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Welcome to ... Washington, DC and the 26th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR)! We are very pleased that we are meeting in person this year and we are appreciative of your support during these challenging times. This year’s scientific meeting will be especially exciting for several reasons:

This year’s theme, Social Work Science for Racial, Social, and Political Justice, recognizes the underlying value that has long driven our profession and the commitment to upholding this principle in the current setting. Social work is not a value neutral profession. It seeks to build a more socially just world than the one that we currently have. Eradicating racism, alleviating poverty and economic inequality, and fighting the COVID-19 pandemic require a continuous pursuit and advocacy of this strongly embedded value that defines the profession. The SSWR’s annual conference has become an important scientific meeting for our profession. It is a leading venue for scientific exchange, advancement and connection of social work researchers at all career levels.

Vice President and Conference Chair Dr. Shenyang Guo and the Conference Planning Committee have assembled an exciting four days of intellectually stimulating programming. Offerings including the four, Thursday morning Research Methods Workshops and the six, Special Sessions on Research Priorities and Capacity Building; excellent invited and peer-reviewed sessions, an exceptional Presidential Plenary by María de Lourdes Hinojosa Ojeda, a Mexican American journalist, anchor and executive producer of Latino USA, National Public Radio, and the Opening Plenary by Drs. Cathy Cohen, David and Mary Winton Green Distinguished Service Professor of Political Science, The University of Chicago, and Monica Webb Hooper, Deputy Director, National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities.

Our program also features the highly regarded Aaron Rosen Lecture, delivered this year by Dr. Jorge Delva, Boston University, the Annual Social Policy Forum that will be delivered by co-authors Kirsten Mullen and William Darity, Jr., Duke University, and a broad range of high-quality workshops, roundtables, symposia, papers, onsite and virtual ePosters that advance knowledge in social work practice and policy. I want to
congratulate our Distinguished Career Achievement Award recipient, Dr. Jeffrey M. Jenson, Professor Emeritus, University of Denver. The SSWR Board is honored to recognize the impact of his scholarship.

As is always the case, this year’s conference was enriched by suggestions and input from many SSWR members. We are extremely grateful for the support received from social work education and research programs. Acknowledgements and thanks appear on the SSWR website, on signage prominently displayed at the conference, in the conference app, and the printed program. We owe a debt of gratitude for conference planning and logistical support to staffers Jennifer Lewis and DeeJay Garringo, and to Bill Haire and Patty Couch at Travelink. Their constant support and meticulous attention to detail allows SSWR to provide its members with an outstanding conference every year.

We are also most grateful to our many institutional partners and friends. The development of the Society over the years would not have been possible without the tremendous support from the many distinguished social work researchers comprising the membership of the Society, the leadership of graduate and undergraduate social work degree programs, and collaborative social work organizations including the National Association of Social Workers, the Council on Social Work Education, the Association of Baccalaureate Social Work Program Directors, the Group for the Advancement of Doctoral Education in Social Work, the National Association of Deans and Directors, the St. Louis Group for Excellence in Research and Education, and the American Academy of Social Work and Social Welfare.

On behalf of the entire SSWR Board of Directors, thank you for attending this year’s conference in Washington, DC. Enjoy the many opportunities for meeting with your colleagues and collaborators and expanding your network!

Luis H. Zayas, PhD
President
SSWR Board of Directors
We Salute Dean Lynn Videka

Congratulations on more than 30 years in leadership positions in social work education and research. You are a force for social justice and your bold leadership and exceptional service have transformed social work education.

Leadership roles include:

Dean and Carol T. Mowbray Collegiate Professor, School of Social Work, University of Michigan

Dean and Professor, Silver School of Social Work, New York University

Vice President for Research, University at Albany State University of New York

Dean, School of Social Welfare University at Albany, State University of New York
2022 Exhibitors

The following institutions/organizations are exhibiting in the Marquis Ballroom ML2, Marriott Marquis Washington, DC Hotel. Be sure to visit each of them Thursday from 1:30pm to 7:30pm; Friday from 8:00am to 6:45pm; and Saturday from 8:00am to 12:00pm. For your convenience, they are listed alphabetically with the booth numbers.

Case Western Reserve University...............................................................Exhibit Booth #200
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University of Georgia................................................................................Exhibit Booth #102
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University of Texas at Arlington............................................................Exhibit Booth #404
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Program Overview

Wednesday – January 12, 2022
4:00 pm – 8:00 pm  Registration Open  
Mezzanine Foyer, Mezzanine Level

Thursday – January 13, 2022
7:30 am – 8:00 pm  Registration Open  
Marquis Ballroom Foyer, Meeting Level 2
8:00 am – 12:00 pm  Research Methods Workshops *(separate fee required)*
8:00 am – 12:15 pm  Special Sessions on Research Priorities & Capacity Building *(separate fee required)*
12:15 pm – 1:30 pm  “Meet the Scientist” Luncheon  Shaw, ML3
Welcome and Introductions: Alicia Mendez, MSW, Rutgers University, Arati Maleku, PhD, The Ohio State University; Scholars: Laura Abrams, PhD, University of California, Los Angeles, Becci Akin, PhD, University of Kansas, Lauren Bishop, PhD, University of Wisconsin Madison, Maxine Davis, PhD, Rutgers University, Alan Dettlaff, PhD, University of Houston, LaShawnda Fields, PhD, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Yoosun Park, PhD, University of Pennsylvania, Eusebius Small, PhD, University of Texas at Arlington, Emmy Tiderington, PhD, Rutgers University
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm  Lunch On Your Own
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm  “Current Events” – Immigration Policy  Independence Ballroom D-E, ML4
Moderator: Amy C. Thompson
1:30 pm – 3:00 pm  Symposia / Workshops / Roundtables / Paper Presentations / ePosters
1:30 pm – 7:30 pm  Exhibits Open  Marquis Ballroom, ML2
3:15 pm – 4:45 pm  Symposia / Workshops / Roundtables / Paper Presentations / ePosters
5:00 pm – 6:30 pm  Opening Plenary Session  Independence Ballroom D-E, ML4
[presented in person and live streamed]
Welcome and Introductions: Luis H. Zayas, PhD, SSWR president, The University of Texas at Austin, Shenyang Guo, PhD, SSWR vice president and conference chair, Washington University in St. Louis; Chair/moderator: Nikki Wooten, PhD, University of South Carolina Keynote Speakers: Cathy Cohen, PhD, University of Chicago, Monica Webb Hooper, PhD, NIMHD Sponsored by: University of Chicago Crown Family School of Social Work, Policy, and Practice
6:30 pm – 7:30 pm  Opening Reception  Marquis Ballroom, ML2
Sponsored by: University of Pennsylvania Social Policy & Practice
7:30 pm – 8:30 pm  Doctoral Student Social Hour  Chinatown, ML3
Host: Alicia Mendez, MSW, Rutgers University
Program Overview

Friday – January 14, 2022

7:00 am – 8:00 am Invited Journal Editors’ Workshop (Capitol, ML4)

Publishing Research in Peer-Reviewed Journals: Talk with the Editors
Speakers: Jennifer Mosley, PhD, (chair), Social Service Review, Sara Goodkind, PhD, Affilia: Feminist Inquiry in Social Work, Darcey Merritt, PhD, Child and Youth Services Review, Bruce Thyer, PhD, Research on Social Work Practice, Jennifer Bellamy, PhD, Journal of the Society for Social Work and Research

7:00 am – 8:00 am Special Interest Group (SIG) Meetings I

7:30 am – 4:00 pm Registration Open (Marquis Ballroom Foyer, Meeting Level 2)

8:00 am – 9:30 am Invited Symposium I (Independence Ballroom D-E, ML4)

Dispatches from the pandemic: Creating an accurate scientific record and speaking up for science and equity during chaos [presented in person and live streamed]
Chair: Shenyang Guo, PhD, Washington University in Saint Louis
Speakers: Holden Thorp, PhD, Editor-in-Chief, Science, and David Takeuchi, PhD, University of Washington

Sponsored by: The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill School of Social Work

8:00 am – 9:30 am Symposia / Workshops / Roundtables / Paper Presentations / ePosters

8:00 am – 6:45 pm Exhibits Open (Marquis Ballroom, ML2)

9:45 am – 11:15 am RCDC Research Roots & Wings Roundtable 1 (Capitol, ML4)

Mentorship that supports Anti-Racist and Inclusive Research
Chair: Mo Yee Lee, PhD, The Ohio State University
Speakers: Daniel A. Hackman, PhD, University of Southern California, Michael Spencer, PhD, University of Washington, Jenny Jones, PhD, Clark Atlanta University, Martell Teasley, PhD, University of Utah, Hyeouk Chris Hahm, PhD, Boston University and Carmela Alcántara, PhD, Columbia University

Sponsored by: Case Western Reserve University, Jack, Joseph and Morton Mandell School of Applied Social Sciences

9:45 am – 11:15 am Symposia / Workshops / Roundtables / Paper Presentations / ePosters

11:30 am – 12:30 pm Aaron Rosen Lecture (Independence Ballroom D-E, ML4)

[presented in person and live streamed]
Healing Humanity: Leading through Innovation and our Courage to Change Keynote
Speaker: Jorge Delva, PhD, Boston University

Sponsored by: SSWR and Washington University in St. Louis Brown School of Social Work
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*I dream a world...*  
*Independence Ballroom D-E, ML4*  
Moderators: Kimberly Bender, PhD, University of Denver, Shannon Sliva, PhD, University of Denver  
Speakers: Joanna Barreras, PhD, University of California, Los Angeles, Shinwoo Choi, PhD, Texas State University, Victoria Copeland, MSW, University of California, Los Angeles, Maxine Davis, PhD, Rutgers University, Mathieu Despard, PhD, University of North Carolina at Greensboro and Caroline Sharkey, MSW, University of Georgia  
Sponsored by: University of Denver Graduate School of Social Work |
| 3:45 pm – 5:15 pm | **Invited Journal Editors’ Workshop II**  
*Forum on Publishing Qualitative Research*  
*Capitol, ML4*  
Chair and Speaker: Jane Gilgun, PhD, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities  
Speakers: Sondra Fogel, PhD, University of South Florida, Karen Staller, PhD, University of Michigan-Ann Arbor, Susan Robbins, PhD, University of Houston, Jennifer Zelnick, ScD, Touro College and Mimi Kim, PhD, California State University, Long Beach |
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Saturday – January 15, 2022

7:00 am – 8:00 am  **Special Interest Group (SIG) Meetings III**

8:00 am – 2:00 pm  Registration Open

8:00 am – 9:30 am  **Invited Symposium II**  
*Algorithms, Bias, and Fairness* [presented in person and live streamed]  
Chair/Speaker: Michael Lewis, PhD, Hunter College  
Speakers: Maria Rodriguez, PhD, University at Buffalo and Desmond Patton, PhD, Columbia University  
**Sponsored by: University of Georgia School of Social Work**

8:00 am – 9:30 am  **Symposia / Workshops / Roundtables / Paper Presentations / ePosters**

8:00 am – 12:00 pm  **Exhibits Open**  
*Marquis Ballroom, ML2*

9:45 am – 11:15 am  **Symposia / Workshops / Roundtables / Paper Presentations / ePosters**

11:30 am – 12:30 pm  **Annual Social Policy Forum**  
[presented in person and live streamed]  
**Moderator: Darcey Merritt, PhD, New York University**  
Speakers: Kirsten Mullen, and William A. Darity, PhD, Duke University  
**Sponsored by: Boston University School of Social Work**

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm  **Lunch On Your Own**

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm  **Special Interest Group (SIG) Meetings IV**

12:30 pm – 1:45 pm  **Doctoral Student Session and Luncheon**  
*Liberty Ballroom L-M, ML4*

**Perspectives on Abolition: Social Work’s Role in and Response to the Abolitionist Movement** [presented in person and live streamed]  
**Moderator: Alicia Mendez, MSW, Rutgers University**  
Panelists: Sophia Sarantakos, PhD, University of Denver, Mimi Kim, PhD, California State University, Long Beach, Reiko Boyd, PhD, University of Houston, Jessica Pryce, PhD, Florida Institute for Child Welfare and Victoria Copeland, MSW, University of California, Los Angeles

12:45 pm – 1:45 pm  **Grand Challenges for Social Work Roundtable**  
*Archives, ML4*

**Grand Challenges Framework for Creating Social Work Impact**  
Speakers: Lisa Reyes Mason, PhD, University of Denver, Jill Messing, PhD, Arizona State University, Trina Shanks, PhD, University of Michigan-Ann Arbor, Michael Sherraden, PhD, Washington University in Saint Louis and Michael Spencer, PhD, University of Washington
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Sunday – January 16, 2022

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8:00 am – 9:30 am  Symposia / Workshops / Roundtables / Paper Presentations / ePosters

9:45 am – 11:15 am  Symposia / Workshops / Roundtables / Paper Presentations / ePosters

11:30 am – 1:00 pm  Symposia / Workshops / Roundtables / Paper Presentations / ePosters

1:00 pm  Conference Ends
Health and Safety Updates

We are looking forward to your participation in the Society for Social Work and Research’s 2022 conference in Washington D.C. SSWR’s first priority is the safety and welfare of our attendees, exhibitors, partners, contractors, and staff. We hope this policy will help keep everyone safe and comfortable.

This policy is informed by guidance and recommendations issued by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and other public health authorities. Given the evolving nature of the COVID-19 pandemic, this policy is subject to change without notice.

Here is what you should know:

**Vaccination or Negative COVID-19 PCR Test**

- All persons who attend the conference will be required to provide proof of full COVID-19 vaccination or proof of a negative COVID-19 PCR test taken within 72 hours before entry to the conference, each day of attendance. This means that more than one COVID-19 PCR test may need to be taken during the course of your attendance at the conference.

- You will be required to present either the original CDC vaccination card or test results, or a clear photo, plus photo ID. This policy may be updated to allow for other forms of proof in the future.

- You are considered fully vaccinated two weeks after your second dose in a two-dose series (Pfizer, Moderna) or 2 weeks after a single-dose vaccine (Johnson & Johnson’s Janssen vaccine). Only vaccines approved by the World Health Organization will be accepted.

- Individuals who are unable or unwilling to comply with this policy will not be permitted to attend the conference and refunds will not be issued.

**Additional Safety Measures:**

- All attendees will be required to wear a mask or face covering at all times except when eating, regardless of vaccination status.

- Rooms are expected to be subject to capacity limits and social distancing guidelines may be implemented.

- SSWR is working closely with the staff at Marriott and expects all attendees to comply with all Marriott policies and procedures as well. Marriott’s “Commitment to Clean”—which explains expectations for guests and Marriott’s own efforts—can be found at https://clean.marriott.com.

- We ask and expect that all attendees who feel ill not attend the conference.

- SSWR will continue to monitor the status of the COVID-19 pandemic and guidelines, restrictions, and requirements of the CDC and other public health authorities and will update its protocols accordingly.

- This policy is designed to help make the 2022 Conference an exceptional, safe experience for all. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.
Admission to Conference Activities

You MUST wear your conference nametag to be admitted to all program sessions, e.g. workshops, symposia, oral papers, poster presentations, and the exhibit hall. The Conference Registration Desk will be open throughout most of the conference. Admission to all award presentations and receptions also requires your nametag. Please drop by the Conference Registration Desk located in Marquis Ballroom Foyer, Meeting Level 2, Marriott Marquis Washington, DC, if you would like to register your spouse/guest to attend a reception. Spouse/guest(s) who would like to attend presentations/sessions are required to pay the full conference registration fee.

Continuing Education Units (CEUs)

The SSWR workshops, papers, symposia, plenary sessions, and all Thursday morning research methods workshops and special sessions on research priorities and capacity building meet requirements for continuing education units (CEUs) for social workers approved by the National Association of Social Workers (NASW). Please note, however, that not all states accept NASW-approved CEUs. We strongly advise you to check with the organization that is responsible for your state licensing that NASW-approved CEUs are acceptable by your state. To receive CEUs, your evaluation of EACH session that you attended must be completed and submitted via the 2022 Conference App. Download the 2022 Conference App at http://www.core-apps.com/dl/sswr_conferences. To submit your evaluation, find the session on the app, click on the Clipboard icon, answer the evaluation questions and click Submit/Save. You must submit your responses 5 minutes before the session ends through 10 minutes after the session. Staff will review your evaluation ratings and confirm your CEUs post-conference. No partial credit will be awarded – participants must remain through entire sessions to receive credit. The number of CEUs is dependent on the number of sessions attended at the meeting. Please note it is NASW policy that oral paper presenters, workshop speakers, symposium organizers and symposium discussants, and symposium paper presenters may not receive credit from the session in which they are participating. There is a $20 CEU certificate fee (non-refundable) to cover costs incurred by SSWR and NASW. CEU certificates will be emailed to you by SSWR a minimum of eight (8) weeks after the conference has concluded. No CEU forms will be available or accepted after the conference ends.

Special Assistance

Any attendees who desire special assistance with accessing or participating in conference activities should provide such requests to the staff at the Conference Registration Desk. Please do so at the earliest opportunity so that necessary arrangements can be made. Hearing impaired requests must have been submitted prior to December 6, 2021 in order to make arrangements for interpretive services.

Wi-Fi Access

The Marriott Marquis Washington, DC provides complimentary Wi-Fi in its lobby and public areas. Attendees who make their reservations through SSWR’s website or call the Marriott Marquis Washington, DC are eligible to receive free Guest Room internet as long as SSWR occupies 80% of its contracted room block. SSWR is providing complimentary Wi-Fi access in the meeting rooms. The password is “SSWR2022.”
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“Going Green” Campaign

SSWR is making a concerted effort towards more sustainable, eco-friendly and socially responsible practices at the Annual Conference. To continue our efforts to reduce the environmental impacts of the conference, the SSWR Conference Mobile App first introduced in 2014 has been enhanced for 2022 based on conference attendees’ feedback. To continue SSWR’s “going green” campaign, please note this year the full program schedule is available on the conference mobile app and the online, searchable program at https://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2022/webprogram/meeting.html. SSWR is pleased to provide each attendee with this “slimmed-down” printed conference program book. Please take a few minutes and check out the highlighted events, the list of exhibitors, our advertisers, and conference sponsors. We hope you support us in our “going green” efforts!

Conference Mobile APP

The Conference Mobile APP (hosted by Core-Apps) enables participants to search or browse presentations/sessions and speakers, create their itinerary of sessions and events to attend and integrate to their calendar, and complete CEU evaluations (see page 16 for CEU information). Directions on how to pinpoint the various locations of all conference events is also available within the app. You will also be able to hashtag the SSWR 2022 conference via Twitter using “2022SSWR.” To download the Conference Mobile App, plug http://www.core-apps.com/dl/sswr_conferences into your mobile device’s browser for either Apple or Google Play stores. This link will automatically detect your mobile type and take you to the right place to download the app. If you have any questions or need technical assistance, click on the ‘get support’ within the “about app” icon on the mobile app dashboard.

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Welcome to Our New Dean

RAMONA DENBY-BRINSON

Dean Denby-Brinson joins UNC-Chapel Hill with more than 27 years of experience in social work education — administration, scholarship, and mentorship. She is the first African American woman to lead UNC School of Social Work in its 100-year history, and will use her expertise and leadership to advance the School into its next century.

YOU’RE INVITED TO MEET DEAN DENBY-BRINSON

Join us at our SSWR reception Friday, January 14, 2022, at 8:15 p.m.
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Research Methods Workshops  (requires separate registration)

8:00 am – 12:00 pm

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Thursday Workshops and Special Sessions

Special Sessions on Research Priorities and Capacity Building (requires separate registration)

These training-oriented sessions target cutting-edge topics vital to contemporary social work research.

8:00 am – 10:00 am

SSRPCB-1 Disaggregating quantitative data to examine racial/ethnic differences
Marquis Ballroom Salon 12, ML2
Speaker: Tara Becker, PhD, University of California, Los Angeles

SSRPCB-2 Using historical research methods (e.g., archival research) to address contemporary problems in social work/social policy
Marquis Ballroom Salon, 13, ML2
Speaker: Zita Dixon, PhD, University of California, Long Beach

SSRPCB-3 NIH loan repayment program
Marquis Ballroom Salon 14, ML2
Speaker: Jennifer L. Bellamy, PhD, University of Denver

10:15 am – 12:15 pm

SSRPCB-4 Funding opportunities focused on race inequities (NIMHD, NSF, PCORI, William T. Grant Foundation)
Marquis Ballroom Salon 12, ML2
Moderator: Mary E. Collins, PhD, Boston University
Speakers: Kellina Craig-Henderson, PhD, National Science Foundation, Rada Dagher, PhD, National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities, Mari Kimura, PhD, Patient-Centered Outcomes Institute, Lauren Supplee, PhD, William T. Grant Foundation

SSRPCB-5 Critical Discourse Analysis as a Tool for Advancing Social Work Research
Marquis Ballroom Salon 13, ML2
Speakers: Sandra Leotti, PhD, University of Wyoming and Erin Sugrue, PhD, Augsburg University

SSRPCB-6 Conducting research during COVID times: Developing effective university-community partnerships
Marquis Ballroom Salon 14, ML2
Speakers: Rolanda L. Ward, PhD, Niagra University, Keenan Gibbons, Niagra Falls Housing Authority
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5:00 pm – 6:30 pm

**Opening Plenary Session**
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Welcome and Introductions: Luis H. Zayas, PhD, SSWR president, The University of Texas at Austin; Shenyang Guo, PhD, SSWR vice president and conference chair, Washington University in St. Louis
Chair/moderator: Nikki Wooten, PhD, University of South Carolina
Keynote Speaker: Cathy Cohen, PhD, University of Chicago, Monica Webb Hooper, PhD, NIMHD
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6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

**Opening Reception**
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Friday – January 14, 2022

8:00 am – 9:30 am

**Invited Symposium I**  
*Independence Ballroom D-E, ML4*
Dispatches from the pandemic: Creating an accurate scientific record and speaking up for science and equity during chaos
[presented in person and live streamed]
Chair: Shenyang Guo, PhD, Washington University in Saint Louis
Speakers: Holden Thorp, PhD, Editor-in-Chief, Science, and David Takeuchi, PhD, University of Washington
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11:30 am – 12:30 pm

Aaron Rosen Lecture
Healing Humanity: Leading through Innovation and our Courage to Change
Keynote Speaker: Jorge Delva, PhD, Boston University Sponsored by: SSWR and Washington University in St. Louis Brown School of Social Work

3:45 pm – 5:15 pm

Brief and brilliant Session
“I dream a world…”
Moderators: Kimberly Bender, PhD, University of Denver, Shannon Sliva, PhD, University of Denver
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Saturday – January 15, 2022

8:00 am – 9:30 am

Invited Symposium II
Algorithms, Bias, and Fairness
[presented in person and live streamed]
Chair/Speaker: Michael Lewis, PhD, Hunter College
Speakers: Maria Rodriguez, PhD, University at Buffalo and Desmond Patton, PhD, Columbia University

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2:00 pm – 2:30 pm

Fellows and Awards Presentations
[presented in person and live streamed]
Presenters: Luis H. Zayas, PhD, SSWR president, Gina Miranda Samuels, PhD, awards committee chair, The University of Chicago

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Luis H. Zayas
Gina Samuels

2:45 pm – 3:45 pm

Presidential Plenary
[presented in person and live streamed]
Welcome and Introductions: Luis H. Zayas, PhD, SSWR president,
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Keynote Speaker: Maria de Lourdes Hinojosa Ojeda, NPR

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Maria de Lourdes Hinojosa Ojeda
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4:00 pm – 5:30 pm

**Invited Symposium III**

*From Exclusion to Inclusion: Un-erasing Asian identities and dismantling systemic racism through Praxis*

[presented in person and live streamed]

Chair: Arati Maleku, PhD, The Ohio State University,
Moderators: Cindy Sangalang, PhD, University of California, Los Angeles, Peter Szto, PhD, University of Nebraska at Omaha

Speakers: Keith Chan, PhD, Hunter College, Gautam Yadama, PhD, Boston College, Edwina Uehara, PhD, University of Washington, Hyeouk Chris Hahm, PhD, Boston University, Hyojin Im, PhD, Virginia Commonwealth University

5:45 pm – 6:15 pm

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[presented in person and live streamed]

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Dr. Ethel Hall Colloquium
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Assistant Professor

**Scholarship Focus**
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**Melissa “Missy” Miera Holder**
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- **Eunhye Ahn**, Predicting Youth at High Risk of Aging out of Foster Care Using Machine Learning Methods - Jan. 16, 9.45 am, Child Welfare

- **Graham DiGuiseppi**, Comparing Three Substance Use Interventions for Youth with and without Homelessness Experiences Prior to Treatment - Jan. 15, 9.45 am, Substance Misuse and Addictive Behaviors

- **Daniel Hackman**, RCDC Research Roots & Wings Roundtable I: Mentorship that supports Anti-Racist and Inclusive Research - Jan. 14, 9.45 am

- **Ben Henwood**, Adapting an Evidence-Based Fall Prevention Program for Formerly Homeless Adults in Permanent Supportive Housing - Jan. 14, 3.45 pm, Aging Services and Gerontology

- **Michèlle Mor Barak**, Inclusion Policy-Practice Decoupling in the US Army - Jan. 15, 4 pm, Organization and Management

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- **Laura Petry**, Couch-Surfing, on the Streets, or in the Shelter: Disparities in the Experience of Homelessness Among Racial and Sexual Minority Youth and Young Adults - Jan. 15, 4 pm, Inequity, Poverty, and Social Welfare


- **Sara Semborski**, Youth Service Engagement Among Housed and Unhoused Young Adults - Jan. 14, 2 pm, Adolescent and Youth Development

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**Poster Presentations**

- **Jiaming Liang**, Association of Secondary Care Network Characteristics with Unmet Care Needs of Community-Dwelling Older Adults - Presentation II

- **Hans Oh**, The Mental Health Impact of Racial Discrimination Against Asian American Pacific Islanders - Presentation XIII

- **Juyong Park**, Mental Health Risks Associated with Social Isolation in Older Immigrants - Presentation II

- **Shaddy Saba**, Moral Injury Exposure Classes Differentially Predict Mental Health Severity Among Veterans - Presentation XII

- **Kexin Yu**, Living Environments and Social Isolation Among Older Adults - Presentation X

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