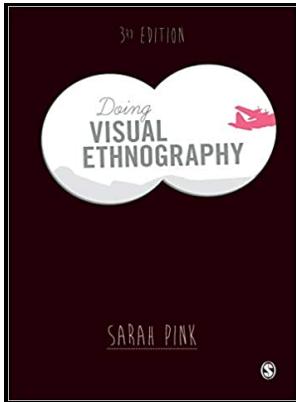


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However, as observers, they cannot get too involved. I am currently the Director of the Cardiff Node of the ESRC National Centre for Research Methods NCRM Qualitative Research Methods in the Social Sciences: Innovation, Integration and Impact QUALITI 2005-8. As these examples show, ethnographic work involves not only immersing oneself into the group or community that the researcher studies but also engaging in dialogue to learn more about social life through ongoing interaction with others Burawoy, 1991.

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These children mimic the behaviors and movements of animals, and often invent their own language. What personal, social, and physical sacrifices will you have to make? Lynd and Helen Merrell Lynd, the team altered their purpose as they gathered data. Writing, the subject of much innovative scholarship in recent years, is only half of what we call literacy.

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Because information gathered during participant observation is mostly qualitative, rather than quantitative, the end results are often descriptive or interpretive.

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Here it generally involved the researcher living with a group of people for an extended period, perhaps a year or several years, in order to document their distinctive way of life, beliefs and values. Ethical Advantages Interpretivists prefer this method because it is respondent led — it allows respondents to speak for themselves and thus avoids a master-client relationship which you get with more quantitative methods.

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