

ESS 2021 PROGRAM

Diversity and Its Discontents in the Wake of COVID-19

February 18-21, 2021

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2021

PRE-CONFERENCE Community College Spotlight

Organizers **Myron Strong** (Community College of Baltimore County) & EC ESS

Moderators **Vondora Wilson-Corzen** (Nassau Community College)

10:15-11:45 AM Pre-Conference Session I

Panelists **Kaya Hamer-Small** (Broward College), **Quakish Liner** (Broward College), and **Christy Moran** (Broward College) – *“Teaching Social Justice and Information Literacy During COVID-19”*

Tanya Cook (Community College of Aurora) – *“Do We Really Need Due Dates? Reconsidering Structure and Agency During the Pandemic”*

12:00-1:30 PM Pre-Conference Session II

Panelists **James McKeever** (Pierce College) – *“Responses to COVID-19”*

Nelda Nix-McCray (Community College of Baltimore County) – *“I Can See Clearly Now: Viewing Racial Constructs”*

Shenique Davis (Borough of Manhattan Community College) – *“Conducting Research in the Age of COVID-19”*

ESS CONFERENCE

1:45-3:15 PM Disability as an Axis of Inequality in the Wake of COVID-19

Organizers **Allison Carey** (Shippensburg University), **Laura Maudlin** (University of Connecticut)

Moderator **Laura Maudlin** (University of Connecticut)

Panelists **Rachel Elizabeth Fish** (New York University) – *Inequality in Special Education under COVID-19*

Scott Landes (Syracuse University) – *“COVID-19 Trends Among Adults with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (IDD) Living in Residential Group Homes in New York State through November, 2020”*

Michelle Maroto (University of Alberta), **David Pettinicchio**, (University of Toronto), **Martin Lukk** (University of Toronto) – *“COVID-19’s Effects on Employment and Economic Insecurity among People with Disabilities and Chronic Health Conditions”*

Joseph Spiller, Katherine Weatherford Darling, Valerie Rubinsky (University of Maine Augusta) – *“Understanding Ableism in Biomedicine through Community-Health Workers’ Experiences”*

3:30-5:00 PM

PRESIDENTIAL PLENARY I

Demographic Change and the Threat of Diversity

Moderator
Panelists

Colleen Butler-Sweet (Sacred Heart University) & EC ESS
Maria Abascal (New York University)
Richard Alba (CUNY Graduate Center)
Karthick Ramakrishnan (University of California, Riverside)

5:30-7:00 PM

Robin M. Williams, Jr. Lecture

Presider
Address

José Itzigsohn (Brown University) & Vice President ESS
Zine Magubane (Boston College) – *“Comte and Haiti: The Significance of the Haitian Revolution in the Origin of Sociology”*

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2021

PRESIDENTIAL THEMATIC SESSIONS

8:30-10:00 AM

Economic Inequality in the Wake of COVID-19

Organizer &
Moderator

Aixa Cintrón-Vélez (Russell Sage Foundation)

Panelists

Margaret Chin (CUNY Hunter College and Graduate Center) – *“Race and Ethnicity matter more as one moves up the corporate ladder: Examining Asian Americans with implications for all”*

Leslie McCall (CUNY Graduate Center) – *“The Events of 2020 and American Views of Inequality”*

Rashawn Ray (University of Maryland, College Park) – *“COVID-19, police brutality, and systemic racism: How structural conditions explain racial health disparities”*

Daniel Schneider (Harvard Kennedy School) – *“Essential Workers, Precarious Work: Raising the Floor on Job Quality”*

Sandra Susan Smith (Harvard Kennedy School) – *“The role of penal contact in racial and class inequities in labor market outcomes”*

10:15-11:45 AM Immigration in the Wake of COVID-19

Organizer & Moderator **Amy Hsin** (Queens College, CUNY)

Panelists **David Cook Martin** (University of Colorado, Boulder) – *“Temporary migration regimes and immigration policies in the Americas and Europe”*

Zai Liang (SUNY Albany) – *“Low-skilled Chinese immigrants employment in new destination localities”*

Kevin Thomas (UT Austin) – *“Immigrants and Global Epidemics: Lessons from African immigrants and the 2014 Ebola Epidemic”*

Sejung Sage Yim (Graduate Center, CUNY), **Gwoon Jung** (Kyung Hee University), **Sou Hyun Jang** (Sungkyunkwan University) – *“Korean Immigrants’ Motherhood Experiences in the Wake of COVID-19”*

12:00-1:30 PM Black Lives Matter in the Wake of COVID-19

Organizer & Moderator **Wendy Roth** (University of Pennsylvania)

Panelists **Alyasah Ali Sewell** (Emory University) – *“Just Press Record: The Protest Politics of Antibrutality Mobile Surveillance”*

Hajar Yazdiha (University of Southern California) – *“Social Disaster as Political Opportunity or Threat? COVID-19, Intersecting Racial Time Bombs, and Black Lives Matter’s Mobilization Dynamics”*

Shira Zilberstein, Michèle Lamont and **Mari Sanchez** (Harvard University) – *“Hoped-for futures in the making: Irreconcilable dreams in unsettled times”*

Kate Uray, Aniya Brown, George Class-Peters, Kristina Holsapple, (University of Delaware) – *“University of Delaware Honors Outreach and Student Action against Racism”*

1:45-3:15 PM Neighborhoods in the Wake of COVID-19

Organizer & Moderator **Linsey Edwards** (New York University)

Panelists **Anna Bounds** (Queens College, CUNY) – *“The Rise of Prepping in New York City: Community Resilience and COVID-19”*

Jacob Faber (New York University) – *“Segregation and COVID-19: A Crisis Generations in the Making”*

Junia Howell (University of Pittsburgh) – *“Learning from Disaster Past: How Governmental Responses to Disasters Often Exacerbate Neighborhood Inequality”*

Alexandra Murphy (University of Michigan) – *“COVID in the Cul de Sac: How Suburban Residence Shapes the Pandemic Experience of Low Income Households”*

3:30-5:00 PM Race in the Wake of COVID-19

Organizer & **Maria Abascal** (New York University)
Moderator

Panelists **Denae Bradley** (Howard University), **Marie C. Jigguet -Akhtar** (Howard University), **Tia Dickerson** (Howard University) – *“Why won’t Blacks trust and participate in COVID-19 clinical trials?”*

Chelsea Daniels (New York University), **Paul DiMaggio** (New York University), **G. Cristina Mora** (UC, Berkeley), **Hana Shepherd** (Rutgers University) – *“Has Pandemic Threat Stoked Xenophobia? How COVID-19 Influences California Voters’ Attitudes toward Diversity and Immigration”*

Jessica Simes (Boston University) and **Jaquelyn L. Jahn** (CUNY Graduate Center) – *“Policing Race and Place During a Pandemic: A Multi-City Study of Police Contact during COVID-19”*

5:30-7:00 PM PRESIDENTIAL PLENARY II

Re-imagining What a Justice System Could Look Like

Moderator **Smitha Radhakrishnan** (Wellesley College) & EC ESS

Panelists **Monica Bell** (Yale University)

Matt Desmond (Princeton University)

Bruce Western (Columbia University)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2021

PRESIDENTIAL THEMATIC SESSIONS

8:30-10:00 AM The Challenge of Teaching in the Wake of COVID-19

Organizer & **Vondora Wilson-Corzen** (Nassau Community College)
Moderator

Panelists **Adrienne Atterberry** (Syracuse University) – *“Intensive Teaching: Teaching within a Neoliberal Context”*

Maggie Plunkett Fay (Teacher’s College, Columbia University) – *“The Educational Aspirations of Virtual Repeaters”*

Catherine White Berheide (Skidmore College), **David Cotter** (Union College), **Megan Carpenter** (St. Lawrence University) – *“The Emotional Labor Demands on Women and Faculty of Color Teaching during the Time of COVID-19”*

Jeanne Kimpel (Molloy College) – *“COVID Influenced Teaching at a Liberal Arts college”*

Kimberly Collica-Cox (Pace University) – *“When ‘Inside-Out’ Goes ‘Upside Down’: Teaching Students in a Jail Environment During the COVID Pandemic”*

10:15-11:45 AM Sexuality in the Time of COVID-19

Organizer & Moderator **Tey Meadow** (Columbia University)

Panelists **Theo Greene** (Bowdoin College)
Joss Greene (Columbia University)
Angela Jones (Framingham State University)

12:00-1:30 PM Race and Economy

Organizer & Moderator **Nina Bandelj** (University of California, Irvine)

Panelists **Frederick F. Wherry** (Princeton University) – *“The Racial Orientation of Economic Action”*

Jennifer Nazareno (Brown University) – *“Hidden Healthcare: How Filipino American Nurses Built Enterprises in the Shadows of the U.S. Long-Term Care Industry”*

Adia Harvey Wingfield (Washington University in St. Louis) – *“Racial Outsourcing and Equity Work in the New Economy”*

Cassie Pittman Claytor (Case Western Reserve University) and **David Crockett** (University of South Carolina) – *“Theorizing Marketplace Racism and Racially-Biased Exclusionary Treatment During Unsettled Times”*

1:45-3:15 PM Political Polarization in the Wake of COVID-19

Organizer & Moderator **Delia Baldassarri** (New York University)
Barum Park (Cornell University)

Panelists **Jeff Manza** (New York University) – *“Reflections on Covid, Trump, and Regime Change in the United States”*

Abigail Newell (University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill) – *“We’re All in this Together? Perceived Polarization during the Pandemic”*

Yun Byung Yeon (Korea University) – *“Pandemics and Political Polarization: Structural Comparison of Bureaucratic Networks”*

Melina Sherman (New York University) – *“Face Mask Face Offs’: Culture in Action in the Covid-19 Pandemic”*

3:30-5:00 PM **PRESIDENTIAL PLENARY III**

Reflections on the COVID-19 Pandemic

Presider **Julie Wiest** (West Chester University) & EC ESS
Panelists **Nina Bandelj** (University of California, Irvine)
Alondra Nelson (Social Science Research Council)
Janelle Wong (University of Maryland)

5:30-7:00 PM **ESS AWARDS & PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS**

Presider **José Itzigsohn** (Brown University) & Vice President ESS
Address **Jennifer Lee** (Columbia University) & President ESS

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2021

CELEBRATING AUTHORS | AUTHORS MEET CRITICS

Synchronous AMC Sessions

8:30-10:00 AM

AMC SESSION 1

More Than Medicine: Nurse Practitioners and the Problems They Solve for Patients, Health Care Organizations, and the State (Cornell University Press, 2020).

Author: **LaTonya J. Trotter** (Vanderbilt University)
Panelists: **Michael Sauder** (University of Iowa)
Joanna Kempner (Rutgers University)
Mignon Duffy (University of Massachusetts Lowell)
Organizers: **Amy Kate Bailey** (University of Illinois at Chicago)
Emily A. Marshall (Franklin & Marshall College)
Christine Percheski (Northwestern University)
Hana Shepherd (Rutgers University)

AMC SESSION 2

Like Family: Narratives of Fictive Kinship (Rutgers University Press, 2020)

Author **Margaret K. Nelson** (Middlebury College)
Panelists **Dawn Braithwaite** (University of Nebraska, Lincoln)
Philip Cohen (University of Maryland)
Natalia Sarkisian (Boston College)
Organizers **Margaret L. Andersen** (University of Delaware)
Maxine Baca Zinn (Michigan State University)

10:15-11:45 AM

AMC SESSION 3

Privilege at Play: Class, Race, Gender, and Golf in Mexico (Oxford University Press, 2019)

Author **Hugo Ceron-Anaya** (Lehigh University)
Panelists **Christina Sue** (University of Colorado-Boulder)
Myron Strong (Community College of Baltimore County)
Ana Villareal (Boston University)
Organizer **Hugo Ceron-Anaya** (Lehigh University)

AMC SESSION 4

Feeling Medicine: How the Pelvic Exam Shapes Medical Training (NYU Press, 2020).

Author **Kelly Underman** (Drexel University)
Panelists **Rene Almeling** (Yale University)
David Hutson (Penn State University-Abington)
Krystale Littlejohn (University of Oregon)
Organizer **Laura E. Hirshfield** (University of Illinois at Chicago)

12:00-1:30 PM

AMC SESSION 5

Stuck: Why Asian Americans Don't Reach the Top of the Corporate Ladder (NYU Press, 2020)

Author **Margaret M. Chin** (Hunter College and the Graduate Center)
Panelists **Vivian Louie** (Hunter College)
Eileen O'Brien (Saint Leo University)
Victor Ray (University of Iowa)
Organizer **Margaret M. Chin** (Hunter College and the Graduate Center)

AMC SESSION 6

American Resistance: From the Women's March to the Blue Wave (Columbia University Press, 2019)

Author **Dana Fisher** (University of Maryland)
Panelist **Kenneth (Andy) Andrews** (UNC Chapel Hill)
Zakiya Luna (University of California at Santa Barbara)
Holly McCammon (Vanderbilt University)
Organizer **Kenneth (Andy) Andrews** (UNC Chapel Hill)

1:45-3:15 PM

AMC SESSION 7

Hyper Education: Why Good Grades, Good School and Good Behavior are not Enough (NYU Press, 2020)

Author **Pawan Dhingra** (Amherst College)

Panelists **Nazli Kibria** (Boston University)
Allison Pugh (University of Virginia)
Kate Averett (SUNY- University at Albany)
Organizer **Leah Schmalzbauer** (Amherst College)

AMC SESSION 8

Allies and Obstacles: Disability Activism and Parents of Children with Disabilities (Temple University Press, 2020)

Authors **Allison C. Carey** (Shippensburg University)
Pamela Block (Western University)
Richard Scotch (University of Texas, Dallas)
Panelists **Jennifer Reich** (University of Colorado, Denver)
Renee Anspach (University of Michigan)
Valerie Leiter (Simmons University)
Organizer **Linda M. Blum** (Northeastern University)

3:30-5:00 PM

AMC SESSION 9

The Innovation Complex: Cities, Tech, and the New Economy (Oxford University Press, 2020)

Author **Sharon Zukin** (Brooklyn College and The Graduate Center, CUNY)
Panelists **Japonica Brown-Saracino** (Boston University)
David Grazian (University of Pennsylvania)
Derek Hyra (American University)
John Torpey (The Graduate Center, CUNY)
Organizer **Van C. Tran** (The Graduate Center, CUNY)

AMC SESSION 10

Opting Back In: What Really Happens When Mothers Go Back to Work (University of California Press, 2019)

Author **Pamela Stone** (Hunter College and The Graduate Center, CUNY)
Meg Lovejoy (Harvard Center for Population and Development)
Panelists **Sarah Damaske** (Pennsylvania State University)
Karen V. Hansen (Brandeis University)
Liana Christin Landivar (University of Maryland, College Park)
Organizer **Patricia A. Roos** (Rutgers University)

5:30-7:00 PM

AMC SESSION 11

Here, There, and Elsewhere: The Making of Immigrant Identities in a Globalized World (Stanford University Press, 2020)

Author **Tahseen Shams** (University of Toronto)

Panelists **Philip Kasinitz** (The Graduate Center, CUNY)
Douglas S. Massey (Princeton University)
Claire Alexander (University of Manchester)
Organizer **Tahseen Shams** (University of Toronto)

AMC SESSION 12

Coerced: Work Under Threat of Punishment (University of California Press, 2020)

Author **Erin Hatton** (University at Buffalo – SUNY)
Panelists **Gretchen Purser** (Syracuse University)
Steven Vallas (Northeastern University)
Ofer Sharone (University of Massachusetts – Amherst)
Organizer **Gretchen Purser** (Syracuse University)

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