



The Mid-South Sociological Association

Annual Meeting 2016 Registration and 2017 Membership Application/Renewal Form

2017 Membership Dues (see p.2 for details)

Dues include a one year subscription to *Sociological Spectrum* and are based on income ranges or other statuses as follows:

Regular: < \$30K: \$35.00	\$50K-69,999.00: \$45.00	Joint Regular: \$20.00	Student: \$20.00
\$30K-\$49,999.00: \$40.00	\$70K+ : \$50.00	Emeritus: \$35.00	Joint Student: \$5.00

42nd Annual MSSA Conference October 12-15, 2016

**Embassy Suites by Hilton Charleston Airport Hotel
& Convention Center**

5055 International Boulevard
North Charleston, South Carolina 29418
843-747-1882 (group code: MSS)

To Reserve Rooms Online – [Click Here](#)

RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE BY September 24

Registration	By Sept. 24	Late or On-Site Registration
Regular, Emeritus or Joint	\$105.00	\$130.00
Non-Member	\$130.00	\$155.00
Graduate Student	\$60.00	\$80.00
Undergraduate Student	\$50.00	\$60.00

**Registration includes the MSSA Annual Banquet
Friday, October 14, 6:00pm–8:00 p.m.**

In order to ensure that we are prepared, please check one of the following:

No, I do not plan to attend the banquet.

Yes, I plan to attend the banquet.

Please indicate below if you have special dietary needs:

Vegetarian _____

LATE OR ON-SITE REGISTRANTS ARE NOT GUARANTEED A SEAT AT THE BANQUET.

Please make every effort to stay at the Embassy Suites – Every room night credited to MSSA helps defray our costs.

Interested in a MSSA LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP? Check the box below and we will contact you with details!!

YES, send me info!

NAME AND AFFILIATION ADDRESS (print clearly):

Title: Dr. Ms. Mr. Other _____

Name: _____

Affiliation*: _____

Department: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

2017 Membership Dues (see above): \$ _____

2016 Conference Registration Fee (see above): \$ _____

Sponsored Undergraduate Students (see p.2): \$ _____

Contribution to MSSA (general fund): \$ _____

Contribution to the Minority Fund: \$ _____

Stanford Lyman Memorial Scholarship Fund: \$ _____

TOTAL AMOUNT PAID: \$ _____

**FULL MAILING ADDRESS FOR *Sociological Spectrum*
JOURNAL SUBSCRIPTION:**

Address: _____

Please fill out a separate form for each individual applicant.

* Affiliation = your college/university or organization. If none, please enter "Independent."

Make check or money order payable to: MSSA

MAIL TO: Shelly McGrath
MSSA Secretary-Treasurer
707 Bahia Lane
Bessemer, AL 35023

**For early registration cost savings, this form
and fees MUST be postmarked no later than
September 24, 2016**

For inquiries, email mssa.sec.treasurer@gmail.com
Or register online at: <https://www.meetingsavvy.org/mssa/>

- * **Regular Member:** Includes faculty, administrators, staff, or other salaried professionals (see income scale on pg.1).
- * **Joint Regular Member:** Spouses or domestic partners of MSSA members may opt to become joint regular members. Joint members and their spouses receive only one copy of *Sociological Spectrum*. Applicants for joint membership must also complete this form.
- * **Emeritus:** Includes retired college/university faculty or administrators. There is no difference from regular membership except lower membership cost.
- * **Student:** Includes individuals who are currently enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate program in a college or university. Affiliation and department must be provided (on previous page).
- * **Joint Student:** Same as joint regular member, except the spouse or partner must *also* be a qualifying student. Student partners/spouses will receive only one copy of *Sociological Spectrum*.

Teaching and/or Research Interests

A list of numbered subject areas is provided on Page 3. Please indicate in order of priority, as many as four subject areas which best represent your teaching and/or research interests. Write the four numbers in the spaces below. Use "Other (Specify)" for areas not on the numbered list.

Other (Specify) _____

1st
2nd
3rd
4th

INFORMATION FOR MSSA COMMITTEES

Please respond to all parts, even if you do not plan to attend the next meeting.

1. Please check all that apply: White Black Latino/a Native American Asian Other _____
2. Please classify yourself as: Male Female Specify_____ Decline to Answer
3. Are you affiliated with a small or community college? Yes No
4. Do you want to participate in the minority caucus? Yes No
5. Do you want to participate in the women's caucus? Yes No
6. When an annual meeting site is chosen, what matters most to you?
Climate Cost of attending Local attractions Travel connections Travel distance
Quality of facilities Other _____

SPONSORED UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT(S) REGISTRATION

Undergraduate students sponsored by members of the Mid-South Sociological Association may register for a fee of **\$40.00** each. Sponsored undergraduates will receive badges, programs, and other materials, but will not be members of MSSA, nor will they receive a subscription to *Sociological Spectrum*. Undergraduate students who wish to become members and receive the subscription should register separately (see p. 1).

Name of Sponsor: _____ **Affiliation:** _____

Name of Undergraduate Student

Email:

Use additional sheet if necessary.

DO NOT MAIL THIS PAGE

SUBJECT AREAS

Use this list to find code numbers for your areas of teaching and /or research interests. Write the code numbers in the appropriate spaces on page 2.

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| 000 Do Not Code (no more areas) | 320 Mental Health/Illness |
| 010 Aging/Gerontology/Death & Dying | 330 Methods/Methodology |
| 020 Applied Sociology/ Planning/ Evaluation Research | 331 Qualitative Methods |
| 030 Art/Literature/Performing Arts | 332 Quantitative Methods |
| 040 Biosociology | 340 Military Sociology |
| 050 Childhood/Adolescence | 350 Minority/Race/Ethnic Relations |
| 060 Clinical Sociology | 360 Organizations, Complex/Formal |
| 070 Collective/Social Movements | 365 Small Colleges |
| 080 Community | 370 Political Economy |
| 090 Comparative Sociology/Macrosociology | 380 Political Sociology |
| 093 Historical Sociology | 390 Popular Culture/Humor |
| 095 Social Indicators | 400 Regional Studies/Globalization/World Systems |
| 100 Computers/Microcomputing | 401 Africa |
| 110 Criminal Justice | 402 Asia/Pacific |
| 115 Corrections/Penology | 403 Europe |
| 120 Criminology/Delinquency/Crime | 404 South/Central America |
| 130 Cultural Sociology | 405 North America |
| 140 Demography/Population | 406 Southern United States |
| 142 Fertility | 410 Religion |
| 144 Mortality | 420 Rural Sociology |
| 146 Migration | 430 Science/Technology |
| 150 Development/Modernization | 440 Sexuality |
| 160 Deviance | 450 Small Groups |
| 170 Economy and Society | 460 Social Change |
| 180 Education | 470 Social Control |
| 190 Emotions | 480 Social Networks |
| 200 Environmental/Disaster | 490 Social Policy/Human Services |
| 210 Epidemiology/Health/Illness | 493 Poverty and Welfare |
| 220 Family | 495 Social Problems/Social Disorganization |
| 230 Gender Studies | 500 Social Psychology |
| 240 Human Ecology | 510 Socialization |
| 245 Humanistic Sociology | 520 Sociology as a Profession |
| 250 Industrial Sociology | 530 Stratification/Inequality/Mobility |
| 260 Knowledge/Social Thought/History of Sociology | 535 Symbolic Interaction |
| 270 Law and Society | 540 Teaching Sociology |
| 275 Forensics | 550 Theory |
| 280 Leisure/Sports/Recreation/Gambling | 560 Urban Sociology/Urban Studies |
| 290 Mass Communication/Media/Public Opinion | 565 Victimology |
| 300 Mathematical Sociology | 570 Visual Sociology |
| 310 Medical Sociology | 580 Work/Occupations/Professions |
| 315 Disabilities | 990 Other |