



Call for Articles: Applying Social Sciences

to Reduce Social Inequalities Within and Among Countries

Background

The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development sets the vision for global action and encourages a bottom-up consultation process. It tries to balance economic growth, social justice and environmental stewardship and underlines the links between peace, development and human rights.

Sustainable development calls for “services that are responsive to people’s needs” (BMZ 2017): Social work, social services and community engagement play a vital role in delivering the sustainable development goals.

Applied social science can bring a unique perspective to the study of inequalities if it does not focus on ‘problems’, but allows to understand coping strategies on individual, familial and community level. Social interventions include political, economic, legal, welfare, and care etc., and results in evidence-based practices.

Tentative Publication

The tentative book publication wants to look into social inequalities within and among countries (SDG 10) and the relevance of SDGs for social interventions.

Manuscripts shall be presented and discussed at the *IWAAC-conference 2024 at TATA-Institute of Social Science (TISS), Mumbai, India, from February 29- March 2, 2024.*

Selected participants will be invited and funded. Authors who have not attended the conference or were not selected for funding are also welcome to submit their work to this publication.

Scope

Manuscripts should feature into the following topics:

1. The relevance of SDGs for social interventions in
 - 1.1. education
 - 1.2. practice
 - 1.3. research
2. Areas of work:
 - 2.1. Poverty, hunger, economic growth and decent work
 - 2.2. Health and Well-being
 - 2.3. Education
 - 2.4. Gender
 - 2.5. Discrimination, inclusion and integration
 - 2.6. Climate and Environment
 - 2.7. Transnational partnerships, peace and justice
3. SDG as Framework for the Evaluation of Social Interventions

Time-Line

1. Abstracts and applications for funding can be submitted before October 10, 2023 on the following web-site: www.frankfurt-university.de/iwaac-10-registration
2. Draft manuscripts are due before December 10, 2023 (we will contact you – based on your registration - with further information)
3. Conference invitations and grant approvals will be issued latest January 20, 2024

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