ISA search for the position of Editor for Social Justice and Democratization Space

Applications: April 30th, 2022

The International Sociological Association (ISA) Publications Committee is looking to recruit an Editor for one of ISA online publications, the Social Justice and Democratization Space (SJD) site (https://socialjustice.isaportal.org/).

The SJD serves as an important, dynamic and current online platform through which sociological knowledge of the world around us is furthered and deliberated upon. The site acts as a complementary publication of the ISA in addition to other print and online outlets that invites and disseminates academic research and public sociology participation with fortnightly postings made available to all readers.

The scope of the editorial work includes:

- Sourcing different genres of writing for posting onto the SJD site per fortnight based on the following themes:
  
  (i) Social & Economic Inequalities  
  (ii) Gender & Human Rights  
  (iii) Public Sociology  
  (iv) Social Justice, Democratization & Social Movements  
  (v) Lectures/Interviews  

- Working with the ISA thematic group TG09 Sociological Teaching which prepares 3 online issues per year on teaching reflections and resources for posting onto the SJD site

- Social media presence and online traffic/readership
  
  o To enhance the social media presence of the SJD through Twitter, Facebook and other online platforms in working with ISA staff  
  o To generate and ramp up online readership for this e-publication

- Attending annual ISA publications committee meetings

The successful appointee shall begin their service as of 1st June 2022 as Director of Social Justice and Democratization Space, for an initial period of 3 years, subject to renewal on a 2+2 basis. The appointed director is expected to recruit their own editorial assistant in managing the SJD.

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Expressions of interest should be addressed to Eloísa Martín, ISA Vice-President for Publications, isa.vp.publications@gmail.com, with a copy to the ISA Secretariat isa@isa-sociology.org.

In preparing the Expression of Interest, please include:
- an updated CV (up to 2 pages)
- a summary of your experience relevant to the position (1 page)
- ideas for developing the SJID (1 page)
- information on the level of support your institution will give you in undertaking the role
- a letter of confirmation from your chair or other appropriate university authority

The closing date for applications is April 30th, 2022. Shortlisted applicants will be interviewed in early May.

If you have any queries send them directly to Eloïsa Martín, ISA VP Publications isa.vp.publications@gmail.com.