



Politics on the Margins: Resisting the Reproduction of Current Power Structures

Call for Abstracts:

We are currently experiencing a moment of intense social, political, and economic inequality. The lines between the haves and the have-nots are becoming increasingly clear. To speak truth to what is happening it is necessary to follow the lead set by bell hooks by exploring the margins not simply as a site of repression but also a site of resistance. With this, we invite you—graduate scholars across disciplines—to explore how politics, and related power structures and institutions, are both experienced and resisted on the margins. We encourage submissions to engage activist efforts at the local, national, and international levels while exploring practical policy matters or theoretical concerns. We also encourage submissions to engage questions on how we study marginalized populations and how we can combine activism and academia.

Potential Conference Sub-Themes:

- Activism, Resistance
- Disability Politics
- Environmental Protests/Disaster Capitalism
- Queer Studies
- Technology in social Movements
- Reproductive /Productive Labour Protests
- Racial Justice, Decolonization
- Political Economy of Daily Life
- Anti-capitalist Movements
- The State and Beyond

We invite graduate students across disciplines to explore these themes, and others, through gendered, decolonial, class, race, and other critical lenses. You can choose to submit a single paper or traditional panel.

Submissions for the 2022
Conference will be accepted until
23 February.

Abstracts should be 250 words.

Submissions, or inquiries about this
conference, can be submitted to:
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