SOC SOURCE

SPRING EDITION

ZOE ZHOU'S THESIS SELECTED TO BE FEATURED AT RESEARCH CONFERENCE

Senior Zoe Zhou's thesis has been accepted to the 2020 Engaged Scholarship & Social Justice Undergraduate Research Conference at Harvard University. Her thesis, titled ""From "Weirdos" to "Lovely People": The Incorporation of Chinese Rural Subculture," examines the marginalized group of rural people in China and their use of the app "Kuaishou." Zoe asserts while rural Chinese people once were able to use the app to resist oppression and build community, the hegemonic group in China has worked to commodify the subculture, turning it into mainstream entertainment. While the conference unfortunately has been recently cancelled, selection for the conference is a huge accomplishment! Congrats Zoe!



The sociology department is now on Instagram! While for the time being we will not be meeting in the halls of Palmer, we want to continue to build and strengthen our community online. If you have any content (quotes, articles, class work, sociological musings) please email them to the paraprof (bmorgan@coloradocollege) or DM the account. Follow us @ccsocdept!!



VOTE IN THE SAB ELECTION

Sociology majors, faculty, and staffremember to have your voice heard and vote for next year's Student— Advisory Board! Ballots (including student's interest and information) will be emailed to your inbox in the coming weeks! Make sure your voice is heard! March & April Block 7

ADVICE AND REFLECTIONS FROM OUR SENIORS AS THEY GET READY TO LEAVE

"Take classes in the REMS and Feminist & Gender Studies! The methods of critique I've learned from these classes have been necessary complements to what I've learned from Sociology. I've heard people say that these disciplines are all so related it would be repetitive to take these kinds of classes in addition to Soc, but that's not at all true."

-Eliza Guion.

"Sociology might feel
easy at times but it's
emotionally, mentally and
physically demanding and it
will take a toll. I suggest
taking your time and
working with others so you
don't feel isolated or alone.
You will see how rewarding
working in sociology can be if
you stick with it. Best of luck!"
-Max St. Pierre

"Your thesis is not a big deal.
If anything, pick something
you are interested in, do
some data collection, and
write it up. The stakes are
low, and you will be okay."
-Elam Boockvar-Klein

"My thesis topic was associated to my personal experience and helped me learn about myself in ways I couldn't even imagine." -Max St. Pierre "In Eric's Globalization and Immigration at the U.S.-Mexico Border course, we carried gallons of water and left them along the migrant path through the Sonoran desert of Arizona. That trip perfectly embodied the beauty of Sociology - matching theory to practice. In that moment, we used our contextual understanding to guide our action, a dynamic I wish to continue in post-grad and beyond." - Elam Boockvar-Klein

"I absolutely loved Kathy's Communities & Networks class. Everything we learned felt directly applicable and relevant to my life and understanding of my own communities. It was a really amazing practice in translating social theory to everyday situations."

-Eliza Guion

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Department
Schedule of
Classes
2020-21

SOC NEXT YEAR?

The course grid, including what classes are being taught and who is teaching them, has been published. Find it in your inbox or online on the CC Sociology Department page under "Courses".