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President's Letter

My Dear Colleagues,

Greetings from New Delhi (National Capital Region)

In the last six months, we have been organizing and monitoring the sessions for the V ISA Forum of Sociology to be held at Rabat (July 6-11, 2025). I am happy to inform you that we have received 17 sessions for the Forum. The total number of abstracts received is 134 which is a very good number. For this, we appreciate the session organizers and authors for their overwhelming response to our call. Now the registration for the conference is going on. We have a few registration grants for the members from B and C category countries whose papers are accepted for presentation by the WG particularly for those who have no financial support from their parent institution. Participants should submit applications for ISA grants to the Program Coordinator by January 31, 2025.

We have decided to conduct the Interim Conference of the Working Group in November 2025 in New Delhi. Details of the conference will be available very soon on the ISA website.

We have recently launched the WG01 website (<https://www.isawg012327.com>). The site is still in the developing stage. I invite the members to write blogs on the topics of their interest and send the blog to Dr. Preeti Tiwari on her email (tiwari.preeti31@gmail.com). Please give your valuable suggestions for improvement and full utilization of the website platform. I hope that we shall be able to grow further academically as well as in terms of the organizational facet.

So far, we have 80 active members in the group (62 regular members, 3 life members, and 15 student members). We are making efforts to increase the membership of the WG to more than 100 by July 2025 so that we can claim the status of a research committee in the near future. This is my appeal to all the active members to make serious efforts for the new regular and student membership among colleagues and students so that we can get more sessions in the ISA conferences as sessions are allotted based on the strength of the membership.

We have approved the Revised Statutes after incorporating the suggestions received from the members and sending the same to ISA for uploading on the WG page on the ISA website. I take this opportunity to thank Prof. Parvez Abbasi who recently completed the task of preparing the draft of our new statutes as per ISA's new guidelines.

Finally, I am thankful to Dr. Sarvesh Dutt Tripathi, of the University School of Mass Communication, GGSIP University, New Delhi, India for preparing and publishing the newsletter of the WG.

Please share reports of your activities with us and information on the activities you are organizing so that we can disseminate information to a wider group.

With best wishes and warm regards

Yours sincerely



Virendra P. Singh

President WG01 (2023-2027)

Board 2023-2027

Virendra P. Singh, President



Prof. Virendra P. SINGH is the Founder and Chairman of Global Research and Educational Foundation India (GREFI). He is an eminent sociologist of international repute. He worked as a faculty in the Indian Institute of Mass Communication (IIMC), New Delhi, and the National Institute of Rural Development (NIRD) Northeastern Regional Centre, Guwahati, India in the initial years of his career and has vast experience in teaching and research at state and central universities at Bhopal, Silchar, and Allahabad. He has to his credit three books and several research papers in national and international research journals. Taught Sociology at Barkatullah University, Bhopal, Reader in Sociology, Assam University (Central), Silchar (1996-2005); Professor of Sociology at Assam University, Silchar (2005-2010). He established the Centre for Globalization and Development Studies in June 2010 when he was appointed as Founder Head and Professor of Globalization and Development Studies by the University of Allahabad, Prayagraj, India, and served there for over a decade. Prof. Singh actively participates in and organizes sessions within ISA research committees, including RCs-14, 52, and WG-01 and served as a Board Member of ISA-RC 14 (2014-2018) and ISA-RC 52 (2014-2018). He served as a member of the Management Committee of the Indian Sociological Society (ISS) (2011-2017) and national Convenor of ISS-RC 14 for several years since 2000.

Parvez A. Abbasi, Vice-President



Parvez A. ABBASI is a former Professor and Head of the Department of Sociology at VNSG University, Surat. He is currently Vice-Chairman of the Global Research and Educational Foundation India (GREFI). He holds a doctoral degree in Social Stratification among Muslims, focusing on the Gaddi Caste in Western Uttar Pradesh. He authored the book "Social Inequality among Indian Muslims" and has published numerous research articles in national and international journals. Prof. Abbasi actively participates in and organizes sessions within ISA research committees, including RCs-14, 52, and WG-01, and has chaired sessions since the Yokohama World Congress. He served as a board member for ISA RC14 Sociology of Communication, Knowledge, and Culture (2018-23) and is the convener of ISS RC08: Inequalities, Stratification, and Exclusion Studies. He has worked as a Research Officer on UNESCO and ICSSR projects related to Rural-Urban Inter-Relations of Muslims in the Meerut region. Prof. Abbasi is also associated with academic bodies at various Indian universities and has served as a Co-Editor of ISS Hindi Journal Samajshashtra Samiksha. Currently, he is a member of the advisory board for the journals *Emerging Trends in Development Research* and *Navrachna* (Hindi).

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Dmitry IVANOV (born 1967) is a Professor of Sociology at St. Petersburg State University, Russia. His research interests include current sociological theory, new forms of inequality, and new trends of social change – post-globalization and post-virtualization. He is the author of several books published in Russian including *Virtualization of Society* (2000) and *Glam-Capitalism* (2008). His recent international publications are ‘New Forms of Inequality and Structures of Glam-capitalism’ in *Social Evolution & History*. 2016. Vol. 15. No. 2; ‘New Configurations of Inequality and Glam-Capitalism Structures’ in *Global Inequalities in World-Systems Perspective: Theoretical Debates and Methodological Innovations*. Ed. by M. Boatca, A. Komlosy, H.-H. Nolte. Routledge, 2017; ‘Post-Globalization, Post-Virtualization, and New Inequalities’ in *Changing Democracies in an Unequal World*. Ed. by F. Sacca. Milano: Franco Angeli, 2020.

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Professor Sarvesh Dutt TRIPATHI is an assistant professor at Guru Govind Singh Indraprastha University, New Delhi, India. He had shifted to Media academics after serving in Print Media for more than a decade in different capacities. During his occupation as a correspondent for newspapers, he covered tribal/rural issues, Naxalism, Environment, Development, and Culture. He has presented his research works at several national and international academic seminars and conferences. From time to time, he was also engaged by UNICEF to train journalists working in rural/tribal areas of the country, health workers, and tribal adolescents in Child Rights. He has been teaching Print Journalism and Corporate Communication and supervising research works on Fake News, the Influence of New Media on Families, Community Radio, and Developing Media literacy models for the visually impaired.

Marina Rodionova, Member of the board



Professor Maria RODIONOVA is the Director of the Centre for European Studies, Educational Services and Consulting and an Associate Professor and Deputy Head of the Department of Sociology and Political Science in Academic and International Work at Financial University, under the Government of the Russian Federation. She has also worked as an Associate Professor at Lomonosov Moscow State University. Maria has been a member of the European Sociological Association (ESA), reflecting her commitment to the field of sociology. She has previously served as the Director of Organizational and Strategic Development at MosAuditService LLC, bringing her wealth of knowledge and experience to this role.

Nelly Vuyokazi Sharpley, Member of the board



Dr. Nelly SHARPLEY serves as the Acting Director for Special Projects within the Office of the Vice-Chancellor at WSU. In this capacity, her primary focus is on addressing urgent issues, particularly the institution's strategy for combatting gender-based violence and sexual abuse. Before her current role, Dr. Sharpley held several key leadership and strategic positions at WSU, including Head of Social Sciences, where she oversaw 36 staff members and managed five academic programs. She has been an active member of the Senate and served a full term on the WSU council. Her contributions were instrumental in shaping the approved WSU 2030 strategic goal, and she has also been a valuable member of the WSU Commission for Community Engagement and Internationalization. Dr. Sharpley's research expertise is evident in her involvement as a lead researcher in the ECSECC/HSRC/WSU COVID-19 and Funeral Protocols project for the Eastern Cape Government. Beyond national boundaries, she represented South Africa at the BRICS Seminar in Russia on population and economic development and played an active role in the BRICS university project. Additionally, she represented the country at the Belarus-Minsk Population and Development Conference in November 2018.

Roman Smirnov, Member of the board



Roman SMRINOV received his PhD in Sociology from the University of Graz, Austria, and is currently a research fellow at the Institute of East European Studies, Free University Berlin. His primary research focuses on the influence of the Russian-Ukrainian war on the academic community in Russia and the social and political consequences of modern Russian authoritarianism for academic freedom. His work focuses also on the social and professional mobility of scientists, social inequality, and comparative international analysis.

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Knowing Justice in the Anthropocene

The 5th ISA Forum of Sociology will take place in Rabat, Morocco on July 6-11, 2025. This is the first ISA Forum to be held in the region and specifically in a country that is known for being at the crossroads of civilizations spanning the Mediterranean, the Middle East, and Africa. This unique geographic location, and the campus of Mohammed V University where we will be hosted, are the perfect setting for the intense intellectual debates that are foreseen around the theme "Knowing Justice in the Anthropocene". The dates of the Forum provide us with the opportunity to engage these debates in our Forum and in a sociological film festival that will be open to the public, just before the city turns its gaze from sociology to football as host of the 2025 Africa Cup of Nations. The Forum will bring together sociologists from around the world to unpack this complex theme. Our point of departure lies in the recognition of the Anthropocene and the environmental concerns that accompany it. This word entered our lexicon at the turn of the Millennium when geologists first began to identify what they considered to be irreversible geological traces of human societies on the planet. In March 2024, the 'scientists' (according to a *New York Times* reporter) decided that no, we were not really in a new geological epoch. However, the journalist noted that the term had already gained so much importance in anthropology and history that it will most likely stay relevant in societies. This situation of contested bits of knowledge is precisely what we will tackle in Rabat.

What does it mean to "know" in the context of the Anthropocene? Whose knowledge counts? What forms of knowing (understood in its feminist and relational sense) are prioritized, and with what consequences, in societal change? While some sub-disciplines have been actively contributing to academic and public debates, sociology writ large has not been at the center of these debates regarding the conditions of living with and in the Anthropocene. How might engaging the sociological imagination in discussions of the Anthropocene better equip sociologists and citizens to contribute to these public debates about our individual and collective capacities to live together in such an epoch?

This brings us to the question of justice. How do we know what is fair and just? Can we forge new understandings of justice for the Anthropocene? What can sociology contribute to how we know justice among knowledge (ontological and epistemic justice) or about aspects of our social worlds, such as environmental justice, legal justice, transitional justice, land justice, water justice, interspecies justice, racial justice, ethnic justice, or gender justice? What new questions are opened about these types of relations when the conditions of the Anthropocene are taken seriously?

This broad theme provides a space for dialogue within and across ISA's 67 Research Committees (RCs), Working Groups (WGs), and Thematic Groups (TGs). We invite all sociologists from all walks of life and all corners of the earth to join us in Rabat in 2025!

Allison Marie Loconto

Vice-President for Research & 5th ISA Forum President

Deadlines:

April 15, 2024 - 24:00 UTC/GMT Announcing Program Coordinators

* RC/WG/TG provide the name and contact details of the Program Coordinator to the ISA Secretariat at isa@isa-sociology.org

May 2 - July 01, 2024 - 24:00 UTC/GMT Call for Sessions

* The RC/WG/TG session proposer must submit the session description online via the Confex platform.

* The invited session organizer (RC/WG/TG, Presidential, Plenary, LOC sessions, etc.) must submit the session's description online via the Confex platform.

July 02 - July 31, 2024 - 24:00 UTC/GMT Final List of Sessions

* The RC/WG/TG Program Coordinator must finalize a list of sessions. The format, titles, descriptions, and language (English, French, or Spanish) of the sessions, as well as the contact details of session organizers (name, affiliation, country, e-mail), will be available on the ISA conference platform run by Confex.

August 05 - October 15, 2024 - 24:00 UTC/GMT Abstracts Submission

* Participants and organizers of invited sessions must submit abstracts online via the Confex platform in English, French, or Spanish. Only abstracts submitted online will be considered in the selection process.

October 15 - November 10, 2024 - 24:00 UTC/GMT Abstracts Selection

* The Session Organizer must complete the 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 made to the Program Coordinator's bin as early as possible so that good abstracts may be transferred to other appropriate sessions. This will

enable organizers to consider these transferred abstracts and make decisions within the deadlines.

* Session Organizers add chairs, co-chairs, discussants, and panelists to their sessions as needed.

November 10 - November 30, 2024 - 24:00 UTC/GMT Abstracts Relocation

* The Program Coordinator re-locates 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.

December 05, 2024 - 24:00 UTC/GMT Notification Letters

Confex sends notification letters to:

- Authors and co-authors of accepted abstracts
- Authors of rejected abstracts

December 15, 2024 - January 26, 2025 - 24:00 UTC/GMT Sessions Scheduling

* Dec 15 - Jan 15: Confex schedules Joint Session, Round Table, and Poster Sessions

* January 16 to 26: Program Coordinators schedule regular sessions

January 31, 2025 - 24:00 UTC/GMT Applications for Registration Grants Deadline

* Participants should submit applications for ISA grants to the Program Coordinator.

February 15, 2025 - 24:00 UTC/GMT Submission of proposed Registration Grants recipients

* The Program Coordinator sends the selected recipients and amounts recommended to the ISA Secretariat at isa@isa-sociology.org for verification and approval.

March 22, 2025 - 24:00 UTC/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.

April 3 - April 18, 2025 - 24:00 UTC/GMT Abstracts Relocation

* Session Organizer modifies sessions based on the withdrawal of non-registered presenters.

* Chairs and discussants are assigned from among the registered participants.

* The program Coordinator completes sessions scheduled according to the conference timetable.

* If the type of an individual's presentation is changed or if a presentation is transferred to a different session, Confex will notify the authors of the final session and presentation details.

May 9, 2025 - 24:00 UTC/GMT Online program published



Details of the Sessions and Abstracts accepted for presentation/distribution in the V ISA Forum of Sociology. We intend to publish these papers in three volumes after the conference. The authors are requested to submit a full paper to the WG01 President (etdrvps@gmail.com) by 30 June 2025.

Session I: #21957 News Tendencies in the Global Work. Comparative Scales of Informality, Precarity and Unemployment

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1	152346	Navigating Precarity: Employment Challenges and Integration of Refugees in Canada's Labor Market	Sally Ogoe (1 st Author)	ogoes@myumanitoba.ca
2	158819	Social Determinants of Precarious and Low-Wage Work in the Tourism Industry: Insights from Italian Case Studies	Frnacesco Iannuzzi (1 st Author)	francesco.iannuzzi@unive.it
3	160090	Navigating Work and Purpose in Milan's Event Industry: An In-depth Exploration	Gemma Scalise (1 st Author) Cristina Burini (2 nd Author)	gemma.scalise@unimib.it , cristina.burini@unimib.it
4	162962	Engaging with the Labour Market: Experiences of (in)Dignity in Precarity	Aurélie Gonnet (1 st Author)	Aureliegonnet@gmail.com
5	163086	Informalidad, Desempleo y Precariedad Laboral: Tramas Del Trabajo En La Sociedad Chilena Postpandemia	Dasten Julian Vejar (1 st Author)	dasten@gmail.com , oblanco4@gmail.com

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6	163254	Breaking Barriers: Women's Motivations and Retention Strategies in Male-Dominated Occupations in Chile	Alessandra Olivi (1 st Author) Camila Campos Peredes (2 nd Author) Valentina Alvarez Lopez (3 rd Author)	alessandra.olivi@uv.cl , camila.campospa@uv.cl , valentina.alvarez@upla.cl
7	164070	The Transnationalization of Labor Markets: Tourism, Inequality, and Revolutions in the Global South—a Comparative Ethnographic Study in Havana (Cuba) and San Cristóbal De Las Casas (Mexico)	Tommaso Pirone (1 st Author) Romane Prat (2 nd Author)	tommaso.pirone@lecnam.net romane.prat@ehess.fr
	165008	Empleo Público En Precario	Betzabeth Marin-Nanco (1 st Author)	bcmarin@gmail.com

Session II: # 21876 The Role of International Non-Governmental Organizations (INGOs) in Promoting Social Justice in the Global South

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1	157918	Rethinking Educational Poverty: The Complexities of NGO Interventions in the Global South	Simona Rita (1 st Author)	simona.coco@phd.unict.it
2	159109	Can CSOs' Evaluative Practices Take the Form of Mutual Learning?	Gloria Mussetto (1 st Author) Silvia Malacarne (2 nd Author) Anna Facchetti (3 rd Author)	gloria.mussetto@unicatt.it , silvia.malacarne@unicatt.it , anna.facchetti@unicatt.it

3	160788	Navigating Institutionalised Donor-Driven Procedures and Ideals of Social Justice Among Community Development Workers in Nigeria	Ayomide Adebayo (1 st Author)	ogunbanwoayomide@gmail.com
4	161192	From Soldiers of the Faith to Experts in Development	Yasemin Bavbek (1 st Author)	nybavbek@fas.harvard.edu
5	162260	INGOs As “Justice Enablers” for Corporate Human Rights Harms?	Katherine McDonnell (1 st Author)	K.McDonnell14@universityofgalway.ie
6	163010	From “Female Foeticide” to “Gender Biased Sex Selection”: How NGOs Paved a Path to Abortion Rights in India	Esther Moreas (1 st Author)	emoraes@umass.edu
7	163659	Empowering Gender Equity and Social Justice in the Global South through Digital Humanitarianism and Participatory GIS	Valeria Rossi (1 st Author)	Valeria.rossi@unipa.it
8	164902	Navigating a Contested Field: A Study on the Practice of a Chinese NGO in Ethiopia	Xiaocen Huang (1 st Author) Hok Bun Ku (2 nd Author)	xiaocen.huang@connect.polyu.hk , hok.bun.ku@polyu.edu.hk

Session III: # 21806 Reshaping Global Sociology to Focus on the Global Majority

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1	152514	Nous. Exploring Border Violence through a Panafrican Feminist Research Perspective	Céline Barry (1 st Author)	celine.barry@tu-berlin.de
2	155427	Brazilian Social Thought As Global Sociology? Challenging the Hegemonic Imagination of Modernity from the Margins	Sergio B F Tavolaro (1 st Author)	sergiotavolaro@hotmail.com
3	156998	Theories and Concepts for a Decolonized Study of Global Connections: Lessons from Asia and Africa	Manjusha Nair (1 st Author)	nairmanjusha@gmail.com

4	157544	White Supremacy in the Education System: Enduring Coloniality in the Jamaican Textbook	Moji Anderson (1 st Author)	moji.anderson@uwimona.edu.jm
5	158220	Global Inequality & Epistemic Geographies: The Unbearable Parochialism of American Sociology	Vineet Gupta (1 st Author)	vineetg@u.northwestern.edu
6	159891	Decentering the Hegemonic Subject: Denise Ferreira Da Silva's Contribution to Reshape "Global" Sociology	Marcelo Carvalho Rosa (1 st Author)	marcelocrosa@gmail.com
7	165609	Anti-Colonial Education and Nationalist Struggles: Critical Pedagogy Framework in the Philippine Context	Patricia Ruth Jasmin	ppjasmin@upd.edu.ph

Session IV: #21738 Globalization, Democracies, and the Rise of Authoritarianism in Contemporary World

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2	157554	Globalization, Democracy, and Women in Indian Legislative Bodies	Madhu Sisodia (1 st Author)	madhusisodia2015@gmail.com
3	157586	Civilizing and Democratizing Globalization: Limits and Scope in Contemporary Society	Preeti Tiwari (1 st Author)	tiwari.preeti31@gmail.com

4	157776	Narratives from the Margins: Exploring Alternative Media through Bastar Talkies and the Chenab Times	Sarvesh Dutt Tripathi (1 st Author) Anirban Ghosh (2 nd Author)	sarveshdt@gmail.com , anirban210297@gmail.com
5	158432	Digital Democracy: Unraveling Global Trends through Hashtag Analysis	Pawan Koundal (1 st Author)	pawankoundal@gmail.com
6	159420	Legitimization of Civil Nationalism and Political Repression in the Context of Hybrid Conflicts in Russia	Nataliya Velikaya (1 st Author)	natalivelikaya@gmail.com
7	160397	The Image of Democracy in the Context of Authoritarian Manifestations of the Modern Political Regime in Russia	Sergey Kudryavtsev (1 st Author)	ks-yar@inbox.ru
8	162321	Voices from the Grassroots: A Study of YouTube Channels Raising Citizens' Issues in Haryana	Vinay Shanker (1 st Author)	vinaymcrc@gmail.com

Session V: #21566 The Crisis of Modernity and Changing World Order

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1	153194	Post-Globalization and Neo-Traditionalist Solidarities Among Brics Countries	Dmitry Ivanov (1 st Author)	dvi2001@rambler.ru
2	154832	"Changing Pattern of Interaction in Indian Family - with Reference to Globalization"	Mohammad Salim (1 st Author)	msalim500@yahoo.com

3	155008	Re-Evaluating Occupational Safety and Health Paradigms: Bridging Western and Eastern Perspectives for the Global Majority	Diana Kazbekova (1 st Author) Nurlan Baigabylov (2 nd Author) Akira Ogami (3 rd Author)	sldrriosh@gmail.com , n.baigabylov@gmail.com , gamisan@med.uoeh-u.ac.jp
4	155591	Rural-Urban Relations and Modernization of a Pastoral Caste in North Indian Regional Setting	Parvez Ahmad Abbasi (1 st Author)	parvezabbasi@yahoo.co.in
5	157228	Education Profession and Religion in the Era of Globalization: A Case Study of Dev Sanskriti Vishwavidyalaya in India	Shreepal Chauhan (1 st Author)	drspchauhan14@gmail.com
6	157313	Globalization, Modernity, and the Changing Cultural Landscape: A Critical Review	Deepthi Shanker (1 st Author)	deepthis2020@gmail.com
7	161234	Patterns of Social Media Usage Among Indian Women in the Era of Globalization	Sudeep Kaur (1 st Author) Sukhdeep Kaur (2 nd Author)	sukhdeep.iitd@gmail.com
8	162238	India's G-20 Presidency: New Way of Global Diplomacy through New Media	Mr. Achyut Abhishek (1 st Author)	achyut.abhishek1@gmail.com
9	162836	Impact of OTT Platform on Indian Cinema Industry during and after COVID-19	Kausar Ali (1 st Author)	ghazikausar56@gmail.com

Session VI: #21391 The Image of the Future As a Factor of Actual Social and Political Relations in a Hybrid Reality

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1	155721	The Future of Nation-States in the Changing World Order	Virendra P. Singh (1 st Author)	etdrvps@gmail.com

2	158276	Self-Employment in Post-Pandemic Brazil: Intersecting Inequalities	Andressa Kikuti Dancosky (1 st Author) Jacques Mick (2 nd Author)	andressakikuti@gmail.com , jacques.mick@ufsc.br
3	158772	Social Capital As a Sustainable Informal Means for Human Capital Development in Post COVID16 Era: The Case of Oil Palm Human Capital in Malaysia	Kim Ling Chan (1 st Author)	geralckl@ukm.edu.my
4	161597	How does Kazakh Youth see the Future?	Saltanat Yermakhanova (1 st Author) Aigul Zabirova (2 nd Author) Zarema Shaukenova (3 rd Author) Serik Seidumanov (4 th Author) Alua Zholdybalina (5 th Author)	essaltanat@gmail.com , zabirova2010@gmail.com , director@iph.kz , seidumanov@yandex.ru , zholdybalinaalua@gmail.com
5	164182	The Image of the Future in a Hybrid Reality	Elena Irsetskaya (1 st Author)	e.irs@rggu.ru
6	165097	Determinants of Future Profession Choice in Students' Educational Strategies or Russian Students	Olga Kitaitseva (1 st Author)	olga_kitaitseva@mail.ru

Session VII: #21390 Women Empowerment in Globalizing World: Conceptual Issues and Empirical Reality

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Final Statutes (Approved by members)

In accordance with the principles of the Statutes of the International Sociological Association (ISA), these statutes are proposed to be approved by members of the Working Group in good standing of the International Sociological Association as of October 2023.

Article 1. Purposes

1. The purposes of the Working Group, the Sociology of Local-Global Relations are as follows:

- 1.1 To encourage scientific research and knowledge on the relationships among global, local, and regional groups, associations, and organizations, both governmental and non-governmental.
- 1.2 To establish contacts and to encourage collaboration among scholars working in the field of globalization, local communities, and glocalization of socio-cultural milieu and related issues.
- 1.3 1.3 To enhance international cooperation and exchange in theoretical and empirical research in the Sociology on Local-Global Relations.
- 1.4 1.4 To link theoretical and empirical research in the Sociology on Local-Global Relations with any related specialist fields or disciplines.
- 1.5 To act as the international representative body of the Sociology on Local-Global Relations.

Article 2. Activities

2 To achieve these ends, the Working Group shall focus on the following activities:

- 2.1 To encourage research on Sociology on Local-Global Relations among the members and the international dissemination and exchange of information on the developments in this field.
- 2.2 To organize sessions at meetings of the ISA and interim conferences in different continents between the Forum and World Congress in collaboration with local research bodies, preferably institutional members of ISA.
- 2.3 To provide information on significant developments in the field through means such as regular newsletters (at least 2 in a calendar year), blogs, journals, and other publications by full exploration of social media networks.
- 2.4 To support international seminars of theoretical, methodological, or substantive importance and international training seminars to add to the skills of research in the field.

ARTICLE 3. Membership

3. Members shall be either regular members or affiliated members.

3.1 Regular members shall be individuals or institutions in good standing within the ISA.

3.2 Affiliated members shall be individuals or institutions interested in the activities of RC14, who are not members of the ISA.

3.3 All regular and Affiliated members of WG 01 shall be entitled to vote in the discussions about organizational matters at the General Meetings according to the principle "one member, one vote", which means that one institution also has one vote.

3.4 ONLY regular and Affiliated members of WG 01 shall be entitled to:

3.4.1 Participate in the scientific activities of WG01.

3.4.2 Receive/access free of charge the Newsletter/website/blog maintained by WG 01.

3.5. All regular and Affiliated members of WG 01 shall be obliged to:

3.5.1 Uphold the present Statutes of WG 01 and adhere to the stipulations of the present Statutes.

3.5.2 Conscientiously fulfill the tasks entrusted to them by the General Meeting or other bodies of WG 01

3.5.3 Pay their fees for the respective period of 4 years. The fees shall be fixed by the WG Board at each General Meeting for both.

Article 4. Officers

4.1 Officers of the Working Group shall be elected once every four years in the business meeting of every World Congress of Sociology, as stipulated in Article V.

4.2 The composition of the Board shall be:

President: represents the RC both internally and externally and shall have general responsibility for the coordination and communication.

S/he shall chair the meetings of the Executive Board; in his/her absence, the meeting will be chaired by the Vice-President or another nominated Board member.

Vice-President: supports internal and external representation coordination and communication and represents the RC in the absence of the President.

Secretary/Treasurer: finance, subscriptions, and membership data.

Newsletter Editor

At least four other members

Ex-officio Former President(s)

4.3 The term of the office shall be four years.

i) The president can serve a maximum of 2 terms.

ii) Officers: Two Vice-Presidents (by election), 1 Secretary (by election), and 1 Treasurer (to be nominated by the President among the elected Board Members)) can serve not more than 2 consecutive terms.

iii) Board Members: no restriction

iv) On completion of two consecutive terms on a position, a member can contest election for this position after a gap of four years (one term). But there will be no restriction on contesting election for other positions.

Article 5. Elections

5.1 To ensure the participation of all members, nominations shall be done by email. The Secretary shall prepare a form to be sent to all members at least two months in advance before the election day together with a list of all regular members of WG01.

5.2 Nominated candidate shall be a regular member in good standing of ISA and WG01. The nomination must be proposed by at least one regular member and seconded by another regular member of WG01 by a separate email of this effect.

5.3 Nomination shall be sent to the election officer (EO) appointed by the Board for this purpose at least six months in advance from the month of the meeting of the WC/Forum in the year of the completion of the term of the Board (i.e. normally in January). The election officer will be a former Board Member or office bearer of the WG01 who is not contesting for any position.

5.4 Nominations can be sent to EO one hour before the commencement of the business meeting of the WG at WCOS. The nominations can also be collected on the floor during the business meeting at WG at WCOS supported by two regular members.

5.5 All regular members and affiliated members shall be eligible to vote in elections.

5.5 Nomination submitted through email may be withdrawn by the candidate by informing the EO one hour before the commencement of the business meeting at WCOS.

5.6 Elections shall be conducted by EO through **Zoom or any other appropriate platform** so that all WG members can participate in the election process in person or virtually.

5.3 The proceedings of the elections will be prepared by the EO and shall be submitted to the Secretary after the election.

5.5 The candidate receiving the highest number of votes cast will be deemed elected to each office.

Article 6. Business Meeting

6.1 A Business Meeting is held at least every four years, including at the ISA World Congress. The meeting is chaired by the President. or by the Vice-President of WG01. Votes can only be cast by regular and affiliated WG01 members in good standing who are present at the Meeting.

6.2 The role of the Business Meeting is to receive relevant reports from WG01 and to discuss and carry motions on any points that may arise. Decisions in a Business Meeting are taken by the simple majority.

Article 7. Changes and Amendments to Statutes

7.1 Any proposal for changes or amendments to the Statutes may be made by any member of the Board, or by at least five members in good standing of WG01.

7.2 The proposal will be circulated among all WG01 members by email. The suggestions from members shall be invited within 15 days from the date of circulation of the draft. The final draft has to be circulated for the approval of at least two-thirds of the regular and affiliated members by email only. The Board will be entitled to propose changes and amendments. All changes and amendments must follow the principles of ISA policy and guidelines.

Article 8. Relations with Other Organizations

Relations with other organizations may be established by the WG01 or by the Board as is deemed useful, or necessary in accordance with the aims and objectives of WG01 and ISA policy.

Article 9. Membership Fee

Dues are \$40 (\$20 discount) for 4 years. To become a member, submit a membership application from your user account: <https://www.isa-sociology.org/en/login>.

Article 10. Responsibilities of Members

In addition to paying dues, all members are responsible for the activities of the Group, including convening meetings, publications, contributions to the Newsletter (Web Page), and other undertakings of the Group.

Messages Regarding Approval of the Revised Statutes

Letter from the President to the members regarding Draft of New Statutes

Subject: Draft of Revised Statutes of WG01



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Apr 21, 2024, 9:35 AM

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My Dear Colleagues,

As per ISA instructions we have prepared a draft of revised Statutes of our WORKING GROUP 01 in the light of ISA's latest guidelines for smooth functioning of the RCs/WGs/TGs.

The draft Statutes are attached herewith for your suggestions (if any) and approval. The suggestions may be sent in a specific form (mentioning the clause number in the draft) with rationale by May 6, 2024. The relevant suggestions will be incorporated in the Final draft by the Draft Committee Chairman (President) within a week. The final draft will be circulated among the members for approval by 31 May 2024.

The members are requested to actively participate in this important task.

Looking forward to your cooperation

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely

Virendra P. Singh

President, WG01

Dependency is the indicator of underdevelopment

Message from Amy Shumin CHEN (amyshumin@gmail.com)

(Active member of the WG01)

Apr 22, 2024, 7:20 AM

Dear Dr. Singh :

Thank you for your efforts to organize this draft for the group.

My suggestion is here for your reference.

About 5.6:5.6 Elections shall be conducted by EO through Zoom meetings so that all WG members can participate in the election process in person or virtually.

I think that there are many tools for online meetings; maybe there is no need to limit it to ZOOM.

Best regards,

Amy Shumin CHEN (National Tsing Hua Uni., Taiwan)

Note: The Final Draft of the New Statutes of the Working Group 01 after incorporating the suggestions (By Amy Shumin) was circulated again among the members through Newsletter. Members were requested to send their approval to the President via email (presidentwg0123.27@gmail.com; etdrvps@gmail.com) by 17th June 2024. As we receive no response from any of the members. Therefore, the statutes are considered as approved.