



## Joint webinars IASSW & PowerUs 2023

All are welcome to join us for a series of Webinars organised by IASSW and PowerUs on "Critical Perspectives on Service User Participation and experiential knowledge".

All seminars will be recorded and uploaded via youtube however we encourage wide participation of people with lived experiences, students, lecturers and researchers to join the sessions for lively interaction and discussion.

Joining links are below for each topic. Please share amongst your networks.



**11/2 14.00 CET**

### **Service Users and Academics: Collaborators, not Competitors in Welfare Research**

Ole-Petter Askheim, Lillehammer University College,  
Norway

**25/2 14.00 CET**

## **Gap-mending as a Critical and Reflective Practice**

Cecilia Heule & Tabitha Wright Nielsen, Lund University,  
School of Social Work



**11/3 14.00 CET**

## **Mending Gaps with Asylum Seeker communities to Achieve Change**

Helen Casey & Bini Araia, Open University, London, UK

**15/4 14.00 CET**

## **People in poverty as tandem partners in social work education**

Kristel Driessens, lecturer at the department of social work and researcher at the Research Group Social Inclusion, of the Karel de Grote University of Applied Sciences (Antwerp/Belgium).

Pascal Maes, Expert by Experience at 'Bind-Kracht' (Strength of ties) at Karel de Grote University of Applied Sciences and volunteer at Federal centre to combat



poverty, insecurity and social exclusion (Belgium). Natal,  
South Africa & University of Stavanger, Norway



**13/5 14.00 CET**

**Integrating experiential  
knowledge in social work  
education and research: a  
necessary and challenging  
innovation**

Jean-Pierre Wilken, Utrecht University of Applied  
Science, The Netherlands

**10/6 14.00 CET**

**The Future of Social Care - from  
Problem to a Rights Based  
Sustainable Solution**

Peter Beresford, University of East Anglia/ Shaping our  
Lives, UK





**12/8 14.00 CET**

**A critical Reflection on  
the Professionalization  
of Experiential Experts**

Ali Weerman, Hogeschool Windesheim, The Netherlands

**26/8 14.00 CET**

**Participatory Methodologies and  
Approaches for People-Centered  
Social Innovation and Epistemic  
Justice**

Swati Banerjee, Tata institute, Mumbai, India



**23/9 14.00 CET**

**Identifying the Missing Hero:  
Service User Participation in  
Housing First**

Marcus Knutagård & Arne Kristiansen, School of Social  
Work, Lund University





**28/10 14.00 CET**

## **Experiential Knowledge as Means to Develop Sustainable Care and Lasting Life Change from a Service User Perspective**

Malin Widerlöv & Mattias Widerlöv, Socialkraft/ School of Social Work, Lund University

**11/11 14.00 CET**

## **The Challenges and Opportunities for Co-producing the Social Work Curriculum**



Open University Lived Experience Group, London, UK



**16/12 14.00 CET**

## **Dear Keith: The Power of Letter Writing in Social Work**

Gil Martin and Susan Levy, University of Dundee, Scotland, UK

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