**Self, Society, Symposium**

**Preconference, American Sociological Association,**

**Philadelphia Convention Center**

**August 17, 2023,**

**9:00  10:30**  **Psychodynamic Perspectives on Society: Part I**

George Lundskow Culture and Character: The Sacredness of Violence in the United States

Christopher T. Conner, John Calandrella   Q-Anon and Sports: How Conspiracies Infiltrated America's Favorite Pastime.

Jeremiah Morelock   The Productive Orientation

Maor Levitan Towards a Theory of Ethical Charisma

**10:30-12:00   Psychodynamic Perspectives on Society: Part II**

Adam Burston : Judaism, Anti-Semitism and Zionism in Freud, Fromm and the Frankfurt School

Kevin B Anderson    Humanism: From Sartre and Fromm to Fanon and Dunayevskaya

Dan Kier  The Profitable Self: From the Protestant Ethic to the Prosperity Gospel.

**12:00 -1:30  Lunch**

**3;00 -3:30   Coffee**

1:30-3:00  -  **Right Wing**

 David Smith    Marketing the Culture War:  Fromm, Trump, and the Looking-Glass Self

Pam Rooks       The Jayhawk Nazi: A Prophet of Deceit

Bob Antonio    Climate Change: Apocalyptic Destruction or Hoax of the Wokes?

**3:30 -5:00** **Author Meets Critics**: Michael Thompson, *Twilight of the Self*

Michael Thompson,

Charles Thorpe,

 Lauren Langman