Tentative Agenda
Committee on Publications
August 2, 2008, 8:30 a.m.-4:10 p.m.
Sheraton Boston

Executive Session (8:30-9:00 a.m.)

- Approval of the Agenda
- Approval of Minutes from December 2007

Open Meeting with Editor Representatives (9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.)

- Report of the Chair (Hout)
  - Committee on Electronic Publishing
- Report of the Executive Officer (Hillsman)
  - Subscription rates for 2009
- Report of the Secretary (Tomaskovic-Devey)
  - Review of membership and subscriptions
  - Report on Contexts’ Finances
- Nomination for Replacement Rose Series Co-Editor
- Nominations for New Editors
  - American Sociological Review
  - Sociological Methodology
  - Sociological Theory
  - Sociology of Education
  - Teaching Sociology
- New Editorial Guidelines for Contexts (Wharton)
- Update on Contexts’ Review Committee
- Proposal for Mental Health Section Journal (Edin)
- Proposal from Drug and Alcohol Section for Sponsorship of Journal of Drug Issues
- Review of Journal Submission and Publication Data
  - Permanent increase in SOE page allocation
- Update on “Sunshine” Activities (Edwards)
- Update from the Subcommittee on a New Monograph Series (Winant)
- Flexible Funding for ASA Journals (Fine)
- Constructing Journal Acceptance Rates (Fine)
- Reevaluating ASA’s Journals Program (Fine)
- Review of Editorial Board Nominations
- New Business
  - Appointment of New Committee Chair (Hout)

Final Executive Session (3:00-4:10 p.m.)

- Formal Motions and Voting