The Ethnography Circle

Where is the Theory in my Data?

THURSDAY 27 FEBRUARY
3.00-4.30
Warwick Business School, room 2.005

Seminar with Gerardo Patriotta on Crafting Papers for Publication

Despite the conventions about what constitutes a strong/original theoretical contribution, publishing academic research inevitably takes the shape of a craft that authors frequently (and quite often painfully) learn by doing. In this workshop, we will look at some techniques that authors can use for developing effective arguments, leveraging academic conventions in a constructive fashion, and communicating clear contributions to their audiences (editors, reviewers, and academic readers).

Bio

Gerardo Patriotta is a Professor of Organisation Studies at the Warwick Business School. His work has combined sociological and organisational theory to understand the work practices and behaviours of, amongst others, shopfloor operators, courtrooms judges, business consultants, global bank managers, air force pilots, e-markets sellers, and news workers. He is General Editor at the Journal of Management Studies and serves on the editorial boards of the Academy of Management Review and Organization Studies.

Please Note: This workshop is also given as part of the module on theorizing and publishing qualitative research, so 1st/2nd year WBS PhD students who are due to attend/have attended this module may not want to attend Ethnography Circle session.

Seminar will be conducted at Wolfson Research Exchange, Uni of Warwick, Library, CV4 7AL

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