



# ISBNPA

Socioeconomic Inequalities SIG



## Our July 2024 NEWSLETTER!

Dear SIG Members,  
Welcome to the Socioeconomic Inequalities SIG's July newsletter!  
The Socio-economic Inequalities Special Interest Group (SIG) was established as a 'community to serve ISBNPA members who share interests and expertise in socioeconomic inequalities in nutrition, physical activity and sedentary behaviours. This year has been an exciting year. We are pleased to provide you with our up-to-date activities in this newsletter.

## ISBNPA Omaha 2024 Update



We are delighted to share that our recent conference was an outstanding success! Held in Omaha from 20-24 May 2024, the event brought together a vibrant community of experts, researchers, and practitioners. The conference received 518 attendees from 35 countries. We engaged in thought-provoking discussions, innovative presentations, and invaluable networking opportunities that left us inspired and energised. We also conducted our SIG Business meeting on 21 May 2024.

There were 27 abstract submissions from our SIG, all were accepted. All accepted abstracts can be accessed in our Book of Abstracts [[HERE](#)] (the previous abstracts books are also available in this folder).

Here are the three presentations from our SIG that made it to the oral awards session:

- Dr. Kathryn Janda-Thomt. Nutrition insecurity associated with lower odds of sports participation among United States adolescents: findings from a cross-sectional analysis of nationally representative data.
- Dr. Jennifer Thomas. Implementation of an intervention combining physical activity with psychological therapy for socially disadvantaged young people: A mixed-methods process evaluation.
- Mr. Edgar Doolan. Differences between quantitative and qualitative responses to the U.S. Household Food Security Survey Module: Findings for U.S. Latine households with children

Here is the [awards for best presentation at ISBNPA2024](#). All winners will get a free registration for the ISBNPA2025 annual meeting in New Zealand

The food at the conference was a vegetarian delight, entirely plant-based. Some might say, it's the best food they've had at a conference !!

We are also thrilled to share that ISBNPA has managed to significantly reduce our per capita emissions (i.e., total emissions divided by each ISBNPA member) by 50% compared to the same period last year.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all the attendees, speakers, and organisers who made this event possible. Amidst the tornado sirens, your contributions and active involvement were instrumental in creating such a memorable and impactful experience. We look forward to our next gathering in Auckland, New Zealand in 2025.

### **Socioeconomic Inequalities pre-conference workshop update**

Unfortunately, the pre-conference workshop co-hosted by Socioeconomic Inequalities and the Cancer Prevention & Management SIGs was canceled. The workshop was entitled "Using a World Cafe Approach of Community Engagement to Address Socioeconomic Inequalities in Cancer Prevention and Management." We hope to run it on ISBNPA 2025 Auckland!!!

## **PROJECT SPOTLIGHT PRESENTATION ISBNPA**

Dr. Chien Ju Ting is currently conducting a research project that focuses on the representation of female athletes in New Zealand print media. The project involves a corpus discourse analysis using newspaper data from 2022 to 2023. This time period is significant due to important events related to women's sports in New Zealand, such as the postponement of the 2021 Women's Rugby World Cup to 2022, the success of New Zealand athletes at the 2022 Winter Olympics, and the FIFA Women's World Cup. This window of time provides an excellent opportunity to observe the discourse in society regarding females in sports.

## **EARLY CAREER RESEARCHERS PhD EXPERIENCES**

We would like to create a space where Early-Stage Researchers show their experience regarding their PhD, their work topic and what they expect from the future.

Please let us know about your PhD students and give us the opportunity to know their work! Please send an email to: Chair and Co-Chair [sonia.vladimira@ulusofona.pt](mailto:sonia.vladimira@ulusofona.pt); [lene.seidler@sydney.edu.au](mailto:lene.seidler@sydney.edu.au) or our Newsletters leadership team [lua.perimal-lewis@flinders.edu.au](mailto:lua.perimal-lewis@flinders.edu.au); [chien.ting@aut.ac.nz](mailto:chien.ting@aut.ac.nz); [doridily@gmail.com](mailto:doridily@gmail.com).

## **CALL FOR PAPERS**

### **Frontiers in Digital Health**

#### **Socioeconomic Inequalities in Digital Health**

We welcome studies (analytical, descriptive, experimental, meta-analysis, observational, review, qualitative) tackling socioeconomic inequalities in the following areas but not limited to: access to technology (remote and rural), digital (health) literacy, telemedicine, virtual care, wearable technology, data privacy, health apps, lessons learned, safety of digital health technologies, digital health and vulnerable population (women, older adult, children, migrants, people with chronic illness). [Socioeconomic Inequalities in Digital Health | Frontiers Research Topic \(frontiersin.org\)](https://www.frontiersin.org/journal/10.3389/fdth).

### **Springer**

#### **Measuring Socioeconomic Inequalities in a Comparative Perspective**

Open for submission from 01 July 2024 Submission deadline 30 September 2024

Persistently rising socioeconomic inequalities have become a major concern in many countries in recent years, both in the Global North and South. Contemporary

society is going through several consecutive and partly overlapping (financial, economic, ecological, sanitary, social, and political) crises that, together with the impact of current wars and rising geopolitical conflicts, contribute to increasing socioeconomic inequalities. This call for papers focuses on conceptualizing, measuring, and analyzing socioeconomic inequalities as multidimensional phenomena. Issues that may be addressed include (but are not limited to): socioeconomic inequalities and well-being; health inequalities.

[Call for Papers: Measuring Socioeconomic Inequalities in a Comparative Perspective | SpringerLink](#)

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Gear C, Ting CJ, Manuel C, Eppel E, Koziol-McLain J. (2024) Integrated System Responses for Families Impacted by Violence: A Scoping Review. *International Journal of Integrated Care*, 24(2): 17, 1–14. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.5334/ijic.7542>

Ting, C. J., & Teng, W. (2024). Who is the language policy for? Translation discrepancies and their implications to (dis)trust. *Te Kaharoa*, 17(1). <https://doi.org/10.24135/tekaharoa.v17i1.43>

Hocking, J., Maeder, A., Powers, D., Perimal-Lewis, L., Dodd, B., & Lange, B. (2024). Mixed methods, single case design, feasibility trial of a motivational conversational agent for rehabilitation for adults with traumatic brain injury. *Clinical Rehabilitation*, 38(3), 322-336.

## UPCOMING CONFERENCES AND EVENTS

### - ISBNPA2025 in Auckland, New Zealand

**WHEN:** June 11-14, 2025

**WEBSITE:** <https://annualmeeting.isbnpa.org/>

### - HEPA 15th Conference 2024

**WHO:** RCSI University of Medicine and Health Sciences Dublin (The conference is jointly organised with WHO/Europe. )

**TITLE:** The 15th Conference of HEPA Europe 2024

**WHEN:** 19-21 August 2024

**WHERE:** Dublin (Ireland)

**WEBSITE:** <https://www.hepa2024.ie/>

### - ISPAH, Paris, France 2024

**WHO:** International Society for Physical Activity and Health

**TITLE:** The 10th ISPAH Congress

**WHEN:** 28th - 31st October 2024

**Where:** Paris, France, and hosted by the French Society of Public Health

**Website:** <https://congress2024.ispah.org/>

### - The 4th Asia-Pacific Society for Physical Activity conference 2024

**WHO:** Asia-Pacific Society for Physical Activity

**TITLE:** Asia-Pacific Society for Physical Activity conference

**WHEN:** November 2024

**WHERE:** Perth, Australia.

**WEBSITE:** <https://aspactivity.org/conference/>

## COLLABORATION CORNER AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Horizon Europe research and innovation funding is currently available, presenting a great opportunity for international collaboration. Horizon Europe is the EU's key funding

programme for research and innovation with a budget of €95.5 billion. Connect with your international research partners; innovative ideas may be waiting somewhere. Don't miss out! For more information got to : [https://research-and-innovation.ec.europa.eu/funding/funding-opportunities/funding-programmes-and-open-calls/horizon-europe\\_en](https://research-and-innovation.ec.europa.eu/funding/funding-opportunities/funding-programmes-and-open-calls/horizon-europe_en)

Are you passionate about Socioeconomic Inequalities? Do you have a great idea? Please contact us to start a conversation.

## HOW TO GET INVOLVED

### Success stories

**Do you have any success stories that demonstrate the positive impact of addressing socioeconomic inequalities?** We would like to hear from you! Please contact our social media and newsletters team leaders: (Social Media: [sjliew.epi@gmail.com](mailto:sjliew.epi@gmail.com); [salma.musaad@bcm.edu](mailto:salma.musaad@bcm.edu); Newsletters: [lua.perimal-lewis@flinders.edu.au](mailto:lua.perimal-lewis@flinders.edu.au); [chien.ting@aut.ac.nz](mailto:chien.ting@aut.ac.nz); [doridily@gmail.com](mailto:doridily@gmail.com)).

### Webinars

**Would you like to share your experiences and expertise in an online webinar? We would like to hear from you!** Please contact us by sending an email to: [sonia.vladimira@ulusofona.pt](mailto:sonia.vladimira@ulusofona.pt); [lene.seidler@sydney.edu.au](mailto:lene.seidler@sydney.edu.au) (Chair and Co-Chair).

### SOCIAL MEDIA UPDATES

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