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South African Student
Social Workers Association

INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL WORK CONFERENCE ONLINE 1-3 SEPTEMBER 2021

Pandemics, poverty and inequality: Social work in the 21st century

Conference Sub-themes:

1. Building social work partnerships and interdisciplinary collaborations
2. Climate change as a threat to human health: the role of social work
3. Decolonisation of social work education
4. Ethics and Values in Social Work
5. Intimate relationships, marriage, families & transitions
6. Promoting mental health, well-being and sustainable communities
7. Promoting Ubuntu: Cultural, economic, gender and racial inequalities
8. Social development and policy in responding to pandemics, poverty and inequality
9. Social work and health issues: Substance abuse, HIV & AIDS and COVID-19
10. Social work practice during pandemics: working with children, youth, persons with disabilities, the homeless and the elderly
11. Social work supervision and field training during the lockdown
12. Teaching under emergency remote learning in the fourth industrial revolution

Conference workshops:

Workshop 1: National Social Work Students' Association
(restricted to students only)

Workshop 2: Global standards for social work education and practice

Workshop 3: Concerns on social work graduate unemployment

Free online conference

1-3 September 2021

Conference Details: <https://asasweiconference.org.za>

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Deadline for abstracts extended to

19 July 2021

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- ❖ **Association for the Schools of Social Work in Africa (ASSWA)**
- ❖ **International Association of the Schools of Social Work (IASSW)**
- ❖ **South African Council for Social Service Professions (SACSSP)**
- ❖ **South African Student Social Workers Association (SASSWA)**
- ❖ **National Department of Social Development**