

CLINICAL SOCIOLOGY

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF ISA RC46: CLINICAL SOCIOLOGY

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DEAR RC46 MEMBERS,

GREETINGS FROM MANILA!

Welcome to Women's Month 2022! In our ISA-RC 46 Newsletter for January-March 2022, I would like to thank the officers and members for their contributions despite their hectic schedule. With some of us having to deliver classes face-to-face, we all face tremendous adjustments in our homes and workplaces!

In this issue, Prof. Tina Uys, RC 46 Vice-President for Programs, is reminding us of the important dates to remember in preparation for the XX ISA World Congress of Sociology in Melbourne, Australia, June 25-July 30, 2023. Following this announcement, Tina Uys, who is also the Vice-President for the Association of Applied and Clinical Sociology (AACS) is also inviting you to send proposals for the AACS Annual Meeting on October 6-8, 2022 in Louisville, Kentucky. She is also inviting you to act as session organizers in this meeting. Deadline for submitting proposals: March 18, 2022!

From France, Agnes Vandeveldde-Rougale is inviting RC members to send abstracts for the international conference, "Clinical Sociology and Politics," to be held in Paris in June 2022. The deadline for submitting communication proposals (abstract of approximately 1000 characters) is extended to **March 15, 2022**. Proposals must be sent to: colloquesocioclinique@gmail.com. For the full text of the CfP in French, click [here](#).

Meanwhile, Dr. Rosemary Barberet, ISA's UN Representative is organizing a forum which will run parallel to the official UN Commission on the Status of Women session which will be held at the UN Headquarters on March 24, 2022. This forum will be part of the NGO CSW66 event which will run from 13-25 March 2022. See details in later pages. Click [here](#) to register in advance for this meeting.

On March 4, I will be taking part in the third panel session of the Chula Futures Literacy Week with a presentation on [Gender, Environmental Rights and Climate Justice: Transdisciplinary Approaches to Building Resilience Among Local Risk Governance Systems](#). The event is co-organized by Chulalongkorn University and UNESCO is being held from February 28-March 4, 2022. I hope this will encourage you to send us news of your engagements.

We are also featuring in this issue two sociologists in the news: 1) Prof./Mayor Sean Dunne, a clinical sociologist teaching at Shawnee University, and 2) Prof. Walden Bello at the University of the Philippines who is running for Vice-President of the Philippines in the May 2022 elections. Hope you can send us news of engaged sociologists from your region.

In this issue, we are creating a space for RC 46 members' institutional/professional innovations in their respective places/spaces of engagement. Thus, the last entry in this newsletter is about the creation of the Visayas State University's Gender Resource Center (GRC) by Ma. Aurora Teresita Tabada, a new member of RC 46. I hope this entry will encourage other members to write about their institution's research centers or their own initiatives for women and other marginalized groups.

I hope you will continue to share your clinical sociology innovations from your part of the world! Please send entries to our RC 46 Newsletter, so others can read about your initiatives. I feel embarrassed having to post a couple of my engagements to fill some space!!!

As we embark into a "new normal" after many Covid-19 surges, may we draw enormous inspiration from our "lockdown" experiences these past two years and go further heights in 2022 and beyond! More power to you and your dreams!



Emma E. Porio

ISA RC46 President (2018-2022)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PLANNING FOR ISA WORLD CONGRESS MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA JULY 2023

XX ISA World Congress of Sociology



Resurgent Authoritarianism:
*Sociology of New Entanglements of
Religions, Politics, and Economies*

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The dates for the ISA World Congress have now been finalized. The Congress will be held in Melbourne from 25 June – 1 July 2023 (in hybrid format). The theme of the Congress is **Resurgent Authoritarianism: The Sociology of New Entanglements of Religions, Politics, and Economies**.

Based on our membership, the Research Committee in Clinical Sociology (RC-46) has been awarded a total of 18 sessions at the World Congress. One of these will be a business meeting. I will be responsible for the coordination of the RC 46 programme.

We have provided a series of important deadlines below. We will send regular reminders, however, please keep in mind that the ISA is committed to strictly following timelines. It is, therefore, essential that you submit your contributions in advance of these deadlines. The details are available in full [here](#).



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Sociology ³

The first deadline to meet is the submission of session descriptions via the Confex platform on **MAY 2**. We will issue a formal call for sessions in the next month or so, but please start thinking about the sessions you would like to form part of our programme, and who you'd like to encourage to submit abstracts for consideration. We urge you to think beyond your own country and/or direct circles when doing so, and especially to consider encouraging speakers from the Global South to participate.

The deadline for proposals of integrative sessions, author meets critics sessions, and ad hoc sessions follows soon after on **MAY 10**. Please write to me directly at tuys@uj.ac.za by the latest MARCH 31 if you would like to suggest an integrative session, or you have published a book that could form part of an author meets critics session. This will allow sufficient time to involve other research committees and determine possibilities for the author meets critics sessions.

We look forward to a large participation by RC46 members at the Congress either in person or virtually!

APPLICABLE DEADLINES

- May 2 - May 31, 2022** *Call for Sessions*
24:00 GMT
- RC/WG/TG session proposer must submit session's description on-line via Confex platform.
 - Invited Session organizer (RC/WG/TG, Presidential, Plenary, LOC sessions, etc.) must submit session's description on-line via Confex platform.
- May 10, 2022** *Submission of proposals* to the ISA Secretariat isa@isa-sociology.org for:
- [Integrative Sessions](#) which involve at least 3 Research Committees, 3 National Associations or a combination of the two,
 - [Author Meets Critics sessions](#),
 - [Ad Hoc Sessions](#)
- May 31, 2022** Announcement of the Program Committee decision on accepted proposals
- Jun 1 - 26, 2022** *Final list of Sessions:* RC/WG/TG Program Coordinator must finalize a list of sessions. Sessions format, titles, descriptions and the language in which they will be held (English, French or Spanish), as well as contact details of session organizers (name, affiliation, country, e-mail) will be available on the ISA conference platform run by Confex.
- Jul 1 - Sept 30, 2022** *Abstracts submission:* Participants and organizers of invited sessions must submit abstracts on-line via Confex platform. Abstracts must be submitted in English, French or Spanish. Only abstracts submitted on-line will be considered in the selection process.

- Oct 7 - Nov 7, 2022** 24:00 GMT **Abstracts selection:** Session Organizer must complete selection of abstracts, and provide a final presentation designation (oral, distributed, poster, round table). Session Organizers move good quality abstracts unsuited for their sessions to the Program Coordinator's bin for transfer to another session.
Note: abstract transfers should be done to the Program Coordinator's bin as early as possible so that good abstracts may be transferred to other appropriate sessions to enable organizers to consider these transferred abstracts, and make decisions within the deadlines.
Session Organizers and chairs, co-chairs, discussants, and panelists to their sessions as needed.
- Nov 8 – 25, 2022** 24:00 GMT **Abstracts relocation:** Program Coordinator relocates good quality abstracts considered unsuited by Session Organizers from the Program Coordinator's bin to other sessions. No more sessions can be added after that deadline.
- Dec 2, 2022** 24:00 GMT **Notification letters:** Confex sends notification letters to:
- Authors and co-authors of accepted abstracts
 - Authors of rejected abstracts
- Dec 15, 2022 – Jan 26, 2023** 24:00 GMT **Sessions Scheduling**
- December 15 - January 15: Confex schedules Joint Session, Round Table, and Poster sessions
 - January 16 - January 26: Program Coordinators schedule regular sessions
- Jan 31, 2023** 24:00 GMT **Applications for Registration Grants deadline:** Program Coordinator receives applications for ISA grants submitted by the participants
- Feb 15, 2023** 24:00 GMT **Submission of proposed Registration Grants recipients:** Program Coordinator sends a list of selected individuals and amounts recommended to the ISA Secretariat isa@isa-sociology.org for verification and approval.
- Mar 22, 2023** 24:00 GMT **Registration deadline for presenters:** Registration must be paid by the deadline. Confex matches registrations with accepted presenters and will send out the last reminder to register. Presenters who have failed to register will be automatically deleted from the program.

CALL FOR SESSION PROPOSALS: 2022 AACS Annual Meeting

In October 2022 (6-8), the AACS Annual Meeting will take place in Louisville, Kentucky. If COVID allows, we hope to have an in-person conference with a virtual component included.

In preparation for the Call for Papers, we invite you to consider acting as a session organizer and submitting proposals for sessions for the 2022 AACS Annual Meeting.

The deadline for submitting a proposal for sessions is March 18, 2022.

We will include the suggested proposals for sessions in the Call for Papers to be distributed on March 31. You will have an opportunity to indicate your individual participation in the meeting by submitting a paper (or any other individual form of participation) by May 20, 2022.

We would also like to encourage you to think creatively about the **format of the session** you propose. In the past, sessions took any of the following formats. New ideas are welcome:

- Paper presentation session – up to five presentations
- Panel sessions – a larger number of invited panelists who debate around a specific theme
- Featured or Keynote Speaker
- Author meets their Critics
- Roundtable session – maximum of five tables with concurrently running round table presentations in one room
- Workshop (expert witness; grant applications; communicating to public audiences; quick tips; curriculum changes to advantage skills building of students; a dialogue between the academy and outside the academy; what employers are looking for)

We encourage proposals for sessions from AACS members from a variety of backgrounds: practitioners both within and beyond the academy, students, early career scholars, as well as scholars from the Global South. We are interested in proposals for the face-to-face or virtual component of the meeting. You might also want to think about a session with a regional focus.

Submissions that are to be uploaded to the online system should include the following information:

- Title of the Session
- Format of the session: (regular session, panel session, workshop etc.)
- A 250-word description of the session
- Full name, affiliation and contact details of the session organize(s) and/or session chair(s) (if different)

- Part of program: In-person component, virtual or both

You can address any questions regarding the submission of proposals to tuys@uj.ac.za

Tina Uys
Vice-President AACCS

News from France...

By Agnès Vandeveldde-Rougale

The new year brings several news with it :

The call for papers for the international conference “Clinical Sociology and Politics” to be held in Paris in June 2022 is underway ([click here](#)). The deadline for submitting communication proposals (approx. 1000-character abstract) is extended to March 15, 2022. Proposals must be sent to: colloquesocioclinique@gmail.com. For the full text of the CfP in French, see [here](#).

The symposium would either take place on-site in Paris, or be bi-modal (on-site and remotely simultaneously). Participation in the symposium will be free of charge. The organizational details will be specified at the end of March on the [conference presentation page](#).

The clinical sociology thematic group of the French Association of Sociology (AFS-RT16) organized a rich study day with young researchers in January in Paris, on-site, on “[Anxieties and transitions](#)”

Due to the continuation of the constraints linked to the Covid-19 pandemic, the seminar « Histoire de vie et choix théoriques » (life stories and theoretical choices), organized in Paris by the LCSP (Université de Paris), and the RISC is partly on-line. For more information, [click here](#).

A book by Kevin Flamme is released in February 2022, based on his ethnography of the modeling profession : « [Entre glamour et souffrance, le métier de mannequin](#) »

More news to come as the year develops... All the best!

RC 46 Officers in NGOCSW Parallel Event, in conjunction with the 66th Session of the UN Commission on the Status of Women

The International Sociological Association will be sponsoring a parallel event as part of the NGOCSW Forum. The Forum entitled, Feminist Approaches to Justice: Achieving Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women and Girls, is co-sponsored by Criminologists without Borders, and will be held virtually on March 24th at 8:00-10:00 am EDT.

Rosemary Barberet, RC 46 officer and ISA's UN Representative (along with Jan Fritz, RC 46 Board of Presidential Adviser) organized the panel. Rosemary Barberet, Jan Fritz, Daniela Shauk, Sharon Everhardt, and Emma Porio, are presenting papers in the forum. We invite you to attend this forum as well as advertise this to your colleagues. Spanish translations will be available as well. Further information may be found [here](#). Information on other related panels of interest can be found on this [link](#).

Click [here](#) to register in advance for this meeting.

Further information is available from ISA representatives to the UN, Jan Marie Fritz (jan.fritz@uc.edu), and Rosemary Barberet (rbarberet@jjay.cuny.edu).



Dr. Jan Marie Fritz, Certified Clinical Sociologist (C.C.S.), is a Professor at the University of Cincinnati, a Distinguished Visiting Professor at the University of Johannesburg and a Visiting Professor at Taylor's University (Malaysia). She has just returned from being a Fulbright-National Science Foundation Arctic Scholar in Iceland. She is a former Vice President of the International Sociological Association and currently is a member of the Executive Committee of the International Sociological Association (ISA), as well as an ISA representative to the United Nations. She also is a member of the Steering Committee of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's National Environmental Justice Advisory Council, a member of the Mayor of Cincinnati's Gender Equality Task Force, and editor of Springer's Clinical Sociology book series. She recently was selected as a Fulbright Specialist (consultant) for a four-year term (2021-2025). Twitter @uofcincy @mediauj



Dr. Emma Porio is Professor, Department of Sociology and Anthropology at Ateneo de Manila University. Dr. Porio's research and publications focus on climate and disaster risks in relation to social-cultural vulnerability, risk governance, and community well-being and resilience. She is also the project leader and principal investigator of the Coastal Cities at Risk in the Philippines project, co-director of the Master of Disaster Risk and Resilience, and a science research fellow at the Manila Observatory. She is the president of the Asia Pacific Sociological Association (APSA) as well as of the International Sociological Association, Clinical/Sociology Division (2019-2023). Twitter @eporio @ccarPH @ateneodemaniiau



Dr. Daniela Jauk is Assistant Professor for Sociology and Criminal Justice at the University of Akron, Ohio. She received a Master's in Sociology from the University of Graz in her home country Austria and completed her Ph.D. in Sociology as a Fulbright student at the University of Akron/OH in 2013. Her areas of research interest and teaching are gender and sexualities, inequality in the criminal justice system, and qualitative methods. She is currently working on clinical sociology projects and research around gardening in carceral settings. Twitter @danielaJauk @uakron



Dr. Sharon Lindhorst Everhardt is an Associate Professor of Sociology and Chair of the Department of Anthropology, Sociology, and Criminal Justice at Troy University. She received her Ph.D. from Wayne State University in Sociology with a specialization in intersectionality. Her main research interests include the study of race, class, and gender, especially low-income populations of women, and clinical sociology. Currently, a major USDA-funded project addresses food insecurity in a large women's prison. She serves on the Board of RC46 Clinical Sociology of the International Sociological Association. Twitter @TroyUNews



Emma Porio, RC 46 President, delivered a special lecture, **Women Leadership in Climate and Disaster Resilience: The Case of the Philippines** in Ochanomizu University, Japan. Prof. Sung-Nam Cho, immediate past president of the Korean Sociological Association moderated the panel.



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Women Leadership in
Climate Change & Disaster Resilience
-the Case of the Philippines-

今回、特別講師としてお迎えするエマ・ポリオ教授には、気候変動・災害レジリエンスにおける女性の役割やリーダーシップについて、フィリピンでのケースをもとにお話しいただきます。現地で様々な活動・プロジェクトに携わっているスペシャリストによる特別講義です。大変貴重な機会ですので、ぜひご参加ください！



Speaker
Prof. Emma PORIO
Moderator: Prof. Sung-Nam CHO

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フィリピン アテネオ・デ・マニラ大学 社会科学部 社会学・人類学 学科の教授。マニラ天文台の科学 研究員。現在は、International Sociological Association (ISA)の臨床/応用社会学部門 (2019-2023年)およびアジア太平洋社会学会 (2020-2023年)の会長を務める。アテネオ・デ・マニラ大学の気候・災害対応に関する学際的アクションリサーチ・プロジェクト「Coastal Cities at Risk Investing in Climate and Disaster Resilience in the Philippines (CCARIP)」のプロジェクトリーダーおよび主任研究員である。過去10年にわたり、社会から除外された人々の気候・災害リスクに対する脆弱性・適応・回復力や、南半球の都市やコミュニティのリスクガバナンスシステムに焦点を当てた論文を発表している。最近では、フィリピン気候変動委員会の国家技術専門家パネル (NPTE) に就任。

2022

JAN 18th (TUE)

17:00 - 19:00

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(申込締切：1月18日(火)15時)
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SOME REFRESHING NEWS

Mayor Sean Dunne of Portsmouth is a Clinical Sociologist!

Introducing Mayor and Professor Sean Dunne, senior member of the council in Portsmouth.

He was elected to his second term in the 1st Ward in November after running unopposed. The new mayor, a Clinical Sociologist, is also a professor of Sociology at Shawnee State University, and is known for spearheading projects such as the Spock Memorial Dog Park, and Portsmouth Skate Park. He has been a vocal advocate for the renovation of the Spartan Municipal Stadium, anti-discrimination legislation, and downtown redevelopment initiatives such as DORA (designated outdoor refreshment areas). Mayor Dunne has also made a major contribution to the international case against corporate-driven globalization.



Walden Bello Running for Vice President of the Philippines!

Walden Flores Bello is a Filipino sociologist, environmentalist, and social worker, who served as a member of the House of Representatives in the Philippines. He is an international adjunct professor at Binghamton University, professor of Sociology and Public Administration at the University of the Philippines Diliman, and Co-Founder and Co-Chairperson of the Bangkok-based research and advocacy institute Focus on the Global South.

Professor Bello obtained his bachelor of arts degree from Ateneo de Manila University in 1966, and his doctorate in Sociology from Princeton University in 1975. His dissertation was on "The Roots And Dynamics Of Revolution And Counterrevolution In Chile". He also taught at the University of California, Berkeley.

He was awarded the Right Livelihood Award (also known as the Alternative Nobel Prize) in 2003 for his " outstanding efforts in educating civil society about the effects of corporate globalization, and how alternatives to it can be implemented." He popularized the term "deglobalization". His research interests include Regionalisms & Globalization, International Financial Institutions, WTOm and Alternative Security in the Asia-Pacific.

He is a former Member of the Philippine House of Representatives for the Akbayan Partylist (2007-2016) and founder and chairperson of the left-wing alliance Laban ng Masa. In the coming May 2022 elections, he is running for Vice President of the Republic of the Philippines.

GENDER RESOURCE CENTER, VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY, CENTRAL PHILIPPINES

by Ma. Teresita Aurora Tabada

The Visayas State University (VSU) in Central Philippines established its **Gender Resource Center (GRC)**. The GRC is envisioned to be the university's one-stop shop for all things gender in response to various international commitments like the CEDAW and BPfA, as well as national mandates like the **Magna Carta of Women**, and the CMO No. 01, Series of 2015 on Establishing the Policies and Guidelines on Gender and Development in the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) and Higher Education Institutions (HEIs). The GRC articulates VSU's strategy to establish a gender-responsive university. It houses VSU's Gender and Development Program (GAD) and the Anti-Sexual Harrassment Unit (ASHU). Additionally, it is also developing expertise to implement the gender-responsive curriculum, the research and extension programs of the university, as well as



GAD Focal Point System members discussing the Gender Mainstreaming Evaluation Framework results for VSU

provide technical support to other HEIs, CSOs, and LGUs in Eastern Visayas. Recently, it forged a partnership with the University Gender and Development Office (UGDO) of the Ateneo de Manila University to integrate gender, climate and disaster resilience issues into GRC's policies and programs.



VSU Women's Month Program at the University Administration Building, 2020

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