Lecture Series; co-sponsored by the Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction) [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor
159. Violence [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor
160. Race and Education: Exploring Student Experiences II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor
161. History of Sociology and Social Theory II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor
162. Singlehood [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Lester Young A, 3rd Floor
163. Social Movements and their Publics [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Lester Young B, 3rd Floor
164. Sociology of Work and Emotions [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor
165. The Community and Social Change [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor
166. Innovative Approaches to Intro: Revamping Soc 101 Courses [ROUNDTABLE, FACULTY/APPLIED/GRAD STUDENTS]..... Big Joe Turner A/B, 3rd Floor
167. Teaching Sociology through Film [ROUNDTABLE, FACULTY/APPLIED/GRAD STUDENTS] Big Joe Turner A/B, 3rd Floor
168. Out in the Sticks: Diverse Sexualities and Gender Identities in Rural Spaces [ROUNDTABLE, FACULTY/APPLIED/GRAD STUDENTS]..... Big Joe Turner A/B, 3rd Floor
169. “I’m not a feminist, but...”: Understanding Gender and Sexuality [ROUNDTABLE, FACULTY/APPLIED/GRAD STUDENTS]..... Big Joe Turner A/B, 3rd Floor
170. Community Development as Social Ecological Transformation to Sustainability [ROUNDTABLE, FACULTY/APPLIED/GRAD STUDENTS]..... Big Joe Turner A/B, 3rd Floor
171. Students and Community-based Research [ROUNDTABLE, GRADS & UNDERGRADS]..... Big Joe Turner A/B, 3rd Floor
172. New Trends in Survey Methodology and Sampling for Survey Research: Practical Advice for Researchers [WORKSHOP]..... Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor
173. Teaching the Sociology of the Body and Embodiment [WORKSHOP] Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor
174. Writing Effective Sociology Assignments [WORKSHOP]..... Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor
175. Meeting: Committee for Women in the Profession..... Yardbird B, 2nd Floor

4:30 PM

176. Keynote Address: “Out of the (Ivory) Tower and Into the Fire: The Promise and Peril of Outward-Facing Sociology” [PLENARY]..... Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor

6:00 PM

177. “From Basic to Applied to Policy: Teaming in Symbolic Interactionism,” Peter Hall Lecture [PLENARY] Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor

7:15–10:00 PM

178. The Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction Banquet

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7:30 AM–NOON

179. Registration and Information Day 4 MSS Registration Desk

8:00–8:30 AM

180. Meeting: 2015 MSS Business Meeting..... Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor

8:30 AM–10:00 AM

- 181. Public Policy and the Sociologist: Engaging Publics in an Era of Neoliberalism [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor
- 182. Employment Issues: Gender and Sexuality [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor
- 183. Fiscal Sociology: Taxes, Public Finance, and Society [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor
- 184. Race and Education: Exploring Student Experiences [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor
- 185. Religion in Contemporary Society [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor
- 186. Social Media, Technology and the Changing Face of Interaction [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor
- 187. Issues in Gender-Based Violence [PANEL] Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor
- 188. Navigating the Job Market as an LGBTQ Scholar [PANEL]..... Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor
- 189. Trigger Warnings: Teaching about Trauma [PANEL] Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor
- 190. Personal Identity Management on Social Media [PANEL]..... Lester Young A, 3rd Floor
- 191. Women, Crime, and Justice [PANEL] Lester Young B, 3rd Floor

8:30–NOON

192. Meeting: 2015–16 Board Meeting I Yardbird A/B, 2nd Floor

10:15–NOON

- 193. Responding to the Challenges of Inequality in Agriculture and Food Security [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor
- 194. Cultures of Work [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor
- 195. Understanding Conservation and Pro-Environmental Behaviors [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor
- 196. Constructions of Gender: Statuses and Circumstances [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor
- 197. Immigrant and Refugee Communities II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Lester Young A, 3rd Floor
- 198. Development, Environment, and Civil Society II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Lester Young B, 3rd Floor
- 199. Carnival and Spectacle [FORMAL PAPER SESSION] Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor
- 200. Africa, the Diaspora, Violence, and Leadership: Sociologists’ Engagement with New Audiences [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]..... Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor
- 201. Academia as a Second Career [WORKSHOP] Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor
- 202. Strategies of Productive Writers [PANEL] Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor
- 203. Second Shift: Working Women [PANEL] Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor
- 204. Challenges and Strategies of Teaching to the Underprepared Student [PANEL] Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor

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Session 6**Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor****Thursday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Rise of the Neoliberal Right: Evidence from International Contexts [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Ajay Panicker, St. Cloud State University

- *Allah Talk: Grammars of Religiosity in Turkish and U.S. Politics.....*Yagmur Karakaya, University of Minnesota; Evan Stewart, University of Minnesota
- *Right-Wing Populist “Playbooks” in Cross-National Perspective: The British National Party, Australia’s One Nation Party, the Tea Party, and the Minutemen Civil Defense Corps.....*Jackie Hogan, Bradley University; Kristin Haltinner, University of Idaho
- *Globalization and Rise of the Right in India: An Examination of Politics and Public Sphere in Kerala, India.....*Ajay Panicker, St. Cloud State University

Session 7**Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor****Thursday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Critical Theory [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers/Presiders: George Lundskow, Grand Valley State University; Lauren Langman, Loyola University-Chicago

- *Capitalism, Crises, and Sustainability: A Survey of Economists.....*Mark Horowitz, University of Texas at Brownsville; Robert Hughes, University of Kansas
- *The Future of an Illusion: The Irony of Religious Resistance to Both Rational Corporate Domination and Irrational Invasion Paranoia.....*George Lundskow, Grand Valley State University
- *The Protean Millenials and Telos of Justice.....*Lauren Langman, Loyola University-Chicago
- *Crisis and Critique.....*David N. Smith, University of Kansas

Session 8**Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor****Thursday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Aging and Intergenerational Relationships [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Twyla Hill, Wichita State University

- *Age Differences in Mental Health among Older Adults: Socioemotional Selectivity Theory, Mobility and Social Support.....*Leeda J. Copley, University of Central Oklahoma; Jennifer E. Darling, University of Central Oklahoma
- *The Relationship between Religion and Older Adults’ Physical Health.....*Kia D. Hastings, Wichita State University
- *Multi-generational Household and Filial Obligation: Aging Parents Living Within Their Adult Child’s Home.....*Catherine D. Thompson, University of Missouri–Kansas City
- *An Early Look at Baby Boom Same-Sex Couples in the US Health and Retirement Study.....*Rosemary Wright, Wichita State University

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Session 9**Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor****Thursday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Defining Health: Exploring Issues of Access, Behavior, and Policy [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers/Presiders/Discussants: Chelsea Platt, University of Missouri; Kyle Chapman, University of Kansas

- *Mind The Cultural Gap: Asian-Americans and the Lowered Likelihood to Seek Out Mental Health Services.....*Julian Brett, DePaul University
- *“Healthy Mother, Healthy Baby”: Birth Doulas and Biomedical Subjects.....*Katherine Knop, University of Missouri
- *“Gold Star for Bad Behavior”: Studying the Application of Social Construction on Student Health.....*Luisa Aya, Macalester College
- *The Mental Health Care Crisis: De-Institutionalized, Dis-charged and Re-Jailed.....*Lisa C. Hall, Missouri State University

Session 10**Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor****Thursday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Criminal Justice, Mass Incarceration, and Reentry [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Carlene Sipma-Dysico, North Central College

- *Something Is Missing from this Discussion—The Inclusion of Neighborhood Context in the Reentry Debate.....*Andrew Verheek, Western Michigan University
- **CANCELLED** *Urban Goals of Reentry.....*Carlene Sipma-Dysico, North Central College
- *Lawyered Up: The Role of the Justice System in Resolving Urban Renewal Conflicts.....*Madeline P. Spolin, Macalester College
- *Rehabilitation and Treatment in Jail: Does Race and Gender Impact Perceptions of “What Works”?*.....LeAnn Cabage, Iowa State University; Kimberly Dodson, Western Illinois University

Session 11**Lester Young A, 3rd Floor****Thursday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Classroom Exercises that Help Develop Critical Thinking [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Ali Kamali, Missouri Western State University

Discussant: Aurelien Mauxion, Columbia College

- *Lessons in Stratification: Deciding Individual and Social Worth.....*Carol A. Jenkins, Glendale Community College–Arizona
- *Game On: Using the Commons Game as an Activity to Foster Critical Thinking about Environmental Health.....*Jason J. Leiker, Utah State University; Julie Gast, Utah State University

Session 12**Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor****Thursday • 1:00–2:30 PM****[THEMATIC SESSION] Comics as Public Sociology [WORKSHOP]**

Organizer: Katie Zaman, University of Wisconsin, Madison; Ebony Flowers, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Session 13**Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor****Thursday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Reflecting on the Field: Using Feminist Reflexivity to Create a Better Sociology [PANEL]**

Organizer/Presider: Rachel Johansen-Wilczewski, Michigan State University

Discussant: Sarah S. Beach, Sam Houston State University

- *Awkward: (Mis)Recognizing Your Position as a Researcher.....*Michael J. Lorr, Aquinas College
- *Who Said That? Considerations for Truly Protecting Subject Identity in Qualitative Research.....* Carrie L. Wendel, University of Kansas
- *Discussing Agriculture and Pulling Weeds: Reflections on Fieldwork in Kansas and Kansas City.....*Sarah S. Beach, Sam Houston State University
- *Engaging Beyond the Garden: Gender, Race, and Neighborhood Research in Flint, Michigan.....* Rachel Johansen-Wilczewski, Michigan State University

CANCELLED**Session 14****Lester Young B, 3rd Floor****Thursday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Listening to Marginalized Students [PANEL]**

Organizers: Sarah Morrison, Black Hawk College; Florence Maatita, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

- *Contested Meaning: An Exploration of Study Abroad and Processes of Negotiation in Oaxaca, Mexico.....*Mariah Hennen, Kalamazoo College
- *The Favoritism and Discrimination of Identities in Small Group Tasks.....*Christopher Kelley, Truman State University; karlea N. Harbaugh

Session 15 **Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor** **Thursday • 1:00–2:30 PM**
Environmental Decision Making and Public Engagement [PANEL]

Organizer: Hal Marchand, Western Illinois University

- *Leaking Underground Storage Tanks: A concern to Public Health and the Environment.....*Fetene Gebrewold, Western Illinois University;
- *Radioactive Waste: Civic Engagement and Public Fears.....*Hal Marchand, Western Illinois University; Pamela Terry, Western Illinois University; Fetene Gebrewold, Western Illinois University
- *Fracking: What Is the Actual Cost to Communities?.....*Lorette Oden, Western Illinois University
- *Identifying Social Factors that Foster Resiliency in Children of Veterans With Posttraumatic Stress Disorder.....*Pamela Terry, Western Illinois University; Lorette Oden, Western Illinois University

Session 16 **Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor** **Thursday • 1:00–2:30 PM**
Professional Issues in the Classroom [PANEL]

Organizers: Gayle Rhineberger-Dunn, University of Northern Iowa; Maria E. De La Torre, Northeastern Illinois University

Presiders: Maria E. De La Torre, Northeastern Illinois University; Gayle Rhineberger-Dunn, University of Northern Iowa

Session 17 **Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor** **Thursday • 2:45–4:15 PM**
Couples and Relationships II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Deniz Yucel, William Paterson University

- *Work-to-Family Conflict among Dual-Earner Couples: The Roles of Social Support and Social Strain.....*Krista Lynn Minnotte, University of North Dakota
- *Sex and Disability: Examination of the Effect of Functional Limitations on Sexual Satisfaction.....*Raeda Anderson, University of Nebraska–Lincoln
- *Exploring Predictors of Dating Violence Victimization Among Adolescents.....*Mallory Rousseau, Wichita State University
- *Gendered Roles of Mothers and Fathers.....*Cambria A. Goen, Wichita State University

Session 18**Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor****Thursday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Pragmatism and Sociology [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers: Harold L. Orbach, Kansas State University; David N. Smith, University of Kansas

Presider: David N. Smith, University of Kansas

- *The Poetry of John Dewey: A Content Analysis*.....Jerry Williams, Stephen F. Austin State University, Texas
- *Postwar Sociology and “The Authoritarian Personality”*David N. Smith, University of Kansas
- *From “Psychic Income” to “Public and Psychological Wage”*: Cooley, Veblen, DuBois, and the Pragmatic Sociology of the Status Wage.....Graham Cassano, Oakland University, Michigan

Session 19**Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor****Thursday • 2:45–4:15 PM****A Sociology of African American Men [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers: Derrick Brooms, University of Louisville; Loralie Wiebold, Bradley University

Presider: Derrick Brooms, University of Louisville

Discussant: Loralie Wiebold, Bradley University

- *Riding While Black: Front Stage Hostilities and the Cost of Being a Black Male on Public Transportation in Chicago*.....Gwendolyn Purifoye, Kent State University
- *African American and White Men Reflect on Race and Finding Their Way*.....Loralie Wiebold, Bradley University
- *Me Against the World: Black Men, Profiling, and Stereotyping in a “Post-Racial” Society*..... Derrick Brooms, University of Louisville

Session 20**Lester Young B, 3rd Floor****Thursday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Aging and the Economy [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Stephen Christ, University of Missouri

- *The Importance of Age in Mexican Restaurant Work*.....Stephen Christ, University of Missouri
- *Exit Strategies: Contingencies and Dynamics of IT Boomers’ Retirement Plans*.....Erik Kojola, University of Minnesota; Yagmur Karakaya, University of Minnesota; Phyllis Moen, University of Minnesota
- *Northwest Kansas Youth Migration Intentions, Career Aspirations, Community Attachments*..... Brett Zollinger, Fort Hays State University; Michael Walker, Fort Hays State University

Session 21 **Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor** **Thursday • 2:45–4:15 PM**
Factory Farms, Fracking, Frankenfoods, and Beyond: Environment and Society in the 21st Century Midwest [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer/Presider: Caleb Bush, University of Wisconsin–Marshfield

- *Fracturing Illinois*.....Amanda T. Buday, Southern Illinois University
- *Contested Groundwater, Factory Farms, and the Shifting Sands of Development in Central Wisconsin*.....Caleb Bush, University of Wisconsin–Marshfield
- *Will Crop Insurance Plan Affect Farmer's Decision on Adopting New Technology? An Example from Walnut Creek Watershed, IOWA*.....Yuting Guo, Iowa State University
- *Frameworks and Subsequent Trajectories of Risk in a Landfill Community*.....Kristen M. Kalz, University of Missouri Columbia

Session 22 **Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor** **Thursday • 2:45–4:15 PM**
Visual Sociology [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer/Presider: Charlotte Kunkel, Luther College

- *Deserted Places: Cycles of Boom & Bust in the United States*.....William G. Holt, Birmingham-Southern College
- *Malthus Meets Green Lantern: Comic Book Representation of Malthusian Concerns*.....S. Adam Veitch, Kansas State University
- *Sociology of Science Fiction Film*.....Harry F. Dahms, University of Tennessee–Knoxville
- ~~*Age, Method, and Masculinity in Advertising: Does Goffman's Scheme Apply to Multiple Characteristics*.....Cheryl B. Childers, Washburn University~~

Session 23 **Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor** **Thursday • 2:45–4:15 PM**
Teaching Introduction to Sociology for New Instructors: Teaching as Public Sociology [WORKSHOP]

Organizer/Presider: Nancy Greenwood, Indiana University Kokomo

Session 24 **Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor** **Thursday • 2:45–4:15 PM**
Identities in Middle School: Lessons from a School-Wide Social Network Study [PANEL]

Organizer: Julia McQuillan, University of Nebraska–Lincoln

Session 25 **Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor** **Thursday • 2:45–4:15 PM**

[THEMATIC SESSION] Sociology and Its Publics: The 2015 MCAT Exam [PANEL]

Organizer/Presider: William Staudenmeier Jr., Eureka College

Discussant: Margaret W. Vitullo, American Sociological Association; William Staudenmeier Jr., Eureka College

Session 26 **Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor** **Thursday • 2:45–4:15 PM**

Politics in Higher Education: Students as Political Actors [PANEL]

Organizers/Presiders/Discussants: Andrew Fisher, University of Missouri–Columbia; Curtis Edwards, University of Missouri–Columbia; Andrew Bisto, University of Missouri–Columbia; Kara McGhee, University of Missouri–Columbia

Session 27 **Lester Young A, 3rd Floor** **Thursday • 2:45–4:15 PM**

Integrity in Sociological Research [PANEL]

Organizers: Patrick Fontane, St. Louis College of Pharmacy; Gerry Cox, University of Wisconsin–La Crosse

Presider: Gerry Cox, University of Wisconsin–LaCrosse

Discussants: Ehren Stover-Wright, Iowa Institute for Community Alliances; Gayle Rhineberger-Dunn, University of Northern Iowa; Linda Lindsey, Washington University in St. Louis

Session 28 **Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor** **Thursday • 4:30–6:00 PM**

Keynote Address: “Doing Public Sociology: Notes from a Practitioner” [PLENARY]

Organizer: Douglas Hartmann, University of Minnesota

Speaker: Lisa Wade, Occidental College

Session 28.1 **Count Basie Ballroom B, 2nd Floor** **Thursday • 5:30 PM**

Welcome Reception

Session 29 **Julia Lee A/B, 3rd Floor** **Thursday • 7:00–10:00 PM**

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Session 30 **Yardbird B, 2nd Floor** **Friday • 7:00–8:00 AM**

Meeting: Required Orientation for New Board Members and Committee Chairs

Session 31 **MSS Registration Desk** **Friday • 7:30 AM–5:00 PM**

Registration and Information Day 2

Session 32 **Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor** **Friday • 8:30–10:00 AM**

Meeting: Long Range Planning Committee

Session 33 **Yardbird A, 2nd Floor** **Friday • 8:30–10:00 AM**

Meeting: Nominations & Elections Committee

Session 34 **Yardbird B, 2nd Floor** **Friday • 8:30–10:00 AM**

Meeting: Scholarship Development Committee

Session 35 **Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor** **Friday • 8:30–10:00 AM**

Law & Society [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer: Elizabeth Hoffmann, Purdue University

- *“Take it Outside!” Processes of Negotiation In and Out of Small Claim Court.....*Jonah Schennum, Macalester College
- *The “Gold Digger” Trope, Cultural Accelerants, and U.S. Alimony Reform in the 1920s.....*Brian Donovan, University of Kansas
- *Duplicitous Systems?: Reading the ACLU and the CCR Through Critical Race Theory.....*Annie D. Jollymore, University of Minnesota
- *Structural Foundations and Triggering Events in California’s Compassionate Use Act of 1996.....* David W Criger, University of Missouri
- *Secrets of a Public Defender: Navigating the Courts, Judges, and Clients.....*Alejandra Carrillo, Macalester College

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Session 36**Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Topics in Sociology in the Medical Field: Ethics, Medical Sociology, Medical Policy
[FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Angela Nelson, University of Missouri Kansas City

- *Potential Risks of “Risk” Language in Breastfeeding Advocacy: A Replication.....*Lora Ebert Wallace, Western Illinois University; Erin N. Taylor, Western Illinois University
- *“It Is Very Difficult Because We Don’t Know About This Culture”...Experiences of International Medical Graduates in an American Pediatric Residency Program.....*Regina Pessagno, University of Illinois at Chicago; Amanda Osta, University of Illinois at Chicago; Michelle Barnes, University of Illinois at Chicago; Morouge Al Ramadhan, University of Illinois–Chicago’s Children’s Hospital
- *“Infertile Myrtles”: Stigma Power, Invisible Stigma, and Social Interactions between Infertile and Pregnant Women.....*Natalie A. Jansen, The University of Kansas
- *Cultivating a Culture of Compassionate Caregiving Under Poverty’s Constraints: An Ethnography of Kenyan Child Life and Hospice Caregivers.....*Callie Daniels-Howell, Kalamazoo College

Session 37**Lester Young A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Young Workers Navigating Hard Times [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Karla Erickson, Grinnell College

- *Making Adulthood: Millennials’ Attitudes towards Adulthood in an Age of Economic Instability.....* Sandra Loughrin, University of Nebraska Kearney
- *To Intern-ity and Beyond: Access to Internships at a Small Liberal Arts College.....*Angelina L. Bergthold, St. Olaf College; Lindsay S. O’Keefe, St. Olaf College; Susan M. Scow, St. Olaf College
- *Locked-Out in America’s Heartland: Manufacturing Worker Resilience and Recovery in the Post-Great Recession Economy.....*Jacquelyn (Jackie) S. Gabriel, Colorado State University
- *An Education beyond Economics: Liberal Arts Colleges, Neo-Liberalism, and the Creation of Post-Work Utopias.....*Kenneth Y. Wee, Grinnell College

Session 38**Lester Young B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Health, Mental Health, and Criminal Behaviors of Younger Generations [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Zhi Zhang, University of Nebraska–Lincoln

- *Adolescent School Bullying: Associations between Physical and Mental Health Outcomes.....* Joseph C. Jochman, University of Nebraska–Lincoln
- *A Multi-Level Investigation of Social Support on School-Level Factors and Adolescent Mental and Physical Health Outcomes.....*Sarah E. Malone, University of Nebraska–Lincoln
- *The Abnormalization of the Normal and the Evolution of Culture of Psychical Diagnostic Mental Illness-Labeling Syndrome: From ADHD-AUTISM-PTSD to Depression-Schizophrenia-Bipolar.....* Ahmadu Baba-Singhri, Grand View University
- *From Delinquency, Violence Exposure and Maltreatment in Adolescence to Intimate Partner Violence in Young Adulthood among College Population.....*Zhi Zhang, University of Nebraska–Lincoln

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Session 39**Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Empirical Work in the Sociology of Organizations [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Chad McPherson, University of Iowa

- *Frames of Reference and Boundary Coalescence: How Audiences Make Sense of New Forms in New Fields.....* Stephen M. Lippmann, Miami University; Melissa Scardaville, ICF International; C. Lee Harrington, Miami University
- *Midwives versus the State: Experts and Expertise in Early American Birth Registration.....* Alexander J. Myers, University of Kansas; William G. Staples, University of Kansas
- *Settling Symbolic Battles in Workplaces: The Spatial Dynamics of Organizational Responses to Institutional Demands.....* Yuhao Zhuang, University of Chicago
- *Policing in the Context of Institutional Change.....* Greg Jeffers, University of Wisconsin–Whitewater

Session 40**Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Public Sociology, Its History, Legacy and Context [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers: Nancy Campbell, Southern Methodist University; Chris Hausmann, Northwestern College

Presider: Nancy Campbell, Southern Methodist University

Discussant: Chris Hausmann, Northwestern College

- *Rethinking Authority: Community and Collaborative Research as a Shared Project of Knowledge and Dissemination.....* Maria E. De La Torre, Northeastern Illinois University
- *Understanding the Development of the Scholarship of Engagement in a 21st Century Ghanaian University: A Case Study of Sociologists at the University of Cape Coast, Ghana.....* Rebecca Tachie, South Dakota State University
- *From Newsboys to Urban Gentry: A Sociology Department Looks at Its Own City.....* Nancy Campbell, Southern Methodist University

Session 41**Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Conversation from the NWSA's Curriculum Institute on Undergraduate Education [WORKSHOP]**

Organizer: Karen Bradley, University of Central Missouri; Lisa Udel, Illinois College

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Session 42**Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 8:30–10:00 AM****MSS Authors Book Panel [Author-Meets-Critics]**

Organizers/Presiders: Loretta Bass, University of Oklahoma; Julia McQuillan, University of Nebraska–Lincoln; Ligaya McGovern, Indiana University; Akiko Yoshida, University of Wisconsin–Whitewater

- *Racial Ambivalence in Diverse Communities: Whiteness and the Power of Color-Blind Ideologies*.....Meghan Burke, Illinois Wesleyan University
- *African Immigrant Families in Another France*.....Loretta Bass, University of Oklahoma
- *Environmental Policy Is Social Policy—Social Policy Is Environmental Policy: Toward Sustainability Policy*.....Isidor Wallimann, Syracuse University
- *Chicago Hustle and Flow: Gangs, Gangsta Rap, and Social Class*.....Geoff Harkness, Morningside College
- *Globalization, Labor Export and Resistance: A Study of Filipino Migrant Domestic Workers in Global Cities*.....Ligaya McGovern, Indiana University
- *Globalization and Third World Women: Exploitation, Coping and Resistance*.....Ligaya McGovern, Indiana University; Isidor Wallimann, Syracuse University

Session 43**Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Oppression in the Academy and Classroom: Unpacking Intersections of Race, Gender, Class and Sexuality [PANEL]**

Organizer/Presider: Gail Wallace, Johns Hopkins University, Public Health

Discussants: Gail Wallace, Johns Hopkins University, Public Health; Regina Dixon-Reeves, University of Chicago; Ted Thornhill, Earlham College; Chavella Pittman, Dominican University

Session 44**Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 8:30–10:00 AM****[THEMATIC SESSION] Teaching Social Action [PANEL]**

Organizers: Andrea Nichols, St. Louis Community College; Kelly Dagan, Illinois College

Presider: Andrea Nichols, St. Louis Community College

Discussants: Kelly Dagan, Illinois College; ~~Kate Neal, Illinois College~~ **CANCELLED**; Deniz Yucel, William Paterson University ; Andrew Smolski, North Carolina State University; LaShaune Johnson, Creighton University

Session 45**Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 8:30 AM–NOON****Alpha Kappa Delta Teaching and Learning Event Day 2 [Workshop]**

Organizer: Jeff Chin, Alpha Kappa Delta

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Session 46 **Count Basie Ballroom B, 2nd Floor** **Friday • 9:00 AM–5:00 PM**

The Commons & Exhibits Day 2

Session 47 **Yardbird A, 2nd Floor** **Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM**

Meeting: Annual Meeting Committee

Session 48 **Yardbird B, 2nd Floor** **Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM**

Meeting: Social Action Committee

Session 49 **Andy Kirk A, 3rd Floor** **Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM**

Environmental Crises: Institutional Resistance and Change [Formal Paper Session]

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Christopher Todd Beer, Lake Forest College

- *Discovering the Roots of Iowa Farm Environmental Leadership*.....Hanna T. Rosman, Iowa State University; J. G Arbuckle, Iowa State University
- *Can Black Be Green? Climate Politics and Coal Mining Unions in Australia and the U.S.*.....Erik Kojola, University of Minnesota
- *Ideology and Climate Change: Business Groups and the Mobilization of Opposition to Climate Change Policies*.....Eric Hanley, University of Kansas; Daniel Alvord, University of Kansas
- *Detrimental Determinants: The Impacts of Neoliberalism on Pro-Environmental Behavior*..... Joshua N King, University of Missouri–Kansas City

Session 50 **Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor** **Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM**

Mathematical Sociology and Social Theory [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer: David L. Sallach, Argonne National Laboratory & University of Chicago

Discussant: David C. Moore, University of Nebraska at Omaha

- *The Course of Action Simulator: Computational Expression and Experimentation with Constructivist Social Processes for Deterrence Theory*.....Tony Rivera, National Defense University & Duke University
- *Quasi-Darwinian Evolution in a Particle System, the Inequality Process, Reproduces Time-Series of Statistics of Income Inequality*.....John Angle, The Inequality Process Institute
- *Path Dynamics of Contentious Actors: A Type-Theoretic Analysis*.....David L. Sallach, Argonne National Laboratory & University of Chicago

Session 51**Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Analyzing the Context of Education [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: John Pruitt, University of Missouri

- *Living on the Edge: Small Private Higher Education Institutions' Aspirations and Realities in a Chilly Climate.....*Angela Durante, Saint Xavier University
- *Challenges and Opportunities: Working across a State System to Create Policy Change and Engage in Research to Increase Gender Equity in STEM Disciplines.....*Meredith Redlin, South Dakota State University; Amanda J. Jantzer, South Dakota State University; Elizabeth Tolman, South Dakota State University
- *Discourse and "Enterprising" Children in the Early Reading Classroom.....*Matt Aronson, Western State Colorado University; Steven Bialostok, University of Wyoming
- *Gender, Competence, and Identity in the Preschool.....*John Pruitt, University of Missouri

Session 52**Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM****[THEMATIC SESSION] Lessons from the Ferguson Campaign [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Clark McPhail, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Discussants: Clark McPhail, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign; Colin E. Suchland, Lincoln Land Community College; Jacqueline Henke, Purdue University; Jonathan H.N. Long, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

- *Analysis of a Photographic Record of the Ferguson Campaign.....*Clark McPhail, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
- *Facebooking Ferguson: Online Reactions to Media Coverage of the Michael Brown Shooting and the Ferguson Protests.....*Colin E. Suchland, Lincoln Land Community College; Kelley Harris, Webster University
- *"What Do We Want? Justice?": Framing the Weekend of Resistance in Ferguson.....*Jacqueline Henke, Purdue University; Tyler Hoeck Anderson, Purdue University
- *Reflecting on Ferguson: What Does It Mean to Be a Black Leader in Contemporary Society?.....*Jonathan H.N. Long, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

Session 53**Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Sociological Perspectives on the Societal Challenges Surrounding the Work of Healthcare [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Kathleen Abrahamson, Purdue University

- ~~*Changing Paces: Shifting Daily Work Routines Amongst Healthcare Providers.....*~~Jane D. VanHeuvelen, Indiana University
- *Perspectives of Nursing Home Administrators on Community Discharge.....*Kathleen Abrahamson, Purdue University; Macey Henderson, Indiana University/Purdue University-Indianapolis
- ~~*Sexually Transmitted Infections and Sexual Health Education in Douglas County, Nebraska.....*~~Jonita R. Rebensdorf, University of Nebraska–Omaha

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Session 54**Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM****History of Sociology and Social Theory I [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Harold L. Orbach, Kansas State University; David N. Smith, University of Kansas

Presider: Harold L. Orbach, Kansas State University

- *The Culture Industry Reconsidered, Once Again.....*Christopher T. Conner, University of Nevada, Las Vegas; David R. Dickens, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
- *The Great Depression and the Public Ir/relevance of Sociology.....*Jan Balon, Charles University, Prague
- *The History of Sociology as a Discipline in Brazil.....*Ana Luiza de Campos Paula, Kansas State University

Session 55**Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Race and Ethnicity [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Paul Croll, Augustana College

- *The Impact of Color-Blind Ideology on Efforts to Preserve Public and Affordable Housing in Chicago.....*Cameron Williams, Loyola University Chicago
- *The State of Research on Color-Blind Racism: Established Ground and New Frontiers.....*Meghan Burke, Illinois Wesleyan University
- *Negotiating Unfamiliar Territory: The Black Middle Class in a Predominantly White Environment.....*Arthur S. Evans, Jr., Florida Atlantic University
- *Racial Salience and Intra-Racial Screening among College Admissions Counselors.....*Ted Thornhill, Earlham College

Session 56**Lester Young B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Critical Theory and Method [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers/Presiders: Harry F. Dahms, University of Tennessee-Knoxville; Steven P. Dandaneau, Kansas State University

- *Toward the Unification of the Social Science: Critical Theory as Critical Epistemology.....*Michael J. Thompson, William Paterson University
- *Global Climate Change and the Methodology of Critique.....*Alexander M. Stoner, Salisbury University
- *No Democratic Theory Without Critical Theory.....*Steven Panageotou, University of Tennessee-Knoxville
- *Critical Theorists as Analysts: Confronting the Role of Theorist in Advanced Modern Societies.....*Joel M. Crombez, University of Tennessee-Knoxville

Session 57**Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Space and Time [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Peter M. Hall, Colorado State University

- *Redefining the Refuge: Symbolic Interactionism and Emergent Meanings of Environmentally Variable Spaces*.....Braden Leap, The University of Missouri
- *Recovering the Missing Middle: Within-Group Inequality, Place Effects, and the Volatility Curve*.....Tom VanHeuleken, Indiana University
- *Place and Space in Protest at the Movement to Close the School of the Americas*.....Zach Rubin, University of Missouri
- *Timing, Environmental Context, and Mental Health*.....Dawn Norris, University of Wisconsin–La Crosse; Samantha Gregory, University of Minnesota

CANCELLED**Session 58****Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Sociology of Aging and the Life Course [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Mary Zimmerman, University of Kansas Medical Center

Presider: Tracey LaPierre, University of Kansas

Discussant: Linda Breytspraak, University of Missouri–Kansas City

- *Bring Our Elders Home: A Narrative Analysis of Tribal Nursing Homes*.....Anastacia Schulhoff, University of Missouri–Columbia
- *“A Force To Be Reckoned With”: Strategies from the Career Histories of Women Medical School Full Professors*.....Emily Jones, University of Kansas
- *Age and Trust in Health Care Professions Across 32 Countries: Findings from the International Social Survey Program, 2011*.....Kyle Chapman, University of Kansas

Session 59**Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM****How to Get Published in Academic Journals [WORKSHOP]**

Organizer/ Presider: Marybeth Stalp, University of Northern Iowa

Discussants: Lisa Waldner, University of St. Thomas; Betty Dobratz, Iowa State University

Session 60**Lester Young A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM****GIFTS From TRAILS [WORKSHOP]**

Organizer: Diane Pike, Augsburg College

Session 61 **Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor** **Friday • 10:15–11:45 AM**

Film Screening - Half The Sky: Expanding Knowledge in Global Gender Violence [FILM & DISCUSSION]

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Mac-Z Zurawski, Chicago State University

Session 62 **Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor** **Friday • NOON–1:00 PM**

Town Hall Discussion: “Sociology for What and for Whom?” [PLENARY]

Organizer/Presider: Monte Bute, Metropolitan State University

Discussants: Lisa Wade, Occidental College; Douglas Hartmann, University of Minnesota

Session 63 **Count Basie Ballroom B, 2nd Floor** **Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM**

Undergraduate Poster Session

Organizer: Jean Karlen, Wayne State College

1:00–1:45 PM

- *“I Feel Myself as a Complete Woman”*: An Exploration of Becoming a Woman in a Maasai Community.....Ashley Marsh, Coe College
- *Childhood Indicators of Female Adult Incarceration*.....Kendra Clark, Baker University
- *Commodifying Education*.....Mikka Mills, St. Ambrose University
- *Crisis in the Catholic Church: Stigmatized by Scandal*.....Courtney Terry & Ashley Johnson, Augsburg College
- *Do Kansans Really Vote against Their Economic Interests? Testing Thomas Frank’s Hypothesis*..... Taylor Hunt & Ryan Swayne, Fort Hays State University
- *Effects of Parent-Student Communication on College Students’ Academic Performance*.....Erin Dyas, Doane College
- *Freud and Durkheim on the Practice of Baptism*.....Kaydee Corbin, Columbia College
- *Getting to Know Ana and Mia: Evaluation of a Pro-Ana Online Community*.....Natalie Nordlund, Drake University
- *Healthy Sexuality in Adolescence & the Importance of Gender-Focused, Comprehensive Sexuality Education*.....Ruby Linkhart, Cornell College
- *Intersexuality and Feminism: Who Will Fight for the Intersex*.....Elizabeth Long, University of Evansville
- *Otherness and Community Support: The Role of Ethnic Identity in Mental Health*.....Haley McKie, Cornell College
- *Permanent Instability: An Evaluation of the Foster Care System in Relation to Outcomes for Orphanage Alumni*.....Stacey Harrison, Cornell College
- *Police Violence and Community Response: Conditions for Community Mobilization*.....Robert Leonard, Wartburg College

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- *Predictors of Stress among College Students: Examining Differences by Gender and Class Rank.....*
Katie Johnson, Doane College
- *Preferential Association of Similar Birth Orders among College Roommates: Testing the Efficacy of Existing Research Models.....*Laura Tibbs, Benedictine College
- *Prison-Based Writing Workshop and the Importance of Voice.....*Caroline Berblinger, Baker University
- *Religious Discrimination as It Relates to Depression and Self-Confidence.....*Samantha Vallabhbai, Doane College
- *The Effect of Gender on Prejudice towards Homosexuals.....*Grace Kelly, Doane College
- *The Impact of School Climate on Student Outcomes beyond High School.....*Katy Krogstad, Cornell College

1:45–2:30 PM

- *Adolescent Deviant Behavior: Causes and Effects.....*Kelsey Whiteley, Midland University
- *Community Ties and Willingness to Engage in the Management and Protection of Natural Places.....*Elizabeth White, Northland College
- *Desirable as a Man? Hegemonic Masculinity and Asian American Gayness.....*Sen Wang, Illinois Wesleyan University
- *Educational Opportunities and Social Class in College Students.....*Lauren Phillippi, University of Wisconsin River Falls
- *Factors Influencing Perceptions of Domestic Violence against Women.....*Amber Ancil, Indiana University Kokomo
- *Films Facilitating Fascination: Using Film within the Sociology Classroom.....*Matthew Bowman, Doren Hilmer, Toby Nelson, Winona State University
- *Grandparents as Parents: How Does It Affect Society?.....*Shannon Kochensparger, Indiana University Kokomo
- *How the Media Effects the Perception of Crime.....*Mikayla Swanson, U of Wisconsin–River Falls
- *Intersectionality and Mental Health Indicators.....*Jessica Fort, McKendree University
- *Is Wisconsin the Start of the Union Death Spiral: A Content Analysis.....*Katie Tindell, University of Wisconsin–River Falls
- *Let's Talk About Sex.....*Stacy Fratt, Midland University
- *Mental Health and Society: Reshaping the Way We See It.....*Barbara Brewer, Indiana University Kokomo
- *Opium of the People: Religion's Effect on Quality of Life.....*Alayna Gillespie, McKendree U.
- *Public Participation and Resident Demographics Found to Affect Trust Level within Chequamegon Bay Communities.....*Zachary Klehr, Northland College
- *Rape Myth Acceptance among Male Clients Arrested for Prostitution.....*Michael Knoll, Minnesota State University Moorhead
- *Religion, Spirituality, and Recovery.....*Brittney Michel, Indiana University Kokomo
- *Sexual Harassment in the Military.....*Brian Switzer, Indiana University Kokomo
- *Social Media and Healthy Eating.....*Brandi Keith, Indiana University Kokomo
- *The Human Terrain System: Military Misuse of Social Science in Modern War.....*Elizabeth Silsby, Washburn University
- *The Impacts of Childhood Victimization.....*MacKenzie Dornbier, Midland University
- *To Cheat or Not To Cheat: Who and Where.....*Katie Shindle, Midland University

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Session 64 **Yardbird A, 2nd Floor** **Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM**

Meeting: Membership Committee

Session 65 **Andy Kirk A, 3rd Floor** **Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM**

Youth and Adolescent Substance Use [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer: Katherine Novak, Butler University

Presider: Lizabeth A. Crawford, Bradley University

- *Which Stressors Increase the Odds of College Binge Drinking?.....*Daphne E. Pedersen, University of North Dakota
- *Participation in Alcohol-Free Late Night Events and Levels of Alcohol Consumption during the First Semester of College: Data from Two Freshmen Cohorts.....*Lizabeth A. Crawford, Bradley University; Lyndsey Hawkins, Bradley University
- *Routine Activities and Adolescent Drinking: Opportunity or Socialization?.....*Katherine Novak, Butler University
- *Alcohol and Drug Abuse/Use: What About Age, Incarceration, and...?.....*Joan Gettert Gilbreth, Nebraska Wesleyan University; Austin Jones, Nebraska Wesleyan University

Session 66 **Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor** **Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM**

Nature, Society [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizers: Nathalia Hernandez Vidal, Loyola University of Chicago; Kelsey Henke, Loyola University Chicago

- *Market Logic in Environmental Discourse: The Sierra Club, 1975–1995.....*Rebecca Lee Stepnitz, University of Minnesota
- *Trashing the Coffeelands: Technification, Ecologically Unequal Exchange, and Ecological Rift.....*Alexander J. Myers, University of Kansas
- *The Geopolitics of Agriculture in Latin America: An Analysis of the Incorporation of TRIPs in Colombia.....*Nathalia Hernandez Vidal, Loyola University of Chicago
- *A Study of Wildfire Survivors' Narratives and Social Meanings Embodied in Everyday Objects.....*Kathryn Henderson, Texas A&M University; Billy R. Brocato, Texas A&M University
- *Nature as Agent?: The Politics of Organic Elements in Visual Art Copyright Law.....*Kelsey Henke, Loyola University Chicago

Session 67**Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Sustainability Policy: The Social and Ecological Transformation of Agriculture and Food Production [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Isidor Wallimann, Syracuse University

- *Policy and Networks for Alternative Fuels: Germplasm, Farmers and the US Navy.....*Cornelia Flora, Kansas State University; Edward Green, Kansas State University; Joe Jakubek, Kansas State University
- *The Right Ingredients: Making Sense of Women in Sustainable Agriculture.....*Ruth Stamper, University of Kansas
- *Interrogating Farmer Agency and Structure in Cover Crop Adoption in Iowa.....*Gabrielle E. Roesch-McNally, Iowa State University; Andrea Basche, Iowa State University; J. G .Arbuckle, Iowa State University; John Tyndall, Iowa State University; Troy Bowman, Iowa State University; Fernando Miguez, Iowa State University
- *Who Will Represent Societal Interests as the U.S. Government Steps Back from Agricultural Advice? Evidence from Michigan's Public and Private Sectors".....*Maaz Gardezi, Iowa State University

Session 68**Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Exploring the Body and Embodiment in Sociological Research [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Janet Enke, Metropolitan State University; Jenna Pirok, University of Missouri

Presider: Jenna Pirok, University of Missouri

Discussant: Janet Enke, Metropolitan State University

- *The Banded Self: Technoscience and the (Re)Construction of the Obese Body.....*Lisa J. Borello, Kansas State University
- *Culture of Natural Birth: Existentialism, Embodiment and Empowerment.....*Krystal Wilson, Kalamazoo College
- *"I'm Not Sure People Are Ready for That": Exploring Women's Embodiment after Breast Cancer.....*Jenna Pirok, University of Missouri
- *10,000 Steps! Mobile Fitness Tracking Devices and Configurations of Bodily Knowledge.....*Chelsea Platt, University of Missouri; Katherine Knop, University of Missouri
- *Dance in Immigrant Communities: A Comparative Sociological Analysis.....*Hui Wilcox, St. Catherine University; Erika Busse, St. Catherine University

Session 69**Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Topics in Sociology in the Medical Field: Ethics, Medical Sociology, Medical Policy II
[FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Angela Nelson, University of Missouri Kansas City

- *Apathy and Type 2 Diabetes among American Indians: Exploring the Protective Effects of Traditional Cultural Involvement.....*Amanda E. Carlson, University of Minnesota Medical School, Duluth campus; Gabrielle Benjamin, University of Minnesota Medical School, Duluth campus; Michael Unzen, University of Minnesota Medical School, Duluth campus; Melissa Walls, University of Minnesota Medical School Duluth campus
- *Public Health Care, Socio-economic Development and Infant Mortality: An International Exploration.....*Isaac Christiansen, Iowa State University; Robert Mazur, Iowa State University

Session 70**Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Sociology of Education I [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Preside/Discussant: Deniz Yucel, William Paterson University

- *Middle Level Best Practice and Student Achievement in Texas.....*Michelle Williams, Stephen F. Austin State University
- *Factors of Motivation for Academic Success among University Students.....*Zachary Christo, University of Nebraska, Omaha
- *Learning Communities: Student Attitudes, Experiences, and Participation.....*Josiah R. Mosqueda, St. Olaf College; Gaonou Vang, St. Olaf College; Kevin K Ross, St. Olaf College

Session 71**Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Gender and Social Change [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Rachel Whaley, Southern Illinois University

- *Work and Family Identity in Norway and the United States.....*Rebecca Folkman Gleditsch, University of North Dakota
- *Trends in Adolescents' Gendered Expectations.....*Rachel Whaley, Southern Illinois University
- *Mobilizing the Past: Gender Politics and Neo-traditionalism in Russia.....*Nadia Shapkina, Kansas State University
- *Whose Values? Whose Movement? The Participation of Women in the GMO Labeling Movement.....*Tamera Dandachi, Iowa State University

Session 72**Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Privacy and New Social Media [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers/Presiders/Discussants: Lisa Kruse, University of Wisconsin–La Crosse; Dawn Norris, University of Wisconsin–La Crosse

- *Media Portrayal of Hacktivism in Sexual Assault Cases.....*Bridget Welch, Western Illinois University; Anna E. Kosloski, University of Colorado Colorado Springs
- *I Have (No) Control Over My Online Profile: The Question of Online Privacy.....*Katherine Niman, Southern Illinois University
- *Connecting Surveillance Studies to the Study of Social Media and Privacy.....*Lisa Kruse, University of Wisconsin–La Crosse
- *Constructions of Privacy Among Working and Middle Class Millennial and Generation X Populations.....*Dawn Norris, University of Wisconsin–La Crosse; Lisa Kruse, University of Wisconsin–La Crosse

Session 73**Lester Young B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Immigrant and Refugee Communities [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Peter Kivisto, Augustana College

- *Refugees and Transnationalism: A Comparative Approach.....*Cara M. Davies, Indiana University
- *Cultural Differences and Taking One's Place as an African Immigrant in France.....*Loretta Bass, University of Oklahoma
- *Peering Through the Looking Glass: The Influence of a Romani Community in Bulgarian Culture.....*Mladen Mladenov, Culver-Stockton College; David J. Carrothers, Culver-Stockton College
- *Americans' Attitudes toward Immigrants: A Study in St. Louis, Missouri.....*Hisako Matsuo, Saint Louis University; Melissa Garcia, Saint Louis University; Habiba Ibrahim, Saint Louis University

Session 74**Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Social Theory and Historical Explanation [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Pamela Emanuelson, North Dakota State University

- *How Are Chiefdom and State Distinct? New Formulations to Distinguish the Two.....*David Willer, USC; Yamilette Chacon, James Madison University
- *Network Dynamics and Cultural Evolution.....*Yamilette Chacon, James Madison University
- *Heresy as "Religious Stigma": The Cases of "Jad Ibn Dirham," "Ghaylan al-Dimashqi," and Mansoor al-Hallaj.....*Kamel Ghazzi, University of Central Missouri
- *Lutheranism and Public Education in Norway.....*Yngve Digernes, Columbia College of Missouri

Session 75**Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Research and Theory in Symbolic Interactionism [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers/Presiders: David Schweingruber, Iowa State University; Laurie Linhart, Des Moines Area Community College

- *“Ready to Say Bad Things about Him in Front of His Face?”: A Symbolic Interactionism Study about Private Talks in Public Places.....*Fangheyue Ma, Iowa State University
- *“..It’s Just What We Do, It’s What Men Are Supposed to Do. It’s Natural!” Human Nature Rhetoric and Boundary Maintenance.....*Andres L. Lopez, Iowa State University; David Schweingruber, Iowa State University
- *Quantitative Analysis of Behavior in Gendered Tasks within Mixed Sex Groups.....*Melissa Kern, Truman State University; Emily Crickard, Truman State University; Christopher Kelley, Truman State University
- *Well-Educated Chinese Converts to Christianity—The Conflict Between the Communist China Background and the New Belief in God.....*Hongming Qiao, Iowa State University

Session 76**Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM****EDUtainment Tonight! Reconciling Fun with Rigor in the Classroom [PANEL]**

Organizer: Nathan Erickson, Doane College

Discussants: Susan Wortmann, Nebraska Wesleyan; Diane Pike, Augsburg College; Lisa F. Linares, University of Wisconsin-Stout; Nathan Erickson, Doane College

- *Puzzling Interactively: An Old Teaching Tool Reimagined for the Digital Generation.....*Lisa F. Linares, University of Wisconsin–Stout; Michael King, University of Wisconsin–Stout

Session 77**Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Mentoring, Writing, and Publishing [PANEL]**

Organizer/Presider: Gina Petonito, Miami University

Discussants: Joan Hermsen, University of Missouri; Marybeth Stalp, University of Northern Iowa; Gina Petonito, Miami University

Session 78 **Lester Young A, 3rd Floor** **Friday • 1:00–2:30 PM**

Pragmatism and Sociology: C. Wright Mills' Contributions to Theory and Practice
[PANEL]

Organizer: Harold L. Orbach, Kansas State University; David N. Smith, University of Kansas

Presider: Harold L. Orbach, Kansas State University

- *Mills' Pragmatic Conflict Sociology: From Individual Problems to Social Change That Creates the Future.....*Harold L. Orbach, Kansas State University
- *Radical Pragmatism, Radical Mills: Sociology as History Making, 1956–1962.....*Steven P. Dandaneau, Kansas State University
- *Critical Theory as Comparative-Historical Research: C. Wright Mills between the Constitutional Logic of Modern Societies, Basic Research, and the Cold War.....*Harry F. Dahms, University of Tennessee–Knoxville

Session 79 **Tour** **Friday • 1:00–4:00 PM**

Tour 1: Kansas City: Creating the Racial Landscape

Organizers: Phil Olson, University of Missouri–Kansas City; Jake Wagner, University of Missouri–Kansas City

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Session 80 **Yardbird B, 2nd Floor** **Friday • 1:00–4:15 PM**

Meeting: Finance Committee

Session 81 **Count Basie Ballroom B, 2nd Floor** **Friday • 2:45–4:15 PM**

Graduate and Professional Poster Session

Organizer: Evan Stewart, University of Minnesota

2:45–3:30 PM

- *Primitive Survival Ratings: Initial Scores and Outcomes in Naked and Afraid.....*Karen Altendorf, Bucknell University
- *A Tale of Two Risks: The Framing of HIV Transmission Risk in Health Brochures.....*Kathryn Fagan, University of Missouri–Kansas City
- *Perceptions of the "Cougar" Constructed on Public Internet Forums.....*Roxanna Gallardo and Jodie Hertzog, Wichita State University
- *Super PACs*Nathan Katz, Northern Illinois University
- *The Effects of Police Force and Social Services on Intimate Partner Violence in the U.S. Metropolitan Areas: Dealing with Missing Values by Using Multiple Imputation Approach.....*Yurino Kawashima, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale

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- *Re-Development and Greening Tourism in a Rural Community: Blending Critical Theory and Ethnography*.....Rhiannon A. Leebrick, University of Tennessee
- *Capital and the Ecological Crisis of the Twenty-First Century: Capitalism's Impact on Nature in Marx's Theory and Today*.....Clare Maakestad, University of Nebraska at Omaha
- *Rape Myth Acceptance and Masculinity*Dixie Rucker, University of Alabama
- *Targeted Advertising and Childhood Obesity*.....Cheryl L. Scott, Wichita State University

3:30–4:15 PM

- *Light, Bright, and Out of Sight: Hollywood's Representation of the Tragic Mulatto*.....Alicia Brunson, Kansas State University
- *Transracial and Transnational Adoption: Examining the Impact of the Whiteness Paradigm*.....Lisa Cochran, University of Central Missouri
- *When the Baby Never Comes: Stillbirth, Miscarriage, and Social Support*.....Mari Plikuhn and Elizabeth M. Long, University of Evansville
- *Pregnant and Imprisoned: "How I Prepared for My Unborn Child while Imprisoned"*.....Rebecca Rodriguez Carey, The University of Missouri
- *Unequal Access: Nutritional Health Inequality Methods*.....Deibi Sibrian, University of Nebraska Omaha
- *Distractions Associated with Cell Phone Use in Public*.....Jara K. Stewart, University of Missouri–Kansas City
- *Potential Racial, Sexual, Gender, Political and Religious Media Bias: An Audit Test*.....George Yancey & Alicia Brunson, University of North Texas

Session 82

Yardbird A, 2nd Floor

Friday • 2:45–4:15 PM

Meeting: Minority Scholars Committee

Session 83

Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor

Friday • 2:45–4:15 PM

Race and Ethnicity II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer/Presider: Paul Croll, Augustana College

- *Egyptian American Racial Positionality: Narrations of Racial Classification and Self-Identification*.....Bradley J. Zopf, University of Illinois at Chicago
- *New Science Buttresses Conceptual Foundations of Anti-Racism*.....Kay Young McChesney, University of Illinois Springfield
- *Predictors of Support for Affirmative Action in a State Law Enforcement Agency*.....Olu Oyinlade, University of Nebraska, Omaha
- *Revisiting Race Relations in Brazil vs. the United States: Cultural, Political, and Existential Implications*.....Evandro Camara, Emporia State University

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Session 84**Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Gender Fluidity: Identity and Its Lived Realities [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Charlotte Kunkel, Luther College

- *“My ‘Fro Continues to Be One of the Core Aspects of My Strength’”: Kitchen-Counter Stories of Race, Gender and Academic Motherhood in Online Blogs.....*Amber Tucker, University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee
- **CANCELLED** *Insurgent Masculinities: Intersections of Gender, Race, Religion, and Age in the Collective Stigmatization of Muslim Identities in the United States.....*Pooya S.D. Naderi, University of Kansas
- *Male to Female Transgender Identity Formation: Life Narratives in Memoir.....*Ruth Stamper, University of Kansas
- *Pentecostal Faith and the Feminist: An Unlikely Voice on Gender Fluidity.....*Karen Bradley, University of Central Missouri

Session 85**Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Couples and Relationships I [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Deniz Yucel, William Paterson University

- *Everything I Do I Do It for You: Examining Gender Differences in Selfless Love.....*Colleen A. Johnston, Indiana University; Kristin K. Kelley, Indiana University
- *The Rules of Pregnancy Loss: A Qualitative Study of Emotion Work among Bereaved Parents.....*Jessica M. Killeen, Avila University
- *Couple Relationships in Families Who Co-Sleep.....*Susan D. Stewart, Iowa State University
- *Social Class, Social Roles, Stress, and Marital Expectations among Young Adult Cohabitators.....*Angelika Gulbis, Madison Area Technical College

Session 86**Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Religion and Social Change [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: David C. Moore, University of Nebraska at Omaha

- **CANCELLED** *Change, Ego-Centric Social Network of Converts to Islam.....*Şakin Erin, University of Kentucky
- *Religious Storytelling: Stories of Prophecy, Christian Virtue, Miracles, and Social Challenges in the Making of the Nicaraguan Revolution.....*Conor J. Byrne, Southern Illinois University; Jean-Pierre Reed, Southern Illinois University
- *Migration of the Dead: Dias de Muertos, Confluence, and Contestation.....*Douglas R. Valentine, University of Missouri
- **CANCELLED** *College Education and Experience and Religiosity Among Hispanic Students: Interpreting Transformation of the “Religious” Self.....*Armando L. Garza, University of Texas at Brownsville

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Session 87**Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Current Issues in U.S. Education [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Kellie Hagewen, College of Southern Nevada

- *Grit, Success, and the American Dream*.....Emma E. Knatterud-Johnson, Grinnell College
- *The Rise of High Stakes Testing as a Social Problem in the United States: A Content Analysis*..... Jerry Williams, Stephen F. Austin State University; Michelle Williams, Stephen F. Austin State University
- *Secondary STEM Teachers' Perceptions of the Work Environment: Gender Differences and Similarities*.....Daphne E. Pedersen, University of North Dakota; Viktoria Jodin, University of North Dakota; Robert West, University of North Dakota
- *From Dropping Enrollment to Diversity: A Case Study of Catholic Schools in Transition*.....Ellen T. Brady, Macalester College

Session 88**Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Urban Scenes and Urban Development [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Chad Anderson, Incheon National University

- *Negotiating the Neighborhood: The Role of Neighborhood Associations in Urban Planning Processes*.....Lane Holden, Macalester College
- *Culture and Urban Development: Cases in South Korea*.....Chad Anderson, Incheon National University; Jongyoul Lee, Incheon National University
- *DIWHY?: Defining Do-It-Yourself Ethic in the Kansas City Scene*.....Joshua N. King, University of Missouri-Kansas City

Session 89**Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Retirement and Community Engagement [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Patrick Fontane, St. Louis College of Pharmacy

- *Making the Shift: The Role of Community Service in Retirement for the Active Volunteer*..... Timothy Johnson, Judson University
- *Disabled, Down, and Out: Does Social Interaction Mediate the Effect of Functional Limitations on Well-Being?*.....Raeda Anderson, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- *How to Help Men Grieve*.....Gerry Cox, University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse

Session 90**Lester Young A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Public Opinion & Social Attitudes [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Joan Hermsen, University of Missouri

Presider: Mary Jo Neitz, University of Missouri

- *Two-Fronts? Reassessing the Culture Wars.....*Evan Stewart, University of Minnesota; Douglas Hartmann, University of Minnesota
- *Acceptance of Gays in the Military: Change and Continuity.....*David E. Rohall, Missouri State University; Morten Ender, United States Military Academy; Michael Matthews, United States Military Academy
- *Young Women's Attitudes about Future Work: The Role of Maternal Education and Employment.....* Joan Hermsen, University of Missouri; Don E Willis, University of Missouri
- *Risk Perception and Environmental Behavior: The Mediating Role of Democratic Quality in Transition and Non-Transition States.....*E. Keith Smith, Colorado State University; Adam Mayer, Colorado State University

Session 91**Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor****Friday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Sociology of LGBT and Queer Sexualities [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Leigh Fine, Kansas State University

- *Bullying Experiences and Resilience in LGBTQ Young Adults.....*Melinda McCormick, Western Michigan University
- *An Examination of Discrepancies Between Sexual Identity and Sexual Behavior.....*Darryl C. Bargar, University of Nebraska at Omaha
- *Institutional Support for LGBT Student Groups among Religiously-affiliated Colleges in the United States.....*Jeffrey M. Seymour, Carthage College

Session 92**Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor****Friday • 2:45–4:15 PM****[THEMATIC SESSION] Crime, Justice, and the Public [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Gayle Rhineberger-Dunn, University of Northern Iowa

- *Elder Citizens: As Victims of Crime and as Criminals.....*Robert B. Jenkot, Coastal Carolina University
- *As Seen on T.V.: Factors Influencing Offense Clearances in Fictional Crime Dramas Compared to Official Statistics.....*Gayle Rhineberger-Dunn, University of Northern Iowa; Steve Briggs, North Dakota State University; Nicole E. Rader, Mississippi State University
- *Contributing Factors Related to Successfully Discharging from Probation Supervision.....*Andrew Verheek, Western Michigan University

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Session 98	Tour	Friday • 4:30–6:30 PM
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Tour 2: 18th & Vine: The Walking Tour

Organizer: Andrea Broomfield, Johnson County Community College

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Session 99	Count Basie Ballroom A, 2nd Floor	Friday • 5:00–6:30 PM
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Awards Presentations and Presidential Address: “Getting Serious about Inequality”
[PLENARY]

Speaker: Kevin Leicht, University of Iowa and National Science Foundation

Session 100	Basie Foyer, 2nd Floor	Friday • 6:30–7:30 PM
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Presidential Reception

Session 101	Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor	Friday • 7:00–8:00 PM
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MSWS Business Meeting [MEETING OF AFFILIATED GROUP]

MSWS dinner follows MSWS Business Meeting. [Location to be announced.]

Organizer: Gina Petonito, Miami University

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

Session 102 **Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor** **Saturday • 7:00–8:00 AM**

ASA Chairs Breakfast [Breakfast Meeting]

Organizer: Margaret W Vitullo, American Sociological Association

Session 103 **Fitness Center Yoga Studio** **Saturday • 7:00–8:00 AM**

MSS Yoga Session

Session 104 **MSS Registration Desk** **Saturday • 7:30 AM- 5:00 PM**

Registration and Information Day 3

Session 105 **Yardbird A, 2nd Floor** **Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM**

Meeting: Student Issues Committee

Session 106 **Yardbird B, 2nd Floor** **Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM**

Meeting: Professional Issues & Standards Committee

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Session 107**Andy Kirk A, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM****The Affordable Care Act and You: Exploring Public Attitudes and Personal Experiences [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Lisa Kort-Butler, University of Nebraska–Lincoln

Presider: Kristen Horton, University of Nebraska–Lincoln

- *Americans' Opinions of the 2010 Affordable Care Act: Self Interest, Rational Choice, and Symbolic Politics*.....Justin A. Berg, University of North Dakota; Elizabeth Legerski, University of North Dakota
- *Value Commitments and Public Opinion on the Affordable Care Act*.....Evan Stewart, University of Minnesota; Ryan Steel, University of Minnesota
- *Exploring the Roots of Public Opinion about the Affordable Care Act*.....Lisa Kort-Butler, University of Nebraska–Lincoln; Nathan Czarnick, University of Nebraska–Lincoln
- *A “Transformation of Intentions” in Hawaiian Health Policy: How the ACA Affected the Implementation of Health Policy in a “Progressive” State*.....Lindy Hern, University of Hawaii at Hilo
- *Barriers in Using ACA Health Insurance Exchanges: Experiences and Suggestions for Improvement from Low Income Residents of Greater Kansas City*.....Mary Zimmerman, University of Kansas Medical Center; Emily Jones, University of Kansas; Tracey LaPierre, University of Kansas; Tami Gurley-Calvez, University of Kansas Medical Center

Session 108**Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Ideologies of Inequality [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers/Presiders/Discussants: Laurie Petty, University of Kansas; Shane Willson, University of Kansas

- *Status Inconsistency and Subjective Class Identity: Class Identification in the United States from 1972 through 2012*.....Byeongdon Oh, University of Kansas
- *Contradictions in Privilege*.....Paul Croll, Augustana College
- *Ideology of Denial: An Analysis of Fox News and Climate Discourse*.....Jacob E. Lipsman, University of Kansas
- *My Country, My Conscience: Ideology in American Society*.....Steven Panageotou, University of Tennessee–Knoxville

Session 109	Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor	Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM
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[THEMATIC SESSION] Bridging to New Publics: Student Experiences with Applied Sociological Practice & Research [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizers: Karen Bradley, University of Central Missouri; Martel Pipkins, Texas Woman's University; Caleb Bush, University of Wisconsin–Marshfield

Presider: Caleb Bush, University of Wisconsin–Marshfield

Discussant: Karen Bradley, University of Central Missouri

- *Longitudinal Community-Based Research*.....Audrey Devine-Eller, Grinnell College
- *Structurally Unstructured: How ADA (Awareness, Dialogue, Action) Turns Courses into a Lived Experience*.....Martel Pipkins, Texas Woman's University
- *Conducting Research for an Institutional Client as Part of an Undergraduate Methods Course: Opportunities for Pre-professional Socialization*.....Ryan Sheppard, St. Olaf College
- *"This Study is Bull": Lessons from 15-Minutes of Popular Media Fame*.....Carrie L. Wendel, University of Kansas

Session 110	Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor	Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM
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Sexual Inequality [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer: Audrey K. Madison, University of Missouri

- *Religiosity and Sexual Shame among Young Women*.....Alissa N. Bey, Wichita State University; Jennifer Pearson, Wichita State University
- *Attitudes towards Pre-Marital Sex in the U.S.: Effects of Demographic/Attitudinal Variables*.....Debaleena Ghosh, Southern Illinois University Carbondale
- *Capitalizing On Sex Education: Why "Comprehensive" Does Not Mean "Inclusive"*.....Audrey K. Madison, University of Missouri

Session 111	Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor	Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM
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Quantitative Methods [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer/Presider: Michael Lacy, Colorado State University

- *A Novel Formalization of Peer Influence Incorporating Both Self- and Alter-Directed Sentiment and Disposition*.....Kirk Dombrowski, University of Nebraska–Lincoln
- *Performance Simulations for Mediation Techniques*.....Michael Lacy, Colorado State University; Adam Mayer, Colorado State University; E. Keith Smith, Colorado State University
- *Scaling Delinquency in Various Ways: How Might Different Methods of Scaling Generate a Delinquency Scale for Adolescents Differently?*.....Yurino Kawashima, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale
- *Adventures in Comparative Analysis: Survey Research, Attitudinal Differences, and Homogeneous Populations in Rural America*.....Joshua Fergen, South Dakota State University; Jeffrey B. Jacquet, South Dakota State University
- *RA Fisher and The Lady Tasting Tea Experiment*.....Kenneth J. Berry, Colorado State University; Janis E. Johnston, USDA Food and Nutrition Service

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Session 112**Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Development, Environment, and Civil Society [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers: Ajay Panicker, St. Cloud State University; Sudarshana Bordoloi, St. Cloud State University

- *Framing and Counterframing of the Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership.....*Carlos Gutierrez, University of Texas at Brownsville; Sonia Figueredo, University of Texas–Pan American
- *Retail Capital and Discourse in Kroger Supermarkets.....*Jeff Stilley, University of Missouri–Columbia
- *Employment, Wage and Labor Process: Examining New Forms of Labor Exploitation in Export Oriented Industrialization Process in Neoliberal India.....*Sudarshana Bordoloi, St. Cloud State University

SESSION 113**WITHDRAWN****Session 114****Lester Young A, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Race and Institutional Inequalities [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Meghan Burke, Illinois Wesleyan University

- *Fear of the Known-Unknown? Balancing Public Safety and Human/Civil Rights in Black and Blue: From Florida to Missouri via New York: The American Experience: A Socio-Criminological Analysis.....*Ahmadu Baba-Singhri, Grand View University
- *Law Enforcement, Media Coverage, Race, and Schutz's Systems of Relevance.....*Jose A. Benavides
- *Skin Tone and Trust in Physicians.....*Celeste Campos-Castillo, University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee

Session 115**Lester Young B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Sociology of Culture: Past, Present, and Future [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Geoff Harkness, Morningside College

- *Eating French in Old Mines, Missouri.....*Aurelien Mauxion, Columbia College
- *Transitions in Popular Music and Their Generational Impact.....*William Kinney, University of St. Thomas; Jynette Larshus, Minot State University
- *Inked Altruism: Tattoos and Memorialization among a Charity Running Community.....*Douglas R. Valentine, University of Missouri
- *Managing the Truth among Professional Cyclists.....*Stephen Wieting, The University of Iowa

Session 116**Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM****The Subjective Dimensions of Class: Awareness, Imagery, Identity, and Consciousness [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Gudmundur Oddsson, Northern Michigan University

- *Examining Class Worldviews and Educational Outcomes at Elite Colleges and Universities.....*Colleen A. Johnston, Indiana University
- *The Ins and Outs of Class Awareness.....*Gudmundur Oddsson, Northern Michigan University

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Session 117	Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor	Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM
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Careers in the Liberal Arts: The Sociological Advantage [WORKSHOP]

Organizer/Presider: Barbara Keating, Minnesota State University, Mankato

- *Now That I Got My Sociology Degree, How Do I Market It in the Real World?.....*Olu Oyinlade, University of Nebraska, Omaha
- *Facilitating Career Connections for Sociology Majors.....*Barbara Keating, Minnesota State University, Mankato

Session 118	Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor	Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM
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Department Chair/Head Workshop

Organizers: Phyllis Baker, University of Northern Iowa; Diane Pike, Augsburg College; Regina Matheson, St. Ambrose University ; Margaret W. Vitullo, American Sociological Association

Session 119	Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor	Saturday • 8:30–10:00 AM
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Neoliberalism and Higher Education [Panel]

Organizer/Presider: Meredith Redlin, South Dakota State University

Discussant: Mary Emery, South Dakota State University

- *Challenging Sociology's Two-Class System: Revisiting the Teacher-Scholar Model.....*Anne Eisenberg, SUNY Geneseo
- *Increasing Food Insecurity on Campus: Student Irresponsibility or Structural Change.....*Mary Emery, South Dakota State University; Julia deCook, South Dakota State University; Hilary Overby, South Dakota State University; Emily Huber, South Dakota State University
- *The Institutionalization of the Adjunct Faculty in American Higher Education.....*Keith R. Johnson, Oakton Community College
- *Budget De-centralization and "Market Fundamentalism" in Higher Education.....*Meredith Redlin, South Dakota State University

Session 120	Tour	Saturday • 8:30–11:30 AM
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Tour 3: Food Systems in Cow Town

Organizer: Stu Shafer, Johnson County Community College

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Session 121	Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor	Saturday • 9:00–10:00 AM
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Q & A on the Presidential Address [Panel]

Presider: Kevin Leicht, University of Iowa and National Science Foundation

Discussant: Theda Skocpol, Harvard University and Scholars Strategy Network

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Session 122 **Count Basie Ballroom B, 2nd Floor** **Saturday • 9:00 AM–NOON**

The Commons & Exhibits Day

Session 123 **Yardbird A, 2nd Floor** **Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM**

Meeting: Publications Committee

Session 124 **Yardbird B, 2nd Floor** **Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM**

Meeting: Committee on Teaching and Learning

Session 125 **Andy Kirk A, 3rd Floor** **Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM**

Environmental Sociology [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer/Presider: Madeline Slowik, Nazareth College

- *Environmental Attitudes: Environmental Concerns, Protecting the Environment, and Conservation Tradeoffs*.....Joan Hermsen, University of Missouri; Braden Leap, University of Missouri; Eileen Bjornstrom, University of Missouri; Jill Lucht, University of Missouri; Sandy Rikoon, University of Missouri; Sonja Wilhelm-Stanis, University of Missouri
- *Space, Race, and Waste: A Spatial Analysis of Environmental Racism in Kansas City*.....Joshua N. King, University of Missouri–Kansas City
- *Considering Environmental Goods in Dubuque, Iowa*.....Kaitlin J. Kellogg, Clarke University; Rachel Armstrong, Clarke University; Matt Sieverding, Clarke University
- *Spatial Inequality in “Energetic” Pain: The Energy-Related Price of Residing in Rural America*..... Lazarus Adua, University of Northern Iowa; Ashley Beaird, University of Northern Iowa

Session 126 **Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor** **Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM**

Race, Gender and The Body [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer: Sadie Pendaz, Normandale Community College

- *The Role of Barbershops in the Perception of Style and Masculinity*.....Nathaniel B. Bleil, Washburn University
- *Forging Elite Fitness: A Qualitative Analysis of CrossFit 180*.....Ann M. Munch, Southern Illinois University
- *Who Are the Infertile Women in America? A Demographic Profile*.....Adrienne Lynn Riegle, Iowa State University
- *The Importance of Age of Acquisition and Severity of Disability on the Embodiment of Masculinity and Gender*.....J. Dalton Stevens, Illinois State University

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Session 127	Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor	Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM
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Teaching and Learning: Experiential Activities for Sociology [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer/Presider: Shawn Wick, Central College

- *The Social Construction Challenge Game for Intro to Sociology*.....Meghan Krausch, University of Wisconsin–Superior
- *The Community/Individual Link: Building a Sociological Imagination with Asset Mapping*.....Lisa Garoutte, Loras College
- *The Joys and Trials of Teaching Social Research Focusing on Local Populations or Agencies*..... Rachel K. Daack, Clarke University
- *Micro-Lending with Good Intentions: A Critical Examination of Student Assumptions Regarding the Deployment of International Development Assistance*.....Shawn Wick, Central College

Session 128	Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor	Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM
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The Political Economy of Immigration under Neoliberal Globalization [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizers/Presiders: Alessandro Bonanno, Sam Houston State University; Lourdes Gouveia, University of Nebraska–Omaha

- *The Political Economy of Immigrant Labor in the United States in the Era of Neoliberal Globalization*.....Alessandro Bonanno, Sam Houston State University
- *Potential Employment and Temporary Visa Status: Orders of Value and Worth*.....Lydia J. Hou, University of Illinois at Chicago
- *Can the Human Capital Perspectives Explain Urban Out-migration in the Midwest?*.....Yu-Hui Kao, Iowa State University

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Session 129	Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor	Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM
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Sociology of Education II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Deniz Yucel, William Paterson University

- *Deconstructing the Edifice of American Higher Education's Elite*.....Matthew P. Dance, Kansas State University
- *Mentored Undergraduate Research: Impacts and Accessibility*.....Sophie Dekker, St. Olaf College; Feng Liang, St. Olaf College; Tam Nguyen, St. Olaf College; Britta C Hoiland, St. Olaf College
- *The Benefits of Good Advice: A HIP Approach to Academic Advising*.....Rachel E. Murphy, St. Olaf College; Lydia R. Peterson, St. Olaf College; Nicholas M. Condon, St. Olaf College
- *Financial Aid and Social Integration*.....Sean E. D'Amico, Macalester College

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Session 130**Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM****[THEMATIC SESSION] Defending Public Spaces & Engaging Public Problems
[FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Robert Antonio, University of Kansas

- *Democracy as Romance: Community, Publics, and Affirming the Social*.....Alexander Smith, Warwick University UK & University of Kansas
- *Defending the Public University: Diversity, Critique, Democracy*.....Gurminder Bhambra, Warwick University UK & Princeton University
- *Neo-liberalism, Civil Society, and the Implications for Public Sociology*.....John Holmwood, Nottingham University UK & Princeton Institute of Advanced Studies
- *Public and Private Nonprofit Resources for Ecological Preservation and Restoration*.....Wayne White, Creekridge Farm & Kansas Rural Center

Session 131**Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Gender, Sexuality and Violence: Research from the Arab World [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Abdallah Badahdah, University of North Dakota

Presider: Geoff Harkness, Morningside College

- *Arab Women Participation in Human Development: A Study in Gender Inequality*.....Hussain M. Alothman, University of Sharjah
- *Development of an Arabic Intimate Partner Violence Scale*.....~~Diab Al-Badayneh~~, Department of Police Sciences, Police College, MOI, Doha; Abdallah Badahdah, University of North Dakota; Khawla Alhasan, Qatar University; Saleem Al-Qisi, Department of Sociology, Mutah University, Jordan
- *Violence against Women Working in the Health Sector in Jordan*.....~~Diab Al-Badayneh~~, Department of Police Sciences, Police College, MOI, Doha; Abdallah Badahdah, University of North Dakota; Khawla Alhasan, Qatar University; Siham Albadayneh, IKCR, Jordan
- *Attitudes toward Women among High School Students in Qatar*.....Abdallah Badahdah, University of North Dakota; Kaltham Ali Al-Ghanim, University of Qatar

Session 132**Lester Young B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Contemporary Issues in Criminal Offending and Victimization [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Ryan Spohn, University of Nebraska Omaha

- *Childhood Cumulative Risk as an Antecedent of Substance Misuse and Criminal Behavior: A Person-Environment Perspective*.....Jukka Savolainen, University of Nebraska, Omaha; Marijana Kotlaja, University of Nebraska, Omaha; Starr Solomon, University of Nebraska, Omaha; W. Alex Mason, Boys Town; Gail L. Smith, Boys Town
- *We Don't Take Walks Anymore: Perceptions of Crime in a Boomtown*.....Timothy Pippert, Augsburg College
- ~~*Examining the Centuries of Violent Crime Trends across the Rural-Urban Divide (1973–2010)*.....~~ Mark T. Berg, University of Iowa; Janet L. Lauritsen, University of Missouri–St. Louis
- *Showing Up: The Gendered Effects of Social Capital on Educational Participation in United States Correctional Facilities*.....Grant Tietjen, St. Ambrose University; Chris Garneau, University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma; Veronica L. Horowitz, University of Minnesota at Minneapolis; Harmoni Noel, American Institutes for Research in Washington, D.C.

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Session 133 **Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor** **Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM**
Sociology of Sport: Local and Global Processes [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Stephen Wieting, The University of Iowa

- *John McGraw and the Social Construction of the Color Line in Baseball.....*Michael Katovich, Texas Christian University
- *“Sweat Is What the Body Wants”: Basketball, Race, Class and Politics in Trinidad.....*Aaron F. Schoenfeldt, Kalamazoo College
- *“Basketball Cities”: The importance of place on becoming an NBA Player.....*Matt Knudtson, University of Missouri; Stephane D. Andrade, University of Missouri
- *Governing Body and Gender Equality in Intercollegiate Athletics.....*Megan A. Rabe, Southern Illinois University Carbondale

Session 134 **Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor** **Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM**
[THEMATIC SESSION] Teaching Public Sociology [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer: Mary Kelly, University of Central Missouri

- *Educating for Sustainability: The Role of Sociology Today.....*Victoria E. Peters, Southern Illinois University–Edwardsville; Kevin Adkins, Southern Illinois University–Edwardsville; Connie Frey-Spurlock, Southern Illinois University–Edwardsville
- *Taking the Sociological Imagination Public: Revising the Goals of the Capstone Course.....*Gretchen Hill, Arkansas State University; Rebecca Barrett-Fox, Arkansas State University
- *Teaching Public Sociology and Bringing in the Community.....*Mary Kelly, University of Central Missouri
- *Doing Public Sociology from the Perspective of the Students.....* Skyler Marnier; Nikki McClaran; Jessica Wooden; all of University of Central Missouri

Session 135 **Andy Kirk B, 3rd Floor** **Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM**
Human Trafficking: A Global Issue [WORKSHOP]

Organizers: Mac-Z Zurawski, Chicago State University; Aditi Mitra, University of Colorado–Colorado Spring

Presiders: Aditi Mitra, University of Colorado–Colorado Spring; Mac-Z Zurawski, Chicago State University

Session 136 **Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor** **Saturday • 10:15–11:45 AM**
Academic Retention of Graduate Students and Faculty through Early Career [WORKSHOP]

Co-Sponsored with American Sociological Association Minority Affairs Director, Dr. Jean H. Shin.

Organizers/Presiders: Gail Wallace, Johns Hopkins University, Public Health; Regina Dixon-Reeves, University of Chicago; Ted Thornhill, Earlham College; Chavella Pittman, Dominican University

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Session 142**Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 1:00–2:30 PM****International Women`s Issues [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Wenqian Dai, University of South Dakota

- *Government Policy and Maternal Mortality Differences in Three African Nations: Construction of Risk and Grassroots Activism.....*Diane Kayongo-Male, South Dakota State University; Kerry Livingston, Southwest Minnesota State University; Enifome Eto, South Dakota State University
- *A Comparison of Gender Earnings Differentials in China and U.S.....*Wenqian Dai, University of South Dakota; Rebeka L. Tobias, University of South Dakota; Allison A. Reuland, University of South Dakota
- *Coping and Adjustment of International Students` Spouses at South Dakota State University.....* Elizabeth M. Nayebare, South Dakota State University
- *Testing the Effects of Social Bond Factors on Adolescent Delinquency and the Moderating Effects by Gender and Race/Ethnicity.....*Yurino Kawashima, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale

Session 143**Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Topics in Historical Sociology [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Tori Barnes-Brus, Cornell College; Brian Donovan, University of Kansas

Presider: Tori Barnes-Brus, Cornell College

Discussant: Brian Donovan, University of Kansas

- *Industrial work and Class in Antioquia 1912–1920: Ideology, Cognition and Discourse.....*Juan D. Suarez Gomez, University of Missouri
- *Voting for the Unseatable: Entitlement, Privilege, and Compromise.....*Elizabeth Hoffmann, Purdue University
- *Staking a Claim to Respectability: Inmate Accounts of Venereal Disease Contraction in Kansas, 1923–1933.....*Nicole Perry, University of Kansas
- *Contextualizing Competition Theory: Lynching, Gendered-Racism, and Elite Whites.....*Lisa Garoutte, Loras College

Session 144**Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Narratives and Discourse [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Stephanie Decker, Washburn University

- *Choice Words: The Discourse of Modern Traditionalism in the Middle East.....*Geoff Harkness, Morningside College
- *Masculine Self-Help: Martyrdom and Mass Violence as Gender-Signifying Acts in Global Jihad.....* Pooya S.D. Naderi, University of Kansas
- *Social Marking, Pathology, and the Discourse of Self-injury.....*Brittany E. Presson, University of Missouri
- *The Personal Stories of Sex Addicts in Recovery.....*Catherine M Gould, Southern Illinois University Carbondale
- *“It’s Only Fun When It Hurts”: The Acceptance of Narratives of Sexualized Violence in Fandom.....*Kristi Brownfield, Hendrix College

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Session 145**Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Globalization, Gender, Human Rights, and Sustainability [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Ligaya McGovern, Indiana University

- *The Right to Scientific Progress in the Context of Globalization: Implications for Resistance and Response.....*Margaret W. Vitullo, American Sociological Association
- *Labor and Sex Trafficking, Human Rights and Sustainability.....*Ligaya McGovern, Indiana University
- *The African Girl: Robbed of Innocence into Bondage by Mr. Campus: The Institutionalized Sexual-Exploitation of the Post-Colonial Modernized Sub-Saharan African Woman.....*Ahmadu Baba-Singhri, Grand View University
- *Humanitarianism and Moral Authority between East and West: The Social Politics of Russian and Western Responses to Refugee Displacement from Eastern Ukraine.....*Raphi Rechitsky, European University at St. Petersburg

Session 146**Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Homelessness and Housing Insecurity [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers: Carrie Coward Bucher, Baker University; Tim Knapp, Missouri State University

- *The Impact of Runaway and Throwaway Experiences on Unmet Medical Needs.....*Lisa Thrane, Wichita State University; Xiaojin Chen, Tulane University
- *Exploring the Experiences of Homeless Shelter Residents.....*Danielle T. Clemons, Northern Illinois University
- *Barriers to Healthcare for Homeless American Indians.....*Katie Kemp, University of Minnesota Duluth; Stephanie Wille, University of Minnesota Duluth; Melissa Walls, University of Minnesota Medical School, Duluth Campus
- *Youth Homelessness: Connecting the Dots between Contributing Factors and Prevention Programs.....*Tim Knapp, Missouri State University; Adam Bryson, Missouri State University

Session 147**Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 1:00–2:30 PM****Resisting, Transforming, and Utilizing Identities [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Dawn Norris, University of Wisconsin–La Crosse

- *“These Girls Just Don’t Care”: Creating an Abortion Identity in Reference to Deviant Others.....* Mallary Allen, Concordia College
- *Military Credentials Fraud Apologies: The Unexpected Alignment of Impostors and Their Exposers.....*Daniel Burland, University of Saint Mary
- *Young Latin American Migrants and the “Criminal” Label.....*Thomas W. Sanchez, University of Nebraska Omaha
- *Sustaining the Volunteer.....*Carissa Froyum, University of Northern Iowa

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Session 148**Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 1:00–2:30 PM****The Sociology of the Family: Highlighting Contemporary Issues/Experiences [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Kayla Pritchard, South Dakota School of Mines and Technology

- *What Factors Shape Americans' Attitudes toward Same-Sex Parents?.....*Kristin K. Kelley, Indiana University; Landon Schnabel, Indiana University
- *Freezing the Future Family: The Next Generation of Fertility Policies and Practices in the Workplace.....*Rebecca L. Upton, DePauw University
- *Mediating Motherhood: Well-Being across Motherhood Statuses.....*Kayla Pritchard, South Dakota School of Mines and Technology; Christina Falci, University of Nebraska–Lincoln
- *Serial Marriage and Cohabitation: Understanding the Experiences of Men and Women with Complex Relationship Histories.....*Chris M. Wienke, Southern Illinois University

Session 149**Lester Young A, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 1:00–2:30 PM****[THEMATIC SESSION] Teaching Sociology Through Community Engagement: How Do We Know It's Working? [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Lee Miller, Sam Houston State University

- *The Crescent City as Catalyst: Measuring Student Learning through Community Engagement in New Orleans.....*Michael A. Haedicke, Drake University
- *Pivot Points and Catalysts: Developing Sociological Perspective through Community-Based Learning.....*Carol Wickersham, Beloit College; Margaret Cress, Beloit College; Karen Jones, Beloit College
- *Long Term Learning Outcome of Capstone Courses at Colorado State University.....*Hannah B. Love, Colorado State University
- *Measuring Student Learning in Community Engagement Courses: A Multi-Disciplinary Tool That Works.....*Lee Miller, Sam Houston State University; Sanjay Mehta, Sam Houston State University; Joyce McCauley, Sam Houston State University

Session 150**Lester Young B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 1:00–2:30 PM****[THEMATIC SESSION] Education and Inequality: Publics and Policies [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Helen Moore, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

Discussant: Lesa Johnson, University of Nebraska–Lincoln

- *Public Opinion and Political Priorities Regarding Education in the United States: An Exploration of Convergences and Divergences, 1969–2014.....*Chase M. Billingham, Wichita State University; Shelley M. Kimelberg, Northeastern University
- *Sociodemographic Differences in Directors' Opinions about Universal Preschool.....*Anna Colaner, University of Illinois at Chicago
- *College Access in Two Cultures: Ethnic Minority Education in China and the U.S.....*MaryJo Benton Lee, South Dakota State University
- *Pipelines, Pathways, and Fast Tracks: The Experience of Underrepresented Minority Students with Graduate School Preparation Programs and Doctoral Transitions.....*Andrea Abel, Northwestern University

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Session 157**Andy Kirk A, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Holding Elites Accountable: Current Research on Political Corruption, White-Collar Crime, and Organizational Deviance [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Ryan Ceresola, Southern Illinois University

- *Does Globalization Affect Corruption? A Tale of Two Cases.....*Jorge Chavez-Rojas, University of Iowa
- *Perceptions of Corruption and the Development of Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises in Ghana.....*Hayford Nsiah, Saint Louis University
- *Do Organizational Characteristics Predict Financial Wrongdoing?.....*Harland Prechel, Texas A&M University; Lu Zheng, Texas A&M University
- *The Effect of “Harassment Ideology” on the Black Vote.....*Ryan Ceresola, Southern Illinois University

Session 158**Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Collective Experience and Everyday Life [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Part of the Dennis Brissett Memorial Lecture Series; co-sponsored by the Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction.

Organizers: Janelle Wilson, University of Minnesota Duluth; Daniel Martin, University of Minnesota Duluth

Presider: Janelle Wilson, University of Minnesota Duluth

- *Rising Childhood Obesity Rates and the Increase in Marketing Food to Children.....*Jennifer A. Ferguson, University of Missouri–Kansas City
- *Framing Identity in Social Movements: The Self-identity and Chinese Government Interpretation of Tibet Separatists.....*Jie Chen, Iowa State University
- *My Puppet Just Ate Your Corporation: Props and Protests in the Global Justice Movement.....* Daniel Martin, University of Minnesota Duluth
- *The Sense of Calling, Moral Duty and Bond between Humans and Animals.....*Luisa G Allen, University of Texas at Brownsville

Session 159**Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Violence [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Jacqueline Henke, Purdue University

- *The Rules of Engagement—What a Joke!: An Analysis of the Conflict between the Rules of Engagement and Informal Military Culture.....*Stephanie Decker, Washburn University; John Paul, Washburn University; Nathaniel Valdivia, Washburn University
- *The Rwandan Diaspora in Canada: Justice and Reconciliation.....*Jennifer Marson, Western Michigan University
- *Reframed: Goffman’s Frame Analysis in Urban Nightclubs.....*Geoff Harkness, Morningside College
- *Oil and Violent Rebellion: Rethinking the “Oil Curse”.....*Matthew Costello, Arkansas State; Craig Jenkins, Ohio State University

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Session 160**Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Race and Education: Exploring Student Experiences II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Derrick Brooms, University of Louisville

Discussant: Veronica A. Newton, University of Missouri Columbia

- *Stereotype Threat at Suburban High School*.....Keith D. Albers, McKendree University
- *The Effects of Race and Gender on What Sociologists Study*.....William H. Kye, Wheaton College
- *Race, Diversity and Education: Building a Diversity Task-Force*.....Roslyn Simmons-Lindsay, University of Illinois-Springfield; Kevin Lindsay, University of Illinois-Springfield; Shoon Lio, University of Illinois-Springfield; Tiffani Saunders, University of Illinois-Springfield
- *Engagement: Associations with Academic Performance by Group Identification*.....Scott Walls, Wichita State University

Session 161**Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM****History of Sociology and Social Theory II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers: Harold L. Orbach, Kansas State University; David N. Smith, University of Kansas

Presider: David N. Smith, University of Kansas

- *Jacquelyn Johnson Jackson: Conviction, Courage and Achievement, an Activist Sociologist Fighting Class, Race and Gender Discrimination*.....Harold L. Orbach, Kansas State University
- *Diagnosing American Society in the Age of Mass Democracy: The Sociology of Arthur J. Vidich*.....Harry F. Dahms, University of Tennessee–Knoxville
- *Bob Jones: Common Name, Uncommon Man*.....Clark McPhail, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
- *The Sociology of J.H.W. Stuckenberg*.....Harold L. Orbach, Kansas State University

Session 162**Lester Young A, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Singlehood [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Akiko Yoshida, University of Wisconsin–Whitewater

- *Pressures and Expectations of Singlehood in “Gemeinschaft” Communities in a Post Sexual Revolution Era*.....Deanna Ramos, Benedictine College; Anne Koppes, Benedictine College; Karen Wood, Benedictine College
- *“Congratulations Doctor...We are Waiting on the Next Step”—Perception of Female Singlehood and Higher Education*.....Amanda Patrick, Southern Illinois University Carbondale
- *How Relationship with Non-resident Parents Influence Children’s Mental Health*.....Pinding Li, Iowa State University

Session 163	Lester Young B, 3rd Floor	Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM
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[THEMATIC SESSION] Social Movements and Their Publics [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer/Presider: Steven Buechler, Minnesota State University, Mankato

- *The Internet, Social Media, and Anti-Government Activism.....*Chad Anderson, Incheon National University; Miru Lee, Incheon National University
- *New Social Movements Theory and Urban Farming: Is This a Social Movement?.....*Traci D. Joseph, Western Michigan University
- *Social Bonds as Claims-Making Arenas.....*Chris Hausmann, Northwestern College
- *The Professionalized Activist: Routinization, Organizational Autonomy, and the Emotional Fulfillment of LGBTQ Activists.....*Stephen Wulff, University of Minnesota

Session 164	Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor	Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM
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Sociology of Work and Emotions [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Ashley Vancil, University of Missouri

- *Evidence for the Invisible Work of Emotional Support among Human Service Co-Workers in the Missouri Family Development Credential Training (MO FDC) Evaluation.....*Deborah B. Smith, University of Missouri–Kansas City
- *The Invisibility of Feeding Labor: The Case of the School Lunch Lady.....*Ashley Vancil, University of Missouri
- *Relations of Job Structure and Job Satisfaction to Affective Organizational Commitment.....*Olu Oyinlade, University of Nebraska, Omaha
- *From Balance to Authenticity: Launching Kids and Moms.....*Debra H. Swanson, Hope College

Session 165	Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor	Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM
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The Community and Social Change [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizer/Presider: Patrick Fontane, St. Louis College of Pharmacy

Discussant: Timothy Johnson, Judson University

- *The Influence of a Selective Liberal Arts College on Post-Secondary Planning and Preparation in Rural Iowa.....*Linnea T. Champ, Grinnell College; Audrey Devine-Eller, Grinnell College
- *Religious Congregations and Civic Engagement: A Local Community Analysis.....*Catherine Hoegeman, Missouri State University; Dan Prater, Drury University; Christina Ryder, Missouri State University; Ernest Crunkleton, Missouri State University
- *Judge Garrity and Jerome Winegar: Leading the Charge toward Desegregation.....*Sandra Alvarez, American International College; Melissa MacDonald, American International College

Session 166**Big Joe Turner A/B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Innovative Approaches to Intro: Revamping Soc 101 Courses [ROUNDTABLE (FACULTY/APPLIED/GRAD STUDENTS)]**

Organizer: Veronica Medina, Indiana University Southeast; Jackie Hogan, Bradley University

Presider: Veronica Medina, Indiana University Southeast

- *The Photographic Essay: A Public Statement about a Social Problem.....*Carol A .Jenkins, Glendale Community College–Arizona
- *Strategies for Teaching Inequalities That Are Inclusive and Intersectional.....*Jeffrey McCully, Moraine Valley Community College
- *“The Unaccountable Bartleby” in the Sociology Classroom: Using Melville’s Bartleby in Teaching Ethnomethodology.....*Bradley Brewster, Graceland University

Session 167**Big Joe Turner A/B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Teaching Sociology through Film [ROUNDTABLE (FACULTY/APPLIED/GRAD STUDENTS)]**

Organizer/Presider: Aurea Osgood, Winona State University

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- *Studying Space through Film and Media in an Introductory Sociology Course.....*Erin Davis, Cornell College
 - *Teaching about Globalization, Inequality, and Identity through Foreign Film.....*Monica Snowden, Wayne State College
 - *Documentary Filmmaking and Introduction to Sociology.....*Jacob G. Jantzer, South Dakota State University

Session 168**Big Joe Turner A/B, 3rd Floor****Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM****Out in the Sticks: Diverse Sexualities and Gender Identities in Rural Spaces [ROUNDTABLE (FACULTY/APPLIED/GRAD STUDENTS)]**

Organizer: Jeremiah Jackson, South Dakota State University

- *Rural Homosexualities in the United States: A Systematic Literature Review and Analysis.....* Jeremiah Jackson, South Dakota State University
- *The Lived Experience of Transgender and Gender Non-Conforming Persons Living in Nebraska.....* Jay Irwin, University of Nebraska at Omaha
- *Queering Public Sociology: The Impact of Research on Policy in Nebraska.....*Jay Irwin, University of Nebraska at Omaha

Session 169 **Big Joe Turner A/B, 3rd Floor** **Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM**

“I’m Not a Feminist, but...”: Understanding Gender and Sexuality [ROUNDTABLE (FACULTY/APPLIED/GRAD STUDENTS)]

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Sandra Loughrin, University of Nebraska Kearney

- *Christian Feminists: The Negotiation between Feminist Identity and Conservative Religious Identity*.....Ashley K. Brouder, Columbia College
- *Deconstructing the “Cool Girl:” Gender, Patriarchy, and Feminism in Popular Teen Novels*..... Evelyn A. Clark, SUNY Oswego
- *Graduate Student Surveys: A Discussion of the Measurement of Gender*.....Alian Kasabian, University of Nebraska–Lincoln
- *Representations of Multiple Masculinities among Latino American Men on Vine*.....Kelly Crook, University of Nebraska–Omaha; Kelly R. MacArthur, University of Nebraska–Omaha

Session 170 **Big Joe Turner A/B, 3rd Floor** **Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM**

Community Development as Social Ecological Transformation to Sustainability [ROUNDTABLE (FACULTY/APPLIED/GRAD STUDENTS)]

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Isidor Wallimann, Syracuse University

- *Understanding Assets and Amenities for Sustainable Community Development*.....Brandon C. Hofstedt, Northland College
- *Redefining Community: Community Organizations and the Gowanus Canal Superfund*.....Orla Stapleton, Indiana University
- *Development as Justice: Agroecology as a Rural Development Strategy in Guatemala*.....Maria J. Van Der Maaten, Iowa State University
- *Food Politics on the College Campus*.....Sarah Vandelist, Macalester College

Session 171 **Big Joe Turner A/B, 3rd Floor** **Saturday • 2:45–4:15 PM**

Students and Community-Based Research [ROUNDTABLE (GRADS & UNDERGRADS)]

Organizer: Tim Knapp, Missouri State University

- *A Labor of Love: The Doula Foundation’s Impact on High-Risk, Expecting Mothers*.....Jamie Orlando, Missouri State University
- *Engaged Research through the Community and Family Institute*.....Elizabeth Fogle, University of Arkansas
- *Factors Associated with Obesity and Chronic Illnesses: Results from a Community Health Survey*Kristy Coffin, Missouri State University
- *Determinants of Network Structure among Nonprofit Social Welfare Organizations: A Foray into Community-Engaged Research*.....Leah Woods, University of Iowa

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Session 183**Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Fiscal Sociology: Taxes, Public Finance, and Society [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers: Daniel Alvord, University of Kansas; Scott Moore, Colorado State University

Presider: Daniel Alvord, University of Kansas

Discussant: Scott Moore, Colorado State University

- *Racism and Fiscal Conservatism*.....Daniel Alvord, University of Kansas
- *The Property Tax, Protest and Reform Movement in Rural Colorado, 1911–1935*.....Scott Moore, Colorado State University
- *The Role of Rotating, Savings and Credit Associations Among African Immigrants*.....Habiba Ibrahim, Saint Louis University
- *Culture of Mobility: Parent-Child Interactions and the Intergenerational Transmission of Financial Standing*.....Linh Kauscher, University of Kansas

Session 184**Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Race and Education: Exploring Student Experiences [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Derrick Brooms, University of Louisville

- *Fear of Failure and the Academic Performance of Students from Low-Income Families*.....Hayford Nsiah, Saint Louis University
- *Racial and Social Identity Performance of African American and Asian American Undergraduate Students at a Predominately White Institution: Grounded Theory Method*.....Veronica A. Newton, University of Missouri Columbia; Danielle Nied, Saint Louis University; Alisha Rorer, Saint Louis University; Daniel Stillwell, Saint Louis University; Hisako Matsuo, Saint Louis University
- *Engaging Black Men on Campus: Black Male Initiatives as Social and Cultural Capital*.....Derrick Brooms, University of Louisville

Session 185**Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Religion in Contemporary Society [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Elaine McDuff, Truman State University; Peter Kivisto, Augustana College

Presider: Elaine McDuff, Truman State University

Discussant: Peter Kivisto, Augustana College

- *Symmetry or Submission?: Religion and Beliefs about Gender.....*Derek R. Lehman, Southern Illinois University
- *Exploring Variations in the Interpretation and Salience of Cultural Christianity.....*Kali Cook, University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma
- *Having More Children among Religious People: Does Religion Matter?.....*Im Halimatusadiyah, Iowa State University
- *Ethnicity, Assimilation and Transnationalism: The Changing Role of Churches in the Immigrant Community.....*Cezara Crisan, Purdue University Calumet

Session 186**Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Social Media, Technology and the Changing Face of Interaction [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Jynette Larshus, Minot State University; William Kinney, University of St. Thomas

- *Different Expert, Different Existence: Assessing the Effect of Liberal, Conservative, and Social Media on Perceptions of Political Corruptions' Impact.....*Ryan Ceresola, Southern Illinois University
- *Mobile Diaries & the Virtual CTA: Constructing New Spaces of Racism, Classism, and Sexism.....*Gwendolyn Purifoye, Kent State University
- *Social Media and Transnational Intimacy: A Case Study of WeChat.....*Hui Wilcox, St. Catherine University
- *Google Fiber, Cyber-infrastructure, and Uneven Development: The Privatized Kansas City Experience.....*Seth Merritt, University of Missouri–Kansas City

Session 187**Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Issues in Gender-Based Violence [PANEL]**

Organizer: Rebecca Morrow, University of Illinois; Nadia Shapkina, Kansas State University

Presider: Rebecca Morrow, University of Illinois

Discussant: Nadia Shapkina, Kansas State University

- *Hmong Women's Attitude Toward Rape: A Qualitative Study*.....Julie Vang, University of Wisconsin–River Falls; Paige Miller, University of Wisconsin–River Falls
- *Intersecting Ideologies: Egalitarian and Traditional Ideologies in Predicting Domestic Violence*..... Kevin Douglas, University of Missouri Kansas City
- *New Old Tradition: Articulating Bride Kidnapping in Kyrgyzstan as a Social Problem*..... Dzhamilia O. Makashova, Kansas State University
- *Factors Associated with Perceptions of Rape Events and Reporting of Rape among College and Non-College Women*.....Ryan Spohn, University of Nebraska–Omaha; Abby L Bjornsen, University of Nebraska–Omaha

Session 188**Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Navigating the Job Market as an LGBTQ Scholar [PANEL]**

Organizer/Presider: Neil Quisenberry, McKendree University

Discussant: Neil Quisenberry, McKendree University; Jay Irwin, University of Nebraska at Omaha

Session 189**Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Trigger Warnings: Teaching about Trauma [PANEL]**

Organizer: Bridget Welch, Western Illinois University

Discussants: Anna E. Kosloski, University of Colorado Colorado Springs; Jennie Hemingway, Western Illinois University; Chris Adamski-Mietus, Western Illinois University

Session 190**Lester Young A, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 8:30–10:00 AM****Personal Identity Management on Social Media [PANEL]**

Organizers: Audrey K. Madison, University of Missouri; Kayla Pritchard, South Dakota School of Mines and Technology; Mac-Z Zurawski, Chicago State University

Session 191	Lester Young B, 3rd Floor	Sunday • 8:30–10:00 AM
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Women, Crime, and Justice [PANEL]

Organizer: Ashley Wiegand, Eastern Michigan University

- *Pregnant and Imprisoned: “How I Created Parenting Plans for My Unborn Child in Prison”*..... Rebecca M. Rodriguez Carey, The University of Missouri
- *The Use of Gender in Methamphetamine Markets*.....Julie Yingling, South Dakota State University

Session 192	Yardbird A/B, 2nd Floor	Sunday • 8:30–Noon
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Session 193	Bennie Moten A, 3rd Floor	Sunday • 10:15–11:45 AM
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Responding to the Challenges of Inequality in Agriculture and Food Security [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizers: Paul Stock, University of Kansas; Gene Deerman, Eastern Illinois University; Ashley Vancil, University of Missouri; Aurea Osgood, Winona State University

Presider: Aurea Osgood, Winona State University

Discussant: Paul Stock, University of Kansas

- *Food Distribution’s Socioeconomic Relationships and Public Policy: Mexico City’s Municipal Public Markets*.....Andrew Smolski, North Carolina State University; Gerardo Torres Salcido, National Autonomous University of Mexico; Mario del Roble Pensado Leglise, National Politechnic Institution
- *Picturing Good Farming: Performing Food Utopias with New and Sustainable Farmers*.....Paul Stock, University of Kansas
- *What Does It Mean to Be a Farmer? Midwestern Grain Farmers’ Views on Sustainability, 300 Bushel Corn, and Feeding the World*.....Gene Deerman, Eastern Illinois University
- *The Food Insecurity-Obesity Paradox among Middle-School Students*.....Don E. Willis, University of Missouri; Kevin M. Fitzpatrick, University of Arkansas
- *S.N.A.P. Gap*.....Crystal A. Miller, Wichita State University

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Session 194**Bennie Moten B, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Cultures of Work [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Jeffrey McCully, Moraine Valley Community College

- *A Tale of Two Stores: Co-workers, Friends, and Corporate Culture*.....Mike Sickels, University of Missouri
- *Reality Television and Work Realities: Policy Implications for Work and Workers in Undercover Boss*.....Veronica Medina, Indiana University Southeast
- *“Still an Adjunct:” The Case of the Hybrid Full-time Adjunct Faculty*.....Keith R. Johnson, Oakton Community College
- *Morality Goes to Work: Organizationally Desirable Correlates of Employee Morality*.....Zachary W. Brewster, Wayne State University ; Jonathan R. Brauer, University of Nebraska Omaha; Michael Lynn, Cornell University

Session 195**Big Joe Turner A, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Understanding Conservation and Pro-Environmental Behaviors [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Jessica Ulrich-Schad, Purdue University

- *Out-of-State, Out of Mind? Absentee Farmland Owners and Conservation Practices*.....Jessica Ulrich-Schad, Purdue University ; Nicholas Babin, Taylor University; Zhao Ma, Purdue university; Linda Prokopy, Purdue University
- *Domestic Water Usage in Kansas: A Study of Water Conservation and Well Ownership*.....Brock Ternes, University of Kansas
- *From Models to Roadmaps: Practical Lessons from Pro-Environmental Behavior (PEB) Research*.....Joshua N. King, University of Missouri-Kansas City

Session 196**Big Joe Turner B, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Constructions of Gender: Statuses and Circumstances [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer: Karen Altendorf, Bucknell University

- *Battle of the Book Boyfriends: Constructions of Masculinity in Popular Romance Novels*.....Jodie Hertzog, Wichita State University; Jodie Simon, Wichita State University
- *Changing Status Characteristic in Higher Education*.....McKenzie Parker, Truman State University; Caitlyn Lee, Truman State University; Christopher Kelley, Truman State University
- *Becoming Ex-Amish: What Does It Take?*.....Jessica R. Sullivan, Western Michigan University

Session 197**Lester Young A, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Immigrant and Refugee Communities II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider: Hisako Matsuo, Saint Louis University

- *Disentangling the Effects of Acculturation and Duration in the United States on Latina Immigrant Maternal and Infant Obesity.....*Miguel Ceballos, West Chester University of Pennsylvania; Andrea Cantarero, University of New Mexico Albuquerque; Shanell Sanchez-Smith, Colorado Mesa University
- *The Somali American Dream—Identifications of Young Somali Adults in Minnesota.....*Marko Karanen, University of Minnesota
- *Feeling a Part of the Community: The Socio-Cultural Adaptation Experiences of Saudi Students.....*Kellie Petersen, University of Northern Iowa
- *A Comparison of Fertility Patterns of Immigrants in the United States with Those in the Country of Origin in Timing of Marriage and Childbearing.....*Donya Karimi, Kansas State University

Session 198**Lester Young B, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Development, Environment, and Civil Society II [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizer/Presider/Discussant: Ajay Panicker, St. Cloud State University

- *The Practice of Empowerment: Fairtrade Production in South Africa.....*Nicholas Greenfield, Colorado State University
- *Whose Water? Whose Rights? A Comparative Analysis of Water Scarcity and National Water Policy in Ecuador and Peru.....*David H. Cooper, University of Kansas
- *Chinese Neo-Liberalism and Bases for Cross-Straits Labor Solidarity.....*Stephen Phillion, St. Cloud State University

Session 199**Mary Lou Williams A, 3rd Floor****Sunday • 10:15–11:45 AM****Carnival and Spectacle [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]**

Organizers/ Presiders: Lauren Langman, Loyola University-Chicago; George Lundskow, Grand Valley State University

- *Voices of Beauty Queens: Understanding the Emphasis on Traditional Standards of Beauty for Women.....*Victoria E. Peters, Southern Illinois University–Edwardsville
- *Spectacles of Piety: Prayer and the Politics of Mass Arousal in Democratic Nigeria.....*Ebenezer B. Obadare, University of Kansas
- *Is Staged Authenticity Real: From Institution to Impulse Revisited.....*Lauren Langman, Loyola University-Chicago
- *“It’s All About the Money”: Hooters Girls Revisited.....*Natalie L. Haber-Barker, Loyola University Chicago

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Session 200	Mary Lou Williams B, 3rd Floor	Sunday • 10:15–11:45 AM
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Africa, the Diaspora, Violence, and Leadership: Sociologists' Engagement with New Audiences [FORMAL PAPER SESSION]

Organizers: Musa Ilu, University of Central Missouri; Ibitola Pearce, University of Missouri–Columbia

- *What Lies Beneath: Household and Community Foundations of Leadership Practices in Africa.....*
Ibitola Pearce, University of Missouri–Columbia
- *Corruption and Poverty.....*Blessing N. Obioma, University of Illinois at Chicago
- *Understanding Cabral's Legacy: The Question of African Leadership and the Struggle for Cape Verdean Artisanal Fishing Communities.....*Stephane D. Andrade, University of Missouri
- *Globalization and the Death of Development Discourse in Africa: A Critical Analysis of Scholarly Literature on Development.....*Musa Ilu, University of Central Missouri

Session 201	Julia Lee B, 3rd Floor	Sunday • 10:15–11:45 AM
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Academia as a Second Career [WORKSHOP]

Organizer: Tanya Gladney, University of St. Thomas

Session 202	Jay McShann A, 3rd Floor	Sunday • 10:15–11:45 AM
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Strategies of Productive Writers [PANEL]

Organizer/Presider: Krista Lynn Minnotte, University of North Dakota

Discussants: Krista Lynn Minnotte, University of North Dakota; Steven Buechler, Minnesota State University, Mankato; Elizabeth Hoffmann, Purdue University; Daphne E. Pedersen, University of North Dakota; Pamela Quiroz, University of Illinois at Chicago

Session 203	Jay McShann B, 3rd Floor	Sunday • 10:15–11:45 AM
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Second Shift: Working Women [PANEL]

Organizer/Presider: Mary Campbell, Texas A&M University

Discussants: Catherine Fobes, Alma College; Barbara Keating, Minnesota State University, Mankato; Charlotte Kunkel, Luther College

Session 204	Julia Lee A, 3rd Floor	Sunday • 10:15–11:45 AM
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Challenges and Strategies of Teaching to the Underprepared Student [PANEL]

Organizers: Sarah Gonzales, MCC–Penn Valley; Nathan Driskill, MCC–Penn Valley

Discussants: Eve Clark-Benavides, SUNY-Oswego; Yngve Digernes, Columbia College of Missouri; Nathan Driskill, MCC–Penn Valley; Sarah Gonzales, MCC–Penn Valley

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HISTORICAL OVERVIEW

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Madison..... 1949	Minneapolis..... 1971	St. Louis 1994
Omaha 1950	Kansas City 1972	Chicago 1995
Des Moines 1951	Milwaukee..... 1973	Chicago 1996
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Omaha 1953	Chicago 1975	Kansas City 1998
Madison..... 1954	St. Louis 1976	Minneapolis..... 1999
Des Moines 1955	Minneapolis..... 1977	Chicago 2000
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Des Moines 1957	Minneapolis..... 1979	Milwaukee..... 2002
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Lincoln 1959	Minneapolis..... 1981	Kansas City 2004
St. Louis 1960	Des Moines 1982	Minneapolis..... 2005
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Des Moines 1962	Chicago 1984	Chicago (w/NCSA)..... 2007
Milwaukee..... 1963	St. Louis 1985	St. Louis 2008
Kansas City 1964	Des Moines 1986	Des Moines 2009
Minneapolis..... 1965	Chicago 1987	Chicago (w/NCSA)..... 2010
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Des Moines 1967	St. Louis 1989	Minneapolis..... 2012
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	Des Moines 1991	Omaha 2014

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	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Illinois	195	191	*339	230	211	*250	234	228	*307	215
Iowa	102	120	113	95	*135	121	116	120	95	122
Kansas	72	81	87	75	96	96	99	72	84	98
Minnesota	*167	119	124	113	156	139	144	*245	173	152
Missouri	109	105	105	*119	82	99	*130	118	107	113
Nebraska	65	*94	65	57	74	66	74	76	72	*108
North Dakota	21	24	19	29	17	26	15	32	22	19
South Dakota	30	45	26	13	21	14	15	25	18	20
Wisconsin	108	65	92	60	84	80	66	77	82	55
Other**	326	273	409	321	250	369	280	287	351	227
TOTAL	1195	1117	1379	1112	1126	1260	1173	1280	1311	1129

*Indicates the state in which the annual meeting was held.

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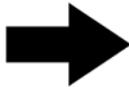
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