### ISA RC 1988 conference

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Research Council meeting and the conference took place on September 1-4, 1988 in Ljubljana, Yugoslavia on the generous invitation by the Faculty of Sociology, Political Science and Journalism, and the Institute of Sociology of the Edvard Kardelj University. The meetings were held on the premises of the International Centre for Public Enterprises in Ljubljana. The conference was organized by Else Oyen, Vice-President Research (1986-1990) and Zdravko Mlinar, Edvard Kardelj University.

The following papers were presented by the Research Committees' Delegates in two thematic sessions:

# Theme I. Cross-cultural and international research: theory, method, project and organization.

RC01 Armed Forces and Conflict Resolution Bernhard Fleckenstein: *Cross-National Research on Value Change: Design, Problems and Perspectives.* 

#### **RC04 Sociology of Education**

Orlando Albornoz: Cross-Cultural and International Research: Theory, Method, Project and Organization. The case of Latin America and the Caribbean in the field of Sociology of Education.

RC05 Ethnic, Race and Minority Relations

Marshall W. Murphree: The Internationalization of Scholarship: Implications for Theory, Research and Organization. A Case Study in the Field of Race and Ethnic Studies.

RC07 Futures Research Velichko Dobrianov: Cross-Cultural and International Research: Theory, Method, Project, and Organization. The Case of Multilateral Sociological Research of Socialist

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RC09 Social Practice and Social Transformation Ellen B. Hill: Short statement on the International Aspects of Social Practice and Social Transformation.

RC12 Sociology of Law

Vincenzo Ferrari: Cross-Cultural Research in Sociology of Law: Experience and Problems.

RC20 Comparative Sociology Erwin K. Scheuch: *Theoretical Implications of Comparative Survey Research*.

RC24 Social Ecology Zdravko Mlinar and S. Splichal: *Globalization and Individuation in Social Development and Comparative Research.* 

RC25 Sociolinguistics Allen D. Grimshaw: Research on Conflict Talk: A Path to Understanding International Conflict Processes?

RC28 Social Stratification Rudolf Andorka: *Cross-Cultural and International Comparative Research of Social Mobility.* 

RC30 Sociology of Work Albert L. Mok and Wolfgang Littek: *Sociology of Work: The State of the Art.* 

RC31 Sociology of Migration Ursula Mehrlander: Cross Cultural and International Research: Current Trends in Migration Studies in Western Europe.

RC32 Women in Society Neuma Aguiar: *Reflections on Comparative Work on Women and Societies*.

RC33 Logic and Methodology Karl M. Van Meter: *Collection and Interpretation of Data from Hidden Populations: Qualitative Research Design.* 

RC35 COCTA Committee on Conceptual and Terminological Analysis Henry Teune: *Comparing Countries: Lessons Learned.* 

RC36 Alienation Theory and Research David Schweitzer: *De-Alienation and Dis-Anomie: Theory, Research, and Practice in International Comparative Perspective.*  RC39 Sociology of Disaster Russell R. Dynes: Cross-Cultural and International Research: Sociology of Disaster

### Theme II. Centralizations versus decentralization

RC03 Community Research Herman Turk, Peter Jambrek, Terry N. Clark: *Municipal Capacity to Obtain External Resources in Meeting Fiscal Strain.* 

RC10 Participation, Workers' Control and Self-Management Dusko Sekulic: *Diagnosis and Ways Out of the Crisis.* 

RC17 Sociology of Organization Marshall W. Meyer: *Decentralization in Nonprofit Organizations*.

RC37 Sociology of Art

Dimitrij Rupel: Decentralization, Democratization, 'Disintegration' and 'Decomposition' in Slovene/ Yugoslav Cultural Politics.