



CSE AGM Minutes
Saturday, 26 October, 2019
SOAS, London
14:00 start

Present: David Bailey, Alistair Cairns, Gregor Gall, Feyzi Ismail, Phoebe Moore, Yuliya Yurchenko, Owen Worth.

Apologies: Kate Begley, Greig Charnock, Elio Di Muccio, Ian Fitzgerald, Paul Stewart, Daniela Tepe-Belfrage.

1. Welcome, introductions & select chair
Alistair Cairns to chair. Phoebe Moore takes minutes.
2. Previous meeting's minutes – with any items to be followed up on
Follow up: Hugo Radice wants to itemise CSE's historical holdings and explore how to digitise some or all archives. Elio expressed interested in being part of it, especially finding book titles and availability. Alistair will put the two in touch.
All will need to be assessed for importance/relevance before any funds are allocated. But itemising, starting with titles might prove valuable.
3. Bookkeeper' year-end report – appended
There was overspend in the year, but lower office rent should resolve this.
4. SAGE 2019 report - appended
5. Editorial Board report
In 2019 C&C went from being published 3/year to 4/year. This has not led to the increase in pages we had imagined, as SAGE has set page limits. The current issue for example is quite thin. The hope that this would clear up the significant backlog of accepted pieces has not occurred; in fact it has increased significantly.
CSE may need to request a review of the contract. This will be discussed at the next XC meeting in spring 2020.
6. Working Groups reports - Midlands report appended.
CSE Midlands: David circulated a written report on his several events. 'Docs not Cops', activism vs academia discussed. Elio thanked for having done a lot of the work.
CSE South Group: Antifa event; digital work events. One led by Phoebe, one by Gregor. Blog posts on the WG websites are used to provide context.
Yuliya will be shadowing Phoebe over the next year, and they will create a calendar of events.
CSE Scotland: Alistair reported on the film screening Psychosis of Whiteness. Radical bookshop and book fair, a May Day event, and a book launch.
CSE Transpennine: There was one event at Manchester, run by Greig.
All events are placed on the CSE EVENTS page (www.cseweb.org.uk/conf.html) and promoted via lists, social media etc.

7. Office and XC report (with some information on Scotland WG) – appended

8. (Re)Elections of board members

All XC members will remain.

Whyeda Gill-Mclure will step down from the EB. Elio will take on full responsibility for BTNs.

WG conveners will each continue (with note of Phoebe & Yuliya). Greig to be contacted to inquire generally (both whether he continues to be convenor of Transpennine Group and whether he has events planned for the coming year, and also to update Alistair if/when any events are put on).

9. AOB

David will lead a Limerick event in June. CSE supported Critical Political Economy Early Career Workshop, agreed a rough budget of £500-£1000, to be consulted with Alistair for full costings/affordability.

10. Next mtg date

February, 2020, Manchester

MEETING CLOSES

**REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS AND
UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2018
FOR
CONFERENCE OF SOCIALIST ECONOMISTS**

CONFERENCE OF SOCIALIST ECONOMISTS

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for the Year Ended 30 September 2018**

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CONFERENCE OF SOCIALIST ECONOMISTS

COMPANY INFORMATION
for the Year Ended 30 September 2018

DIRECTORS:

Mr A Cairns
Mr I Fitzgerald
Dr O Worth
Ms K M Begley
Mr D J Bailey
Mr E Di Muccio
Dr P V Moore
Dr D Tepe-Belfrage

REGISTERED OFFICE:

Spaceworks
Benton Park Road
Newcastle Upon Tyne
NE7 7LX

REGISTERED NUMBER:

05137584 (England and Wales)

ACCOUNTANTS:

James Fraser & Co.
Chartered Accountants
3 Coates Place
Edinburgh
EH3 7AA

CONFERENCE OF SOCIALIST ECONOMISTS

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS for the Year Ended 30 September 2018

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 30 September 2018.

DIRECTORS

The directors shown below have held office during the whole of the period from 1 October 2017 to the date of this report.

Mr A Cairns
Mr I Fitzgerald
Dr O Worth
Ms K M Begley

Other changes in directors holding office are as follows:

Mr D J Bailey , Mr E Di Muccio , Dr P V Moore and Dr D Tepe-Belfrage were appointed as directors after 30 September 2018 but prior to the date of this report.

Mr M Meskoub and Mr P J Wells ceased to be directors after 30 September 2018 but prior to the date of this report.

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

Alister Cairns

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Mr A Cairns - Director

Date: 27 June 2019
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CONFERENCE OF SOCIALIST ECONOMISTS**INCOME STATEMENT
for the Year Ended 30 September 2018**

	Notes	2018 £	2017 £
TURNOVER		25,938	26,936
Cost of sales		2,908	4,599
GROSS SURPLUS		23,030	22,337
Administrative expenses		25,016	24,695
OPERATING DEFICIT and DEFICIT BEFORE TAXATION		(1,986)	(2,358)
Tax on deficit		(74)	-
DEFICIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR		(1,912)	(2,358)

The notes form part of these financial statements

CONFERENCE OF SOCIALIST ECONOMISTS (REGISTERED NUMBER: 05137584)**ABRIDGED BALANCE SHEET****30 September 2018**

	Notes	2018 £	2017 £
FIXED ASSETS			
Tangible assets	5	114	152
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors		460	456
Cash at bank		21,302	22,914
		<u>21,762</u>	<u>23,370</u>
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due within one year		2,542	2,276
		<u>19,220</u>	<u>21,094</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS			
		<u>19,334</u>	<u>21,246</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			
		<u>19,334</u>	<u>21,246</u>
RESERVES			
Income and expenditure account		19,334	21,246
		<u>19,334</u>	<u>21,246</u>

The company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 30 September 2018.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2018 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:

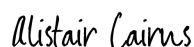
- ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of each financial year and of its surplus or deficit for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

All the members have consented to the preparation of an abridged Balance Sheet for the year ended 30 September 2018 in accordance with Section 444(2A) of the Companies Act 2006.

27 June 2019

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on and were signed on its behalf by:



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Mr A Cairns - Director

The notes form part of these financial statements

CONFERENCE OF SOCIALIST ECONOMISTS**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
for the Year Ended 30 September 2018****1. STATUTORY INFORMATION**

Conference of Socialist Economists is a private company, limited by guarantee, registered in England and Wales. The company's registered number and registered office address can be found on the Company Information page.

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES**Basis of preparing the financial statements**

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" including the provisions of Section 1A "Small Entities" and the Companies Act 2006. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Turnover

Turnover is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, excluding discounts, rebates, value added tax and other sales taxes.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Plant and machinery - 25% reducing balance

Taxation

Taxation for the year comprises current and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in the Income Statement, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity.

Current or deferred taxation assets and liabilities are not discounted.

Current tax is recognised at the amount of tax payable using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

3. EMPLOYEES AND DIRECTORS

The average number of employees during the year was 1 (2017 - 1).

4. OPERATING DEFICIT

The operating deficit is stated after charging:

	2018	2017
	£	£
Depreciation - owned assets	38	51
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CONFERENCE OF SOCIALIST ECONOMISTS**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued
for the Year Ended 30 September 2018****5. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS**

	Totals £
COST	
At 1 October 2017	
and 30 September 2018	1,836
DEPRECIATION	
At 1 October 2017	1,684
Charge for year	38
At 30 September 2018	1,722
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 30 September 2018	114
At 30 September 2017	152

6. LIMITED BY GUARANTEE

The company is a private company limited by guarantee and consequently does not have share capital. Each of the members is liable to contribute an amount not exceeding £1 towards the assets of the company in the event of liquidation.

**CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
ON THE UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF
CONFERENCE OF SOCIALIST ECONOMISTS**

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006, we have prepared for your approval the financial statements of Conference of Socialist Economists for the year ended 30 September 2018 which comprise the Income Statement, Abridged Balance Sheet and the related notes from the company's accounting records and from information and explanations you have given us.

As a practising member firm of ICAS, we are subject to its ethical and other professional requirements which are detailed at <http://www.icas.com/accountspreparationguidance>.

This report is made solely to the Board of Directors of Conference of Socialist Economists, as a body, in accordance with our terms of engagement. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the financial statements of Conference of Socialist Economists and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the Board of Directors of Conference of Socialist Economists, as a body, in this report in accordance with the requirements of ICAS as detailed at <http://www.icas.com/accountspreparationguidance>. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and its Board of Directors, as a body, for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that Conference of Socialist Economists has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare statutory financial statements that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and loss of Conference of Socialist Economists. You consider that Conference of Socialist Economists is exempt from the statutory audit requirement for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit or a review of the financial statements of Conference of Socialist Economists. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the statutory financial statements.

James Fraser & Co.

James Fraser & Co.
Chartered Accountants
3 Coates Place
Edinburgh
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27 June 2019

Date:

CONFERENCE OF SOCIALIST ECONOMISTS**DETAILED INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT
for the Year Ended 30 September 2018**

	2018		2017
	£	£	£
Sales		25,938	26,936
Cost of sales			
Other direct costs		2,908	4,599
GROSS SURPLUS		23,030	22,337
Expenditure			
Rent	3,627		3,310
Insurance	286		282
Directors' salaries	11,794		13,123
Directors' social security	480		691
Telephone and internet	433		426
Post and stationery	113		195
Advertising	144		178
Travel and subsistence	6,241		4,798
Venue hire	584		189
Sundry expenses	-		131
Accountancy	900		924
Legal and professional fees	257		224
Foreign exchange losses	(20)		38
		24,839	24,509
		(1,809)	(2,172)
Finance costs			
Bank charges		139	135
		(1,948)	(2,307)
Depreciation			
Plant and machinery		38	51
NET DEFICIT		(1,986)	(2,358)

Capital and Class
Publisher's Report
July 2019



Submitted to the Conference of Socialist Economists

Prepared by Matt Snelgrove, Associate Editor

Executive Summary

This report summarizes *Capital and Class*'s performance. Below is a snapshot of the journal's key performance metrics.

We appreciate your understanding and ask that you not distribute the data contained within this report without permission from the publisher.

Performance Metrics

Peer Review	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 79 manuscript submissions in 2018, a 12.9% increase from 2017• 56 manuscript submissions in 2019 YTD• 27% acceptance rate in 2018• 79 days average time to first decision in 2018
Production	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 3 issues consisting of 544 pages published in 2018• 165 pages published in 2019 YTD• 23 days average from transmittal to Production to OnlineFirst publication in 2018
Circulation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 8,523 total circulation in 2018• 10,337 total circulation in 2019 YTD
Online Usage	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 79,556 full-text downloads in 2018• 43,616 full-text downloads in 2019 YTD
Marketing	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 11,240 followers to date on the SAGE Politics Twitter channel• Top Altmetric score of 31 for the article "Revisiting the regulation approach: Critical reflections on the contradictions, dilemmas, fixes and crisis dynamics of growth regimes"• 78 articles claimed on Kudos, netting 4,834 Kudos article page views

Peer Review and Production

Total Submissions and Acceptance Rate

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 YTD
Total	114	77	88	102	79
Original	74	59	70	79	56
Accept	22	19	12	15	20
Reject	28	31	46	41	33
Accept Ratio	44%	38%	21%	27%	38%

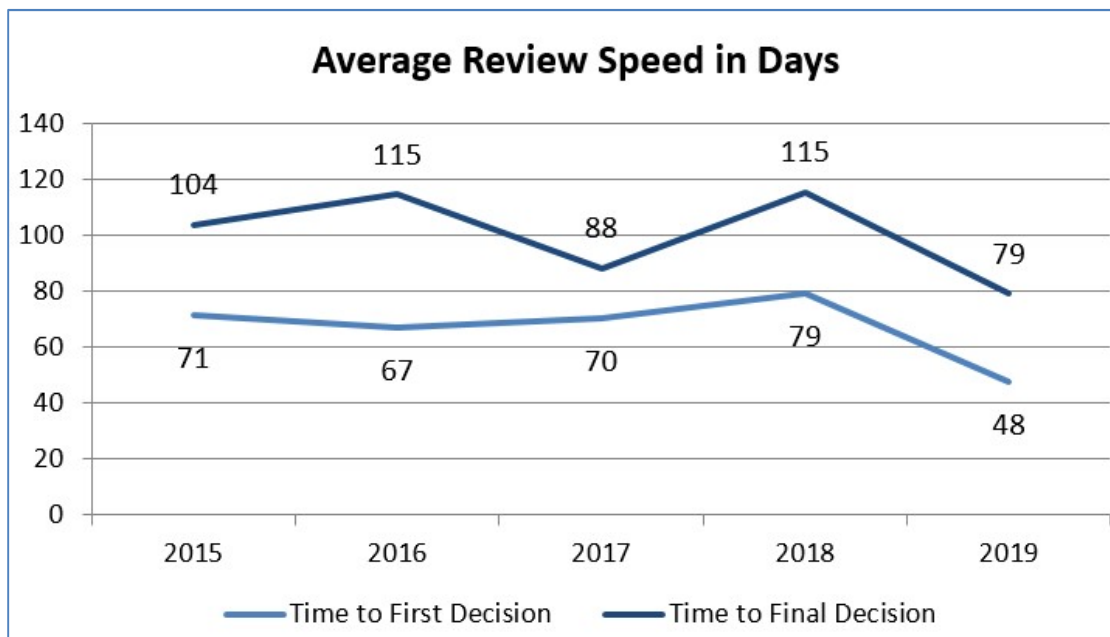
Total and original submission counts are based on the date manuscripts were submitted to SAGE Track. This data is available in the “Manuscripts Received” report in SAGE Track.

Acceptance rate is based on manuscripts that have received final decisions of accept or reject (does not count revisions). Counts for acceptances, rejections, and acceptance ratios are based on the date the decision is made, not the date the manuscript was submitted. This data is available in the “Manuscript Milestone” report in SAGE Track (limiting by decision date, not by date of original submission).

Original Submissions

Month	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
January	9	6	7	3	10
February	4	6	3	4	6
March	7	4	3	7	11
April	8	4	5	5	7
May	8	3	8	8	14
June	9	8	8	11	8
July	12	3	9	3	-
August	6	5	5	4	-
September	4	3	9	7	-
October	1	7	5	6	-
November	1	1	6	9	-
December	5	9	2	12	-
Total	74	59	70	79	56

Time to First Decision and Final Decision



Time to First Decision is defined as all original submissions that received their first decision within each year, regardless of when the manuscripts were submitted. Revisions are not included.

Time to Final Decision is defined as all submissions including revisions that receive a final accept or reject decision within each year, regardless of when the manuscripts were submitted.

Engaging Reviewers

SAGE employs several strategies to engage reviewers in the journal and help them promote their work.

Thanking Reviewers

SAGE offers a 60-day free trial as a thank you to reviewers for their work and as an incentive to further engage with the journal. This benefits the journal by increasing usage among key readers and gives the journal exposure to reviewers of related journals. For more reviewer resources, see <https://us.sagepub.com/en-us/nam/journal-reviewer-gateway>.

Published Content

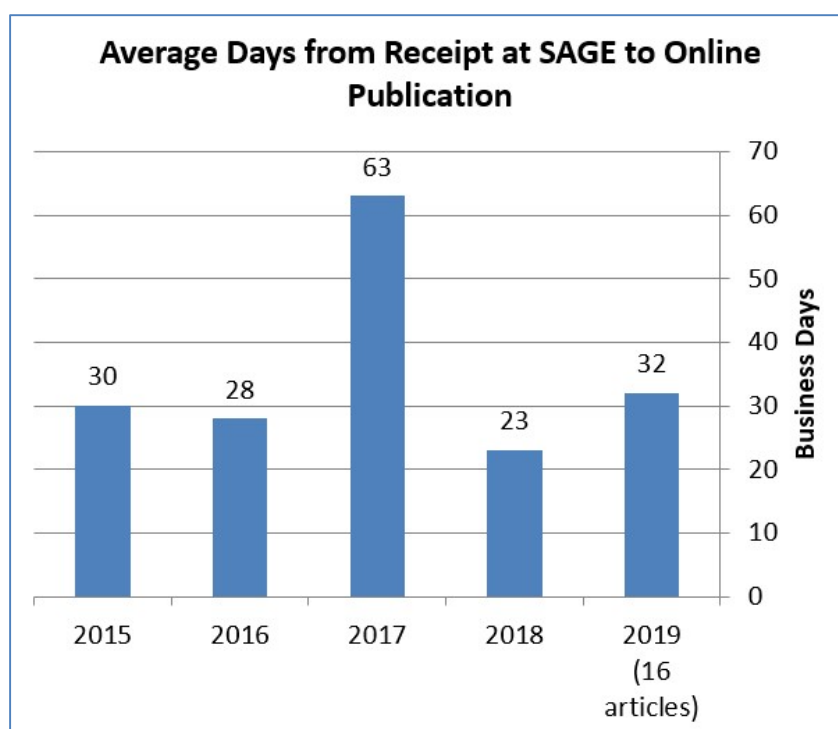
The following table summarizes the number of issues and pages published in the past two volume years.

2019					
Volume	Issue	Cover Date	Research Articles Published	Pages Published	Page Budget
43	1	March	13	165	192
43	2	June	9	183	192
Total for Volume Year			22	348	384

2018					
Volume	Issue	Cover Date	Research Articles Published	Pages Published	Page Budget
42	1	February	9	185	192
42	2	June	11	141	192
42	3	October	13	218	192
Total for Volume Year			33	544	576

Time in Production

The below graph shows the average number of days a manuscript spends in SAGE Production, beginning when the manuscript is exported from SAGE Track and ending when the manuscript is published online.



OnlineFirst Queue

As of 3rd July 2019, *Capital and Class* has 15 articles in its OnlineFirst queue. The oldest article in the queue was published on 27th November 2018. These articles are “fully published,” that is, these articles are fully citable using the date of the manuscript's first online posting and the DOI.

Readership

Circulation

Average Number of Subscriptions by Type 2015 – 2019						
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Renewal Rate 2017-2018
Members	66	85	148	120	126	81%
Institutions (Direct), Traditional	149	125	104	83	69	80%
Institutions (Direct), Migrated	60	76	89	98	96	110%
Institutions (Direct), Total	209	201	193	181	165	94%
Package	2,755	2,834	2,842	2,997	2,826	105%
Developing World	5,047	5,223	5,223	5,223	7,218	100%
Total	8,093	8,346	8,408	8,523	10,337	101%

Backfile (Cumulative)						
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Percent Change 2017-2018
Deep (Vol 1 - 1998)	1,646	1,746	1,789	1,836	1,935	3%
Shallow (1999 - Current)	766	806	912	958	981	5%

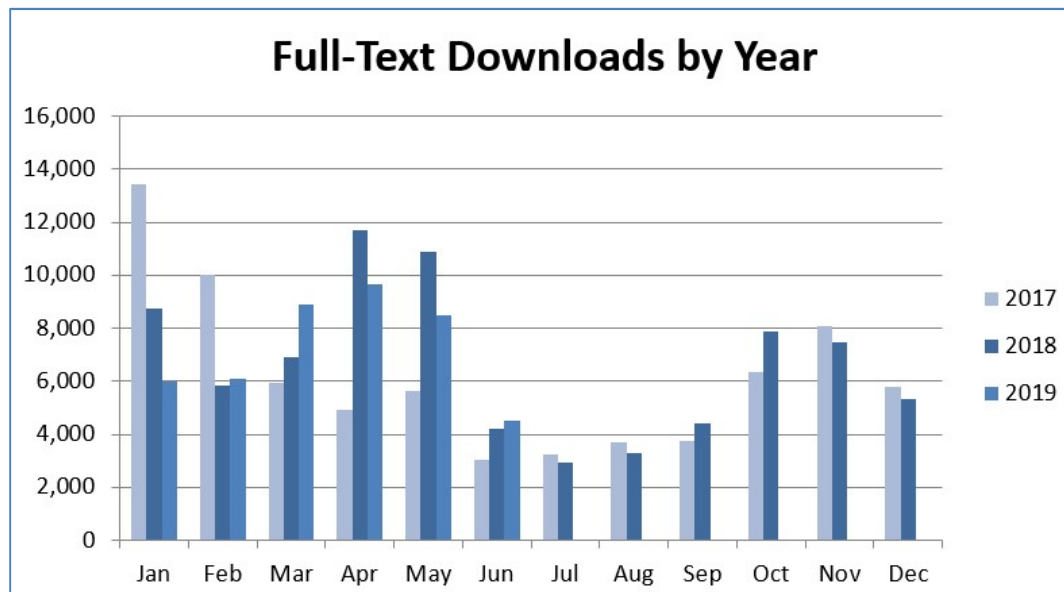
Online Usage

Full-Text Downloads			
	2017	2018	2019
January	13,430	8,759	6,007
February	10,018	5,814	6,115
March	5,949	6,915	8,874
April	4,937	11,680	9,639
May	5,630	10,874	8,465
June	3,038	4,215	4,516

July	3,251	2,910	-
August	3,692	3,291	-
September	3,755	4,430	-
October	6,349	7,862	-
November	8,092	7,464	-
December	5,809	5,342	-
Total	73,950	79,556	43,616
*Full-text downloads include both HTML and PDF article usage			

The journal has 43,616 full-text downloads in 2019 (through the end of June). This is a 9.6% decrease over 48,257 full-text downloads through the end of June 2018. However, the journal witnessed a 7.6% increase in downloads from 2017 to 2018.

Note: Due to the transition to Atypon, the subscription gateway was down from December 2016-February 2017. There was also a promotional one-month free trial of all SAGE Journals in April 2018 and again in May 2019.

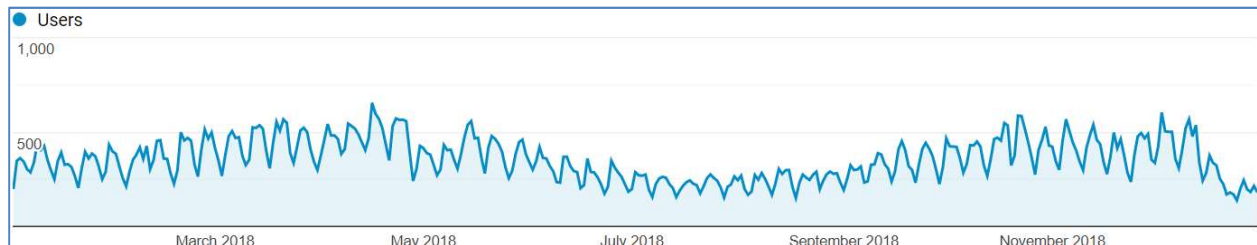


The [SAGE Author Gateway](#) offers recommendations for increasing usage and discoverability, including:

- What key phrases would you give a search engine if you were searching for your own article?
- Write for your audience but bear in mind how search engines work too
- Write a clear title with your main key phrase in it
- Write an abstract and choose keywords re-iterating 3 or 4 key phrases
- Keep it natural - Google will un-index your article if you go overboard on the repetition

Web Analytics

Google Analytics (GA) is a web analytics service that allows website owners to analyse how users interact with their site, providing crucial information on how best to meet their needs. Google Analytics allows us to see where users of the journal website are from, how they reach the website and much more. The analysis that follows is based on the period **1st January 2018 to 31st December 2018**.

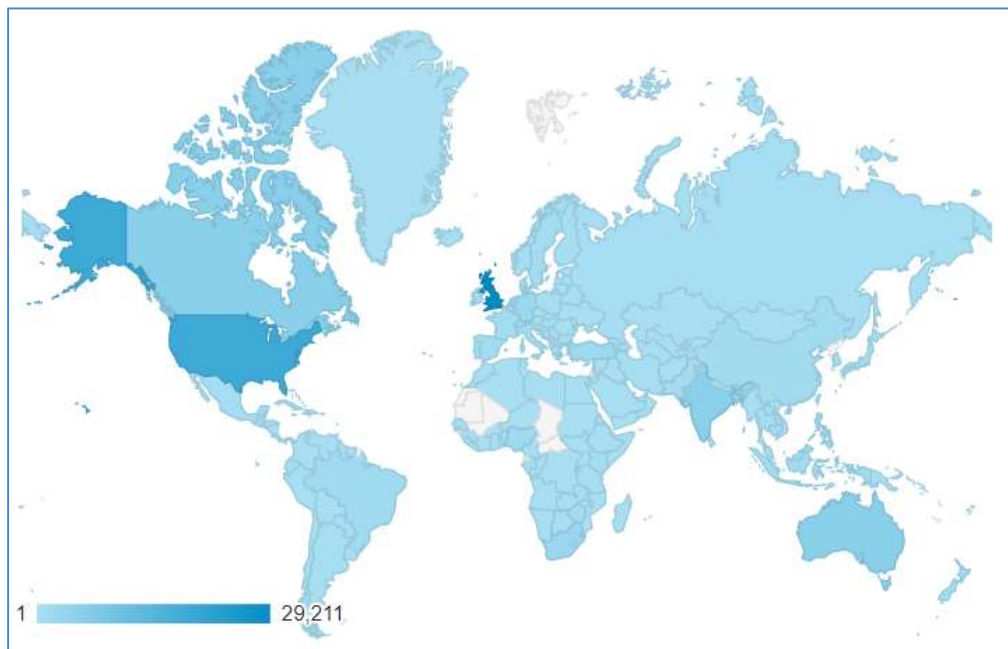


Visitors overview

There have been **108,726** (a 30% increase on 83,904 in 2017) individuals visiting the *Capital and Class* pages on SAGE Journals, who came to the site a total of **140,616** times (a 30% increase on 108,657 in 2017). Viewing an average of **1.61** pages per visit (a 12% decrease on 2017), this brings the total number of page views in the period to **225,949** (a 14% increase on 198,528 in 2017).

Visits by region

Visits to the journal's website came from readers in **199** countries.



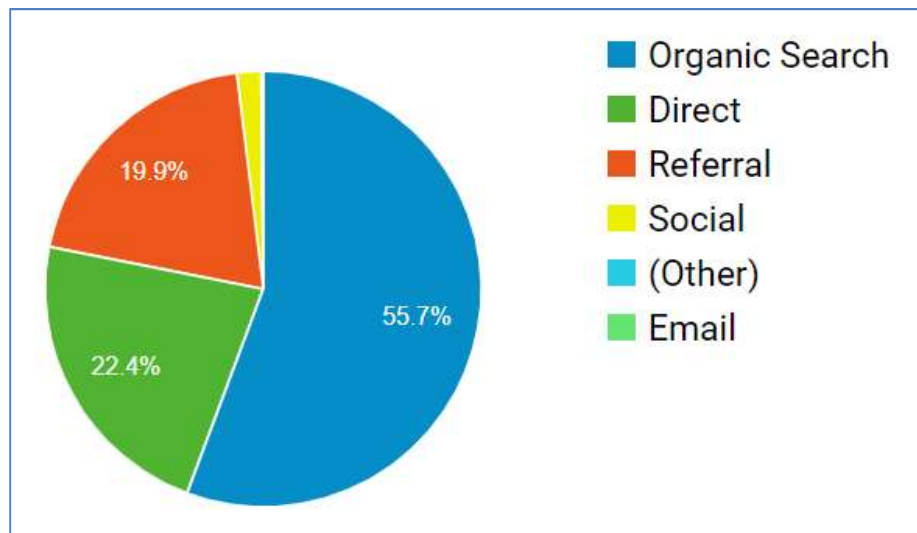
The table below shows the top ten countries visiting the website:

Country	Visits
United Kingdom	40,865(29.06%)
United States	22,185(15.78%)
Australia	6,907(4.91%)
Canada	6,748(4.80%)
India	6,386(4.54%)
Germany	3,608(2.57%)
South Africa	3,018(2.15%)
Turkey	2,856(2.03%)
Netherlands	2,526(1.80%)
Nigeria	2,248(1.60%)

Traffic Sources

Traffic to the *Capital and Class* website comes from 4 key sources: organic search (i.e. through a search engine), direct access (i.e. going straight to the website via the address bar), referral traffic (a link on another site) and social media traffic.

The breakdown for *CNC* is shown in the chart below.



Top Referring URLs

The list below shows the top 10 sources of referral traffic for *Capital and Class* during the given period. Generating a high percentage of traffic (**19.9%**), you can see that referral is a key source of traffic for the journal, particularly the search and browse functions within the SAGE Journals platform.

Referring site	No. of visits
scholar.google.com	5,512(19.55%)

scholar.google.co.uk	5,270(18.69%)
scholar.google.com.au	916(3.25%)
scholar.google.ca	803(2.85%)
scholar.google.co.za	586(2.08%)
scholar.google.de	461(1.64%)
scholar.google.com.tr	458(1.62%)
scholar.google.co.in	422(1.50%)
cseweb.org.uk	420(1.49%)
scholar.google.nl	365(1.29%)

Search Engine Keywords

The table below shows the top keyword searches used to search for journal content.

Please note that two of the top keyword searches were categorized as “not provided” and “not set”.

Keyword	Sessions
capitalism	85(0.11%)
just in time system	61(0.08%)
marxism	47(0.06%)
marxist feminism	38(0.05%)
UK garment industry workers	22(0.03%)
marxism and feminism	21(0.03%)
(Gibson-Graham JK (1996) The End of Capitalism (As We Knew it): A Feminist Critique of Political Economy. Oxford: Blackwell.)	15(0.02%)
feminism and marxism	15(0.02%)

Article Usage Statistics

The following table shows the ten articles that were downloaded the most in 2018 on the SAGE Journals platform.

Top 10 Most Downloaded Articles	
Total Downloads	Article
2,100	Christian Fuchs Marx's Capital in the information age Volume 41 Issue 1; 10.1177/0309816816678573
2,057	Christian Fuchs Social media, riots, and revolutions Volume 36 Issue 3; 10.1177/0309816812453613
1,986	Raju J Das, Raju Das David Harvey's theory of uneven geographical development: A Marxist critique Volume 41 Issue 3; 10.1177/0309816816678584

1,637	Mary Robertson, Mary Robertson The great British housing crisis Volume 41 Issue 2; 10.1177/0309816816678571
1,625	Christopher McMichael Pacification and police: A critique of the police militarization thesis Volume 41 Issue 1; 10.1177/0309816816678569
1,594	Heidi I. Hartmann The Unhappy Marriage of Marxism and Feminism: Towards a more Progressive Union Volume 3 Issue 2; 10.1177/030981687900800102
1,433	J. K. Gibson-Graham The End of Capitalism (as we knew it): A Feminist Critique of Political Economy Volume 21 Issue 2; 10.1177/030981689706200111
1,311	Paul Bleakley Situationism and the recuperation of an ideology in the era of Trump, fake news and post-truth politics Volume 42 Issue 3; 10.1177/0309816818759231
1,247	Doreen Massey Regionalism: Some Current Issues Volume 2 Issue 3; 10.1177/030981687800600105
1,209	Andreas Bieler, Adam David Morton A critical theory route to hegemony, world order and historical change: neo-Gramscian perspectives in International Relations Volume 28 Issue 1; 10.1177/030981680408200106

Citations and Impact

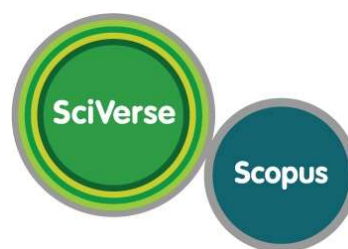
Web of Science's proprietary citation database remains the most important on the market, due to the annual Impact Factor release.

***Capital & Class* is indexed in Clarivate Analytics *Emerging Sources Citation Index*.**

ESCI complements the highly selective indexes by providing earlier visibility for sources under evaluation as part of SCIE, SSCI, and AHCI's rigorous journal selection process. Inclusion in ESCI provides greater discoverability, which leads to measurable citations and more transparency in the selection process.

SAGE works closely with a large number of **other abstracting & indexing services**, among which Scopus, Elsevier's abstracting & indexing database, is of growing significance. In 2011, it was announced that Scopus would be [the sole bibliometric provider for the 2014 Research Excellence Framework \(REF\)](#).

Over 500 SAGE journals are indexed in Scopus now, including *Capital & Class*. Inclusion in the database is particularly useful for directing researchers to your journal online, as Scopus search results link directly through to *Capital & Class* articles.



SCImago Journal Rank (SJR)

Based on 3 years of citation data, the SJR is a "prestige" metric which calculates a result based on the number of citations received by a journal but which also takes into account the subject field, quality and the reputation of the journals from which citations are made. Each of these factors has a

direct impact on the value of citations received and the final SJR result. The rank is based on the transfer of “prestige” from one journal to another; such prestige is transferred through the references that a journal makes to the rest of the journals and to itself.

In addition, Scopus also produces a Cites-Per-Doc (2y) result, which is calculated in the same way as ISI’s Impact Factor (i.e., citations to citable items in one given year divided by the number of citable items published in the previous two years). As the number of journals included in the Scopus database is far greater than that of ISI, the figure is not directly comparable and in many cases is likely to be higher.

Indicator Key

SJR - the average number of weighted citations received in 2018 by the documents published in the previous three years.

H index - the journal’s number of articles (h) that have received at least h citations

Total docs. (2018) – output of 2018 (all documents are considered, including citable and non-citable documents)

Total docs. (3 years) – published document in the three previous years

Total Refs. – all bibliographical references in 2018

Total Cites (3 years) - number of citations received in 2018 to the documents published in the three previous years

Citable docs. (3 years) – number of citable documents published in the three previous years

Cites/doc (2 years) – average citations per document in a 2 year period

Ref./doc – average number of references per document in 2018

The SCImago results for *Capital & Class* are shown below.

SJR	H index	Total docs. (2018)	Total docs. (3 years)	Total refs.	Total cites (3 years)	Citable docs. (3 years)	Cites/doc. (2 years)	Ref./doc.
0.468	30	33	77	1,701	88	72	1.15	51.55

Capital & Class has a SJR score of 0.468 ranking the journal at 83/1,217 in History | 359/1,137 in Sociology and Political Science | 292/621 in Economics and Econometrics.

The [SAGE Journal Editor Gateway](#) contains recommendations for increasing citations and improving Impact Factor, including:

- Highlight papers likely to be cited through promotions or editorials
- Publish papers likely to be cited earlier in the year
- Commission papers from highly-cited authors
- Identify highly-cited papers in your journal and related titles
- Identify zero-cited papers
- Publish review articles
- Publish special issues
- Increase size of editorial board
- Develop an editorial board with international representation and name-recognition
- Utilize editorial board for reviews and citations

Highly cited articles

The following table shows the top ten journal articles from 2016 and 2017 that were cited the most in 2018 on Scopus.

Title	Authors	Year	Total Cites in 2017
Against neoliberalism as a concept	Dunn B.	2017	11
Pulling together in a crisis? Anarchism, feminism and the limits of left-wing convergence in austerity Britain	Maiguashca B., Dean J., Keith D.	2016	5
Whither Lexit?	Worth O.	2017	4
Left-wing convergence: An introduction	Prichard A., Worth O.	2016	3
Corbynism's conveyor belt of ideas: Postcapitalism and the politics of social reproduction	Pitts F.H., Dinerstein A.C.	2017	2
Occupy representation and democratise prefiguration: Speaking for others in global justice movements	Teivainen T.	2016	1
Marx's Capital in the information age	Fuchs C.	2017	1
Reconnecting class and production relations in an advanced capitalist 'knowledge economy': Changing class structure and class consciousness	Livingstone D.W., Scholtz A.	2016	1
Crisis protests in Germany, Occupy Wall Street, and Mietshäuser Syndikat: Antinomies of current Marxist- and anarchist-inspired movements and their convergence	Vey J.	2016	1
Anarchism as emancipatory theory and praxis: Implications for critical Marxist research	Wigger A.	2016	1

Predicted Impact Factor

2018 Predicted IF

Cites in 2018 to recent articles published in:	2016	=	16	Number of citable articles published in:	2016	=	22
	2017	=	14		2017	=	22
	Total	=	30		Total	=	44
Cites to articles	=	30	= 0.681				
Number of articles	=	44					

2017 Predicted IF

Cites in 2017 to recent articles published in:	2015	=	17	Number of citable articles published in:	2015	=	23
	2016	=	16		2016	=	22
	Total	=	33		Total	=	45
Cites to articles	=	33	= 0.733				
Number of articles	=	45					

Term	Definition
Impact Factor	The Impact Factor is a measure of the importance of a journal and is calculated by dividing the number of citations in the JCR year by the total number of citable articles published in the two previous years.
Cites to Recent Items	Cites to recent items (numerator) must be from other journals indexed in the Web of Science. Citations (in any type of contribution e.g. editorials as well as articles) that acknowledge the journal title and the cited year (as provided by the author) are counted.
Citable Items	Cites must be to original articles, review articles or proceedings papers. These are known as citable items (denominator). The numerator and denominator are aggregated independently. The denominator reflects the final publication date of the source item. An item published online in 2015 and included in a 2016 issue is indexed with 2016 as the publication year and is considered part of the journal content in 2016.
Immediacy Index	The average number of times an article is cited in the year it is published.
5-Year Impact Factor	Similar to the Impact Factor but is based the number of times articles published in the past five years have been cited in the JCR year, rather than just the past two years.

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Top 10 Cited Articles in 2018 from Publication Years 2016 – 2017					
Title	Authors	Year	Volume	Issue	Total Cites in 2018
Against neoliberalism as a concept	Dunn, Bill	2017	41	3	4
Pulling together in a crisis? Anarchism, feminism and the limits of left-wing convergence in austerity Britain	Maiguashca, Bice; Dean, Jonathan; Keith, Dan	2016	40	1	3
Reconnecting class and production relations in an advanced capitalist 'knowledge economy': Changing class structure and class consciousness	Livingstone, D. W.; Scholtz, Antonie	2016	40	3	3
Marx's Capital in the information age	Fuchs, Christian	2017	41	1	3
Crisis protests in Germany, Occupy Wall Street, and Mietshäuser Syndikat: Antinomies of current Marxist- and anarchist-inspired movements and their convergence	Vey, Judith	2016	40	1	3
Anarchism as emancipatory theory and praxis: Implications for critical Marxist research	Wigger, Angela	2016	40	1	2
Pacification and police: A critique of the police militarization thesis	McMichael, Christopher	2017	41	1	2
Left-wing convergence: An introduction	Prichard, Alex; Worth, Owen	2016	40	1	1
The 14th of July of Daphni Leef: Class and social protest in Israel	Ram, Uri; Filc, Dani	2017	41	1	1
The new materialism: Re-claiming a debate from a feminist perspective	Tepe-Belfrage, Daniela; Steans, Jill	2016	40	2	1

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Marketing

Building Profile

SAGE has several initiatives that build the profile of *Capital and Class*. Included are:

Social Media

Journal content is promoted through the SAGE Politics Twitter feed which has 11,240 followers to date.



Recent Tweets

Date	Tweet
19-Mar-19	From the 'Long War' to the 'Long Peace' - Capital & Class presents a special issue on Northern Ireland twenty years after the Good Friday Agreement Read Colin Coulter and Peter Shirlow's editorial here: http://ow.ly/MhkC50n1ocL https://twitter.com/SAGECQPolitics/status/1108065872122466304/photo/1
18-Mar-19	As the Brexit deadline approaches, Capital & Class' special issue on 'The Left and Europe' is available to read until the end of the month http://ow.ly/7Pe550n3YQo
1-Mar-19	Where should the Left stand on Brexit? Read the historic debate from a Left perspective in Capital & Class' 2007 special issue: 'The Left and Europe' Available until the end of March http://ow.ly/VgR030nLn9w
18-Feb-19	Want some essential Brexit reading? Capital & Class' 2007 special issue on 'The Left and Europe' is available to read now until March http://ow.ly/igTL30nHc5T https://twitter.com/SAGECQPolitics/status/1097428108389552128/photo/1

Altmetric



Alternative metrics are becoming increasingly important in scholarly publishing. Altmetric tracks online mentions of journal articles across online platforms and uses an algorithm to score accordingly. The score is a helpful measure of online engagement and visibility, but it is not directly linked to citations or usage.

Top Altmetric Scores

Total Altmetric Score	Article Title
31	Revisiting the regulation approach: Critical reflections on the contradictions, dilemmas, fixes and crisis dynamics of growth regimes
26	The Unhappy Marriage of Marxism and Feminism: Towards a more Progressive Union
25	From 1969 to 2018: Relocating historical narratives of displacement during 'the Troubles' through the European migrant crisis
24	Welsh devolution as passive revolution

Maximizing Journal Usage

SAGE uses several marketing strategies to help build and maintain journal usage, which in turn should lead to more citations.

Email Alerts

Journal users can sign up to receive email alerts for new content and announcements about *Capital and Class*.

Engaging Authors

Authors already have an established relationship with the journal and are interested in its continued success. We employ several strategies to engage them in the journal and help them promote their work, including the following:

Author Care Email Series

SAGE has revamped our series of email campaigns to published authors. Authors receive a series of six email campaigns, over the course of a year, which begins on publication of their article. The campaigns are designed to ensure authors maximize use of the resources available to them. For example, encouraging authors to use social media to increase visibility and usage of the article and your journal.

Kudos

SAGE partners with Kudos, an innovative service that provides authors with tools to maximize the visibility and impact of their research. To date, 39,900 SAGE authors are using Kudos. For more information, see www.growkudos.com.

Kudos Actions Taken

Actions Taken	Total
Articles Claimed	78
Explanations Added	27
Articles Shared	10
Views of Article Pages on Kudos	4,834

SAGE Journal Author Gateway

SAGE is committed to supporting our authors to ensure their work reaches the widest possible audience and achieves the maximum possible impact. The SAGE Journal Author Gateway has been updated with a variety of infographics, brochures and videos to support new and established authors. Resources include 'How to get your article published' and 'SAGE Author Sharing Guidelines'. By providing authors with these skills we aim to maximize readership and encourage citations.

China Author Gateway

Our [China Author Gateway](#) supports Chinese authors with their submission process. A growing suite of materials in Simplified Chinese have been developed to support author needs, help authors select the right journal for their research and prepare their article for publication.

Our partnership with Editing Services provider Edanz, based in Beijing, puts us in a strong position to help authors improve the quality of their English language paper. Edanz provides a [Journal Selector Tool](#), which searches within SAGE Journals for authors to find the right journal for their research.

Maximizing Global Dissemination and Reach of Your Content

Your journal benefits from extensive reach and exposure in the global market through various SAGE initiatives and global partnerships.

Market Reach via Consortia and Sales

Our 200 strong Global Field Sales team support our existing library and consortia customers, secure renewals, and find new sales opportunities to expand the global reach of our journals. The team are highly experienced territory experts and work closely with librarians and consortia customers in their region to find the best selection of content for the needs of the institution and its researchers.

A large part of their goal is to ensure libraries renew digital package subscriptions and to build strong relationships with customers. We have 96% retention rate, which is a testament to the trust, and open dialogue SAGE builds between Sales Managers and librarians.

These activities continue to increase our market penetration on a global scale. Since the inception of SAGE Premier 15 years ago, alongside strong portfolio growth and flexible purchasing models, our customer base has increased 500%.

In addition, your journal is available in over 5,000 institutions in the developing world and emerging economies as a result of our partnerships with the UN's **Research4Life** initiative, The **International Network for the Availability of Scientific Publications (INASP)**, and The **eIFL Foundation**.

Library Marketing

The Library Marketing team are dedicated to promoting and encouraging the purchase of SAGE Journals content to librarians at both academic and non-academic institutions. SAGE Journals has strong market penetration in many key territories (such as USA, UK, and Europe) and in these areas we focus our attention on securing renewals and upselling. We are also always focused on generating new sales opportunities in emerging and growing markets (such as Latin America and the Middle East). SAGE's library marketing includes:

- Evidence based marketing. We use tailored and accessible customer data reports to demonstrate institution specific journal usage, demand based on journal access turnaways, discipline information and author contributions to empower librarians to make informed content purchase decisions. This means that when your content is in demand librarians will know about it.
- Quarterly usage driving campaigns to all librarian and faculty customers
- Onboarding campaigns for new customers
- Usage driving campaigns to boast usage and engagement from customers (faculty and librarians) with an active SAGE Journals free IP trial

- Targeted sales driving campaigns throughout the year to promote renewals and upselling
- Attendance at over 50 key library conferences a year
- Dedicated training teams and librarian resources to help librarians promote SAGE products to their institution

Online Platform

Your journal has a digital home on our next-generation platform, SAGE Journals, hosted on Atypon's Literatum platform. SAGE Journals offers the following valuable features that serve its ongoing needs:

- A fully responsive design and flexible technology that is adapted to support emerging user habits and web trends
- A dedicated Atypon development team provides fast and flexible delivery of our SAGE Journals roadmap
- SAGE's own dedicated online products team which includes experts in Search Engine Optimization (SEO) to maximize journal discoverability
- A dynamic reading experience, with a clear, intuitive design based on detailed user testing, provides enhanced brand value and profile for your journal

Atypon Microsites

Automated tools built in to the SAGE Journals platform allow us to quickly launch microsites for hot research topics. These microsites support usage for the featured journals. To see the microsite technology in action, visit <https://journals.sagepub.com/bigdata>.

Content Featured on Microsites 2018 – 2019 YTD

Microsite	Content Type	Title	Launch Date
Brexit	Special issue	The Left and Europe	1-Feb-19
Climate Change	Article	Ideological obstacles to effective climate policy: The greening of markets, technology and growth	1-Jul-18

Editorial Board Tips

On behalf of *Capital and Class*'s entire publishing team at SAGE, it has been a pleasure to work with you in the past year and we're looking forward to the year ahead. We would like to leave you with a few suggested action items for editorial board and/or society members to help promote the journal.

Sign Up for Alerts	<p>TIP: Sign up for email alerts and journal notifications at https://journals.sagepub.com/action/showPreferences?menuTab=Alerts.</p> <p>HOW THIS HELPS: Alerts will tell you when the latest content has been published in OnlineFirst or when a new issue has been released. You can scan the alerts for articles that may have newsworthy potential and flag them with the Editor.</p>
Faculty Pages & CV	<p>TIP: Make sure that your faculty page is up-to-date with your recent publications and mentions your role on the journal's editorial board with links back to the journal site.</p> <p>HOW THIS HELPS: By linking your articles published in the journal on your website or in your CV to the full-text articles in SAGE Journals, you will help increase the journal's search engine results and article downloads.</p>
Utilize Social Media	<p>TIP: Be sure to reference your role with the journal on your professional social media accounts, such as LinkedIn or relevant academic social networks. SAGE utilizes social media sites, including blogs and discipline-specific Twitter pages, to promote journal content. Share article links and journal news with your network of contacts.</p> <p>HOW THIS HELPS: This generates additional discoverability and exposure for the journal by driving traffic and interest in submitting to the journal.</p>
Kudos	<p>TIP: Promote articles you publish on Kudos and encourage colleagues to use the service for their research. For more information please visit the SAGE Author Gateway.</p> <p>HOW THIS HELPS: SAGE partners with Kudos, a third-party service, to allow authors to explain, enrich, and share their articles, and then measure the impact of their actions.</p>
Encourage Colleagues and Students to Submit	<p>TIP: When traveling to conference, speaking at lectures, and collaborating with colleagues be on the look-out for opportunities to recommend submission to the journal. As an editorial board member you are in the best position to recruit papers from interesting posters or presentations at a conference.</p> <p>HOW THIS HELPS: Recruiting new, exciting and innovative research from colleagues and upcoming researchers is a great way to increase citations and help apply for Clarivate Analytics Impact Factor review.</p>

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CSE Office report
For 2019 AGM
By Alistair Cairns

The Working Groups have all hosted events over the year. The Scotland group is jointly coordinated between Paul (from Grenoble) and Alistair. All events are listed on the 'Events' page at the CSE website. South, Midlands largely keep their WP pages current, and Alistair plans to set up a Scotland page. These are largely blog post-led pages, with information on events. Spare copies of C&C (which are kept to present to new members) are also distributed at events, encouraging people to have a look, and consider joining.

Protocols were developed (by board members) to help steer toward good practice.

Alistair has 'downsized' the office space to reduce rent, which should alleviate overspend of previous years.

Social media is regularly used, for general notices and to promote WG activity and others' events. This has some degree of reciprocity. As is often the case for small organisations CSE has many more 'followers' than members. There are about 100 members and 500+ on Twitter and 1400+ on Facebook.

There has been some trolling, perhaps not surprisingly.

C&C placed ads reciprocally with *Latin American Perspectives* and on one or two days per year in *Morning Star*. We could arrange more for similar journals.

C&C continues to be provided for free to radical bookshops in the UK bookshops. Shops sell 3 – 5 copies each. Edinburgh's 'Lighthouse' is particularly helpful in promotion.

Alistair & Kate meet almost weekly by telephone. This contributes a valuable role in the office running smoothly. The XC met 2 times this past year, both 'in person' (differently from previous years as the EB & XC are largely overlapping) and this AGM serves as the third meeting.

Continue annual meeting at SAGE, with Owen.

There has not been much progress at all on the previously discussed project to:

- Gather all CSE book titles, and check availability
- Look through (probably a dozen or more, some at the office, some with founding members, particularly Hugo R) boxes of archival material. Conference proceedings, general meeting notes/minutes and a LOT of fairly unorganised material is being stored, but is not accessible.

Generally the office continues to be run in accordance with the requirements of an organisation such as CSE. All bills, taxes, reports and submissions are made in a timely manner.

CSE Midlands Annual Report (2018-19)

CSE Midlands have been quite active over the last 12 months, with a series of public-facing events that we have put on throughout the year.

Elio Di Muccio, who has made a major contribution to the group over the past five years, has left Birmingham for the time-being and so will end his role as a co-convenor of the group. We are grateful to Elio for all of his considerable efforts, and are making plans to ensure he is remembered when the pre-history of the Birmingham Soviet is told in years to come.

This leaves the group now run by David Bailey and Darcy Luke, who are already working on preparing a series of events for the coming year.

The previous year's events were as follows:

- * Hugo Radice, The rise and fall of managerialism: from Veblen to shareholder value, January 2019
- * Sue Himmelweit and Adrienne Roberts, Gender and Contemporary Capitalism, January 2019
- * Gerardo Costabile Nicoletta, Almost There: An undisciplined history of the sociology of Operaismo, February 2019
- * Phoebe Moore, Petros Elia and Susana Benavides (United Voices of the World), and Saori Shibata, Automation, Changing Work, and New Ways of Struggle, March 2019
- * Eugene Nulman introduced his film, The Psychosis of Whiteness, May 2019

The events we put on were all supported with funding from CSE, with a total cost of £825 for the year (below the £1000 budget). We did also put on an event this week, on Tuesday, but for the sake of keeping the budget in order I intend to put that down as a 2019-20 event unless anyone objects.

We think our activity is also generating greater awareness of CSE as an organisation and we now have a reliable group of participants who show up at our events. Hopefully this helps to further awareness and interest in both CSE and Capital and Class, and our anti-capitalist project more generally.

Plans for next year's events include:

- * Decolonizing Green Marxism, hosting contributions to the planned Capital and Class symposium, including from Pablo Prado Cordova and Yuliya Yurchenko, October 2019 (estimated cost £300)
- * Borders, Refugees, Solidarity, Resistance, including contributions from Docs Not Cops, Unis Resist Border Controls, Tendayi Bloom, and Gaja Maestri, 21 November 2019 (estimated cost £350)

David Bailey, Darcy Luke
CSE Midlands convenors