



DISSERTATION CONFERENCE PANEL GUIDE

Friday 17th January 2020
11.00am to 4.30pm

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PANEL ONE

Panel leader: Katy Wild

Panel members: Nigel Barber, Tim Hall, Alison Davies

- The barriers sex workers face when accessing health care.
- Has the marketization of the education system affected support for ADHD adolescents? A psychosocial investigation.
- To what extent have Polish and Brazilian immigrants retained or rejected their home culture in London and Peterborough?
- The Third Reich's growth of power: Social , Economic and political.

PANEL TWO

Panel leader: Andrew Hatton

Panel members: Melanie McMillan, Debbie Holmes

- An investigation into the effectiveness of Jewkes' narratives in explaining the portrayal of female killers within the media.
- Has the perception of choice created a self-identity crisis on the 21st Century?
- A Sociological analysis of democracy within school governing bodies, as a response to the changing environment of Educational Governance.
- An investigation into the way the British tabloid press has reported on the care system.

PANEL THREE

Panel leader: Becca Treston

Panel members: Eliza Ellis-Hyman, Jay Otter, Tracy Littler

- Comparing the effectiveness of prisons at rehabilitating prisoners in England and Wales and Norway.
- A Critical Realist approach to Homelessness: Can Psychosocial interventions provide lasting solutions to the causes and prevalence of homelessness in the UK.
- Becoming a Positive University at University Centre Peterborough; applying the PERMA model to increase student wellbeing.
- Producing a documentary on the production of sugar cane in Mauritius.

PANEL FOUR

Panel leader: Claire Bowes

Panel members: Kaz Maltby

- Why do some victims feel physically and/or psychologically trapped with their abuser, and how do these reasons compare to those of a kidnapping victim?
- Public perception of serial killers as celebrities – psychosocial exploration.
- The Hero and the Man – Masculinity and Epic Heroism in Beowulf.
- 'Psychosocial investigation of inequality in access to the labour market: An Intersectional exploration of perceived short-term and long-term barriers to work for disabled people living in Peterborough from 2013-2019'.

PANEL FIVE

Panel leader: Paul Wilks

Panel members: Jessica Saggese, Ricky Passam, Lucian Stiopu

- Those who commit murder are often victims too.
- Can self-determination theory explain the level of adherence to neo-liberal health policies? A mixed method analysis of support for self-responsibilisation of health in the UK.
- A Marxist reading of Ideology in The Hunger Games series.
- Distrust between the police and young people in the United Kingdom.

PANEL SIX

Panel leader: Nick Reinis-Keightley

Panel members: Kara Webb, Eliza Ellis-Hyman, Jay Otter, Tracy Littler

- The negative implications on the media portrayal of paedophiles.
- Evaluating factors affecting end of life care within the Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) population in UK.
- A comparative analysis of Secondary Education and Education received in prisons.
- The Impact that Live Streaming Online has on Reporting News, and the Case for Greater Regulation of Social Media.

PANEL SEVEN

Panel leader: Alex Hellens

Panel members: Alison Davies, Debbie Holmes, Kaz Maltby

- Comparing and contrasting media portrayal of Islam and the impact on islamophobia in the UK.
- Dispelling bilingual myths. An analysis of parental awareness of correct strategies in raising bilingual children and the knowledge of the most common myths surrounding bilingual development.
- Representation of transgender, agender and gender fluid characters in Children's Literature: An Analysis of Julian is a Mermaid.
- Quandaries Facing Black African Minority in Accessing Mental Health Services in the UK and USA.

PANEL EIGHT

Panel leader: Kelly Thomas

Panel members: Melanie McMillan, Nigel Barber, Tim Hall

- Sexual assaults; differences and similarities between male and female judges.
- "Do we still need Feminism?" Young women's perceptions of gender inequality and feminism in the UK, and the influence feminist debates have on these.
- The Sociological implications of generation rent on social cohesion and precariousness in the United Kingdom.
- An assessment of the degree of preservation of Peterborough's medieval landscape.

PANEL NINE

Panel leader: Andrew McDonnell

Panel members: Jessica Saggese, Ricky Passam, Lucian Stiopu

- Drug and Substance Abuse.
- Pain management for long term chronic back conditions in National Health Services (NHS).
- The supernatural and mental health of women in families as portrayed in three works of gothic fiction.
- It is easy to be right when everything repeats. How are experiences and perceptions moulded by linguistic expression?
- Does mental health have an impact on serial killers?