

**Communications and Publications (Social Dialogue magazine and book publications) Report  
(June-December 2021)  
Online Board meeting 10<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> January**

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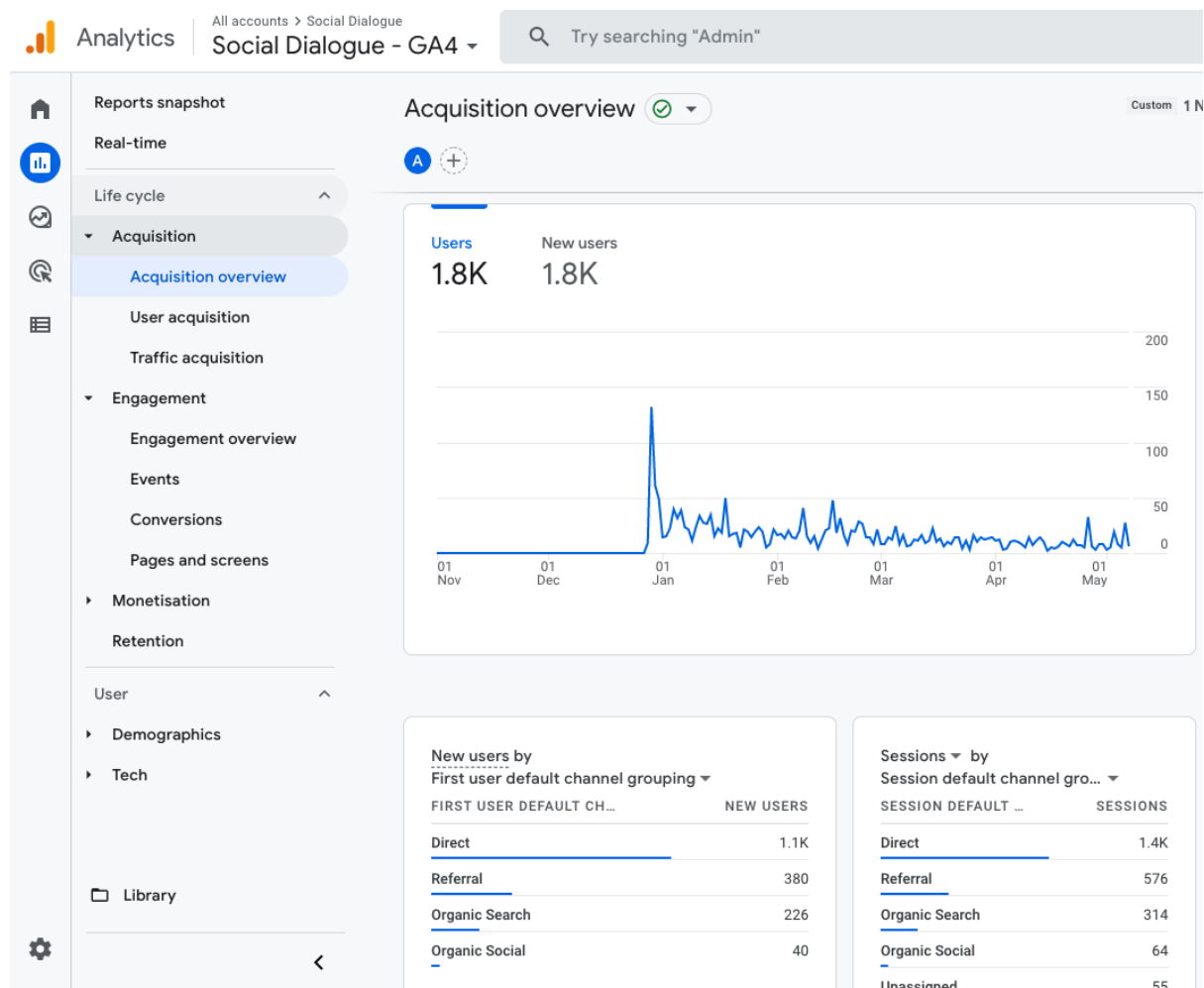
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There are several projects this committee is involved in.

**The first** is IASSW’s social dialogue. We are pleased to announce that issue#25 titled “*A Pandemic that Shook Social Work Education*” guest edited by Michael Wallengren-Lynch and Lena Dominelli and their colleagues has been successfully received. See analytics of readership below.

<https://socialdialogue.online/sd25>



The March/April 2022 is currently in the production stage. The title is **Black lives matter: Developments in de-colonising social work** with Editors: Kish Bhatti-Sinclair (Social and Life Sciences, University of Chichester, West Sussex) and Brian Littlechild (Social Work University of Hertfordshire, Hatfield UK). In this edition we have contributors from Guyana, Papua New Guinea, UK, Canada, New Zealand, Australia, Ecuador.

The next edition for 2022 (Nov/Dec) is tentatively titled “**Wars and Crisis: Voices from the Unheard**” The proposal comes from the IASSW Human Rights and Social Justice Committee (Anneline Keet and Alexandra Mustafa). Call for contributions will be publicised around mid-August.

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1. **The second** is the book edited by Shajahan and Tiong titled “*Remaking Social Work for the New Era*” and has 12 chapters in four sections. Most of the articles have been gathered from contributions to the 2021 IASSW Online Social Work and Development Conference (Jan., March & April, 2021). The full manuscript is in production with Springer Nature .
2. **The third is IASSW’s Collaboration with Springer Nature for Social Work Book Series**

#### **IASSW Book Series (Proposed) Advancing Social Work and Social Work Education**

#### **IASSW Collaboration with Springer Nature Publisher for Social Work Book Series**

IASSW has discussed with Springer the proposal for collaboration and commissioning of social work and social work education book series. Springer Nature publishes under the titles Palgrave and MacMillan and in the Behavioural Health Sciences (social work, psychology, public health titles). Springer Imprint is one of the largest book publishers.

Currently IASSW, together with ICSW and IFSW publishes with SAGE the widely acclaimed journal: *International Social Work*. IASSW has also published, for more than 10 years, the free and open access *Social Dialogue* which is a valuable teaching resource with global coverage of key social issues.

IASSW seeks to address the publisher’s interest in textbooks and resource material in social work for tertiary level classes, training, research and scholarships. The book series will be research based, forward looking and contributing to professional practice and curriculum development in social work education and training. The volumes will also contribute to practical and conceptual knowledge and theory development based on social research and development contributing towards current and future social work, social administration, social policy and research.

IASSW will form an editorial board that will oversee the book series. This will be the overarching body working with the Series and Volume Editors. Each volume about 150pp and could have single, double or multiple authors.

#### **Proposed Springer Book Series**

The Book Series will focus on **Advancing Social Work and Social Work Education**

#### **Series 1: Advancing Social Work Practice, Policy and Research**

Provide cutting edge research and practice based models for advancing social work in the new era.

1. Social Work Models of Practice and Development - Darja
  - New models of practice and theory development
  - Social research and model development

- Indigenous models of social work practice
  - Social leadership and international development models
  - Governing social work
  - Social Work in the times of political conflicts
2. Social Work Practice Research - Minna
    - New research paradigms for social work practice
    - Learning by doing - qualitative approaches to research
    - Social worker and data management
    - Changing social workers' perspectives
    - Social workers professional narratives in social and political contexts
    - Reflexive narratives of Social Workers
  3. Community and Social Development and Sustainability - Shajahan
    - Green social work, climate change and sustainable development
    - Disaster and crisis management and pandemic and social intervention
    - Food and security challenge
    - Migration and new economy
    - Social work at times of ageing populations
    - Social development and global restructuring
    - Intersectional issues and challenges: ethnicity, anti-racism; neo-colonialism; ageism;
  4. Pushing Boundaries in International Social work and Social Justice - Angie
    - International social work and social issues, globalization and social change
    - Global agenda, regional, multilateral and bilateral collaboration
    - Dealing with social justice issues
    - Human rights advocacy from a social work perspective
    - Social development and SDGs

### **Series 2: Advancing Social Work Education**

Provide an updated survey of international social work education as well as a resource for the future of social work education.

1. New Developments in Social Work Education and Curriculum - Shahana
  - Global agenda social work education
  - Globalisation social work education
  - Social work values and education
  - Social work field education development
  - Decolonising social work education
2. Resource Material and References on Social Work Education - Darla
  - Trends in global social work education
  - Curriculum development for international social work standards
  - New development of key social work courses, curriculum, and syllabi
  - Teaching social welfare, development and administration
  - Pedagogy in teaching social work
3. Social Work Education and Leadership - Barbara
  - Online Teaching and E-courses and innovative programmes
  - Schools of social work, associations such as IASSW, APASWE, CSWE
  - Historization of social work education across the Globe
  - Future of social work education
4. Contemporary Issues in Social Work Education - Carolyn
  - Green Social Work
  - Feminist Social Work

- Diversity in Social Work
- Human Rights Perspective in social work education
- Resilience, Disaster Preparedness and sustainability
- Cross national collaboration in social work education

### **Our Editorial Board:**

The IASSW editorial team is led by:

- Professor Ngoh Tiong TAN, Co-chair Publication Committee, IASSW's Treasurer, Chair, Global Institute of Social Work and Adjunct Professor at Singapore University of Social Sciences;
- Professor Carolyn Noble, Chair Publication Committee, Emeritus Professor of Social Work at ACAP in Sydney and Emerita Professor of Social Work at Victoria University, Australia and Senior Research Associate, University of Johannesburg, South Africa.

With Prof Annamaria Campanini, President IASSW, and Professor Barbara Shank, Secretary, IASSW as advisors.

### ***Editors and Volume Leads***

Our book series editorial board and volume editors include:

- Professor P.K. Shajahan, Dean, Academic Affairs at the Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS), Mumbai and Vice-President of International Council on Social Welfare
- Professor Darja Zaviršek, Chair of the Dept. of Social Justice and Inclusion, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia; President of the European sub-regional Association of Schools of Social Work
- Professor Minna Zechner, IASSW Board member, Associate Professor in Social and Health Services at the University of Helsinki, Finland
- Professor Shahana Rasool, Board Member IASSW, Professor in the Department of Social work and Community Development University of Johannesburg, South Africa

### ***Advisory Board***

Professor Tan, Ngoh Tiong, Treasurer, IASSW, Editor in Chief and Professor Carolyn Noble, Co-Editor in Chief, Chair, Publication Committee, IASSW

Besides Prof Annamaria Campanini, President IASSW, and Professor Barbara Shank, Secretary, IASSW as key advisors, other resource persons include Past Presidents of IASSW and international renowned scholars of social work.

The Editorial Advisors and Resource Team members are:

Professor Lynn Healy, Life Member, IASSW, Professor Emeritus, University of Connecticut

Professor Angelina Yuen, Past President, IASSW, Professor Emeritus and former Vice President, Hong Kong Polytechnic University

Professor Lena Dominelli, Past President, IASSW, Professor, University of Stirling

Dr Darla Spence Coffey, Ph.D., M.S.W. President and Chief Executive Officer, Council on Social Work Education

We currently invite any ideas from the committee regard further ideas for publications.

Respectively submitted

Carolyn Noble, Chair

Tan Ngoh Tiong, Co-chair

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