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## 2019 Call for Papers

Individual Papers | Panels |  
Session Proposals | Author Meets Critics

October 25-27, 2019

Hyatt Regency at the Arch | Saint Louis, Missouri

The **Mormon Social Science Association (MSSA)** invites proposals for individual papers, panels or author meets critics sessions for the 2019 annual conference, held conjointly with the meetings of the **Society for the Scientific Study of Religion and the Religious Research Association (SSSR)**. We invite contributions on all topics relevant to the social scientific study of Mormonism, with special interest in those featuring multiculturalism, gender/sexuality, post-colonialism, and questions of disaffiliation/retention. Proposals should include a paper/panel title, a 250-word abstract, and the names, contact information, and institutional affiliation of all participants.

Submissions Open: **January 25, 2019**

Submissions Close: **March 20, 2019**

Decision Notification: **April 30, 2018**

Please submit proposals to Gordon Shepherd at: [gordons@uca.edu](mailto:gordons@uca.edu)

As an interdisciplinary and international association, the **MSSA** promotes the social scientific study of study of Mormonism and facilitates communication and collaboration among researchers, educators and students. Membership is open to all. We sponsor scholarly conferences, publications, panel discussions, paper sessions, and the biennial Glenn M. Vernon Lecture. **Join us today.**

### 2019 MSSA KEYNOTE ADDRESS

We are delighted to announce that **Dr. Laurie F. Maffly-Kipp**, Archer Alexander Distinguished Professor at the John C. Danforth Center for Religion and Politics, will deliver the 2019 Vernon Lecture at the upcoming Annual Meeting in Saint Louis.



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