The Race and Society Workshop, an interdisciplinary workshop located within the Northwestern University Department of Sociology, focuses on race as a subject of scholarly inquiry and a framing category for a variety of social relations. These relations include everyday social interactions, institutional structures, symbolic and cultural meanings, and more, all of which enable and/or constrain social life. They also occur in contexts that move within and transcend local and national boundaries. The R&S Workshop is invested in supporting graduate students and faculty to produce theoretically and empirically-rich research that takes this into account.

The coordinators of the R&S Workshop welcome papers from graduate students and faculty. Papers only need to be centered on race scholarship and can emerge from diverse intellectual traditions and disciplines. For each workshop the presenting scholar will use their research as a point of departure to engage discussants for one hour. Please submit a no more than 500-word abstract to rsnorthwestern@gmail.com by October 6, 2017 11:59 PM.

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