

# SPA Annual Conference 2023

## Schedule

Wednesday, 5 July, 2023

09:30-10:30

[PGR and ECR drop in - Room B1](#)

10:30-11:00

[Registration and Welcome Session](#)

Join us for the Welcome Session at 10:45 with Professor Rachel Fyson, Head of School of Sociology and Social Policy, University of Nottingham, and Professor Ann Marie Gray (Ulster University), Chair of the Social Policy Association.

11:00-12:30

[Panel Session - Professor Nasar Meer \(University of Edinburgh\), Alison Garnham \(Child Poverty Action Group\), Emma Wincup \(Joseph Rowntree Foundation\), Shabna Begum \(Runnymede Trust\) and Joanna Mack \(Journal of Poverty and Society Justice\) - Room B63](#)

Welcome with Ann-Marie Gray and Rachel Fyson

12:30-13:30

[Lunch](#)

Lunch is to be provided in the Atrium in the Law and Social Science building.

12:30-13:30

[SPA Policy Groups - Room B18](#)

13:30-15:00

[Paper Session 1 - Financial Capability - Room A100](#)

13:30-15:00

[Paper Session 1 - Basic income - Room A2](#)

13:30-15:00

[Neighbourhood and Deprivation - Room A3](#)

13:30-15:00

[Paper Session 1 - China and Social Policy - Room A4](#)

13:30-15:00

[Paper Session 1 - Ageing, older people and Social Policy - Room B1](#)

13:30-15:00

Paper Session 1 - Public Service Delivery - Room B63

13:30-15:00

Paper Session 1 (Symposium) - The price of admission? A dialogue on the currency and commodification of "lived experience" - WORKSHOP - Room B18

13:30-15:00

Paper Session 1 - Education Inequality and debates - Room B55

13:30-15:00

Paper Session 1 - Social Care debates - Room C11

13:30-15:00

Paper Session 1 - East Asian Social Policy: poverty and wellbeing - Room A1

15:00-15:30

Refreshments

Refreshments will be provided in the Atrium in the Law and Social Science building.

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 2 (Symposium) - The collision of the cost of living crisis with social security reform: challenges and calls for change - Room A100

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 2 - Challenging Welfare Discourses - Room A2

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 2 (Symposium) - Identifying intersecting dimensions of human (in)security in Turbulent Times: Policy challenges in South Korea, the UK and the USA - Room A3

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 2 - Theoretical contributions and debates - Room A4

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 2 - Welfare Professionals and policy delivery - Room B1

15:30-17:00

[Paper Session 2 - Health policy and inequalities - Room B63](#)

15:30-17:00

[Paper Session 2 \(Symposium\) - Obstacles and opportunities to Level Up the UK's 'left behind' places. - Room B18](#)

15:30-17:00

[Paper Session 2 - Latin American welfare provision - Room B55](#)

15:30-17:00

[Paper Session 2 - Devolution and Social Policy - Room A1](#)

15:30-17:00

[Paper Session 2 - Social Security and Universal Credit: Geographical insights - Room C11](#)

17:30-18:30

[SPA AGM - Room B63](#)

19:30-23:00

[Conference Dinner and Awards](#)

The conference dinner is table service and will be located in the dining hall at Rutland Hall. Wine will be served with the meal, and there will also be a bar open.

Thursday, 6 July, 2023

08:30-09:00

[Registration](#)

09:00-10:30

[Paper Session 3 - Social Policy and Africa - Room A2](#)

09:00-10:30

[Paper Session 3 - Personalisation - Room A3](#)

09:00-10:30

[Paper Session 3 \(Symposium\) - Inequality and poverty: what role for taxation? - Room A4](#)

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 3 - Food, Poverty and Social Policy\_(1) - Room B1

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 3 (Symposium) - Social Policy for Families in the UK and South Korea after the pandemic of Covid-19: work and family - Room B63

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 3 - Politics and Social Policy - Room B18

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 3 - Residential care and long-term care - Room B55

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 3 - Social security and universal credits: conditionality and control - Room A1

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 3 - Inequalities in family support - Room C11

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 3 - Welfare Support for young people - Room C12

10:30-11:00

Refreshments

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11:00-12:30

Paper Session 4 - Gender and Social Policy\_(1) - Room A100

11:00-12:30

Paper Session 4 (Symposium) - Universal Credit: it's not just about adequacy - Room A2

11:00-12:30

Paper Session 4 - International poverty: insights and debates - Room A3

11:00-12:30

Paper Session 4 - Local Government, Communities and Welfare Support - Room A4

11:00-12:30

Paper Session 4 - Money and Mental Health - Room B1

11:00-12:30

Paper Session 4 (Symposium) - Social Policy for Families in the UK and South Korea after the pandemic of Covid-19: Children's wellbeing and social policy responses - Room B63

Social Policy for Families in the UK and South Korea after the pandemic of Covid-19

11:00-12:30

Paper Session 4 (Symposium) - Queer(y)ing Social Policy/social policy and queer people - Room B18

11:00-12:30

Paper Session 4 - Covid and welfare support (1) - Room B55

11:00-12:30

Paper Session 4 - Families and intergenerational Support - Room A1

11:00-12:30

Paper Session 4 - Migration and social policy (2) - Room C11

12:30-13:30

Lunch

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12:30-13:30

JSP Editorial Board - Room B18

12:30-13:30

SPA Convenors' Group meeting - Room B55

13:30-15:00

Plenary 2 - Danny Dorling - Room B63

15:00-15:30

Refreshments

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15:30-17:00

Paper Session 5 - Food, Fuel and Social Policy - Room A100

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 5 (Symposium) - Housing policy and welfare policy - interrogating and problematising the intersection - Room A2

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 5 - Drugs Policy and Suicide prevention - Room A3

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 5 - Employment - Room A4

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 5 - Dignity and compassion - Room B1

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 5 (Symposium) - Social Policy for Families in the UK and South Korea after the pandemic of Covid-19: social and community care - Room B63

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 5 (Symposium) - Military veterans, vulnerability and citizenship - Social Policy perspectives - Room B18

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 3 - In-work poverty and minimum wage debates - Room B55

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 5 - Social Security: low income and sanctions - Room A1

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 5 - Poverty and Inequality (1) - Room C11

15:30-17:00

Paper Session 5 - Housing - Room C12

17:30-18:00

Academics Stand Against Poverty UK Reception in partnership with Policy Press

Academics Stand Against Poverty UK Reception in partnership with Policy Press Thursday 6th July 2023.  
This will be held in the Atrium - times to be confirmed.

19:30-23:59

BBQ with bar

The BBQ will be held outdoors (weather permitting) in the grassed quadrant at Rutland Hall, there will be a bar until 01:00.

Friday, 7 July, 2023

08:00-09:00

Registration

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 6 - Familisation - Room A100

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 6 - Broader Policy Debates - Room A2

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 6 (Symposium) - Teaching and Learning Symposium: Addressing complex challenges in social policy teaching - Room A3

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 6 - East Asian Social Policy: inequality debates - Room A4

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 6 - Covid and welfare support (2) - Room B1

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 6 (Symposium) - Charity and inequalities in the foundational economy - Room B63

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 6 (Symposium) - Re-examining the UK employment support landscape - Room B18

09:00-10:30

Paper Session 6 - Co-production and participative approaches - Room B55

09:00-10:30

[Paper Session 6 - Hosing and Homelessness - Room A1](#)

09:00-10:30

[Paper Session 6 - Gender and Social Policy \(2\) - Room C11](#)

10:30-11:00

[Refreshments](#)

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11:00-12:30

[Paper Session 7 - Co-production and participative approaches \(2\) - Room A100](#)

11:00-12:30

[Paper Session 7 - Labour markets and Social Policy - Room A2](#)

11:00-12:30

[Paper Session 7 - Labour markets and social policy \(2\) - Room A4](#)

11:00-12:30

[Paper Session 7 - Migration and social policy \(3\) - Room B1](#)

11:00-12:30

[Paper Session 7 \(Symposium\) - A critical perspective on 'lived experience' in social security research: creating a space for discussion - Room B18](#)

11:00-12:30

[Paper Session 7 - Poverty and Inequality \(2\) - Room B55](#)

11:00-12:30

[Paper Session 7 - Digital Social Policy - Room A1](#)

12:30-13:30

[Plenary 3 - The role of Universal Basic Services \(UBS\) and a Social Guarantee in tackling poverty and inequality - Room B63](#)

13:30-14:30

[Lunch](#)

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14:30-15:30

SPA Executive Committee Meeting - Room B18