CTSA Convention, Cleveland, Ohio
June 11-14, 2020

TOPIC SESSION/CONSULTATION: Christ

ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM:

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CONVENTION THEME: “All You Who Labor…”:
Theology, Work, and Economy

SESSION DESCRIPTION:
"Take up your cross and follow me" (Matthew 16:24), is Jesus's exhortation to labor in his image, in order to be a disciple. In keeping with the 2020 theme, which focuses on the exigencies of economy and work in different cultures and circumstances, we seek papers that explore which forms of labor Christ's cross and suffering demand of a disciple, and which forms of labor discipleship rejects. Potential areas of exploration might include (but are not limited to) invisible labor, or Dolores Williams’s notion of surrogacy.

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN YOUR PROPOSAL:

• Your paper proposal should be not more than 250 words.
• You should also include a 100 word précis that will be posted on the CTSA website should your paper be accepted.
• Please provide your name, affiliation, and contact information, including e-mail.
• Indicate whether you will be requiring A/V equipment.

ELIGIBILITY FOR SUBMITTING PAPER PROPOSALS

• CTSA guidelines require that those making proposals ordinarily be associate or full members in good standing with their dues paid up.
• No member may present a paper/respond to a paper/participate on a panel more than once at a given convention. An exception is made for members of under-represented groups. Presentations made to the Women’s Consultation on Constructive Theology are included in this rubric.
• Members cannot have a speaking role for more than two consecutive years in a three-year period.

Deadline: September 1, 2019. Please submit proposals to: brianne.jacobs@gmail.com
You will be notified by e-mail whether your paper has been accepted by September 14, 2019.