

International Association of Vegan Sociologists

5th Annual Meeting: Vegan Intersectionality

October 5-6, 2024

Business Meeting Agenda

- Update on activities
 - Student journal [closed]
 - Talks and panels over the past year [n/a]
 - Social Science Week “Vegan Sociology Down Under” two day event [Zoei Sutton]
 - Teaching Vegan Sociology [call for resources]
 - Social media [Lauren-Marie Kennedy]
 - Blog [Leanne Cooper: call for submissions; conference abstracts welcome]
 - Podcast series [Melda Kelemcisoy & Lauren-Marie Kennedy]
 - Additions to website
 - Thanks to Adrianna Kapek-Goodridge for managing affiliate page
 - Thanks to Lucja Lange for editing videos from last conference for Youtube
 - Vegan Sociology “Research Lab” [on hold]
 - Vegan Sociology Shut Up and Write (SUAW) [Zoei Sutton & Alex Hill]
- Promote us on Twitter, Facebook, Newsletter
 - Reminder that we are happy to promote any new research, announcements, etc. from all academic/non-academic levels, but we need to be notified
- Invite new affiliates
- Theme for next year’s conference
 - Emotions/senses?
 - In-person 1 day symposium on hold due to funding issues
 - Potential collaborations for next year?
- Announcing Committee positions
 - Thank you to 2024 Committee
 - Position duties

Notes

- Melda organizing a vegan sociology PG meetup/networking group on Slack
- Victoria organizing reading group
- Zoei & Alex organizing shut up and write meetup
- Zoei (and Alex?) organizing a research lab

- Considering rotating the reading group, writing group, and research lab ; considering doing it regionally to manage timezone differences
- Strong interest in collaborating with larger activist/academic conferences such as VARC to increase sociological coverage; also interest in smaller regional meetups at universities for vegan sociology symposiums (Kate and Melda taking lead)
- Next year's theme: Emotions/Sensing

In attendance:

- Corey Wrenn
- Zoei Sutton
- Alex Hill
- Lynda Korimboccus
- Melda Kelemncisoy
- Vegaani Lohikaarme
- Anita
- Annette Jordensen
- Catherine Cowan
- Kadri Aavik
- Kate Stewart
- Lucja Lange
- Lynda Korimboccus
- Michael Briscoe
- Stephen Muzzatti