2nd Call for Papers and Special Stream announcement

Working Revolutions: Revolutionising Work

We are approaching the deadline for abstract submissions. Until October 17th 2015, we welcome critical papers on work and employment relations in the broader political economic and social context. During recent years, the Conference has begun to successfully incorporate streams into the program as an addition to the theming of general papers. This year’s special streams focus on:

- Intersections of Labour and Nationhood in Transnational Service Work
- Labour, Work and Climate Change: a Labour Process Perspective
- Labour Process Experiences in State Employment under Austerity
- Squeezing the Middle? Inequalities at Work

For further information on the special streams, see call for papers on the website. Application/submission for both the special streams and the general conference is via the ILPC website. Please go to www.ilpc.org.uk for more details.

All abstracts are externally refereed and papers must not have been previously published or presented elsewhere. Abstract contents should enable the referees to determine what issue, development or problem is being investigated, how it is being investigated, what the findings are and what contribution is being made to knowledge in this field. Please provide information about the theoretical position of the paper, the methodology, data set (if relevant) and the stage of the research. Abstracts should be around 500 words.

Examples of traditional ILPC topics include:

- Labour process theory and other critical perspectives of work relations
- Industrial relations, representation, trade union strategies and their changes
- Digitalisation of work
- Voice at work and employee participation
- Corporate restructuring, employment and work
- New forms of workforce flexibility
- Inequality at work: gender, ethnicity, and class
- New technology and work organization
- Changing skills, knowledge and occupations
- Employee dignity, wellbeing and work relations
- The comparative political economy of work and employment relations
- Work within developing economies
- The future of work

Submission and deadlines

Abstract submission is through the ILPC website (www.ilpc.org.uk). The deadline is the 17th October 2015.

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