Impact of COVID-19 & State Violence on Tenure & Promotion
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As the higher education community responds to the COVID-19 pandemic, we are more fully discerning the long-term impact of COVID-19 induced disruptions on academic careers and trajectories. COVID-19 is particularly exacerbating productivity and leadership opportunities and, thus, tenure and promotion processes for women and faculty of color, which have been historically inequitable in the first place. In addition to the growing demands of multiple roles and responsibilities in personal and professional lives intensified during the COVID-19 pandemic, the alarming rise in racism, xenophobia, and state violence perpetuated against racial and ethnic minoritized populations carry distinctive detrimental impact on faculty of color. While many institutions are modifying their faculty review processes, including tenure timeline adjustments, broadening productivity measures, and shifting academic achievement priorities, significant questions remain about navigating tenure and promotion processes during the COVID-19 era. SSWR is responding to this crucial issue facing our membership by bringing an expert panel of social work academics to discuss the impact of COVID-19 and state violence on tenure and promotion.

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