

PETER B. CLARKE Memorial Essay Prize 2020

Call for Essay Submissions

The BSA (British Sociological Association) Sociology of Religion Study Group (Socrel) invites essay submissions on any aspect of contemporary religion addressed from a sociological perspective.

Final Deadline: 15 April, 2020

The Winner of the Essay Prize will receive:

- a Free Full Pass for the Annual Socrel Conference – to be taken up by reimbursing fees for the 2020 conference or applying the prize to the annual conference in 2021
- a cheque for £100 (sponsored by Taylor & Francis)
- a £50 voucher for books from Taylor & Francis (sponsored by Routledge)
- a year's subscription to the *Journal of Contemporary Religion*
- an opportunity to get published in the *Journal of Contemporary Religion* (the winning essay is subject to JCR's normal peer review)
- for the runner-up essay, a cheque for £50, if the judges decide that there is a runner-up (sponsored by Taylor & Francis)

Submission Details:

- The essay must be between 6000 and 7000 words, **including footnotes and bibliography**, and must not be available in print/electronic format or submitted for publication elsewhere.
- The essay must be single authored, written in English and submitted as a single MS Word document attachment, including bibliography and cover sheet. Please number your pages.
- Submitting authors must follow the *JCR* style guide.
- The winning essay should be submitted to *JCR* within 3 months of the prize having been awarded.
- Submitting authors must be postgraduates and be or become members of Socrel to enter.
- The winning author will be expected to contribute a short blog post to the Socrel website
- Application forms and further details are available from the Socrel website: <https://www.britsoc.co.uk/groups/study-groups/sociology-of-religion-study-group/>
- Electronic submissions with cover sheet downloaded from the Study Group website need to be sent to Dr Michael Munnik (munnikm@cardiff.ac.uk).