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Editor

President's Message

Greetings from India and Ishwar Modi. I could never imagine that I am destined to preside the ISA RC 13 at the time of the ISA World Congress of Sociology in Yokohama Japan where we had the elections for the period 2014-2018. It has somehow so happened that the President Elect at that time had to resign in the year of 2014 itself. As such I am writing this message to the members of ISA RC 13 in my new position as an Acting President on behalf of ISA RC 13. You will always recall that we have had very interesting and fruitful discussions in our Yokohama Congress through 22 sessions many of which were organized in the collaboration of several other ISA Research Committees. We can hardly forget the collaboration and constant support of these RCs. We also look forward to their cooperation to us in future as well. However, since I joined very late as Acting President of RC 13 we could not seek their cooperation in organizing the sessions of ISA RC 13 Program to be organized in Vienna at the time of the Third ISA Forum of Sociology on the theme of “**The Futures We Want: Global Sociology and the Struggles for a Better World**”. I wish it could have been done in order to enlarge the scope of the magnitude of the RC 13 of the 14 sessions that RC 13 is organizing at the time in Vienna. I also do hope that the cooperation of other ISA RCs will be sought on the occasion of other ISA Congresses and Forums in future. We could have encouraged the scope of RC 13 but could have helped in having new members.

The fourteen sessions that ISA RC 13 is organizing in Vienna are attached herewith in this Newsletter. This Newsletter should have arrived much before but somehow it could not happen. The time in-between is too short and

as such I request all the members to utilize this time to submit their abstracts on the website of the ISA Forum at Vienna. Somehow, in the absence of Newsletter having the details of the names of the sessions and their descriptions all this information could be sent to the RC 13 members and I am happy to report that leave aside a few session RC 13 has received good response from the members of RC 13 and other colleagues. The Sessions Organizers of RC 13 sessions and other members of RC 13 are also encouraging to have more and more participation and as such we look forward to having fruitful sessions. I also request the presenters to different RC 13 session that they will submit their papers much in advance of the Forum.

I also take this opportunity to request the members to encourage their colleagues to join Research Committee on Sociology of Leisure of the ISA. RC 13 had been a large committee and as such I do hope that it would again pick up as a large committee so that it can have more sessions and better presence in the structure of ISA.

I also do hope that the members of RC 13 and other presenter of RC 13 sessions will cooperate in submitting their article in the planned publications of RC 13 that are being envisaged.

Dear colleagues, I am keenly looking forward to meeting many of you at the Third ISA Forum of Sociology, Vienna, July, 10-14, 2016. Thanking you once again and meeting you in Vienna.

Ishwar Modi

Acting President ISARC 13

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Editor's Note

Dear Colleagues,

Hope you had a nice time at Yokohama both in terms of academic deliberations and viewing the beautiful landscape of Yokohama and Tokyo. Truly it was a pleasure of meeting so many sociologists in general and RC- 13 members at particular.

Subsequently we are back to our work but something very unfortunate happened in between i.e., the President resigned and after a lot of exchange of arguments and counter arguments the ISA nominated Prof. Ishwar Prasad Modi as the acting President of ISA RC- 13.

Now since the third ISA forum of Sociology is going to be held in Vienna from July, 10-14, 2016, it is again happy/academic meeting for all of us.

All the best.

Prof. Sukant K Chaudhury

Dear RC 13 Members,

Greetings! This is to bring to your kind notice that the following Board Members have been elected on ISARC 13 Board at the ISA World Congress of Sociology in Yokohama, Japan, July 2014 for the year 2014-2018:



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Membership of ISA RC 13

is concerned, I have the following figures:

Date	Number of Members
07.09.2006	39
10.09.0227	60
05.02.2008	82
08.06.2009	109
31.01.2010	124
06.05.2010	176
11.01.2011	193
28.08.2014	129

(Please note that the membership of nearly 40 RC 13 Members will be over by the end of 2014.)

Ishwar Modi, Acting President

The members of RC-13, are hereby informed that the President of RC -13 Dr. Alan Law resigned & Prof. Ishwar Modi was nominated as acting President RC-13 till Vienna Forum to be held in July 2016 by International Sociological Association.

In my role as VP (Publications) I have been talking to Palgrave Macmillan about getting RC13 mid-term conference books out through my Leisure Studies in a Global Series. The commissioning editor has agreed to take a look at a formal proposal from Klara Tarko for the book from 2013. The editor is happy to explore the possibility of publishing other books as they come from future mid-term conferences, too. When we get round to confirming the 2015 conference I will get back in touch with the editor and let her know the theme, and I will see if we can highlight Palgrave as a possible publishing partner from the conference.

If anybody on the RC13 list is interested in writing for this book series please let me know!

Karl Spracklen VP (Publications), RC13/ISA

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The Futures We Want: Global Sociology
and the Struggles for a Better World



3rd ISA Forum of
SOCIOLOGY



RC13 Sociology of Leisure

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**Deadline for submissions: Wednesday, 30
September 2015, 24:00 GMT at**
<https://isaconf.confex.com/isaconf/forum2016/cfp.cgi>

Sessions:

#1 Leisure in the Multi- dimensional World of Existence

Invited Presidential Session.

Markus S. Schulz has rightly pointed out in his call for papers for the general theme of the Forum that protests around the globe have challenged inequality, oppression, and ecological destruction, and have insisted on

the possibility of another, better world. Intensifying uncertainties demand innovations in methods and theories. Tomorrow no longer appears as pre-determined by inevitable trends but as a rather contingent outcome of complex, typically multi-scalar dynamics that vary in their intensity of contentiousness. Social actors aspire, desire, envision, expect, fear, imagine, plan, project, reject, sustain, and wage war over futures. What can sociology contribute to these broader debates particularly in the context of sociology of leisure? How do assumptions and aspirations about the future influence daily routines and long-term collective lives? How are risks identified, avoided, mitigated, transferred, or shared? What closes and opens the horizons of social imaginaries? How are different forces positioned to shape futures? How can the making of futures be democratized? What can be learned by comparing struggles in different countries and settings? How do emancipatory movements and everyday practices at the grassroots overcome discipline, exploitation, and misrecognition? What visions for alternative leisure futures are imaginable, desirable, and achievable? What are viable roadmaps for social transformation of leisure? (the words leisure has been used by me)

It is hoped that leisure scholars will dwell on all these issues in the spirit of the theme of the Forum and will be in a position to explore these changes in the context of leisure.

Session Organizer

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#2 Leisure, Community and

Identity

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English

Session Abstract:

Leisure spaces and activities are central to counter-hegemonic resistance, sub-cultural identity and post-colonial encounters and subversions. This includes spaces and activities where people find belonging and community. This session will focus on social cohesion, identity and a sense of belonging within communities. Many communities have been subjected to changes in the socio political structures and attitudes which influenced the lives of local people for example during colonialism, implementation of legislation that restricted peoples freedom of association, and during times of war. Where and how does leisure fit into the creation of communities and social identity? Sarason (1974) suggested that people will experience a sense of belonging, enjoy good quality of life and wellbeing if they were integrated into networks, while oppression and other processes of cultural and community can have the opposite effect. In today's modern and technologically advanced society people are searching for innovative opportunities to construct strong communities and boost social cohesion. This session will attempt to address the extent to which recreation and leisure can be reorganised to develop a sense of community and boost social cohesion. You are invited to submit presentations that will address critical issues of leisure, social cohesion, identity and community development.

Session Organizer:

Maliga NAIDOO, University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa, recreation@iafrica.com

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**#3 Leisure and/in the
Cyberspace**

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English

Session Abstract:

This session focuses on the intersection between leisure and the cyberspace defined as a leisure location which is absorbing an increasing amount of time from people's daily life. In attempting to avoid the traps of binary thinking (new media vs. old media, digital native vs. digital immigrant, etc.) and all rhetoric about the “revolutionary” impact of technological innovation, we invite reflection on the many continuities that can be established with the past, given the assumption that change proceeds according to complex and multidimensional trajectories, intertwined with other forms of historically specific social and cultural change as well as with resilient structural conditions, such as those defined by age, gender, and socioeconomic status. In order to understand this complex and ever changing panorama, new theories and methodologies are needed. For this reason, the session focuses on innovative theoretical and/or methodological approaches. Some of the questions that can be asked are: how is cyberspace being taken up in leisure practices? How the re-allocation of time to cyberspace leisure can generate different kinds of impact on traditional leisure activities, in some cases reducing or replacing the time previously spent in physical places or in other “mediated” locations? How notions such as “space”, “mobility”, “friendship”, “civil/political participation” and “public vs. private” are reconfigured in/by social media?

Session Organizers:

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#4 The Environmental Implications of Leisure

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English

Session Abstract:

In the first two decades of the 21st century climate change awareness and sustainability have moved from the periphery of mainstream awareness to the centre. At the heart of the issue is the reduction of carbon emissions and sector environmental footprints. Some major leisure activities produce high levels of carbon emissions, especially travel and tourism. As tourism becomes a major source of national income this issue must be faced in many countries. This panel invites papers that explore dimensions of the environmental impacts of contemporary leisure activities.

Session Organizer:

Lynne CIOCHETTO, College of Creative Arts, Massey University, Wellington, New Zealand, l.m.ciochetto@massey.ac.nz

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#5 The Sociology of Video Gaming

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English and French

Session Abstract: (Regular session)

Video games are today depicted as an evident leisure activity. Yet, the legitimization of this hobby has undertaken a chaotic track. Playing video games has, in fact, transformed from a marginal and isolated activity to a global and mainstream pastime. A few countries have

sparked national surveys about video gaming and its role in their societies. For instance, the Entertainment Software Association annually provides reports about American players. Knowledge about Europe is further brought by the Interactive Software Federation of Europe. On the other side of the world – in Australia and New Zealand - the Interactive Games and Entertainment Association orders national surveys every two years.

What about other regions of the world? What about China, India, South America, Africa, and the Middle East? What does playing video games in Russia look like?

While the scholarship on video gaming concentrates on specific issues (violence, addiction, well-being, gamification, etc.) or particular titles (World of Warcraft, GTA, etc.), this panel aims to gather sociologists in order to identify the similarities and differences in this leisure around the globe. Geographically-centered associations of video game researchers are mushrooming to form bands of experts. Their regional conferences miss the opportunity to unite on a worldwide scale. By getting sociologists from every corner of the world together, the ISA Forum 2016 proffers a meeting ground where to discuss and debate global video gaming. Hence, this panel in Sociology of Leisure accommodates a table around which all experts can break bread and share their researches.

Session Organizer:

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#6 RC13 Business Meeting

Research Committee:

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English

Session Abstract:
RC13 Business Meeting

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#7 Happiness, Well-Being and Health

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English
Edward Diener (2000) has argued that happiness and subjective well-being are the same and that these two come with having good health, reasonable prosperity, and in general, being routinely happy and content. But this is long-term happiness (Stebbins, in press). Nevertheless, some observers describe happiness as momentary: “[it] is considered to reflect a person's more temporary affective feelings of the present moment” (Mannell and Kleiber, 1997). Let us label this short-term happiness, so-called because the “present moment” might last a few minutes or even a few days.

Leisure plays a central role in both types, though that role is highly complicated and by no means sufficiently examined. Can health and well-being result from (short-term) happiness consisting of, say, an afternoon of rides at a carnival midway, evening of gossip at the bar after work, or weekend of sun and sand in the Caribbean? If so, what is the nature of this kind of happiness? What sort of health and well-being flows from the long-term variety, for example, gained from a deeply

satisfying marital relationship, successful leisure career as a painter or collector, or dedicated volunteer service on a non-profit board of directors?

This session invites theoretical and empirical papers along these lines and others that bear on the trilogy of happiness, well-being and health. In particular this session focuses on the many ways that good health and the leisure experience in all their variety generate happiness and well-being, both long- and short-term.

Session Organizer:
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#8 How to Become a Leisure Agent

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)
Session Abstract: Regular Session.
Education of Leisure Professionals shows great varieties by cultures and countries. Introduction to the different educational programmes, highlighting at the specialities of certain curricula would enable an effective discussion, change of expertise and share of methodology through which a common language of leisure professionals could be established.

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#9 Leisure and

Unemployment: Struggles for a Better World

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English

Session Abstract:

Unemployment and its consequences is one of the worst social problems facing the world today. The biggest battalions in the reserve army of the unemployed are young people and those in 'late career'. This session focuses on these two unemployed groups in separate cohorts of the life cycle. The unemployed are defined as those people who have been involuntarily terminated from their jobs and as a consequence seek re-employment. The particular emphasis of the session is on how unemployment affects the leisure of individuals and whether job loss excludes people from customary activities. Unemployment is said to cause social exclusion, since one has no right to work, no dignity or freedom and no way of planning private and professional life and organising individuality. The concept of exclusion and its application to unemployment needs to be examined by types of exclusion within the domain of leisure. This session attempts to do that. The session expects to examine: unemployment and the types of exclusions it causes; the relationships between unemployment, leisure and disadvantage; research on unemployment and social exclusion in leisure; and implications for equity and inclusion.

Session Organizer:

Francis LOBO, Edith Cowan University, School of Marketing Tourism and Leisure, Australia Email: f.lobo@ecu.edu.au

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#10 Leisure, Gender, Sexuality and the Body

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English

Leisure shapes our bodies, and constructs and constrains those bodies, as well as genders and sexualities. In the new century, people have claimed that leisure spaces provide unique places for challenging gender norms and biology. Others say that leisure is a place where such norms about gender and body image are reproduced. In this session, we call for papers that explore the multiple roles for leisure in embodiment, gender and sexualities.

Session Organizer:

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#11 Leisure, Liquidity and Virtuality - Ocio, Liquidez y Virtualidad

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English and Spanish

How are the forces of liquidity and virtuality at work in leisure? How can we begin to understand the ways in which leisure lives are shaped by the condition of the new century? And how can we predict what might happen to leisure in the future if these forces continue to operate on society and culture around the world? In this session we invite papers from researchers and theorists who can help us understand the liquid and virtual as they shape

leisure in this new century.

¿Cómo las fuerzas de la liquidez y de la virtualidad actúan en el ocio y la recreación? ¿Cómo podemos empezar a entender las formas en que la vida y el ocio están moldeadas por la condición del nuevo siglo? Y cómo podemos predecir lo que podría suceder con el ocio en el futuro si estas fuerzas siguen operando en la sociedad y la cultura en todo el mundo? En esta sesión invitamos ponencias de investigadores y teóricos que puedan ayudar a entender lo líquido y lo virtual que dan forma al ocio en este nuevo siglo.

Session Organizer:

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#12 Spirituality and Faith in and through Leisure

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English

Session Abstract:

Leisure has been an important human space and activity in the writings of religious scholars and theologians, and in the cultural practices associated with various religions, faiths and other forms of spirituality. From scriptural edicts about what can and cannot be done in leisure, to the ways in which leisure has become a form of religion in late modernity, the intersection and examination of spirituality in and through leisure is the subject of this session. We call on all who are interested in examining the importance of leisure to spirituality, and spirituality to leisure, to submit abstracts for this session.

Session Organizer:

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#13 The Meaning and Purpose of Leisure

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English

In an ever-changing world leisure remains a space and an activity that is assumed to be good for people. In this session we want to encourage theorists and researchers to think about the meaning and purpose of leisure in contemporary society, and whether the idea that leisure is a social and moral good can still hold.

Session Organizer:

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#14 “Let's Talk about Who We Are”: Envisioning Reflexive Global Leisure Scholarship

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English

In this rapidly globalizing (academic) world, we are having more opportunities for cross-cultural leisure studies, international collaborations, publications in different languages, and the use of knowledge from different countries in both research and practice. However, if we use terms and concepts uncritically, we may not only cause

miscommunications, but also produce problematic knowledge and reproduce power imbalance in global leisure scholarship (e.g. Iwasaki, Nishino, Onda and Bowling, 2007; Roberts, 2010; Samdahl, 2010).

To avoid such consequences and rather promote better-balanced scholarship in the world, this session calls for papers that initiate reflexive dialogues about (a) who we are as (leisure) scholars and (b) how and why we do leisure research. Reflexivity refers to our critical awareness of influences of our personal and cultural backgrounds on our knowledge construction and use processes. Given various ways of doing leisure studies around the world, our practices (e.g. methods), institutions (e.g. university systems, relevant policies, granting agencies, peer review systems), and bodies of knowledge (e.g. theories, literature) should be subject to our reflexive and critical examination.

With this concept as an overall topic, this session invites a broad spectrum of papers from all over the world (i.e. both West and non-West) in various formats including empirical studies, philosophical and theoretical essays, review-type articles, and methodological works among others. Moreover, this session awaits voices not only from experienced researchers who have already been involved in this globalizing leisure scholarship, but also from young scholars who bear the future of this academic enterprise. Session Organizer:

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List of Sessions and Joint Sessions of ISA RC 13 at the 18th ISA World Congress of Sociology, Yokohama, Japan, July 13-19, 2014

Independent Sessions of RC 13

Leisure in an Unequal World: Global Reflections. Part I

Leisure in an Unequal World: Global Reflections. – II

Leisure, Culture and the Arts in Times of Turmoil

Leisure and Quality of Life

Theories and Methods in Leisure Research: New Challenges in an Era of Increased Global Flows and Inter-Dependence alongside Wider Inequalities)

The Legitimation of Emotion in Leisure Practices across Genders and Generations

Leisure, Market Capitalism and the State in East Asia

Roundtable-A: Multi-Dimensionality of Leisure

Roundtable-B Multi-Dimensionality of Leisure

Leisure and Healthy Ageing

RC13 Business Meeting Session

Joint Sessions of RC 13 with other
ISA RCs:

Leisure and Education in an Unequal World
Joint Session with RC 04 Sociology of
Education

Leisure and Family: A Mutually Supportive
Relationship
Joint Session with RC 06 Family Research

Facing the End of “Leisure Culture”
Joint Session with RC 14 Sociology of
Communication, Knowledge and Culture
(Host Committee RC 14)

Leisure and the Pursuit of Health and
Happiness in an Unequal World
Joint Session with RC 15 Sociology of
Health

Leisure and the Reproduction of Inequality
Joint Session with RC 28 Social
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Women, Leisure and Gender Politics in
Globalising Times
Joint Session with RC 32 Women in Society

Leisure as an Agency for Collective
Mobilization of Youth and the Quest for
Equality
Joint Session with RC 34 Sociology of
Youth

Global Environmental Degradation: Leisure
and Tourism Perspectives
Joint Session with RC 50 International
Tourism

Children and Leisure: Intersectional

Inequalities
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Childhood

Reinstating the Body: Equal Footing for the
Spiritual and the Physical, a Leisure
approach
Joint Session with RC 54 The Body in the
Social Sciences (Host Committee RC 54)

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Leisure and Quality of Life

Monday, July 14, 2014: 7:30 PM-8:50 PM

Room: F206

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English

Session Organizer:

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China

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Ma HUIDI, Chinese National Academy of Arts,
China

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Bhagwan S. BISHT, Kumaun University, India
234.1

Who Negotiates The Relationship Between
Leisure and Quality Of Life? (Oral Presentation)

Vikki MCCALL, University of Stirling, United
Kingdom

234.2

Impact of Leisure on Quality of Life and Social
Development: Reflection on Urban India (Oral
Presentation)

Sukant CHAUDHURY, University of Lucknow,
India

234.3

“Lifestyle Migration” and Quality of Life in
Japan (Oral Presentation)

Naoko SUDO, ISA, RC13, Japan

234.4

Car Festivals (Religious Yatras) in India : A

Dimension of Leisure Tourism (A Case Of 'Nanda Devi Raj- Jat Yatra' In Uttarakhand, India) (Oral Presentation)
Ajay KUMAR, Department of Sociology, DSB Campus, Kumaun University, Nainital, Uttarakhand, India

234.5

Leisure and Participation: A Social and Cultural Issue (Oral Presentation)

Tania Maria Freitas BARROS MACIEL, Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil;
Monalisa BARBOSA ALVES, Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

234.6

Transformation of Lifestyle and Leisure Activities of Tribals in Rajasthan(India) (Oral Presentation)

Alok Kumar MEENA, JNV University, Jodhpur, Rajasthan, India, India

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The Legitimation of Emotion in Leisure Practices across Genders and Generations

Tuesday, July 15, 2014: 5:30 PM-7:20 PM

Room: F206

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English

Session Organizer:

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Chair:

Vladimir STAMBUK, University of Beograd, Serbia, Serbia

236.1

Ballroom and Latin American Dancing, Gender and Emotions (Oral Presentation)

Vicki HARMAN, Royal Holloway University of London, United Kingdom

236.2

Leisure and Mental Health: Sociological Study Of Women Experiencing Leisure During Their Mental Illness (Oral Presentation)

Madhu NAGLA, M.D.University, India

236.3

Music As Leisure in the 21st Century: The 'sportisation' of Music Fandom (Oral Presentation)

Gary SINCLAIR, University of Stirling, United Kingdom

236.4

Generational Shifts in Subcultural Participation: The Transformation of Symbols, Practices and Performances in Visual Kei (Oral Presentation)
Mira MALICK, Waseda University, Japan

JS-14

Leisure and Family: A Mutually Supportive Relationship

Tuesday, July 15, 2014: 8:30 AM-10:20 AM

Room: 301

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

RC06 Family Research

Language: English

Session Organizers:

Rudolf RICHTER, University of Vienna, Austria and Ishwar MODI, India International Institute of Social Sciences, India

JS-14.1

Leisure and Indian Joint Family System - a Some Case Studies of Hyderabad Karnataka Region (Oral Presentation)

Basawraj S GULSHETTY, Gulbarga University GULBARGA, India

JS-14.2

Leisure Unites and Strengthens Family Bonds -- - a Case Study on Families That Spend Quality Time on Holidays Together (Oral Presentation)

Perpetua MIRANDA, SOPHIA COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (MUMBAI)INDIA, India

JS-14.3

Technology and Family Leisure: Is It the Way Forward? (Oral Presentation)

Rashmi JAIN, University of Rajasthan, India

JS-14.4

Leisure and Family : A Mutually Supportive Relationship (Oral Presentation)

Pratap PINJANI, Govt. Girls College, Ajmer, India

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Leisure, Market Capitalism and the State in East Asia

Wednesday, July 16, 2014: 8:30 AM-10:20 AM

Room: F206

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English

Session Organizers:

Robert STEBBINS, University of Calgary,
Canada and Scott NORTH, Osaka University,
Japan

Co-chairs:

Iwan SUJATMIKO, University of Indonesia,
Indonesia and Nai YANG, Chinese National
Academy of Art, China

237.1

Erasing the Line Between Work and Leisure in
Korea (Oral Presentation)

Yong Jay LEE, Seoul School of Integrated
Sciences & Technologies, South Korea

237.2

Social Class, and Leisure and Paid Work Need
Satisfaction, in Hong Kong (Oral Presentation)

Gordon WALKER, University of Alberta,
Canada

237.3

“Strength through Joy” in Japan (Oral
Presentation)

Daisuke TANO, Konan University, Japan

237.4

National Leisure Policy in Japan from 1966 to
1974 (Oral Presentation)

Momoko AONO, Hitotsubashi Uni, Japan

237.5

Diversity in Leisure and Leisure Research for
Social Justice in Japan: Seeking International
Conversations (Oral Presentation)

Shintaro KONO, University of Alberta, Canada

237.6

Data Envelopment Analysis on Assessing the
Efficiency of Japanese Film Release Market
from 1955 to 2011 (Oral Presentation)

Xiao ZHANG, The University of Tokyo, Japan

JS-45

Global Environmental Degradation: Leisure and Tourism Perspectives

Wednesday, July 16, 2014: 5:30 PM-7:20 PM

Room: 311+312

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

RC50 International Tourism

Language: English

Session Organizers:

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Finland, Finland

JS-45.1

Tourism in Vulnerable Coastal Areas: Towards a
More Resilient Wadden Area (Oral Presentation)

Jasper HESLINGA, University of Groningen,
Netherlands

JS-45.2

Interrogating Tourism As an Anti-Poverty
Strategy in Middle and Low Income Countries
of Africa (Oral Presentation)

Aretha ASAKITIKPI, Monash South Africa,
South Africa

JS-45.3

Challenges in Human Resource Development
for Rural Leisure Activities in Japan (Oral
Presentation)

Munehiko ASAMIZU, Yamaguchi University,
Japan

JS-45.4

Existential Reflections on Leisure-Tourism-
Environment Interface: A Case Study of
Uttarakhand State in India (Oral Presentation)

Neha KALA, BANARAS HINDU
UNIVERSITY, India

JS-45.5

Leisure, Tourism and Environmental
Degradation—a Study Based on Assam, India
(Oral Presentation)

Pranjal SARMA, Dibrugarh University, India

JS-45.6

Recreational Hunting in Africa: “Meat” or
“Poison” for Local Community (Distributed
Paper)

Akito YASUDA, Kyushu University, Japan

JS-58

Leisure and the Reproduction of Inequality

Thursday, July 17, 2014: 3:30 PM-5:20 PM

Room: 301

RC28 Social Stratification (host committee)

RC13 Sociology of Leisure

Language: English

Session Organizers:

Dan KRYMKOWSKI, University of Vermont, USA and Ishwar MODI, India International Institute of Social Sciences, India

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JS-58.1

Causes and Consequences of Time Investment in Friendship Networks: A Dynamic Analysis of the Polish Panel Survey Polpan 1988-2013 (Oral Presentation)

Kazimierz M. SLOMCZYNSKI, The Ohio State University, USA; Irina TOMESCU-DUBROW, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology of the Polish Academy of Sciences, Poland

JS-58.2

Cultural Capital and Academic Achievement in Hong Kong (Oral Presentation)

Soo-yong BYUN, Pennsylvania State University, USA; Suet-ling PONG, Penn State, USA

JS-58.3

Children's Leisure Pursuits: A Test of the "Homology" Versus "Omnivore-Univore" Hypotheses Debate (Oral Presentation)

Gitit KADAR-SATAT, Edinburgh University, United Kingdom

JS-58.4

The Role of Leisure in the Reproduction of Inequalities: Puerto Rico Case Study (Oral Presentation)

Laura L ORTIZ-NEGRÓN, University of Puerto Rico, Río Piedras Campus, Social Science Research Center, PR; Anayra O. SANTORY-JORGE, University of Puerto Rico, Río Piedras, PR

JS-58.5

Upper Classes, Wider Horizons? the Social Stratification of Travelling in Europe (Oral Presentation)

Ettore RECCHI, University of Chieti-Pescara, Italy; Justyna SALAMONSKA, University of Chieti-Pescara, Italy

JS-58.6

Reproduction of Cultural Capital and Leisure

Practices in the Russian Society: Does Bourdieu Work? (Oral Presentation)

Maria SAFONOVA, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia

JS-73

Children and Leisure: Intersectional Inequalities

Friday, July 18, 2014: 3:30 PM-5:20 PM

Room: 304

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

RC53 Sociology of Childhood

Language: English

Session Organizers:

Ishwar MODI, India International Institute of Social Sciences, India and Loretta BASS, University of Oklahoma, USA

Co-chairs:

Bula BHADRA, Dept. of Sociology, University of Calcutta, India and Maria de Lourdes BELDI DE ALCANTARA, University of São Paulo, Brazil

JS-73.1

: Comparison of Leisure Activities of Children of Tea Garden Community and Other Groups in Anganwadi Schools: A Case Study of Dibrugarh District, Assam, India (Oral Presentation)

Pranjal SARMA, Dibrugarh University, India; Ipsita BHATTACHARYYA, DHSK Commerce College, Dibrugarh, India

JS-73.2

Teenage Girls and Leisure : The Social Construction of a Plural Culture (Oral Presentation)

Isabelle DANIC, Université Européenne de Bretagne - Rennes 2 ; France, France

JS-73.3

Girl Child, Leisure and Outdoor Sports in Kolkata: An Intersectional Enquiry (Oral Presentation)

Saheli CHOWDHURY, University of Calcutta, India

JS-73.4

Leisure-Disabled Children & Their Welfare Measures: A Study Of Hyderabad Karnataka Region (Oral Presentation)

Basawraj S GULSHETTY, Gulbarga University

GULBARGA, India

JS-73.5

Global Economy Network, Leisure and New Urban Teenager Life Style in Jakarta (Oral Presentation)

Linda DARMAJANTI, University of Indonesia, Indonesia

JS-68

Facing the End of "Leisure Culture" in Today's Unequal World

Friday, July 18, 2014: 10:30 AM-12:20 PM

Room: 301

RC14 Sociology of Communication, Knowledge and Culture (host committee)

RC13 Sociology of Leisure

Language: English

Session Organizers:

Ishwar MODI, India International Institute of Social Sciences, India and Christiana CONSTANTOPOULOU, Panteion University, Greece

JS-68.1

The Leisure Commons: The Makings of a Democratic and Global Fantasyscape in the Digital Age (Oral Presentation)

Payal ARORA, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands

JS-68.2

Figuring out the "Figuration" of the Kishiwada Danjiri Festival (Oral Presentation)

Hisao ARIMOTO, Konan Women's University, Japan

JS-68.3

The Politics of Research on 'popular' Culture in Japan (Oral Presentation)

Patrick W. GALBRAITH, Duke University, USA

JS-68.4

"Serious Leisure": Film Festivals As Techno-Audiovisual Capital Author: Rosario Radakovich (Oral Presentation)

Rosario RADAKOVICH, UNIVERSIDAD DE LA REPUBLICA, Uruguay

JS-68.5

From Play to Career: Redefining the Value of Cultural Practices (Oral Presentation)

Alexis TRUONG, University of Ottawa, Canada

JS-65

Leisure and Education in an Unequal World

Friday, July 18, 2014: 8:30 AM-10:20 AM

Room: 501

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

RC04 Sociology of Education

Language: English

Session Organizers:

A. Gary DWORKIN, University of Houston, USA and Karl SPRACKLEN, Leeds

Metropolitan University, United Kingdom

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JS-65.1

Leisure Time Activity of College Students

–New Experiment in Rural Maharashtra, India.* (Oral Presentation)

Smita AWACHAR, Dr.B.A.M.U., Aurangabad, Maharashtra, India, India; Narayan BORADE, Mayastodary College, India

JS-65.2

Forms of University Elite Sport in South Africa (Oral Presentation)

Kiran ODHAV, SASA, South Africa

JS-65.3

Literate and Iliteratetribal Youth and Leisure (Oral Presentation)

Jhaver PATEL, Gujarat

University, Ahemdabad, Gujarat, India-380009, India

JS-65.4

Shopping For Community - Local Businesses As Features Of Social Inclusion?! (Oral Presentation)

Anna STEIGEMANN, Center for Metropolitan Studies Berlin, Germany

JS-76

Leisure as an Agency for Collective Mobilization of Youth and the Quest for Equality

Friday, July 18, 2014: 5:30 PM-7:20 PM

Room: 501

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

RC34 Sociology of Youth

Language: English
Session Organizers:
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Social Sciences, India and James COTE,
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India and Clarence M. BATAN, University of
Santo Tomas, Philippines

JS-76.1

Youth Leisure As Job Training and the Pursuit
of Distinctiveness (Oral Presentation)
Clare HOLDSWORTH, Keele University, UK,
United Kingdom

JS-76.2

Leisure Activities and Civic Engagement in
Japan (Oral Presentation)
Tomohiko ASANO, Tokyo Gakugei University,
Japan

JS-76.3

Cultural Capital of Young Russian Intellectuals
(Oral Presentation)
Tatiana GAVRILYUK, Tyumen state oil and gas
university, Russia
Li CUI, lecture, China

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Leisure and Healthy Ageing

Saturday, July 19, 2014: 10:30 AM-12:20 PM
Room: F205
RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English
Session Organizer:
Francis LOBO, Edith Cowan University,
Australia
Chair:
Francis LOBO, Edith Cowan University,
Australia
239.1

An Unequal World: Class, Leisure and Health
Outcomes in Older People (Oral Presentation)
Pauline MCGOVERN, University of
Manchester, United Kingdom

239.2

Leisure and Life Satisfaction and Adjustment in
Elderly People (Oral Presentation)
Dilip KHAIRNAR, Professor & Head,

Department of Sociology, Deogiri
College, Aurangabad (M.S.) India, India;
Mansaram AUTADE, Department of
psychology, Deogiri
College, Aurangabad (M.S.) India, India

239.3

Golden Age - Ageing, Well-Being and Tourism
(Oral Presentation)
Antti HONKANEN, University of Eastern
Finland, Finland

239.4

Healthy Ageing, Happiness, Quality of Life for
Rural Marginalized People and E- Health (Oral
Presentation)
Shashi MISHRA, Ramniranjan Jhunjhunwala
College, India

239.5

Positive Ageing and Leisure: Role of Leisure in
Healthy Ageing of the Elderly in India (Oral
Presentation)
Archana PAL, D.A.V. PG College, India; Onima
SHARMA, D.A.V. PG College, India

JS-87

Leisure and the Pursuit of Health and Happiness in an Unequal World

Saturday, July 19, 2014: 12:30 PM-2:20 PM
Room: 501
RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)
RC15 Sociology of Health

Language: English
Session Organizers:
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Social Sciences, India and Jonathan GABE,
Royal Holloway, University of London, United
Kingdom
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Jonathan GABE, Royal Holloway, University of
London, United Kingdom and Klára TARKÓ,
University of Szeged, Hungary
JS-87.1

Longevity, Leisure and Landscape (Oral
Presentation)

Tania M. de F.B. MACIEL, M.de F. B, Brazil;
Angela PHILIPPINI, M.De F. B. M., Brazil
JS-87.2

Being Active As a Route to Health and
Happiness: (Oral Presentation)

Lindsay PRIOR, Queen's University, United
Kingdom; Ruth HUNTER, Queen's University,

United Kingdom; David SCOTT, Queen's University, United Kingdom; Michael DONNELLY, Queen's University, United Kingdom; Mark TULLY, Queen's University, United Kingdom; Margaret CUPPLES, Queen's University, United Kingdom; Frank KEE, Queen's University, United Kingdom
JS-87.3

Problems of Access to Modern Wellness Culture (Oral Presentation)

Olesya KIRILENKO, Rivne Humanitarian University, Ukraine
JS-87.4

Patterns of Substance Use in Entertainment Venues in Latvia: (Oral Presentation)

Ilze KOROLEVA, University of Latvia, Latvia; Ieva KARKLINA, Primary author, Latvia; Sigita SNIKERE, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, University of Latvia, Latvia; Marcis TRAPENCIERIS, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, University of Latvia, Latvia
JS-87.5

Leisure and Health (Oral Presentation)

Anju BENIWAL, Govt. Meera Girls College, India

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RC13 Business Meeting

Saturday, July 19, 2014: 2:30 PM-4:20 PM

Room: F206

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Session Organizers:

Ishwar MODI, India International Institute of Social Sciences, India and Veena SHARMA, Former Fellow Indian Institute of Advanced Atudy, Shimla, India, India

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RC13 Roundtable. Multi-Dimensionality of Leisure

Wednesday, July 16, 2014: 3:30 PM-5:20 PM

Room: 315

RC13 Sociology of Leisure (host committee)

Language: English

Session Organizers:

Alan LAW, Trent University, Canada and Veena SHARMA, Former Fellow Indian Institute of Advanced Atudy, Shimla, India, India

Co-Chair:

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Roundtables:

Roundtable A

Leisure, Tourism-Development and Environment Interface: Uttarakhand Tourism in India- Reflections

Bhagwan S. BISHT, Kumaun University
The Impacts of Cultural Heritage Tourism: A Case Study of Ajanta Caves in India

Byung Sung LEE, University of Pune
Exploring the Socio-Economic Coordinates of Tourism: A Case of Kashmir

Dr Pirzada MOHAMMAD AMIN, Department of Social Work University of Kashmir

Roundtable B

The World Has More Leisure! so What?

Kenneth ROBERTS, University of Liverpool
The Emerging Social Structure of the New Sociology

Vladimir STAMBUK, University of Beograd, Serbia

Sociological Study of E-Dating and E-Prostitution in Iran

Mohamed TAVAKOL, university of tehran;

Abbas FAGHIH KHORASANI, university of tehran

Los Significados De Consumo: Un Estudio Entre Los Grupos De Bajos Ingresos En La Región Metropolitana De São Paulo, Brasil
Ana Lucia CASTRO, Universidade Estadual Paulista - UNESP/Araraquara

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