SYMPOSIUM
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April 4-5, 2024
Watson Institute for International and Public Affairs, Joukowsky Forum

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Watson Institute for International and Public Affairs and the Urban Institute

Conference Schedule
Welcome and Opening Remarks | 8:45 a.m.

Edward Steinfeld, Howard R. Swearer Director of the Thomas J. Watson Institute for International and Public Affairs, Dean's Professor of China Studies, Professor of Political Science, Director of the China Initiative, Brown University

John Eason, Associate Professor of Sociology and International and Public Affairs, Brown University; Senior Fellow, Urban Institute

“Carceral Capacity: The Detention Center and Prison Boom and Bust?” | 9 a.m.

PANELISTS

Isabel Anadon, Assistant Professor of Sociology, University at Buffalo, State University of New York

Sarah Ogundare, Undergraduate Research Scholar, Justice Policy Lab, Watson Institute, Brown University

Kaitlyn Sims, Assistant Professor of Microeconomics and Public Policy, University of Denver

Sam Theoharis, Undergraduate Research Scholar, Justice Policy Lab, Watson Institute, Brown University

Victoria Ylizaliturri, Undergraduate Research Scholar, Justice Policy Lab, Watson Institute, Brown University

DISCUSSANT

Heather Schoenfeld, Associate Professor of Sociology, Boston University
THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 2024

“Abolition as Policy” | 10:25 a.m.

PANELISTS
- Monica Bell, Professor of Law and Associate Professor of Sociology, Yale University
- Faith Deckard, Doctoral Candidate of Sociology, University of Texas at Austin
- Susila Gurusami, Assistant Professor of Criminology, Law, and Justice, University of Illinois Chicago

DISCUSSANT
- DeMarcus Jenkins, Assistant Professor of Social Policy, University of Pennsylvania
- Bryan L. Sykes, Associate Professor of Public Policy, Cornell University

Lunch Break | 11:40 a.m.

“Conditions Inside: Complicating Labor and Control” (Part I) | 12:10 p.m.

PANELISTS
- Rachel Ellis, Assistant Professor of Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of Maryland
- Michael Gibson-Light, Assistant Professor of Sociology and Criminology, University of Denver
- Naiima Khahaifa, Postdoctoral Fellow, Geography and African and African American Studies, Dartmouth College

DISCUSSANTS
- Allison McKim, Associate Professor of Sociology, Bard College
- Ashley Rubin, Associate Professor of Sociology, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa, Coeditor, Law and Society Review
THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 2024

“Conditions Inside: Complicating Labor and Control” (Part II) | 1:35 p.m.

**PANELISTS**
- Cinthia Romo Alba, Doctoral Student of Sociology, Washington University in St. Louis
- Beatriz Aldana Marquez, Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of Connecticut
- Gabréélla Friday, Postdoctoral Researcher, Watson Institute for International and Public Affairs and the Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity, Brown University

**DISCUSSANT**
- Sadé Lindsay, Assistant Professor of Public Policy and Sociology, Cornell University
- Michael L. Walker, Professor of Liberal Arts and Associate Professor of Sociology, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

“Politics, Punishment, and Reform” | 3 p.m.

**PANELISTS**
- Brandon Alston, Assistant Professor of Sociology, The Ohio State University
- Brittany Friedman, Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of Southern California
- Felix Owusu, Postdoctoral Scholar, Haas School of Business, University of California, Berkeley
- Amber Joy Powell, Assistant Professor of Sociology and Criminology, University of Iowa

**DISCUSSANTS**
- Nicole Gonzalez Van Cleve, Associate Professor of Sociology, Brown University
- Reuben Miller, Associate Professor, Crown Family School and Department of Race, Diaspora, and Indigeneity, University of Chicago
FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 2024

“Community Engaged Methods” | 9 a.m.

PANELISTS
Sophia Block, Undergraduate Research Scholar, Justice Policy Lab, Watson Institute, Brown University
Brooklynn Hitchens, Assistant Professor of Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of Maryland
Shannon Malone Gonzalez, Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

DISCUSSANT
Rod Martinez, Senior Associate, Annie E. Casey Foundation
Waverly Duck, Professor of Sociology, University of California, Santa Barbara

“Funding Opportunities and Future Priorities” | 10:30 a.m.

PANELISTS
Chloe Cockburn, CEO, Just Impact Advisors
Steve Plank, Vice President, Research, Evaluation, Evidence, and Data, Annie E. Casey Foundation
Juontel White, Senior Vice President, Programs and Advocacy, Schott Foundation for Public Education

DISCUSSANT
John Eason, Associate Professor of Sociology and International and Public Affairs, Brown University; Senior Fellow, Urban Institute

Closing Remarks | 11:45 a.m.
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