

# Ian Rowe-Nicholls

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## EDUCATION

**Pennsylvania State University**, University Park, PA, Expected May 2029

M.A. in Sociology; Ph.D. in Sociology

Advisor: Dr. Gary Adler

**Saint Joseph's University**, Honors Program, Philadelphia, PA, May 2024

B.S. in Sociology, B.A. in History; GPA: 4.00

## PUBLICATIONS

### *Peer-Reviewed*

**Rowe-Nicholls, Ian**, Elizabeth M. Lee, Allison L. Hurst, and José A. Muñoz. 2024. "I Don't Even Talk About It': Applying Ray's Theory of Racialized Organizations to Class Stratification in Academia." *Sociological Focus* 57(4):504–522. doi: [10.1080/00380237.2024.2393243](https://doi.org/10.1080/00380237.2024.2393243).

Sautter, Jessica M., Jule Anne Henstenburg, Adrian Glass Crafford, **Ian Rowe-Nicholls**, Victor S. Diaz, Kaitlyn Ann Bartholomew, Julia S. Evans, Maria R. Johnson, Jeffrey Zhou, and Deeksha Ajeya. 2024. "Health Outcomes Reported by Healthcare Providers and Clients of a Community-Based Medically Tailored Meal Program." *BMC Nutrition* 10(1):147. doi: [10.1186/s40795-024-00955-6](https://doi.org/10.1186/s40795-024-00955-6).

### *Non-Refereed*

**Rowe-Nicholls, Ian**. "Jesuit Universities Brew Up Fair Trade Awareness One Cup at a Time" (January 2022). *Conversations On Jesuit Higher Education*.

## SUBMITTED MANUSCRIPTS

**Rowe-Nicholls, Ian**. "Guilty Consciences for Good: White Guilt and Support for Charities for Racial Justice." (Under review, *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*)

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Forthcoming: **American Sociological Association Conference**, "Divided We Keep?: A Model for Socioeconomic Segregation's Effect on Generosity," oral presentation. Chicago, IL, August 2025.

**American Sociological Association Conference**, "Giving to the Mirror: A Study of Social Distance, Compassion Collapse, and White Guilt," oral presentation. Montréal, QC, August 2024.

**Eastern Sociological Society Conference**, "Giving to the Mirror: The Role of Common Identities and Values in Compassion Collapse," oral presentation. Washington, D.C.,

March 2024.

**American Sociological Association Conference**, “Higher Education as a Class-Based Institution: A Study of Working-Class Sociologists,” oral presentation, session presider. Philadelphia, PA, August 2023.

**Mid-Atlantic Undergraduate Social Research Conference**, “Higher Education as a Class-Based Institution: A Study of Working-Class Sociologists,” oral presentation. Virtual, April 2023.

**Saint Joseph’s University Undergraduate Research Symposium**, “Higher Education as a Class-Based Institution: A Study of Working-Class Sociologists,” oral presentation. Philadelphia, PA, April 2023.

**Saint Joseph’s University Research Day**, “Higher Education as a Class-Based Institution: A Study of Working-Class Sociologists,” poster presentation. Philadelphia, PA, April 2023.

**Eastern Sociological Society Conference**, “The Role of Social Class in Shaping Higher Education as a Workplace,” poster presentation. Baltimore, MD, February 2023.

## **RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE**

- 2024-2025 Graduate Research Assistant, **Pennsylvania State University**, Department of Sociology and Criminology, University Park, PA
- 2023 Quantitative Research Assistant, **MANNA Institute**, Philadelphia, PA
- 2022 Ethnographic Research Assistant, **Anti-Defamation League** (Black-Jewish Alliance), Philadelphia, PA
- 2021-2023 Undergraduate Research Assistant, **Saint Joseph’s University**, Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice, Philadelphia, PA

## **AWARDS, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS**

- 2025 **Moral Decision-Making Seed Grant**, (\$750), Consortium on Moral Decision Making, Pennsylvania State University. 2025. With Gary Adler.
- 2025 **Research in Democracy Support Grant**, (\$750), The McCourtney Institute for Democracy, Pennsylvania State University. 2025. With Gary Adler.
- 2024 **University Graduate Fellowship**, Pennsylvania State University.
- 2024 **College of Arts and Sciences Dean’s Award**, Saint Joseph’s University.
- 2024 **Kane Sociology Award**, Saint Joseph’s University.
- 2024 **Thomas J. O’Malley, S.J., Award for Excellence in Historical Studies**, Saint Joseph’s University
- 2023-2024 **Dean’s Research Travel Award (3x)**, Saint Joseph’s University
- 2021-2023 **Summer Scholars Funding (3x)**, Saint Joseph’s University

## **MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS**

- Consortium on Moral Decision-Making**, Graduate Affiliate, Pennsylvania State University
- Empathy and Morality Lab**, Graduate Affiliate, Pennsylvania State University
- American Sociological Association**, Altruism, Morality and Social Solidarity Section
- Phi Beta Kappa** (Liberal Arts Honor Society), Saint Joseph’s University

**Phi Alpha Theta** (History Honor Society), Saint Joseph's University

**Alpha Kappa Delta** (Sociology Honor Society), Saint Joseph's University

**Alpha Sigma Nu** (Jesuit Honor Society), Saint Joseph's University