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IV ISA FORUM OF SOCIOLOGY (VIRTUAL)
CHALLENGES OF THE 21ST CENTURY:
DEMOCRACY, ENVIRONMENT, INEQUALITIES, INTERSECTIONALITY
REPORT ABOUT RC18 ACTIVITIES

1. PRESENTATION OF OUR BOARD
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3. CONTRIBUTION OF REGIONAL COORDINATORS FOR ISA FORUM
4. FORTHCOMING ACTIVITIES: CPS PERMANENT SEMINAR + CPS ANNUAL CONFERENCE + CPS PERMANENT PANEL IN APSA
5. COLLECTIVE AND OPEN DISCUSSION ABOUT FORTHCOMING ACTIVITIES AND ORIENTATIONS
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Produced twice a year and available on RC18 website (http://rc06.ipsa.org)
1. Movement-Parties in Action: Challenges and Outcomes. Session Organizer: Sofía Donoso, Universidad de Chile; Chair: Nicolás Angelcos, UNAB.

2. Rethinking Politics in Latin America. Session Organizer: Sofía Donoso, Universidad de Chile; Chair: Nicolás Angelcos, UNAB.

3. Prácticas Políticas de los Sectores Populares en América Latina. Session organizer: Nicolás Angelcos, UNAB; Chair: Sofía Donoso, Universidad de Chile.


6. How Far the Elected Representatives and Officials like the Democracy? Session Organizer and Chair: Martine Legris Revel, CERAPS CNRS Lille University.


2. Inmigrant Political Participation in the Global South (RC31 and RC18). Session Organizer: Cristian Doña Reveco, University of Nebraska at Omaha. Chair: Giacomo Orsini, Université Catholique de Louvain.

CPS Program Coordinators for IV ISA Forum 2021 are:

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CPS has a vibrant program of panels at the forthcoming Congress. The 27 panels are distributed into six main clusters:

- Ideologies, nationalism, populism
- Direct, deliberative, sortive democracy
- Parties and party systems
- Cultural dynamics, electoral behaviour, the role of emotions
- Civil society and interest representation
- Alternative forms of political engagement

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FORTHCOMING CSP activities

Challenges to Political Parties and their Multifaceted Transformations, APSA Annual Meeting, Seattle 2021
Link: https://connect.apsanet.org/apsa2021/?utm_source=homepage&utm_medium=banner&utm_campaign=am2021submissions

CPS Annual Conference 2020 Call for Papers: Political Parties and Democracy, Internal and External Challenges
Link: https://web.uniroma1.it/disp/archivionotizie/cps-conference-2020-call-papers-political-parties-and-democracy-internal-and
FORTHCOMING ORIENTATIONS

1. **Build a proactive international network of political sociologists to stimulate comparative research.**
   a. CPS Permanent Seminar
   b. CPS Annual Conference → Organization of Work Groups (cf. CPS Statutes)
   c. CPS panels at World Congresses or Forums of ISA and IPSA
   d. CPS panels at APSA Annual Meeting

2. **Pursue reflection about the scope, hybrid identity and role of political sociology today (Conference “Redefining Political Sociology”, Santiago de Chile, 2017)**
   a. Special issue dedicated to what Political Sociology is today (disciplinary focus)

3. **Increase in the number of members and member participation**
   a. Redefinition of membership in our statutes
   b. Grants for young political sociologists