

RC44 Research Committee on Labour Movements is encouraging academics and practitioners, including and especially early-career researchers, to submit abstracts for RC44 sessions at the ISA World Congress of Sociology in Melbourne, 2023. RC44 is holding sessions on the following topics:

- Authoritarian Innovations in Labour Governance (organisers: Michael Gillan and Michele Ford)
- Collective and Connective Action: Workers and Social Media (organisers: Joerg Nowak and Marco Santana)
- Gendered Workplace Violence: What Role for the Labour Movement? (organisers: Kristy Ward)
- Global and Regional Trade Unions and the Future of Work Regulation (Michele Ford, Michael Gillan and Dimitris Stevis)
- Global Innovations in Informal Worker Organizing (Chris Tilly)
- How Healthcare Unions can Engage and Organize Migrant Workers (Jason Schneck and Nicolas Pons-Vignon)
- Labour and Climate Change (Bradon Ellem, Frances Flanagan, Caleb Goods)
- Labour Internationalisms from Above and Below (Caitlin Fox-Hodess, Kim Scipes and Katherine Nastovski)
- Labor Politics in Asia amid Intensifying Imperial Rivalry (Eli Friedman)
- Labor Politics and Party-State Capitalism in China (Jenny Chan)
- Labour Relations and Strategic Industries in Brazil (Joerg Nowak and Leonardo Mello E Silva)
- Labor Unrest, Social Revolts and Revolutions, 1851-2020: Findings from the Global Social Protest Database (Beverly Silver – By Invitation Only)
- Learning from the Past: Historical Approaches to Labour Strategy and Their Contemporary Applications (Maya Adereth)
- Migrant and Precarious Labour in Logistics: Mapping Employment Regimes and Reconnecting Workers Along the Global Supply Chain (Adam Mrozowicki, Gabriella Alberti and Jo Cutter)
- Strikes: Past, Present and Futures (Josep Maria Antentas)

If you want to give a paper that does not fit into one of these sessions, you can apply to join one of our two roundtables, each of which accommodates up to 25 papers. Please be aware that due to the nature of the roundtable sessions, only in-person contributions can be considered.

#### Labour Movements Roundtable 1

#### Labour Movements Roundtable 2

If you would like to be considered for inclusion in one of the sessions (in-person or virtual) or roundtables (in-person only), please submit your abstract via the confex portal by **30 Sep 2022** (<https://www.isa-sociology.org/en/conferences/world-congress/melbourne-2023/deadlines-2023>). If you have any questions about a particular session, please contact the session organisers.

Please note, as per the conference website:

- One cannot submit more than two abstracts.
- One cannot submit the same abstract to two different sessions.
- The abstract text cannot contain more than 300 words and must be submitted in English, French or Spanish.