Institute of Political Economy 18th Annual Graduate Conference

Carleton University's Institute of Political Economy is pleased to announce our 18th Annual Graduate Students' Conference. The theme will be "Who's Got the Power?: Locating Power in Times of Social Change."

We invite MA and PhD students of all disciplines to submit abstracts on a wide selection of issues, both domestic and international. The conference will take place at Carleton University on February 27, 2017.

Our aim with this theme is to capture the totality of power and spaces for social change. The various conceptualizations and manifestations of power are highly complex, as are the ways in which power shapes and is shaped by social change. In order to highlight these intersections, we welcome a variety of interdisciplinary analyses.

Please submit your 250-300 word abstract to ipecarleton@gmail.com by January 6, 2017. Successful applicants will be notified and informed of paper submission deadlines. Final papers are expected to be at least 3,000 words.

Submissions can include, but are not limited to, thesis chapters, major research papers, or course papers. We especially encourage first-year MA students to apply so that they may enjoy an opportunity to present research in an encouraging and open environment.

Suggested themes include, but are in no way limited to, the following:

Migration and Borders | Environmental Justice | Gender and Sexuality | Race and Racism | Class | Critical Legal Studies | Food Justice | Indigenous Sovereignty and Resurgence | Labour Movements | Security and the State | Conflict and War | Colonialism |

Community-Based and Participatory Action Research | Technology | Finance and Financialization | Ideology | Theories of Power and Social Change

Should you have any questions, please contact the email address above. We look forward to your submissions.

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