



Research Committee 52 Professional Groups

Newsletter, Spring 2014

Letter from the President of ISA RC52

Dear members and friends of ISA Research Committee 52 'Sociology of Professional Groups',

ISA RC52 is looking forward to the World Congress in Yokohama, Japan, that will supposedly become the biggest event in ISA history. RC52 will contribute 17 sessions, including four joint sessions and an invited panel addressing issues of globalizing professions. The session timetable is available at: <http://www.isa-sociology.org/congress2014/rc/rc.php?n=RC52>. Congratulations to Tiago Correia (Portugal), Patrick Gun Cuninghame (Mexico), Javier Pablo Hermo (Argentine), Siddharemesh Hiremath (India) and Swethaa Ballakrishnen (USA/ India), who received the ISA RC52 registration grants; Elena Iarskaia-Smirnova (Russia), Debby Bonnin and Shaun Ruggunan (South Africa) were nominated as grantees but had to withdraw because of other funding grants.

Congratulations from RC52 also to the inaugural issue of the new international '*Journal of Professions and Organizations*' (JPO; <http://jpo.oxfordjournals.org/content/early/recent>).

Thinking ahead, I am delighted to announce the 2015 ISA RC52 Interim Conference that will take place at the Catholic University Milan in Italy, 19-21 March 2015 – many thanks to the local organisers Lara Maestriperi (RC52 associated Board Member and PhD/ Young Researchers' Representative) and Ivana Pais and Michela Bolis! Save the date and watch out for further information; a website and abstract submission will open in June/July.

In this Newsletter you also find a Report on the previous ISA RC52 Interim Conference in November 2013, that was hosted by Helena Serra (RC52 Executive Board member) and Tiago Correia at the Technical University Lisbon, Portugal, and attracted more than 100 participants from many countries – many thanks for the warm hospitality and a stimulating meeting!

Please also have a look at the Notices and information on how to become a member of ISA RC52! Do not miss the RC52 blog (researchcommittee52.wordpress.com). Next to the official ISA RC52 website (<http://www.isa-sociology.org/rc52.htm>), the blog provides news and welcomes debates and announcements on the professions and professionalism; please contact blog Administrator Lara Maestriperi (lara.maestriperi@gmail.com).

With best wishes
Ellen

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ISA RC52 President
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Carta del Presidente del ISA RC52

Estimados miembros y amigos del Comité de Investigación ISA 52 'Sociología de los grupos profesionales':

El Comité RC52 ISA está mirando atentamente al próximo Congreso Mundial de Yokohama, Japón que, se supone se convertirá en el mayor evento en la historia de la Asociación Internacional de Sociología (ISA). Nuestro Comité aportará 17 sesiones, incluyendo cuatro conjuntas y un panel de invitados que tratarán cuestiones relativas a la globalización de las profesiones. El calendario de sesiones está disponible en: <http://www.isa-sociology.org/congress2014/rc/rc.php?n=RC52>.

Felicitaciones a Tiago Correia (Portugal), Patrick Arma Cuninghame (México), Javier Pablo Hermo (Argentina), Siddharemesh Hiremath (India) y Swethaa Ballakrishnen (Estados Unidos / India), quienes recibieron la beca de inscripción de ISA RC52. Por su parte, Elena Iarskaia-Smirnova (Rusia), Debby Bonnin y Shaun Ruggunan (Sudáfrica) fueron nominados como beneficiarios, pero tuvieron que retirarse sus nombres debido a la existencia de otras becas de financiamiento.

Pensando en el futuro, me complace anunciar la Conferencia Interina ISA RC52 2015, que tendrá lugar en la Universidad Católica de Milán en Italia, del 19 al 21 de marzo de 2015. ¡Muchas gracias a los organizadores locales: Lara Maestriperi (miembro del Consejo Ejecutivo del RC52) y Ivana Pais y Michela Bolis! Anoten la fecha y estén atentos para obtener más información: un sitio web y la fecha de envío de resúmenes se abrirán entre junio y julio.

En este boletín encontrarán también un informe sobre la previa Conferencia Interina ISA RC52 de noviembre de 2013; que fue organizada por Helena Serra (miembro del Consejo Ejecutivo del RC52) y Tiago Correia, en la Universidad Técnica de Lisboa, Portugal y atrajo a más de 100 participantes de muchos países. ¡Muchas gracias por la cálida hospitalidad y la estimulante reunión!

Por favor, también echen un vistazo a los avisos e información sobre cómo convertirse en un miembro de ISA RC52. No se pierdan el blog del RC52: researchcommittee52.wordpress.com. Junto a la web oficial de ISA RC52, el blog ofrece noticias y da la bienvenida a los debates y anuncios sobre las profesiones y profesionalismo; por favor contacten a la administradora del blog, Lara Maestriperi (lara.maestriperi@gmail.com).

Saludos cordiales,

Ellen

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Lettre de la Présidente du RC 52 de l' AIS

Chers membres et amis du Comité de recherche 52 de l' AIS – Sociologie des groupes professionnels,

Le RC52 de l' AIS prépare le Congrès Mondial qui aura lieu à Yokohama, Japon, et dont on pense qu' il deviendra le plus grand événement de l' histoire de l' AIS. Le RC 52 y contribuera pour 17 sessions incluant quatre sessions jointes et un groupe invité s' intéressant à la question des professions touchées par la mondialisation. Le calendrier des sessions est accessible à l' adresse é <http://www.isa-sociology.org/congress2014/rc/rc.php?n=RC52>.

Félicitations à Tiago Correa (Portugal), Patrick Gun Cuninghame (Mexique), Javier Pablo Hermo (Argentine), Siddharemesh Hiremath (Inde) et Swethaa Ballakrishnen (USA/ Inde), qui ont reçu les frais d' inscription du RC 52. Elena Iarskaia-Smirnova (Russie), Debby Bonnin et Shaun Ruggunan (Afrique du Sud) qui avaient été désignés pour une mission identique ont dû abandonner, ayant eu à gérer d' autres subventions.

Pour l' avenir, je suis heureuse de vous annoncer, pour 2015, l' Interim Conference du RC 52 de l' AIS qui aura lieu à l' Université Catholique de Milan en Italie du 19 au 21 Mars 2015. Merci aux organisateurs locaux Lara Maestriperi (membre au Bureau Exécutif du RC 52), Ivana Pais et Michela Bolis! Notez la date et guettez l' information à venir; un website et une proposition pour la soumission d' un abstract seront ouverts en Juin/ Juillet.

Dans cette Lettre d' information vous trouverez aussi un rapport sur la précédente Interim Conference de Novembre 2013. Elle fut reçue par Helena Serra (membre du Bureau Exécutif du RC 52) et Tiago Correa à l' Université Technique de Lisbonne (Portugal) et rassembla plus de 100 participants de nombreux pays. Nous les remercions vivement de leur chaleureuse hospitalité. Ce fut une rencontre très stimulante!

Veillez aussi être attentifs aux Notices et à l' information expliquant comment devenir membre du RC 52 de l' AIS! N' oubliez pas le blog du RC 52 (researchcommittee52.wordpress.com). A côté du site officiel du RC 52 de l' AIS (<http://www.isa-sociology.org/rc52.htm>), le blog donne des informations et accueille des débats et des annonces sur les professions et le professionnalisme; contactez l' Administratrice du blog Lara Maestriperi (lara.maestriperi@gmail.com).

Cordialement,
Ellen

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RC52 'Professional Groups'

Interim Conference

Professions, Bonds and Boundaries:

Visioning a globalising, managed and inclusive professionalism

Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore di Milano, Italy

19-21 March 2015

Professions are bound to societal developments as policy experts, organisational managers, and providers of a wide range of services from teachers, doctors and carers to social workers and others. While they are serving as 'connecting tie' between the state and its citizens and between organisations, professionalism has also all too often been a host for 'social exclusion' and 'boundary work'. Currently, societies are facing many changes that may impact in the professions and re-design the bonds, calling for a more inclusive professionalism. Here, the Expo 2015 in Milan demonstrates how the global economy is increasingly becoming a single market, especially for high-skilled workers like professionals; social media may furthermore accelerate the creation of new bonds across the globe. At the same time, new emergent global labour markets, new connections between management and professionalism and the overall changing social composition of the professions, including gender and ethnic dimensions, may all foster re-stratification processes and the 'making' and 'unmaking' of boundaries. This Interim Conference addresses these issues and seeks to further the debates into visionary models of professionalism.

Hosted by the Catholic University Milan (www.unicatt.it/) beautifully located in the City Centre, the Conference is organised by Lara Maestriperi (RC52 Board member), Ivana Pais and Michela Bolis (contact: lara.maestriperi@gmail.com).

Following ISA's two-step procedure, we at first invite Call for Sessions – comprising no more than 150 words, additional information on the organiser's institutional affiliation and experience with organising international events); session organisers must be ISA RC52 members in good standing. Please send your **Session Call** no later than **15 May 2014** as a word-file by email to the Local Organisers (lara.maestriperi@gmail.com); notification by 15th June latest.

Following the selection of session calls, the **Call for Papers** will open by **1 July 2014** and close 30 September 2014. A conference website with further information and guidelines for abstract submission will be launched in June/July. The Call for Papers will also be available at the ISA RC52 website (<http://www.isa-sociology.org/rc52.htm>) and the RC52 blog (researchcommittee52.wordpress.com).

Save the dates! .



XVIII ISA WORLD CONGRESS OF SOCIOLOGY

FACING AN UNEQUAL WORLD:
CHALLENGES FOR GLOBAL SOCIOLOGY

13-19 July 2014

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ISA RC52 'Professional Groups'

Professions and Inequality in a Globalising World

Professions across the globe play a key role in the making and unmaking of social inequalities. As nurses, doctors, social carers, teachers, lawyers and many others they are the backbone of public sectors serving to improve both everyday life and wellbeing of the people and the functioning of societies. At the same time, professions hold elitist positions in society and claim an expert status, thereby creating (gendered, ethnic/racial, geopolitical and other) inequalities both globally and locally. Hence, public sectors are facing radical transformations and this includes new emergent professional groups, new forms of 'hybrid' and 'entrepreneurial' professionalism as well as more integrated modes of professional development. Similarly, gender arrangements are changing, and globalisation has added new and other ambivalences of the making and unmaking of inequalities by the professions, that are yet not well understood.

RC52 will address these issues in 17 sessions comprising nearly 200 papers.

Preliminary Session Programme

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for updates and the session timetable

Monday, July 14, 2014: 10:30 AM - 12:20 PM

Knowledge Workers: Processes of Hybridization, Marketization and Subjectivation, Part I

Organizers: Lara Maestripiéri, Polytechnic of Milan, Italy, Emiliana Armano, University of Milan, Italy and Annalisa Murgia, University of Trento, Italy

Chair: Lara Maestripiéri

Oral papers

1. Left and Right, and Organic and Critical: Understanding the Politics of China's Intellectuals
Zhidong Hao, University of Macau, Taipa, Macau

2. How to be a Good Financial Advisor in the M&A Sector?
Marie-Anne Dujarier, Sorbonne Nouvelle, Paris, France and Valérie Boussard, Université Paris Ouest Nanterre La Défense, Nanterre, France

3. Logistical Time or, Calculations of Performance
Ned Rossiter, University of Western Sydney, Australia

4. Knowledge Workers' Subjectivities: Precarisation and Transition of Young Highly Qualified
Annalisa Murgia, University of Trento, Italy and Emiliana Armano, State University of Milan, Italy

5. Precarious Subjectivities are not for Sale: The Loss of the Measurability of Labour for Performing Arts Workers
Mauro Turrini, Panthéon Sorbonne University Paris, France and Federico Chicchi, Bologna University, Italy

Distributed papers

6. Segmented Labour Markets and the Ongoing Blending of Cultures of the European Commission Skilled Workers
Magali Ballatore, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

7. Transformaciones y Retos de la Función Social del Académico en el Marco de las Reconfiguraciones del Conocimiento, la Universidad y las Políticas Educativas
Ricardo Perez Mora, Veronica Ortiz Lefort, Lourdes Nayeli Quevedo Huerta, Jose Alberto Castellanos Gutierrez, Universidad de Guadalajara, Zapopan, Mexico and Judith Naidorf, Universidad de Buenos Aires, Buenos Aires, Argentina

8. The Research Project and Academic Careers
Cristina Besio, Technical University of Berlin, Germany

9. Signing or Not Signing Articles? Transformation of a Professional Practice in Japanese Journalism
Cesar Castellvi, Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, Paris, France

10. Teachers as Intellectuals: Knowledge, Representation and Proletarianization of the Teachers of Sociology in Brazil
Amurabi Olivera, Federal University of Alagoas, Maceió, Brazil

11. Architecture as a Hybrid Profession

Ragnhild Skogheim, Norwegian Institute for Urban and Regional Research, Oslo, Norway

12. Young Graduates Self Entrepreneur: Searching for Job or Creating a Company?

Elsa Vivant, Université Paris Est Latts, France

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Knowledge Workers: Processes of Hybridization, Marketization and Subjectivation, Part II

Organizers: Lara Maestripieri, Polytechnic of Milan, Italy, Emiliana Armano, University of Milan, Italy and Annalisa Murgia, University of Trento, Italy

Chairs: Annalisa Murgia and Emiliana Armano

Oral papers

1. Professionalism between Individualism and Collectivity in the Field of Knowledge Work

Christiane Schnell, Institute of Social Research at the Goethe-University Frankfurt, Germany

2. Ambiguous Collectives: Creative Workers and Their Integration in Urban Space

Klaus Neundlinger and Simone Rack, Research and Consulting Institute, Vienna, Austria

3. Collective Practices and Appropriation of Knowledge by three Figures of Knowledge Workers

Marie-Christine Bureau, LISE-CNAM, Paris, France and Antonella Corsani, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, France

4. Non-Standard Professional Workers and the Demand of Representation: Do Knowledge Workers Need Collective Organizations?

David Benassi, Enzo Mingione, Ivana Fellini, Alberta Andreotti and Guido Csavalca, University of Milan-Bicocca, Italy and Paolo Borghi, University of Salerno, Italy

5. Resistance to Precarity in Knowledge Production. The Case of a Mexican State University

Patrick Gun Cunnighame, Universidad Autónoma Metropolitana – Unidad Xochimilco, Mexico City, Mexico

Distributed papers

6. The End of Employability: Occupying the Absent Centre of Labour in Precarious Times

Colin Cremin, University of Auckland, New Zealand

7. Young Consultants between Passion and Ambition

Lara Maestripieri, Polytechnic of Milan, Italy

8. Personnel of Innovative Economy: The Search for Solutions

Nina Arsentyeva, Institute of Economics and Industrial Engineering RAS SB, Novosibirsk, Russia

9. Youth Workers As 'Knowledge Professionals': The Irish Experience in International Context
Maurice Devlin, National University of Ireland, Ireland

10. The Reputation Economy: Knowledge Workers and Freelance Networks
Alessandro Gandini, University of Milan, Italy

11. Marketization and Agency: Freedom and Self-Control in Low-Status Online Contract Work
Vili Lehdonvirta, University of Oxford, United Kingdom

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Globalization, ICT and Professions: Emerging Trends

Organizers: Virendra P. Singh, University of Allahabad, India and Parvez A. Abbasi, V.N.S.G. University, India

Chair: Parvez A. Abbasi

Oral papers

1. The New-Petty-Embourgeoisment of Professionals in the Age of Globalization
Rajesh Misra, University of Lucknow, India

2. The Contemporary Skill Migration from Spain to USA
Rosalina Alcalde Campos and Alisa Petroff, Universidad Autónoma de Barcelona, Spain

3. Building Capacity of Women towards Teaching Profession- a Study in Mewat District, Haryana, India, Vinod Kumar, Adi Gram Samiti (NGO), New Delhi, India

4. Professionalization of Medicine in India: Competing Systems in the Era of Globalization
Arvind Chauhan, Barkatullah University, Bhopal, India

5. A Sociological Study of Nursing Profession: A Case Study of Baroda City of Gujarat State in India
Pradeep Choondawat, Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Vadodara, India

Distributed papers

6. Globalization, ICT and Professional Education in India
Virendra P. Singh, University of Allahabad, India and T. S. Roopa Rani, Assam University Silchar, India

7. Emerging Trends in the Use of Alternative Medicines in India: The Impact of Globalization Reconsidered

Shaji Egerious, Barkatullah University, Bhopal, India

8. Migrant Women and Their Identity: Exploring Issues of Work among Health Professionals in Surat City

Neha Gutkar, VNSG University, Surat, India

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Professionalism and Expertise

Organizer: Jens-Christian Smeby, Centre for the Study of Professions, Oslo, Norway

Chair: Julia Evetts, University of Nottingham, UK

Oral papers

1. Professional Knowledge and Expertise

Jens-Christian Smeby, Centre for the Study of Professions, Oslo and Akershus University College of Applied Sciences, Oslo, Norway

2. Scientific Knowledge, Professional Practice and Expertise

Thomas Brante, Lund University, Sweden

3. Professionalism and Expertise: The Case of Chef

Clarissa Bora, Federal University of Pernambuco, Recife, Brazil

4. Horizontal Knowledge Dynamics and the Initiation of Students in Expert Cultures: Investigations into Profession-Oriented Programs in Higher Education

Karen Jensen, Cecilie Enqvist-Jensen and Monika Nerland, University of Oslo, Norway

5. Open Source Professionalism: Changing Forms of Professional Expertise

Karin Geujen and Mirko Noordegraaf, University of Utrecht, Netherlands

Distributed papers

6. "Soft" Knowledge as a Threat to Engineering Legitimacy?

Sanne Haase, Aarhus University, Denmark

7. Architects and Urban Planning

Ragnhild Skogheim, Norwegian Institute for Urban and Regional Research, Oslo, Norway

8. Fighting for Hearts, Minds and Credentials: Professionalism and Expertise in the Regulation of the Profession of Journalism in Brazil

Lerisson Nascimento, Federal University of São Carlos, Brazil

9. Professional Discretion

Thomas Andresen, University of Southern Denmark, Odense M, Denmark

10. Teaching Future Judges in Mozambique

Vera Martins, ISCTE-IUL, Portugal/ Catholic University of Mozambique, Mozambique and Alberto Ferria, Catholic University of Mozambique, Mozambique

11. Esquisse D'une Grammaire De L'expertise économique

Thomas Angeletti, EHESS, Paris, France

12. No Chemistry Here: The Difficult Relationship between Teaching and ICT

Mariano Fernández-Engueta, Universidad Complutense, Las Rozas, Spain

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Challenges for Professionalism in a Global Managerialism

Organizers: Helena Serra and Tiago Correia, University of Lisbon, Portugal

Chair: Helena Serra

Oral papers

1. Nurse Managers and the New Public Management Policies in France

Charles Gadea, Centre de Recherche VIP, Guyancourt, France

2. Research Utilization in Health Workforce Policies: Portuguese and Brazilian National Policy-Makers' Perspectives

Isabel Craveiro, Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Portugal, Virgínia Hortale, Escola Nacional de Saúde Pública da Fundação Oswaldo Cruz, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, Gilles Dussault, Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Portugal

3. Old Managerialism and New Professionalism? Social Professions versus Healthcare Professions

Willem Tousijn and Laura Cataldi, University of Turin, Italy

4. On Professional Ethics of Medical Doctors Working for the Pharmaceutical Industries

Christiane Schnell, Institute of Social Research, Goethe-University Frankfurt, Germany

5. The Divisionalized Professional Bureaucracy Model in Hospital Organizations: Challenging the Role of Professionalism and Managerialism

Tiago Correia, ISCTE-Lisbon University Institute, Portugal

Distributed papers

6. Managing Authorship in Chinese Research Organizations

Xirong Shen, Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

7. Internal Conflicts versus Integrity within Medical Profession under Managerial Encroachment

Roman Lewandowski, Voivodeship Rehabilitation Hospital for Children, Poland

8. Organizational Context and Professionalism: An Indian Experience
Raghavendra Gudagunti, Govt. First Grade College, Shorapur, India

9. Strategic Collaboration as Means and End: Views from Members of Swedish Mental Health Strategic Collaboration Councils
Linda Mossberg, University of Gothenburg, Sweden

10. Temporalities, Territorialities and Professional Uncertainties: The Case of the Teaching Profession in Portugal
José Manuel Resende and Luís Gouveia, Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Portugal

11. Accountability as Means to Manage Professionals: A Blessing or a Curse?
Marina Leonenko and Anat Drach-Zahavy, University of Haifa, Haifa, Israel

12. Professionalism and Managerialism: How Do Teachers and Physicians Deal with Management Measures
Mara Vicente, ISCTE-IUL, Lisbon, Portugal

13. Testing the Effectiveness of HRM Practices among Expatriate Humanitarian Aid Workers
Miranda Visser, Liesbet Heyse and Melinda Mills, University of Groningen, Netherlands and Vincenzo Bollettino, Harvard, USA

14. Social Work Discretion between Professionalism and Managerialism in Denmark
Anette Skals, Aalborg University, Denmark

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Challenges for Professionalism: transformations, inequalities and ethics

Organisers: Christiane Schnell, Institute of Social Research, Goethe-University Frankfurt, Germany, Helena Serra and Tiago Correia, University of Lisbon, Portugal

Chair: Christiane Schnell

Oral papers

1. Neoliberal Metropolitanism and the Remaking of Welfare Systems: The Rise of Professional Projects in the Government of the Biopolitics of the Metropolis
Sirpa Wrede, University of Helsinki, Finland

2. Managerial Doctors: Medical Technocracies Revisited
Helena Serra, ISEG-SOCIUS, Lisbon, Portugal

3. Exploring Chains of Trust and Mistrust across Mental Health Services: Towards an Understanding of Virtuous and Vicious Circles of Trust within Organisations
Patrick Brown, University of Amsterdam, Netherlands

4. Weber's Ethic of Responsibility as a Framework for Professional Ethics
Harald A. Mieg, Humboldt-University Berlin, Germany

5. The (Vanishing?) Role of Phronetic Professions Faced by New Public Management in Dealing with Political Problems: Doctors, Architects, Magistrates
Florent Champy, Centre Maurice Halbwachs, Paris, France

Distributed papers

6. New Values, New Moral Attitudes, and New Dilemmas? The Metamorphoses of Professional Ethics among French General Practitioners in a Renewed Primary Care Governance Context
Géraldine Bloy, University of Burgundy, France, gbloy@u-bourgogne.fr, and Laurent Rigal, CESP Inserm, France

7. Autonomy and Heteronomy of Managerial Changes in European Judicial Systems
Cécile Vigour, Sciences Po Bordeaux, CNRS, Pessac, France

8. When Manager Become Professional, Make the Jurisdiction Recognized by Using Measure: The Example of Diversity Managers in France
Constance Perrin-Joly, Université Paris 13, France

9. Behind the Powerpoint: The Everyday Work of Evaluation Professionals in International Development Evaluation Systems
Emily Springer, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, USA

10. New Ethics of French Employment Advisers and Their Clients Coping with the Unemployment Trap
Lynda Lavitry, Aix Marseille University/LEST, France

11. New Ethics of Russian Ecologists: Myth or Reality?
Olga Mamonova, Russian Society of Sociologists, Russia and Irina Sosunova, VNIITE Moscow, Russia

12. Labour Market Experts and Their Professional Practices: Technologies of Self-Control of Job Placement Professionals
Frank Sowa, Institute for Employment Research (IAB), Nuremberg, Germany and Ronald Staples, Friedrich-Alexander-University, Erlangen, Germany

13. Street Level Brokers: Shrinking the Occupation of Despachantes in an Era of Global Managerialism

Maria da Gloria Bonelli, Sao Carlos Federal University, Sao Carlos, Brazil

14. Professionalization without Professions: The Russian Experience of Self-Regulation
Alexandra Moskovskaya, Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia

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**The Changing Relationship between Clinical Professionalism and Management:
From Polarisation to Hybridization?**

Organizers: Ian Kirkpatrick, University of Leeds, UK, Mike Dent, University of Staffordshire, UK
and Federico Lega, Bocconi Management School, Italy

Chair: Ian Kirkpatrick

Oral papers

1. Hospital Board Oversight of Quality and Patient Safety: A Narrative Review and Synthesis of
Recent Empirical Research

Ross Millar, University of Birmingham, United Kingdom

2. The Contingent Legitimacy of Professional-Managerial Hybrids: Towards a Relational
Sociology of Hybridisation

Justin Waring, University of Nottingham, United Kingdom

3. Health Professionals, Health Policy and Health Management Theory: The Big Disconnect

David Chinitz, Hebrew University-Hadassah, Jerusalem, Israel

4. Routines as Competency. New Medical Routines for Hybrid Health Care Professionalism

*Mirko Noordegraaf and Marlot Kuiper, Utrecht University and Margriet Schneider and Liesbeth
van Rensen, Utrecht Academic Medical Center, Netherlands*

5. Social Capital and Primary Care Professionals' Accomplishment of Management Targets

*Laura Gonzales and Stefano Calciolari, Università della Svizzera Italiana, Switzerland and
Federico Lega, Bocconi University, Milan, Italy*

Distributed papers

6. 'Experiencing' Management during Specialist Medical Training: Possibilities for a More
Collaborative Healthcare Community?

Kathy Hartley, University of Leeds, United Kingdom

7. Hospital Management and the Contribution of Non-Sector Expertise

Gianluca Veronesi, Francesco Vallascas and Ian Kirkpatrick, University of Leeds, UK

8. Leadership Research in Healthcare: A Realist Review

Federico Lega and Anna Prenestini, Bocconi University, Milan, Italy and Matilde Rosso, Simon-Kucher & Partners, Italy

9. Medicine, Hybrids and Management in European Hospitals
Mike Dent, University of Staffordshire, UK

10. Clinicians in Governance: Evidence for Hospital Performance from the Italian NHS
Fabrizia Sarto, Federico II University of Naples, Italy, Gianluca Veronesi and Ian Kirkpatrick, University of Leeds, UK and Corrado Cuccurullo, Second University of Naples, Italy

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Inter-professional Collaboration and Inequality

Organizer: Mike Saks, University Campus Suffolk, Ipswich, UK

Chair: Lars Thorup Larsen and Gitte Sommer Harris, University of Aarhus, Denmark

Oral papers

1. Professional Turf Battles Vs. Inter-Professional Collaboration: Their Impact on Inequalities in Health and Social Care in the UK

Mike Saks, University Campus Suffolk, Ipswich, United Kingdom

2. Inter-Professional Collaboration and Sense of Loyalty

Barbara Menara, UCLan University, United Kingdom

3. A Shortage of Medical Doctors Due to Uneven-Distribution in Location and Specialty Needs: Interprofessional Collaborative Practice in Health and Social Care in Japan

Hideaki Takahashi, Niigata Rehabilitation Hospital, Japan

4. A Comparative Study on the Inter-Professional Collaboration among Actors Involved in Active Ageing Programmes: Lessons from Denmark and Taiwan

Wen-Hua Hsieh, Taiwan Government, Taiwan

5. Disrupting Professional Hierarchies: New Interprofessional Collaboration between Artists and City Planners

Nadia Arab and Burcu Ozdirlik, Université Paris-Est, France

Distributed papers

6. Distributed Expertise and Professional Collaboration: Recognizing Relational Interdependence in Healthcare

Nina Olsvold, Lovisenberg Deaconal University College, Norway and Marianne Trygg Solberg, Medical Faculty, University of Oslo, Norway

7. Multidisciplinary Occupational Health Services in France: Collaborations and Jurisdictional Conflicts

Blandine Barlett, IDHE Nanterre, France

8. Challenges in Inter-Professional Collaboration to Provide Oral Care to Elderly Adults in Japan

Rie Hogetsu, Ochanomizu University, Tokyo

9. Are Technologies a Driver for the Evolution of Professional Boundaries?

Brendon Noble, University Campus Suffolk, Ipswich, United Kingdom

10. Making One Health Experts: The Formation, Reinforcement, and Transformation of Epistemic Communities

Yu-Ju Chien, National Taiwan University, Taiwan

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Theoretical Challenges for Professions and Professionalism: Changes, Inequalities, Values and Ideologies

Organizer: Julia Evetts, University of Nottingham, United Kingdom

Chair: Julia Evetts

Oral papers

1. A New Model of "Professions"? When Globalized Financial Services Challenge Sociology of Professions

Valerie Boussard, Universite Paris Ouest Nanterre La Defense, Nanterre, France

2. Billiomediality: Journalism Ethics and Ideology in the Age of Open Participation

Omri Reis, University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan

3. The Notions of Otherness and Critical Construction Sites: Theorising Professional Boundaries

Lisa Salmonsson, Uppsala University, Uppsala, Sweden

4. Pre-School Teachers in a Changing Institutional Context: Reforms and Prospect of Professional Group

Elena Kolewnikova, Russian Academy of Science, Moscow, Russia

5. Adapting to and Shaping of Social Change: Professionalism as Expectation-Management

Gina Atzeni, University of Munich, Germany

Distributed papers

6. Complementary and Alternative Medicine and the Re-professionalisation of Medical Doctors in Portugal

Joana Almeida, Royal Holloway University of London, United Kingdom

7. Health Care Equity in Taiwan: How are Medical Schools Educating Future Doctors

Claudia Chaufan and Sabina Gonzalez, University of California, San Francisco, USA and Cheming Yang, Taipei Medical University, Taiwan

8. Fairness-Awareness Difference Depending on Form of Employment: The Case of South Korea

Hyejin Jeon, Yonsei University, South Korea

Thursday, July 17, 2014: 03:30 PM - 05:20 PM

Professions, Incentives and Interests

Organizer: Ruth McDonald, University of Nottingham, United Kingdom

Chair: Ruth McDonald

Oral papers

1. Theorising and Operationalising the Concept of Professional Self-Interests: The Case of Healthcare in the UK

Mike Saks, University Campus Suffolk, Ipswich, United Kingdom

2. Paying Bonuses for Safety: Pitfalls and Proposals

Sarah Maslen and Andrew Hopkins, The Australian National University, Acton, Australia

3. Structural Interests and the General Practitioner in the English National Health Service

Adele Cresswell, Nottingham University Business School, United Kingdom

4. Epistemic Arbitrage: Transnational Professional Knowledge in Action

Leonard Seabrooke, Copenhagen Business School, Denmark

5. A Pharmacist without Sweets. Bending Incentives to Enlarge the Scope of Practice of Pharmacists in Primary Care

Anne Leendertse, Dorien Zwart, University Medical Centre Utrecht, Netherlands and Antoinette De Bont, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands

Distributed papers

6. The Way We Ask for Money... the Changing Logics of Grant Writing in German Academia (1975-2005)

Kathia Serrano-Velarde, Heidelberg University, Germany

7. Professional Interests, Organizational Goals and the Mobility of Football Players in Europe

Thijs Velema, National Taiwan University, Taiwan

8. Medical Pay in the UK: Do Financial Bonuses to Doctors Crowd out Their Intrinsic Motivation?

Mark Exworthy, Royal Holloway University of London, UK, Paula Hyde, University of Durham, UK and Pamela McDonald, Kingston University, London, UK

9. Work Motivation and Social Networking Development in Professional's Job Change Behavior: A Comparison between the US and Japan

Masayo Fujimoto, Doshisha University, Kyoto

10. How Professional Groups Defend Their Interests through Incentives to Parliamentary Members? The Cases of France and Germany

Martin Baloge, Paris 1 Panthéon Sorbonne, France

11. A Differentiated Community: Chinese Journalists and Their Interest-Driven Professionalism

Ge Xing, Fudan University, Shanghai, China

Thursday, July 17, 2014: 08:30 AM - 10:20 AM

Change and Inequality in Professional Status

Organizers: Lars Thorup Larsen and Gitte Sommer Harris, University of Aarhus, Denmark

Chair: Mike Saks, University Campus Suffolk, Ipswich, UK

Oral papers

1. Women on Top: The Temporal Status of Gender in Elite Professions

Mana Nakagawa, manan@stanford.edu and Alison Wynn, Stanford University, USA

2. Professional Status of Russian Physicians: Challenges and Perspectives

Daria Prisyazhnyuk, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia

3. Changes in Status, Reconfiguration of Identity. The Case of Educators in the French Youth Justice System

Nicolas Sallée, University of Montreal, Canada

4. Establishing and Building a Profession through Education: The Case of Nursing

Joakim Caspersen, NIFU, Norway

5. Decline, Crisis or Change? Professional Status and Knowledge Authority among Danish Doctors and Teachers

Gitte Sommer Harris and Lars Thorup Larsen, University of Aarhus, Denmark

Distributed papers

6. Managerialism and Academic Profession in Russia: Conflict and Interrelationship
Roman Abramov, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia
7. "But We're Postracial Now": How Ideological Changes Affect Status and Prestige for Chief Diversity Officers
Adia Wingfield, Georgia State University, USA
8. Multilevel Approach of Professional Fields: Differentiation of Professional Status inside Governance
Gilles Verpraet, CNRS, France
9. National Medicine and Healing in Moscow: Unequal Rights and Unequal Possibilities
Elana Salo, Institute of Sociology of RAS, Russia
10. Gender and Medical Specialization: Segregation by Culture or Choice?
Jayashree V Kulkarni, JSW Steel Ltd., India
11. Problems of Legitimation of Professional Mobility in Modern Russia
Oxana Posukhova, Southern Federal University, Russia
12. The Change of Occupational Status among Some Professional Groups
Lennart Svensson, University of Gothenburg, Sweden
13. Profession as a Measure of Social Stratification
Marina Khokhlova, Institute of World Economy and International Relations, Russia
14. UK Maternity Services 'Risk Culture': Is the Professional Status of Midwives 'at Risk'?
Zoey Spendlove, University of Nottingham, United Kingdom

Tuesday, July 15, 2014: 07:30 PM - 08:50 PM

Inequities within Professions: Patterns of Intra-professional Hierarchies

Organizer: Siddaremesh Hiremath, Gulbarga University, India

Chair: Siddaremesh Hiremath, Gulbarga University, India

Oral papers

1. Inequalities in the Teaching Profession: Discourse, Identity and Power
Marie-Pierre Moreau, University of Roehampton, London, United Kingdom
2. Correlates of Prestige Grading in Medical Profession
C. Somashekher, Bangalore University, Bangalore, India
3. Inequalities within Professions. Some Scandinavian Cases

Lennart Svensson, University of Gothenburg, Gothenburg, Sweden

4. The Myth of Meritocracy in the American Medical Profession
Tania Jenkins, Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island, USA

5. Polarisation in Legal Profession
Veeranna Tuppad, Govt. First Grade College, Humanabad, Dist., Bidar, India and Bheemarao Patil, Shakuntala Residential School, Humnabad, Dist. Bidar, India

Distributed papers

6. The Occupational Challenges of Female Architects in Iran
Masoumeh Velayati, Al-Maktoum College of Higher Education, Dundee, United Kingdom and Shiva Velayati, Architecture, University College of Nabi Akram, Tabriz, Iran

7. The Other Doctor: When Professional Boundaries Conflate with Notions of Ethnic 'Otherness'
Lisa Salmonsson, Uppsala University, Sweden

8. Intellectual Sexism: Gender Differentials in Academics
V. Chandrasekhar, Govt. of Karnataka, Bangalore, India

9. The Belgian Health Care System: General Practitioners and Medical Specialists
Rita M.J. Schepers, KU Leuven, Belgium

10. Three Groups in a Polarized Field of Professional Activities: Logisticians
Reinhard Gressel, Université Paris Est, France

11. Division of Men in Uniform: Formal and Informal Bases
N. Doddasiddaiah, Karnataka State Open University, Mysore, India

12. Transforming Professional Careers and Educational Background: The Case of Young Lawyers
Irina Popova, Institute of Sociology of RAS, Moscow, Russia

**Wednesday, July 16, 2014: 10:30 AM - 12:20 PM – Invited Panel Session
Rethinking Professions: Visions and Divisions in World Perspective**

Organizer: Ellen Kuhlmann, Goethe-University Frankfurt, Germany

Chair: Ellen Kuhlmann

Oral papers

1. Globalising Patterns of Professionalisation and New Groups in South Africa

Debby Bonnin, University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa and Shaun Ruggunan, University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa

2. "Me? A Secretary?" The Moderations of Class and Gender in India's Elite Law Firms
Swethaa Ballakrishnen, Stanford University, USA

3. Social work and professionalism in transformation countries: the case of Russia
Elena Iarskaia-Smirnova and Pavel Romanov, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia

4. Internationalization of knowledge work in Argentina: the case of 'global professors'
Javier P. Hermo, Universidad de Buenos Aires (UBA), Argentina

5. Migration of Foreign Nurses to Japan under the Economic Partnership Agreement: Trends and Challenges through Sociological Perspective
Yuko Hirano, Nagasaki University, Japan

Tuesday, July 15, 2014: 03:30 PM - 05:20 PM

JS RC52/RC15, host RC52 – Governing the Health Professions: Bringing Equality into Health Human Resources Policy

Organizers: Ivy Bourgeault, University of Ottawa, Canada and Ellen Kuhlmann, Goethe-University Frankfurt, Germany

Chair: Ivy Bourgeault

Oral papers

1. The Role of Health Workforce Planning and Forecasting in Mitigating Inequalities in the European Union

Eszter Kovacs, Edmond Girasek, Edit Eke, Zoltan Aszalos, Semmelweis University, Hungary, Paolo Michelutti, Agenas Rome, Italy, Annalisa Malgieri, Ministry of Health, Rome, Italy, and Gabor Szócska, Semmelweis University, Hungary

2. Searching for the Global Standard Recruitment and Employment of Border-Crossing Nurses and Care Workers: Findings and Recommendations Based on Fieldwork in the Asia-Pacific and Europe

Shun Ohno, Seisen University, Tokyo, Japan

3. Facing the Challenges to the Integration of EU and Non-EU Nursing Workforces in a European Context

Mario Lopez, Kyoto University, Japan

4. Torn Between Equality Norms and Risk-Based Governance Stimuli? Comparing the Role of Professions in Occupational Health and Safety Regulation in Germany and the United Kingdom

Michael Huber and Regine Paul, University of Bielefeld, Germany

5. Transformation of Medical Professionalism in Turkey: Erosions and New Divisions in the Wake of Reforms

Tuba Agartan, Providence College, Providence, USA

Distributed papers

6. Gendered Innovations in Hospital Workforce Management: A Scoping Study

Ellen Kuhlmann, Goethe-University Frankfurt, Germany and Annette Henninger, University of Marburg, Germany

7. Policies of Correcting the Physician's Geographical Uneven Distribution in Japan

Masahiko Kaneko, National Defence Medical College, Japan

8. European Challenges in Data and Methodologies for Health Human Resource Policy

Edmond Girasek, Eszter Kovacs, Edit Eke, Zoltan Aszalos, Semmelweis University, Hungary, Ronald Batenburg and Lud van der Velden, NIVEL, Netherlands

9. Health Professions Facing an Unequal Health Professional World: Professionalization of Medical Doctors and Allied Health Professions

Masahira Anesaki, Nihon University School of Medicine, Japan

10. Abortion and Conscientious Objection in Italy. Religious Beliefs or Professional Pressures?

Rosella Ghigi, University of Bologna, Italy

11. Medical Regulation in the United Kingdom: Challenging Old and New Orthodoxies

John Martin Chamberlain, Loughborough University, United Kingdom

Monday, July 14, 2014: 3:30 PM - 5:20 PM

JS RC52/RC15, host RC52 – Globalization and Human Resources for Health in Asian Countries

Organizers: Yuko Hirano, Nagasaki University, Japan and Yuka Ishii, University of Shizuoka, Japan

Chair: Yuko Hirano and Yuka Ishii

Oral papers

1. Healthcare Work and Cross-Cultural Understanding in Globalization: Social Issues and Responses in Indonesia and Japan

Chika Shinohara, Momoyama Gakuin University, Japan, Median Mutiara, Perasetiya Mulya Business School, Indonesia

2. Over-Qualification / Under-Qualification of Care Work in Ageing Asia: Towards a Regional Framework of Care Provision Regime

Wako Asato, Kyoto University, Japan

3. "Prospects and Dilemmas of Japan-Philippine Economic Partnership Agreement (JPEPA) from the Voices of Filipino Nurses Who Passed the Japanese Licensure Examination

Cora Anonuevo, University of the Philippines, Philippines

4. Acceptance of Foreign Nurses Based on the EPA in Japan and Future Challenges

Yoshichika Kawaguchi, University of Occupational and Environmental Health, Japan

5. A Study on the Costs and Demand for Foreign Nurses/Care Workers in Japan from the Angle of Hospitals and Care Facilities

Kunio Tsubota, Meiji University, Japan

Distributed papers

6. Searching for the Nexus between the Care Regime and Migration Regime

Reiko Ogawa, Kyushu University, Japan

7. Japanese Language Education for Japan-Philippines Economic Partnership Agreement"

Michiyo Yoneno-Reyes, University of the Philippines, Philippines

Monday, July 14, 2014: 3:30 PM - 5:20 PM

JS RC52/RC30, host RC52 – Professional Labour in a Globalized World: The Cross-bordering and Internationalization of Knowledge Workers

Organizer: Javier Pablo Hermo, University of Buenos Aires, Argentine

Chair: Javier Pablo Hermo

Oral papers

1. Workers of the Globalized World: Explaining Difference in Workers' Attitudes to Globalization

Agnes Akkerman, VU University Amsterdam, Giedo Jansen, Alex Lehr and Andrej Zaslove, Radboud University, Nijmegen, Netherlands

2. Professions and Multilateral Organization: OECD

Tor Halvorsen, University of Bergen, Norway

3. Free Software Workers and the Myth of a Deterritorialized Knowledge Production

Michael Vicente, University of Technology of Compiègne, France

4. Profesiones Sin Fronteras? Las Trayectorias Profesionales de los Ingenieros Mexicanos que Migran a Estados Unidos

Alfredo Hualde and Verónica Carrión, El Colegio de la Frontera Norte, Tijuana, Mexico

5. Social Career Trajectory of Highly Skilled Immigrants: Professionals in Korean Finance Service Industry

Joo-Hee Han, University of Massachusetts Amherst, USA

Distributed papers

6. The Endogeneity of Labor Market Liberalization: The Case of 'Borderless' Swiss Academic Disciplines?

Anne-Marie Jeannet and Benedetto Lepori, University of Lugano, Switzerland

7. New Labor and Educational Paradigms in Latin America: The "Flexible Professional"

Cecilia M. Lusnich, Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina

8. Post-Repatriation Careers of Japanese Knowledge Workers

Gaz Monteath, University of Manchester, Manchester, United Kingdom

9. A Global Profession: Pilots of Helicopters in Brazil and Mexico

Christian Azais, Universite de Paris Dauphine, France

10. Incentives and Employees' Continuance with Public Organisations

Bolawale Odunaike and Modinat Banire, Lagos State University, Nigeria

11. An Emerging Profession: Mechatronic Engineering in South Africa

Quraisha Dawood, University of KwaZulu Natal, South Africa

12. Understanding the UK Graduate Labour Market: An Occupational Approach

Gebrand Tholen, University of Oxford, UK

Tuesday, July 15, 2014: 10:30 AM - 12:20 PM

JS RC52/RC19, host RC52 – Restructuring Care Policies and (Re-)Making Care Professions

Organizers: Hildegard Theobald, University of Vechta and Ellen Kuhlmann, Goethe-University Frankfurt, Germany

Chair: Hildegard Theobald

Oral papers

1. Caring Universities? Entanglements and Cavities of Politics of Gender, Excellence and Care in Austrian and German Academia

Brigitte Aulenbacher, Kerstin Binner, Johannes Kepler University Linz, Austria, Birgit Riegraf and Lena Weber, University of Paderborn, Germany

2. Child Investment in Youth Care Services: Dilemma's and Consequences

Marit Hopman and Trudie Knijn, Utrecht University, The Netherlands

3. Trends and Challenges in Care Policies Development in Croatia and the Czech Republic
B. Plasová, Masaryk University, Czech Republic and I. Dobrotić, University of Zagreb, Croatia

4. Mapping the Governance of Care and Professional Development: A European Comparative Study
Ellen Kuhlmann and Christa Larsen, Goethe-University Frankfurt, Germany

5. Integrating Care Regime and Migration Regime: A Case Study of Taiwan
Yi-Chun Chien, University of Toronto, Canada

Distributed papers

6. Changing Care and Migrations Regimes: New Contrasting Regulations and Their Impacts on Employment and Working Conditions of Care Workers. An Intersectional Perspective
Emmanuelle Lada and Stephanie Condon, French National Demographic Studies Institute, France

7. The Appearance of a Sub-Field of Medicine of Poverty in France
Jérémy Geeraert, Université Paris 13, France

Friday, July 18, 2014: 10:30 AM - 12:20 PM

Business Meeting

Chair: Ellen Kuhlmann

Report

ISA RC52 Interim Conference 2013

Challenging Professionalism: New Directions in Professions, Publics and Politics

**School of Economics and Management (ISEG), Technical University of Lisbon,
Portugal, November 2013**

This three days conference brought together more than 100 participants from 18 countries all over the world, namely Portugal, Spain, Italy, France, Belgium, England, Germany, Sweden, Norway, Russia, Czech Republic, Denmark, South Africa, Nigeria, Turkey, Japan, United States and Canada. Wide ranging participation highlights a growing interest globally in the sociology of professions, and specifically in the topic chosen for this conference.

The sessions addressed the following topics, among others: Professionalism challenged in conflicting times; the role of the public interest in professions; professional knowledge and competences; the interplay between professions and organizations; dimensions of ethics in the professions; regulation, deregulation and professions; healthcare professions and contemporary changes. Joint sessions with a European Research Network 'Medicine and Management' (funded by the European Commission FP7 Programme 'Coordination and Organization of Science and Technology) and a session with PhD students were also organized.

In total, 110 participants registered for this conference, among those were 37 PhD students.

A conference website is launched that provides detailed information and many of the presented papers (free download). Please visit <http://pascal.iseq.utl.pt/~socius/interim/>

*Helena Serra and Tiago Correia
Local Organisers*

ISA RC52 Blog

A new space for improving debates

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The ISA RC52 blog is now online – researchcommittee52.wordpress.com – and provides a new space to promote a relaxed environment where all the people interested in professions can participate and put a step forward in the debate about professions.

PhD students and early career researchers are especially invited to participate, but the blog is open to everybody who is interested in the sociology of professions. It welcomes small interventions (max 1000 words) about professions in Europe and in the world, in which RC52 members and non-members can present their recent work in the field of sociology of professions and/or exchange of research findings. There are three main sections:

- **Conferences:** write about your national and international forthcoming conferences on professions
- **Publications:** present your recent books about relevant topics for RC52.
- **Debates:** introduce your research, discuss 'hot spots' in the area of professions and professionalism, propose a new debate, or search for research project collaborators.

Everybody interested in participating the blog, please send a brief summary of your idea (max 150 words) to Lara Maestriperi (l.maestriperi@gmail.com), member of the ISA RC52 Executive Board, Representative of PhD students and early career researchers.

A new blog
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Notices

Forthcoming Conferences

European Sociological Association (ESA), RN19 'Professions'

The European Sociological Association Research Network 19 - Sociology of Professions - is now organizing its Interim Conference. This conference is hosted by Forum for Research on Professions at Linnaeus University, Växjö, in Sweden, from 15 to 16 May 2014. The conference theme is 'Higher Education and the Professions' and keynote speaker is Steven Brint from University of California Riverside. As usual, the conference also welcomes papers on all topics related to the sociology and interdisciplinary study of professions. The deadline for submitting abstracts is March 14, 2014. For further information visit the webpage: <http://lnu.se/om-lnu/konferenser/aktuella-konferenser/esa-rn19-conference> or email to: conference@lnu.se or ola.agevall@lnu.se.

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German Sociology Association (DGS), Section Sociology of Professions

The Section Sociology of Professions in the German Sociology Association will hold a spring meeting in May in Berlin in cooperation with the sociology of knowledge section. The topic of the conference is the social figure of the amateur, its changing role and appearance. The organizer of the conference are Michaela Pfadenhauer and Boris Traue.

The Section Sociology of Professions is also organizing two Sessions at the German Congress of Sociology, which takes place 6-10 October 2014 in Trier. One session, organized by Ellen Kuhlmann and Andreas Langer asks for 'Partners in Crisis'? – Professions, Organisations and Management. The second session is on 'The professionalization of social live crisis' (Professionalisierung lebensweltlicher Krisen) and will be organized by Rainer Schützeichel and Ursula Unterkofler. For further information, please email: ch.schnell@em.uni-frankfurt.de.

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NORDPRO 2014 Conference

The Nordic Welfare Models. The welfare state in transition – implications for professional practice and professional education

Oslo and Akershus University College of Applied Sciences 23.-24. October 2014

NORDPRO is a Scandinavian network for studies of professions. A key aim of the NORDPRO network is to further develop theoretical and empirical research on professions and professionalism as Nordic and international field of research. Furthermore, NORDPRO should strengthen research and development related to professional practice, the diverse fields of professional expertise and professional education. The network has a particular focus on professions and professional practice as element in the Nordic Welfare Societies – local characteristics and conditions, diversities across the Nordic countries and disparities from the Nordic models to the situation in other countries.

The NORDPRO Conference is a biannual event alternating between Norway, Sweden and Denmark. The second NORDPRO conference is to be hosted by the Centre for the Studies of Professions and Oslo and Akershus University College of Applied Sciences 23-24 October 2014. The main languages of the conference are the Scandinavian languages. Yet, there will be an English track to enable international researchers to participate. We invite non-Scandinavian speaking participants to contact NORDPRO@hioa.no for information about submission details.

The theme for the NORDPRO 2014 Conference is emerging challenges for professions in the context of the Nordic Welfare models: The Nordic Welfare Models. The welfare state in transition – implications for professional practice and professional education.

Sub themes

- The Welfare State, histories of professions, institutional development
- Educating professionals
- Professional practice, discretion, professional assessment
- Leadership and governance
- Recruitment and professional careers
- Professional practice in transition (technology, changing responsibilities and organisational structures, research and development)

Keynote speakers

- Lars Inge Terum, professor, Centre for the Studies of Professions, Oslo and Akershus University College of Applied Sciences
- Anne Edwards, professor, Oxford University

International participants are invited to submit proposals for individual paper presentation, workshop or symposium. Abstracts should be sent to NORDPRO@hioa.no no later than 1st April 2014. For more information about international contributions to the conference, please **contact** Anton.Havnes@hioa.no or **Jens-Christian.Smeby@hioa.no**.

Publications

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Thomas Brante: *Guest editor's introduction*

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Kerstin Svensson and Karsten Åström: *The field of social regulation: How the state creates a profession*

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Ola Agevall and Gunnar Olofsson: *The emergence of the professional field of higher education in Sweden*

The next issue will be published in a few weeks. For further information, registration with the journal, and downloading and submission of articles access:

www.professionsandprofessionalism.com

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Journal of Professions and Organizations (JPO) NEWS

The editors and editorial board of *Journal of Professions and Organization* are proud to announce the linup for the Journal of Professions and Organizations – JPO 1:1, March 2014.

Editors' essay:

- "Understanding professionals and their workplaces: The mission of the Journal of Professions and Organization"

David Brock, Hüseyin Leblebici and Daniel Muzio

Scholarly articles:

- "Sustained corporate corruption and processes of institutional ascription within professional networks"
Claudia Gabbioneta, Rajshree Prakash and Royston Greenwood
- "Which Path to Power? Workplace Networks and the Relative Effectiveness of Inheritance vs. Rainmaking Strategies for Professional Partners"
Forrest Briscoe and Andrew von Nordenflycht
- "Epistemic Arbitrage: Transnational Professional Knowledge in Action"
Len Seabrooke
- "Take my word for it: How professional vocabularies foster organizing"
Jeffrey Loewenstein
- "Regulating the English Healthcare Professions: Zoos, Circuses or Safari Parks?"
Mike Saks

All JPO's **advance access** papers are available free on-line at <http://jpo.oxfordjournals.org/content/early/recent>.

Scorecard: In the first 11 months since our website was opened, JPO has received 41 submissions. Six have been accepted, a further six are back with their authors for revision, and five of these 41 still await their first decisions. Of the 36 papers processed, average time to the first decision was 22 days. However, removing the 15 desk rejects from the equation leaves us with a mean time of 40 days for the remaining 19 papers that were sent for review. (Two papers are excluded from this analysis because they were reviewed "offline" by ERB members).

One of the areas that we are stressing toward our goal of becoming a top journal is giving authors timely, helpful and constructive comments on their papers. Overall we are very pleased by JPO's progress thus far.

Prospective authors are welcome to contact the editors, David Brock (dmb@bgu.ac.il), Hüseyin Leblebici, (hleblebi@illinois.edu) and Daniel Muzio (daniel.muzio@newcastle.ac.uk). Many thanks and congratulations to all our wonderful editorial board members, reviewers and authors.

*David Brock, Editor-in-Chief
Email: dmb@bgu.ac.il*

Recent and forthcoming articles

Dent, M. and Bode, I. (eds) (2014: forthcoming) Medicine, Hybrids and Management in European Hospitals, Special Issue, *International Journal of Public Sector Management*, May 2014

Kuhlmann, E. and von Knorring, M. (2014: forthcoming) 'Management and Medicine: Why We Need a New Approach to the Relationship', *Journal of Health Services Research & Policy*, 19, DOI: 10.1177/1355819614524946

Saks, M. (2013) 'Professions, Marginality and Inequalities', *Sociopedia*, <http://www.isa-sociology.org/publ/sociopedia-isa/sociopedia-isa-access.htm>

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