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Qualitative Research Workshop

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The main aim of this workshop is to gather specialists in various socio-human sciences (human geography, ethnology, socio-cultural anthropology, history, social psychology, letters, etc.) committed to interdisciplinarity, who engage qualitative methodologies in their research.

The current pandemic crisis has different consequences and impact on research practices and policies in general, influencing in specific ways the ones in socio-human sciences. The intention of the workshop is to encourage participants to present their current research, paying particular attention to interrogations and reflections on:

- Newly appeared research issues: how specifically the social, political, economic new contexts generate topics of scientific interest and influence diverse practices in different fields; how and why, specifically, the new research themes are configured and generate the rearticulation of scientific policies as well;
- Research methodologies reconfigured in the current crisis: how and why the online milieu(s) affect the research results (relations with the interlocutors, redefining the relation subject-object in scientific practices, how space and time are perceived and included in our research, new ways of exploiting scientific sources);
- How global and local dynamics are included in current research;
- Autoethnographies (we encourage presentations which underline how self-reflections and personal experiences are connected to and make sense in broader social/cultural contexts nowadays).

The workshop is neither limited to these interrogations nor only to the above-mentioned domains.

The Zoom meetings are organised monthly (in principle).

The first meeting is scheduled in November (author, presentation - to be confirmed).