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Activisme ouvrier, mobilité et marginalisation en période de précarité

Labour activism, mobility, and marginalization in a time of precarity

June // Juin 1-3, 2021 (online)



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MAY 31 // 31 MAI (pre-conference session // activité pré-conférence)

9:00 -10:30 MT	Class and Collective Action in Contemporary Labour Movements (jointly sponsored with Canadian Sociological Association)
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JUNE 1 // 1er JUIN

9:00 -10:30 MT	Opening Plenary // Plénière d'ouverture COVID and Precarity in Alberta's Meatpacking Industry		
11:30 -1300 MT	Mobilizing workers in the public sector	Protecting workers' safety	Politics and the Worker
13:30 -15:00 MT	Alberta's attack on worker rights	Injured at work and back again	Decolonizing work

JUNE 2 // 2 JUIN

9:00 -10:30 MT	Work in the time of COVID 1	Precarity in income support programs	Mobilizing workers and communities
11:30 -1300 MT		The precarity of the gig economy	New ideas of unionism
13:30 -15:00 MT	Work in the time of COVID 2	Navigating work in technological sectors	Exploring dimensions of work

JUNE 3 // 3 JUIN

9:00 -10:30 MT	Work in the time of COVID 3	Women's experiences of work	Precarious work, precarious status
11:30 -1300 MT	Dimension of precarity	Mobilizing racialized workers	Workers as students; students as workers
13:30 -15:30 MT	Annual General Meeting // Assemblée générale		

FULL PROGRAM // PROGRAMME

MAY 31 // 31 MAI

0900-1030 MT	<p>Pre-Conference Session // Activité pré-conférence</p> <p>Class and Collective Action in Contemporary Labour Movements</p> <p>Chair: Charles Smith</p> <p>David Calbitsky & Ella Wind</p> <p>Who gets the goods? Disentangling the effects of parliamentary representation and collective action on welfare spending.</p> <p>Youngrong Lee</p> <p>Navigating the aftermath of capital mobility in the gig economy: Understanding the impact on workers and their resistance in the CTA, Canada.</p> <p>Kirsten Bass</p> <p>Étudiants en grève: Cultural Repertoires of Labour Organizing in the 2012 Quebec Student Strikes</p> <p>Catharina O'Donnell & Barry Eidlin</p> <p>In the streets or in the courts: Determinants of action strategy among rank and file activists in the International Brotherhood of Teamsters.</p> <p>(jointly sponsored with the Canadian Sociological Association)</p>
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0900-1030 MT	<p>Opening Plenary // Plénière d'ouverture</p> <p>COVID and Precarity in Alberta's Meatpacking Industry</p> <p>Moderator // Modératrice: TBD</p> <p>Panelists // Panélistes: TBD</p>		
1130-1300 MT	<p>Mobilizing Workers in the Public Sector</p> <p>John Calvert BC's Public Sector Accord Initiative 1998 – 2001</p> <p>Chandra Pasma Public Sector, Private Profits: Contracting Out in the Post-Secondary Sector</p>	<p>Protecting Workers' Safety</p> <p>Jordan House & Asaf Rashid "Were You Performing Assigned Work When Injured?": Workplace Health and Safety Issues for Canadian Prisoners</p>	<p>Politics and the Worker</p> <p>Andrew Stevens & Doug Nesbitt The inconvenient oil worker: The lockout of Unifor Local 594 and anti-union narratives in the petro-state</p>

	<p>Garry Sran & Lauren Montgomery Changing the Landscape of the Public Sector: 'Working Short' & Increasing Workloads in Alberta</p> <p>Chantal Mancini Provincial Bargaining, Provincial Union Power, and the Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation: A Case Study of Ontario Teacher Union Democracy in an Era of Centralized Bargaining</p>	<p>Reena Shadaan Bodies in relationship with Environments in relationship with Power: Body/Hazard Mapping with Nail Technicians</p> <p>Amie McLean Collisions, Carnage, and Racialized Hierarchies of Risk and Trauma in the Long Haul Trucking Industry</p> <p>Rosanna Langer Psychological Injury in the Workplace: Evolving case law across 4 Canadian Jurisdictions</p>	<p>Alison Braley-Rattai Right-to-Work: Making inroads in Canada via Alberta's Bill 32</p> <p>Larry Savage Organized Labour and the NDP: Looking Back on Sixty Years Of Party-Union Relations</p>
1330-1500 MT	<p>Alberta's Attack on Worker Rights</p> <p>Panelists // Panélistes: Bob Barnetson, Jason Foster & Susan Cake</p>	<p>Injured at Work and Back Again</p> <p>Sharanya Varatharajan & Ellen MacEachern Health Privacy During Return-to-work Management: A Critical Realist Grounded Perspective of the Experiences of Return-to-work Management Stakeholders in Canada</p> <p>Pamela Hopwood, Ellen MacEachern, Elena Neiterman, Katya McKnight & Meghan Crouch Return to work for ill and injured workers: Coordinator perspectives of Union involvement</p>	<p>Decolonizing Work</p> <p>Adam King, Leah Vosko, Olena Lyubchenko & Veldom Coburn Exploring the Origins of 'the Core of Indianness': Four B Manufacturing v The United Garment Workers of America and the 'Functional Test' in Indigenous labour relations</p> <p>Andy Hanson The Failure of the Ontario Public School Teachers' Federation (OPSTF) to Organize Teachers in Federal Schools on First Nations</p>

		<p>Stephanie Premji Language Accommodations in Ontario and Quebec Workers' Compensation Systems: The Limits of Linguistic Competence for Advancing Equity</p> <p>Katie Crossman & Laurent Wall Newcomers' Conceptions of and Experiences with Psychosocial Hazards in the Alberta Workplace</p>	<p>Ryan Broe & Phil Henderson Imperialists need you, but you don't need them: Decolonization and revolutionary syndicalism</p>
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JUNE 2 // 2 JUIN

0900-1030 MT	<p>Work in the Time of COVID, Part One</p> <p>Stephanie Ross & Larry Savage Mapping the Politics of Labour in Canada in the Wake of COVID-19</p> <p>Andrew Wilkin Yes, There is Still a Place for Labour Process Theory: Comparing How High School Teachers in Ontario with Different Labour Contracts Feel Towards Work and Life, Before and During Covid-19</p> <p>Joyceline Amoako Exploring the impacts of precarious work and family caregiving on the health of African immigrant women amidst the COVID-19</p>	<p>Precarity in Income Support Programs</p> <p>Chuek Ming Tsang Are the Social Assistance Programs Helping Individuals with Autism?</p> <p>Virginia Kanyogonya A critical analysis of the impending reform of Employment Ontario</p> <p>Tauhid Khan, Ellen MacEachen & Debra Dunstan Self-employment and social supports in Canada and Australia: A comparative policy Analysis</p>	<p>Mobilizing Workers and Communities</p> <p>Steven Tufts Labour, Community, and Populism in the Technopolis</p> <p>Mark Thomas & Rawan Abdelbaki Tax Amazon: Labour and Left Populism in Seattle, WA</p> <p>Danielle Landry Examining the activist knowledge-practices of consumer/survivor businesses</p>
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	pandemic in Ontario, Canada		
1130-1300 MT		<p>The Precarity of the Gig Economy</p> <p>Youngrong Lee After the Platform Leaves: Understanding Capital Mobility in Platform Capitalism.</p> <p>Paul Christopher Gray On the Frontlines of the Gig Economy: Inside the Foodsters United Campaign</p> <p>Ellen MacEachen, Emily Reid-Musson, Samantha Meyer, Ron Saunders & Emma Bartel Anxiety and risk in the digital platform economy: the case of Ontario ride-hail gig drivers</p>	<p>New Ideas for Unionism</p> <p>Cheuk Ming Tsang & Bill W.K. Taylor Union Development in Hong Kong and Toronto: New Unionism in Hong Kong</p> <p>Susan Cake Union Renewal Through Relevance and Communication</p> <p>Alysia Blackham Age discrimination, work, and collective action</p> <p>Ingo Schmidt Cracking Labour's Economics Taboo</p>
1330-1500 MT	<p>Work in the Time of COVID, Part Two</p> <p>Kendra Strauss Beyond crisis? Using rent theory to understand the restructuring of publicly funded seniors' care in British Columbia, Canada</p> <p>John Peters Confronting Inequality: the Covid-19 Pandemic and Its Impacts on Jobs, Health, and Labour Markets</p>	<p>Navigating Work in Technological Sectors</p> <p>Mark Johnson Behind the Streams: The Hidden Labour of Live Streaming</p> <p>Johanna Weststar & Louis-Étienne Dubois Just work harder: the impact of adopting a serivitization model in digital game development</p>	<p>Exploring Dimensions of Work Chair: TBD</p> <p>Tony Leah Green Jobs Oshawa and Unifor: Conflicting Strategies for Fighting a Plant Closure</p> <p>Valentina Castellini The problem with meaningful work: Labour struggles in Italian social cooperatives</p> <p>Samuel Bedard L'incidence de l'organisation contemporaine du</p>

	<p>Lewchuk Ferdosi Graefe Ross</p> <p>Understanding the Impact of COVID-19 on Ontario Workers, Workplaces and Families</p>	<p>Milagros Miceli & Julian Posada</p> <p>Power Relations in Machine Learning Annotation</p> <p>David Rapaport</p> <p>Bargaining in a Digital Technology Age - A Retrospect on Tech Change and Collective Bargaining Issues and Debates in the 1980s</p>	<p>travail dans les mines sur le développement économique du Nord Québécois / The impact of contemporary mining work on the economic development of northern Quebec</p> <p>Kritee Ahmed</p> <p>Whom to Serve: The Customer, The Public, the Customer Re-Public? Thinking through Public Service Work through a Customer Service Ethos</p>
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JUNE 3 // 3 JUIN

0900-1030 MT	<p>Work in the Time of COVID, Part Three</p> <p>Corynne Laurence-Ruel</p> <p>Long-term care in crisis, workers shouldering the burden</p> <p>Mylene Fauvel</p> <p>Community-sector workers (still) filling the social safety net</p> <p>Yanick Noiseux</p> <p>Food security at the nexus of precarious work ad neocolonial migrant guest work programs</p> <p>Laurence Hamel-Roy</p> <p>Bringing back construction workers on the job</p>	<p>Women's Experiences of Work</p> <p>Sarah de Blois</p> <p>Women, Mining, and Gender: Experiences from Sudbury, Ontario</p> <p>Jennifer O'Connor</p> <p>Fresh Baked Goods: Another Look at Feminism, Food, and Work</p> <p>Morgan Jacques</p> <p>Post-maternity leave demotions and the psychological contract</p>	<p>Precarious Work, Precarious Status</p> <p>Dani Magsumbol</p> <p>A Political Economy of Emotions: The Affective Citizenship of the Filipino Global Working Class</p> <p>Manuel Salamanca Cardona</p> <p>Workers Support Centres in Quebec: Learnings to defend and organize precarious migrant agricultural workers</p>
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1130-1300 MT	<p>Dimensions of Precarity</p> <p>Grace Maich Working in Isolation: Precarious Workers' Access to Social Support in Niagara</p> <p>Clara Chapdelaine-Feliciati Le statut précaire des filles artistes en Ontario / The Precarious Status of Female Artists in Ontario</p> <p>Jenna Richards Work and play: Musicians' portfolio careers</p>	<p>Mobilizing Racialized Workers</p> <p>Simon Black Decent Work for Domestic Workers: The Role of Domestic Workers' Unions in Employment Standards Enforcement in Jamaica</p> <p>Maureen Kihika Not Black, but Afropolitan: Contextualizing shifting perceptions of care givers when Black Lives (Don't) Matter!</p> <p>Christopher Wilson Environmental Racism & Work in a Warming World</p>	<p>Workers as Students and Students as Workers</p> <p>Maria Mouratidou & Mirit Grabarski Academics abroad: career narratives</p> <p>Indranil Chakraborty & Trent Cruz Bridging the Divide from Factory to Classroom: The experiences of laid-off manufacturing workers retraining at an Ontario College</p>
1330-1530 MT	CAWLS Annual General Meeting // Assemblée générale annuelle de l'ACETS		

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