

Special Issue

Migration, Citizenship and Social Rights

Message from the Guest Editors

The Special Issue aims to explore historical and contemporary issues surrounding the benefits conferred by both citizenship and liminal immigration statuses, as well as those granted and denied to undocumented immigrants. Research areas may include (but not limited to) the following:

- National and transnational legal frameworks impacting migrants' access to social rights;
- The influence of political narratives on immigrants' access to social rights and social incorporation;
- Shifting conceptions of citizenship during times of heightened political attention to international migration;
- Influences of neoliberalism, isolationism and populism on immigrants' access to resources and social rights;
- The intersection of race, gender and nationality and immigrants' access to social rights;
- Historical and comparative perspectives on immigrants' access to social rights without citizenship;
- Asylum seekers and their social rights while awaiting asylum decisions;
- Variable access to social rights at different moments in the life course for noncitizens;
- Intergenerational impacts of limited social rights in mixed-status families.

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