



Are you interested in being a BSA Sociology of Consumption co- convenor?

BSA Consumption Study Group Announces Call for New Convenor(s)

Since being re-launched in 2019, the Consumption Study Group has worked to provide a productive and supportive network through which researchers working on matters relating to consumption, consumers and consumer culture can meet to present research findings and engage in dialogue and debate. After a number of successful events in recent years, the current team of Convenors are looking to hand over to a small team of new Convenors who can develop and expand the Study Group membership and activity.

While specific roles are often negotiated within the team of Convenors, tasks and responsibilities can include:

- Organising occasional events/workshops
- Maintaining the Study Group mailing list with JISCMail
- Managing the Study Group Twitter account
- Liaising with the BSA, including writing a short annual report outlining Study Group activities
- Representing the study group at BSA Study Group meetings

Besides these duties, the new Convenors will be able to propose and introduce new initiatives which further the aims of the Study Group and represent the interests of its members.

The Convenor role is open to academics of any career stage and Early Career Researchers are encouraged to apply. Convenors must be BSA members and maintain their membership for the duration of their tenure in the role. One of more of the current Convenor team will be available during a handover period to allow the new team to get established and settled into the role.

To apply, please email Tom Thurnell-Read (t.thurnell-read@lboro.ac.uk) or Emma Casey (emma.casey@york.ac.uk) an expression of interest including a short statement of what you could bring to, and how you could benefit from, the role by Friday 31st March 2023.

Further information is available at <https://www.britsoc.co.uk/groups/>