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HONG KONG SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION 25TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Doing Sociology in the Digital Era: Challenges and Opportunities

In the digital era, technology profoundly influences society, offering both challenges and opportunities for sociological research. As digital platforms reshape communication, work, and social interactions, they also raise issues like privacy concerns and digital divides. This conference seeks papers exploring these dynamics and their impact on economic, political, educational, and cultural spheres. We welcome discussions on the ethical implications of digital research methods, the role of big data, and the potential for digital tools to drive social change. Join us in examining how digital transformations intersect with inequality, identity, and power in the evolving sociological landscape.



Date: December 7th, 2024 (Saturday)

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**Venue: RLB502, Research Complex Low Block,
Hong Kong Shue Yan University**

Mode: Face-to-face; online for participants outside Hong Kong

Submission of abstract(s) could be completed via this online form:
<https://forms.gle/cUBqMmF2Er5CQ1Cr6> or the QR code on the right



Deadline for Submission: October 15th, 2024, 11:59 p.m.(HKT)

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Submission of Abstracts

We welcome submission of abstracts for individual papers/panels addressing, but not limited to, the following topics:

- Education and social mobility
- Gender and sexuality
- Marriage and family
- Youth and the elderly
- Health and disabilities
- Cultural heritage and innovation
- Migration and ethnic minorities
- Environment and sustainability
- Religion and religious organizations
- Body and self in the digital era
- Social movement and civil society
- Crime and deviance
- Issues in digital sociology
- Social inequality and digital divide
- Media, technology and culture
- AI, digital technology and the labor market
- Digital governance and smart cities
- Social research methods and digital data analysis
- Ethics of digital technology, data collection and privacy
- Social theory and the history of sociology
- Social policies, social justice, and social welfare

Please include paper title and author information in the abstract (not more than 250 words). For panel submissions, please include abstracts of all individual papers. Acceptance notifications will be sent out by early November. Online registration will be open thereafter.

Registration and Membership Fee

Life Membership: HK\$4,000

Regular Membership: HK\$600/year

Associate Membership: HK\$500/year

Student Membership: HK\$300/year

Notes:

Registration fee includes membership/renewal of membership of the Hong Kong Sociological Association for one year. Life members can register for the conference free of charge.