

New England Sociological Association (NESAs) Spring Conference

CALL FOR PAPERS

Saturday, April 11, 2009

**Western New England College
Springfield, MA**

THEME: *The Sociological Imagination*

Proposal Deadline: March 1, 2009

In 2009 C. Wright Mills will have published *The Sociological Imagination* fifty years ago. I'm sure most of us are keenly aware of The Promise, the distinction between personal troubles and social issues, and the "fruits" of the sociological imagination, all which have had a substantial impact on the field of sociology. The intent of this call for participation is to address the sociological imagination and its impact on sociology. We welcome you to propose papers, workshops, speaker panels, and poster presentations in these and other areas:

- Teaching and learning in sociology
- Social Psychology
- Social Policy
- Socialization
- Social Problems
- The Sociology of Work
- Complex Organizations

You may identify additional variations on these themes. Undergraduate students are welcome to present posters or to co-present with sponsors.

Please submit proposals with full title and 100 word abstracts via e-mail to Conference Organizer Ray Zucco at rzucco@wnec.edu, Michaela Simpson at bsimpson@wnec.edu, or NESAs President Patricia Levy at pleavy@stonehill.edu.

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