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## The President at Mid-Year Russell R. Dynes Named ASA Executive Officer

Having arrived at about the halfway mark in my year as President, I thought it might be useful to report to the membership some of my impressions of the ASA as seen from this particular vantage point. I am continually struck with the number of person-hours invested in the activities of the ASA—by committee members, editors and their associates, section officers, Council, the staff in our Washington office, and many others. Were it not for the scores, indeed hundreds, of persons thus involved in the work of the Association, it could not go on.

The major tasks of the President are to chair meetings of the Council and to plan, with the Program Committee, the annual convention. Since the business of the Council is recorded in the minutes and its meetings are open to the membership, I will say only that both this year and in other years when I have served on the Council, I have been impressed with the tough yet open-minded discussion of issues and

the quality of the decisions. (Incidentally, its open meetings have scarcely been a box office success.) We are well served, I think, by the rather cumbersome system of electing a regionally-representative nominations committee plus the opportunity for nomination by members' petitions.

The work of the Program Committee begins two years before the convention the Committee is responsible for organizing. The major structure of the convention—its theme, the kinds of sessions it will have, the names of the organizers, etc.—has to be set a year in advance. Only if this structure is announced well in advance can ASA members plan their own activities, consolidate their research, and submit their papers to the organizers for consideration. Every Program Committee, I imagine, tries to maintain some flexibility of schedule, but the constraints of space-time (so many meeting rooms multiplied by so many time periods)

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Russell R. Dynes of The Ohio State University will become the sixth Executive Officer of the ASA since the Association established its Washington office in 1963.

Dynes currently chairs the Department of Sociology and is Co-director of Ohio State's Disaster Research Center. Born in Ontario, Canada, Dynes comes from a teaching and academic family. His mother taught piano and voice for over 50 years and his father taught at Cornell and later chaired the Department of Agronomy at the University of Tennessee. Dynes completed his BA and MA there where he worked with William Cole. With Cole, in 1951 he co-authored a study of the impact of social security on almshouse populations. After teaching at Tennessee, he completed his PhD at Ohio State where he worked with John Cuber, Ray Sletto, Kurt Wolff, Brewton Berry, and Melvin Seaman. He joined the faculty in 1954 and has served the Department and University in a variety of ways since that time.

His sociological interests have been broad. This is reflected in his two latest books: *Deviance: Definition, Management and Treatment* (OUP, 1975), co-authored with Simon Dinitz and Alfred Clarke; and *Social Movements, Violence and Change* (OSU Press, 1975), co-authored with William Anderson. In addition, the methodological and theoretical approaches he has used have been varied. He developed one of the first scales to measure sectarianism, but he has had extensive experience in a variety of field methods. His book *Organized Behavior in Disaster* attempted to synthesize previous research in a social organizational context. He is one of the few sociologists who has published in the *Reader's Digest* and feels secure enough to list it in his vitae. He has appeared on *To Tell the Truth*—told the truth and was not identified. He is still trying to conceptualize that experience in terms of self theory.

Active in professional organizations, he has served the ASA in

several capacities. He chaired the Committee on Committees in 1975, and earlier, the Ad Hoc Committee on the Participation of Sociologists in the Fulbright Program. He has been a member of the Committee on World Sociology and the Committee on Regional Affairs. A strong believer in the importance of viable regional associations, he has been President of the North Central Sociological Association. He is currently Treasurer of the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion.

His interest in sociology internationally is reflected in his Fulbright Professorships at Ain Shams University and the UNESCO Center for Community Development in Egypt, as well as at the Center for Advanced Study in Sociology, University of Delhi, India. He has lectured or done field work in Japan, Nepal, Pakistan, Iran, Greece, France, Canada, and Curacao. His interest in policy research has been evident in his relationships with such varied agencies as NIMH, NIH, NSF, Department of Interior, Defense Civil Preparedness Agency, and the National Council of Churches. With E.L. Quarantelli, he founded in 1963, the Disaster Research Center, the first of its kind in the world and the only one in the United States, to study reactions of groups and organizations to community-wide emergencies. The Center has been a major location for field work experience for several cohorts of graduate students as well as a clearing house for their cumulative research. Dynes currently chairs the Committee on International Disaster Assistance, Commission on Sociotechnical Systems, National Academy of Sciences/National Research Council.

Dynes considers himself a sociological generalist, but, familiarly, with Sue, has been a specialist—with four sons. Russ, an OSU BA in Sociology and two years of Peace Corps in Korea, researches the developmentally disabled in the criminal justice system; Patrick, after an MA in



Russell R. Dynes

Philosophy now is in a PhD program in Public Administration; Gregory is in the peanut business in Columbus, but has no political ambitions; Jon is a sophomore in art at Indiana University. This year the family is augmented by Johan, a high school senior and Swedish exchange student. In spite of the dominance of one sex in the family, Sue was liberated before there was an identifiable movement and Russell is now a member of SWS. All family members have traveled extensively in Europe, Asia, and the Middle East, and have participated in many previous annual ASA meetings.

Dynes will bring to the Executive Office experience in a variety of activities in which sociologists traditionally engage, a broad appreciation of what sociology is, a knowledge of both the aspirations and foibles of sociologists, a sense of humor and irony necessary for any administrator, a sense of purpose vital for a professional association, and a feeling of optimism about the development and relevance of sociology. To adapt to his new location, he is currently rehearsing his southern accent which has been eroded by the ravages of long midwestern residence. He also plans to maintain his interest in disaster—both in Washington and in the ASA.

## International Issues Permeate Council Deliberations

ASA President Milton Yinger, in his opening remarks, set the stage for a Council meeting in which various aspects of international issues were a recurrent theme. These issues arose under three concerns: (1) The need to emphasize and improve contact with sociologists from other countries; (2) the intellectual challenge in an increased involvement with international sociologists; and (3) the concern over the social and political conditions in societies where the professional pursuits and, sometimes, the freedom and survival of colleagues is jeopardized.

A mid-year statement by the President is printed in this issue of FOOTNOTES. In its final paragraphs, this statement summarizes Yinger's concerns with international issues. The significance of increased concern by U.S. sociologists with an international sociology and with comparative and synthesizing approaches to the range of sociological perspectives was not only suggested by the ASA President but was also contained in a memorandum to Council by Ruth Useem, the 1977 Chair of the Committee on World Sociology. Like Yinger, Useem

stressed the intellectual and the colleague contact functions as important and, for the Committee, offered several recommendations to Council. To strengthen the Committee's capabilities to articulate ASA's international interest, Council confirmed (a) that ASA delegates and alternates to ISA and to UNESCO serve as *ex officio* members of the Committee on World Sociology; (b) that four international ASA members be appointed annually by Council as corresponding members of the Committee on World Sociology; and (c) that William F. Whyte serve as Council liaison to the Committee to strengthen the link between Council and international activities.

The plans of the Committee on World Sociology complement the activities recommended by President Yinger. In fact, Council acted to refer several of Yinger's suggested areas of planning to the Committee. These included the exploration of conferences with sociologists from other countries thus continuing the initiative shown by the liaison group on South America which held a conference with South American

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## ASA Election Information

This issue of FOOTNOTES contains the biographical information on candidates for election to ASA office. (See page 3.) In order to acquaint the entire membership of the Association with the slate of candidates, we are including it in this publication. However, only voting members will receive ballots for the election.

Voting members are requested to retain their copies of this issue for reference when they receive their ballots later this month. This material will not be reissued in the ballot mailing.

## Teaching

### "Teaching Sociology" to be Featured at Massachusetts Sociological Association

The Northeast Regional Spring Conference of the Massachusetts Sociological Association with the co-sponsorship of the ASA Projects on the Teaching of Undergraduate Sociology will have a two-day program June 10 and 11, 1977, at Mount Holyoke College, South Hadley, Massachusetts. In keeping with the theme "Teaching Sociology," the program committee, composed of Marilyn Denny, Westfield State College; Michael Malec, Boston College; and Keen Sinclair, Holyoke Community College, has suggested the following topics: Emphasis on the learner, racism and sexism in the classroom, non-traditional means and media in teaching sociology, evaluation of students and faculty, effect of economic conditions on teaching sociology, choosing a method for teaching introductory sociology, what does sociology tell us about teaching, role models for teachers and learners, and the institutional context.

Persons interested in participating in the program—formal papers, didactic seminars, panels, demonstrations, workshops, etc.—should send a two-page abstract to: Marilyn Denny, 16 Chapel Road, Amherst, MA 01002 by March 30, 1977 (extended from March 15). Suggestions for additional topics, as well as graduate and undergraduate participation, are encouraged.

Overnight accommodations and

meals are available at the rate of \$24.00 per person for one night, 2 lunches, 1 dinner, and 1 breakfast or, for those not remaining overnight, a charge of \$15.50 per person for 2 lunches and 1 dinner. A non-refundable reservation fee of \$10.00 (to be applied to the charge of \$24.00 or \$15.50) should be submitted by March 22. Registration for the meeting is \$3.00. Reservation fees should be sent to: James Shuster, Treasurer, Massachusetts Sociological Association, Framingham State College, Framingham, MA 01701.

### International Conference on University Teaching

The Ontario Universities Program for Instructional Development will sponsor an International Conference on University Teaching at McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada, June 6-8, 1977. The conference was designed to provide "an opportunity for those interested in the improvement of university teaching to report and discuss their current work and meet others from North America and Europe with similar interests."

The conference theme, "Educational Development Programs and Their Implications for Institutional Change," will be developed by means of plenary sessions, contributed papers, organized discussion sessions and exhibitions of materials devel-

oped by delegates. During the three days of the conference, the following questions will be addressed: (1) What is the current state of educational development programs at the national, provincial (state), institutional, departmental, and individual levels? (2) How can these programs be evaluated? (3) What are the implications for the future?

Approximately one-half of the time will be devoted to submitted papers and invited speakers and one-half to discussions and workshops. Participants interested in submitting a 20-minute paper on the conference theme should send a summary of 500-1000 words by February 28, 1977, to Dr. F.W. Parrett, address below.

The conference will be limited to a maximum of 80 delegates who will be encouraged to bring to the conference relevant publications describing their educational development programs for distribution to other delegates. Places may be reserved by sending a deposit of \$25.00, with the balance of the \$120 conference registration fee (plus a \$5.00 exchange charge if U.S. dollars are used) due by April 30, 1977. Preference will be given to delegates who plan to attend for the full period of the conference. Cheques or money orders should be made payable to: Ontario Universities Program for Instructional Development and mailed to Dr. F.W. Parrett, Director, Ontario Universities Program for Instructional Development, c/o Queen's University, 207 Stuart Street, Room 321, Kingston, Ontario, Canada K7L 3N6.

## Awards

### Rockefeller Public Service Awards Program

which honors significant achievement in public service, now will accept nominations for 1977, it was announced today by William G. Bowen, President of Princeton University. The nationally-recognized Awards Program, sponsored by John D. Rockefeller 3rd and administered by the Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs at Princeton, traditionally grants five awards of \$10,000 each year to individuals who have made outstanding contributions toward the resolution of critical problems facing the nation. Nominations for this year's awards must be submitted no later than April 30, 1977.

The 1977 program will consider nominees in these seven critical problem areas: (1) Expansion of employment opportunities. (2) Administration of justice and the reduction of crime. (3) Conservation and development of natural resources and protection of the environment. (4) Revitalization of communities and neighborhoods, urban planning and development. (5) Promotion of health, improved delivery of health services and control of health costs. (6) Reduction of the serious imbalance between population growth and food supplies. (7) Enhancing the partnership between the public and private sectors in the public interest.

Nominations should highlight recent achievement or work that has important contemporary relevance. Nominees must be citizens of the United States and cannot hold elective

office, be candidates for office at the time of the nomination or receipt of the Awards, or be sitting judges. Awards are intended primarily for individuals, but collaboration by two or more individuals who may have worked as a team may be nominated. The awards program does not recognize committees or organizations.

Inquiries should be addressed to: Rockefeller Public Service Awards, Woodrow Wilson School, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ 08540.

## National Labor Surveys

The Department of Labor is seeking users' views regarding the desirability of continuing the National Longitudinal Surveys (NLS) which the Department initiated in 1966. The surveys cover the labor market experiences of youth, mature women, and middle-aged men. Background information and a questionnaire have been sent to known users of the surveys. If you are a user and your views have not already been solicited, you may request the background information by contacting Howard Rosen, Director, Office of Research and Development, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Washington, DC 20213; (202) 376-7335.



## THE JOSSEY-BASS BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE SERIES



*Seymour B. Sarason, Charles Carroll,  
Kenneth Maton, Saul Cohen & Elizabeth Lorentz*

### HUMAN SERVICES AND RESOURCE NETWORKS

#### Rationale, Possibilities, and Public Policy

The concept of networks — interrelations of people, places, and organizations — is becoming visible and important in many fields, particularly the human services. This new book describes the deliberate formation and development of a network of individuals (referred to as the Essex network) that grew and was successful beyond expectations, ultimately involving hundreds of people in several states and enabling network members to mount programs that would otherwise have been impossible. People from schools, colleges and universities, and public and private agencies joined together for two major purposes: to exchange resources on a barter-economy basis for their mutual benefit and to form a psychological sense of community, the need for which is one of the main problems of contemporary life. Although the authors provide examples of how a network operates, they focus primarily on the rationale behind the Essex network, those who started it, the problems encountered, the importance of such activities as network meetings, and the significance of the network in the lives of its members. In describing the effectiveness of the individual whose drive and knowledge put a distinctive stamp on this particular network, many fascinating questions about leadership are raised.

As a truly innovative contribution to the theory and practice of resource networks, this book has important implications for public policy and programming. The Essex network demonstrates that there are ways of dealing with limited human and natural resources and with the need for people to have a feeling of community. Its implications will be particularly interesting to those who see money as the only way to acquire needed resources — a current view that pits agency against agency in a competitive, self-defeating struggle. A distinctive feature of the book is a full review of the burgeoning literature on networks, perhaps the first to extensively document how networks have become a central concept in fields such as sociology, psychology, psychiatry, and geography. *About \$12.95*

*Jaber F. Gubrium & David R. Buckholdt*

### TOWARD MATURITY

#### The Social Processing of Human Development

This unique book presents a radically new approach to human development. In conventional practice, social and behavioral scientists take the development or life cycle for granted. They view it as a stage-like unfolding process with a beginning, middle, and end — childhood, middle age, and old age. Jaber Gubrium and David Buckholdt do not assume that the life cycle moves automatically in some progressive fashion. They maintain that the advance of life is closely related to the ideas that are held about it, to how people use these ideas to change each other's lives, and to how they come to think and talk about movement from one stage of life to another. The "truth" about life change becomes what people believe and say about it, rather than the conventional notion of development determined mainly by intrinsic process. Thus, life change becomes a matter of social processing and part of an ordinary language that both laymen and professionals use to describe and understand human lives.

In their investigation of ways that people accomplish maturity, the authors show how age-related expectations are created by people as they interact and share ideas about what is real and what is false — ideas about age and behavior in relation to themselves and others. They provide examples of how people, in dealing with each other in the affairs of everyday life, discuss the expectations of growth, age, maturity, regression, and so on. Thus the meaning of age is presented and negotiated from moment to moment as people participate in sometimes elusive but serious exchanges. Conversations are examined in situations such as institutional staffings, survey interviews, promotion reviews in school, and informal family conferences. The practical reality of human development emerges out of, and flows with, these conversations. An innovative sociology of life change, this book opens to critical analysis — and sheds new light on — the practical work of all those who deal with life change and human development. *About \$12.95*

# ELECTION BIOGRAPHIES

## ASA CANDIDATES

The information published below was supplied by the candidates and each was informed that the submission of a photo was optional.

### President-Elect

#### HUBERT M. BLALOCK, JR.



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology and Political Science (Adjunct) University of Washington, Seattle (1971-). **Former Positions Held:** Professor of Sociology, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill (1964-71); Associate Professor of Sociology, Yale University (1961-64); Instructor to Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of Michigan (1954-61).

**Degrees:** MA 1953, Brown University; PhD 1954, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. **Publications:** *Toward a Theory of Minority Group Relations* (1967); (Co-author) *Intergroup Processes: A Micro-Macro Approach* (forthcoming); *Causal Inferences in Nonexperimental Research* (1964); *Theory Construction: From Verbal to Mathematical Formulations* (1969); (Co-author) *Applied Multivariate Analysis and Experimental Designs* (1975). **Professional Honors and Awards:** National Academy of Sciences; Fellow, American Academy of Arts and Sciences; Fellow, American Statistical Association; Samuel Stouffer Award; Sociological Research Association. **Offices Held in Other Organizations:** Council, American Statistical Association (1970-72); Council, Interuniversity Consortium for Political and Social Research (1975-); Mathematics Social Science Board, Center for Advanced Studies in Social Sciences (1969-73). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Council (1971-74); Methodology Section (Chair 1968; Council 1962-64); DuBois-Johnson-Frazier Award Selection Committee (1971-72); Sorokin Award Selection Committee (1968-70); Committee on Committees (1969-70); Committee on Problems of the Discipline (1973-); Project on Teaching Undergraduate Sociology, Task Group C (1975-).

#### REUBEN HILL



**Present Position:** Regents' Professor of Family Sociology, University of Minnesota (1957-64; 1966-). **Former Positions Held:** Program Consultant to Program Associate, Population Program, Ford Foundation (1964-66); Professor of Sociology and Research Professor, University of North Carolina (1949-57); Associate Professor of Sociology, Iowa State University (1944-49). **Degrees:** MA 1936, PhD

1938, University of Wisconsin. **Publications:** *Families Under Stress* (1949); (Co-author) *Families in East and West: Socialization Process and Kinship Ties* (1970); (Co-author) *The Family and Population Control* (1959); *Family Development in Three Generations: A Longitudinal Study of Changing Family Patterns* (1970); (Co-author) "Internationalizing American Sociology," *The American Sociologist* (May, 1973). **Professional Honors and Awards:** elected to Sociological Research Association (1945); Helen DeRoy Award (1955); Ernest W. Burgess Award (1959, 1963); Doctor Honoris Causa, University of Louvain, Belgium (1970); Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in Behavioral Sciences (1970-71); Who's Who in America; American Men of Science. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Vice President, Midwest Sociological Society (1948-49); President, Family Research Committee, International Sociological Association; Steering Committee, Scientific Commission on the Family, International Union of Family Organizations (1966-72); Chair, Finance Committee, International Sociological Association (1966-70); Review Section on Social Problems and Mental Health, U.S. National Institute of Mental Health (1967-72); President, International Sociological Association (1970-74).

**Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Assistant Editor, *American Sociological Review* (1951-54); Committee on Statistics (1961); Co-chair, Committee on Liaison with Soviet Sociological Association (1965-67); Committee on International Cooperation (1964-67; Chair 1967-70); Committee on Development of World Sociology (1972-75); Council (1957-63); Executive Committee (1962).

#### KURT H. WOLFF



**Present Position:** Yellen Professor of Social Relations, Brandeis University (1959-). **Former Positions Held:** Assistant to Associate Professor of Sociology, Ohio State University (1945-59); Assistant Professor of Sociology, Earlham College (1944-45); Post-doctoral Research Training Fellow, SSRC, University of Chicago (1943-44). **Degrees:** Laurea 1935, University of Florence, Italy. **Publications:** *Surrender and Catch: Experience and Interpretation Today* (1976); *Trying Sociology* (1974); (Editor and introduction) *From Karl Mannheim* (1971); (translation and introduction) *The Sociology of Georg Simmel* (1950); numerous papers, chapters, contributions to dictionaries of the social sciences, translations; editor and co-editor of several additional books. **Professional Honors and Awards:** Fulbright Senior Lecturer, University of Rome. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Chair, Research Committee on the Sociology of Knowledge, International Sociological Association (1962-72); President, International Society for the Sociology of Knowledge (1972-); Eastern Sociological Society (Executive Committee 1965-68).

### Vice-President-Elect

#### CHARLES Y. GLOCK



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology, University of California, Berkeley (1958-). **Former Positions Held:** Director, Survey Research Center, University of California, Berkeley (1958-68); Professor of Sociology and Director, Bureau of Applied Social Research, Columbia University (1946-58). **Degrees:** MBA 1941, Boston University; PhD 1952, Columbia University. **Publications:**

(Senior Editor) *The New Religious Consciousness* (1976); (Senior Author) *Adolescent Prejudice* (1975); (Editor) *Survey Research in the Social Sciences* (1967); (Senior Author) *Christian Beliefs and Anti-Semitism* (1966); (Senior Author) *Religion and Society in Tension* (1965). **Professional Honors and Awards:** Rockefeller Foundation Fellow (1941-42); Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences (1957-58); Fellow, Society for Religion in Higher Education (1968-69). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** President, American Association for Public Opinion Research (1963-64); President, Society for the Scientific Study of Religion (1968-69); Vice President 1966-67); President, Pacific Chapter, American Association for Public Opinion Research (1960-61). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on Training and Professional Standards (1977); Committee on Nominations (1971); Section on Methodology (Council).

#### MELVIN L. KOHN



**Present Position:** Chief, Laboratory of Socio-Environmental Studies, National Institute of Mental Health (1960-). **Former Positions Held:** Research Sociologist, Laboratory of Socio-Environmental Studies, NIMH (1952-); SSRC Pre-doctoral Research Fellow, Cornell University (1951-52). **Degrees:** PhD 1952, Cornell University. **Publications:** (Co-author) "Situational Patterning in Intergroup Relations," *American Sociological Review* (1956); "Social Class and Parent-Child Relationships: An Interpretation," *American Journal of Sociology* (1963); *Class and Conformity: A Study in Values* (1969); "Class, Family, and Schizophrenia: A Reformulation," *Social Forces* (1972); (Co-author), "Occupational Experience and Psychological Functioning: An Assessment of Reciprocal Effects," *American Sociological Review* (1973). **Professional Honors and Awards:** Ernest W. Burgess Award, National Council on Family Relations (1961); Superior Service Award, Department of Health, Education and Welfare (1969). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** President, Assembly of Scientists, NIMH (1970-71); Vice President, Society for the Study of Social Problems (1973-74); Executive Committee, Sociological Research Association (1975-79). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on Social Psychology (Council 1964-66); Council (1973-76); Committee on the Status of Women in Sociology (1973-76); Associate Editor, *Sociometry* (1961-64); Associate Editor, *American Sociological Review* (1969-72).

### Petition Candidates

The candidates for ASA elective offices as selected by the Committee on Nominations were published in the November issue of *FOOTNOTES*. The following nominees were added to the ballot by petition of the membership in conformity with the ASA By-Laws, Article II, Section 3. All of the nominees listed herein were supported by at least fifty voting members. Some petition candidates were ineligible for various reasons.

**President:** Kurt Wolff, Brandeis University  
**Council:** Pauline Bart, Abraham Lincoln Medical School, University of Illinois, Chicago; John Seeley, Post Graduate Medical School and General Hospital, Los Angeles; Immanuel Wallerstein, State University of New York, Binghamton; Maurice Zeitlin, University of California, Los Angeles  
**Committee on Publications:** Virginia Grabiner, State University College, Buffalo  
**Committee on Nominations:** (District 1) John Horton, University of California, Los Angeles; (District 2) Roberta Ash Garner, DePaul University; (District 3) Thomas Hood, University of Tennessee, Knoxville; (District 5) Eric Wright, University of Wisconsin, Madison; (District 6) Jack Roach, University of Connecticut, Storrs  
**Committee on Committees:** (District 3) Scott McNall, University of Kansas; (District 4) Ted Goertzel, Rutgers University, Camden; (District 5) Carlton W. Smith, University of Detroit; (District 6) Jean Dowdall, State University College, Buffalo

## Council

### PAULINE BART



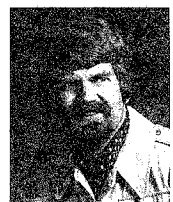
**Present Position:** Associate Professor of Sociology, Department of Psychiatry, Abraham Lincoln School of Medicine. **Former Positions Held:** Radcliffe Institute (1976). **Degrees:** MA 1952, PhD 1967, University of California, Los Angeles. **Publications:** "Portnoy's Mother's Complaint;" "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Orifice;" "Myths of a Value Free Psychology;" "Student Sociologist's Handbook." **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Editor, two special editions of *Journal of Marriage and the Family*. **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on Sex Roles (Chair 1973); Associate Editor, *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*.

### JAMES E. BLACKWELL



**Present Position:** Professor (1970-) and Chair (1975-), Department of Sociology, University of Massachusetts, Boston. **Former Positions Held:** Associate Professor of Sociology, Case Western Reserve University (1968-70); Assistant to Associate Professor of Sociology, San Jose State University (1959-63); Chief, Community Development Division, USAID/American Embassy, Kathmandu, Nepal (1966-69); Deputy Director to Director of U.S. Peace Corps in Tanzania and Malawi (1963-65). **Degrees:** MA 1949, Western Reserve University; PhD 1959, Washington State University. **Publications:** *The Black Community: Diversity and Unity* (1975); (Co-editor) *Black Sociologists: Historical and Contemporary Perspectives* (1974); (Co-editor) *Community Development Focus* (1970); "Intergroup Conflict," chapter in Rodney Stark, *Social Problems* (1974); Monograph *Access of Black Students to Graduate and Professional Schools* (1975). **Professional Honors and Awards:** Outstanding Educator of America (1972); Danforth Associate (1973); Alpha Kappa Delta; Blue Key Men's Honorary; Sigma Rho Sigma Social Science Honorary; John Hay Whitney Foundation Fellow (1959); American Men of Science; Who's Who Among Black Americans; College Entrance Examination Board Advisory Committee on Research; Board of Higher Education of Massachusetts Advisory Committee on Four Year Colleges (1975-); **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** President, Caucus of Black Sociologists (1970-72); Society for the Study of Social Problems (Secretary 1962-63; Membership Chair 1961-62); Eastern Sociological Society, Chair of Committee on Minorities (1974-75); Massachusetts Sociological Association, Chair of Program Committee (1972). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Council (1971); Chair, Committee on the Status of Racial and Ethnic Minorities in Sociology (1973-75); Committee on Information and Technology (1970-72); Committee on World Sociology (1972-74); Program Committee (1973).

### GEORGE W. BOHRNSTEDT



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology, Indiana University (1973-). **Former Positions Held:** Chair, Department of Sociology, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities (1970-73); Associate Professor of Sociology, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities (1969-73); Lecturer and Research Associate, University of Wisconsin, Madison (1968-69). **Degrees:** MA 1963, PhD 1966, University of Wisconsin, Madison. **Publications:** (Co-author) "External Validity and Evaluation Research" (1975); (Co-author) "Some Limitations on Generalizability from Social Psychological Experiments" (1974); (Co-author) "Robustness in Regression Analysis" (1971); (Co-author) "Validity, Invalidity and Reliability of a Composite Score" (1971); (Co-editor) *Sociological Methodology* (1970). **Professional Honors and Awards:** Belding Scholar, Foundation for Child Research (1976-77). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Program Committee, American Association for Public Opinion Research (1976-77). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Stouffer Award Selection Committee (1973-74); Section on Methodology (Chair-elect 1977-79; Council 1971-74).

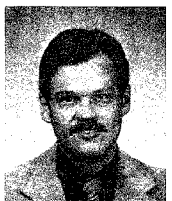
### ERNEST Q. CAMPBELL



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology and Dean of the Graduate School, Vanderbilt University (1963-). **Former Positions Held:** Chair, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Vanderbilt University (1963-71); Head, Department of Sociology, University of East Africa, Nairobi (1968-69); Assistant to Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, University of North Carolina (1958-63). **Degrees:** MA 1946, University of Pennsylvania; PhD 1956, Vanderbilt

University. **Publications:** (Co-author) *Equality of Educational Opportunity* (1966); (Co-author) *Christians in Racial Crisis: A Study of Little Rock's Ministers* (1959); (Co-author) "Structural Effects and Interpersonal Relationships", *American Journal of Sociology* (1965); *Socialization: Culture and Personality* (1975); (Editor and contributor) *Racial Tensions and National Identity* (1972). **Professional Honors and Awards:** Social Science Research Council Post-doctoral Research Training Fellowship, Harvard University, Laboratory of Social Relations (1957-58). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Graduate Record Examinations Board (1976-); Sociological Research Association (President 1975-76); Southern Sociological Society (President 1967-68; Secretary-Treasurer 1962-65; First Vice President 1965-66). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on Sociology of Education (Council 1975-); Committee on Certification of Social Psychologists (1965-68); Committee on Committees (1971-73); Chair, Committee on Training and Professional Standards (1964-67); Committee on UNESCO (1963-65); Committee on Regional Affairs (1974-76); Representative to the National Research Council/National Academy of Sciences (1971-73).

### DAVID L. FEATHERMAN



**Present Position:** Professor of Rural Sociology and Sociology and Chair, Department of Rural Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison (1970-). **Former Positions Held:** Assistant Professor of Sociology, Princeton University (1969-70). **Degrees:** MA 1967, PhD 1969, University of Michigan. **Publications:** (Co-author) *Socioeconomic Background and Achievement* (1972); (Co-author) *The Process of Stratification* (in press); (Co-editor) *Schooling and Achievement in American Society* (1976); "Changes in the Socioeconomic Stratification of the Races," *American Journal of Sociology* (1976); "Sexual Inequalities and Socioeconomic Achievement in the U.S.," *American Sociological Review* (1976). **Professional Honors and Awards:** Phi Beta Kappa; Pi Gamma Mu; Woodrow Wilson Fellow; Fellow-Designate, Center for Advanced Study, Palo Alto (1978-79). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Chair, North Central Regional Committee on Rural Sociology (NCA-13). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Editorial Board, *Rose Monograph Series*.

### MARIE HAUG



**Present Position:** Professor and Chair, Department of Sociology, Case Western Reserve University (1975-). **Former Positions Held:** Assistant to Associate Professor of Sociology (1968-71) and Research Associate (1963-68), Case Western Reserve University; Research Assistant, Bellefleur Children's Residential Treatment Center (1962-63). **Degrees:** MA 1964, PhD 1968, Western Reserve University. **Publications:** *The Walking Patient* (1967); "Professional Autonomy and the Revolt of the Client," *Social Problems* (Fall, 1969); "Social Class Measurement and Women's Occupational Roles," *Social Forces* (1973); "The Deprofessionalization of Everyone?," *Sociological Focus* (1975); "Erosion of Professional Authority: A Cross-Cultural Inquiry in the Case of the Physician," *Health and Society* (Winter, 1976). **Professional Honors and Awards:** Phi Beta Kappa. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** President, North Central Sociological Association (1974-75); Executive Council, Research Committee on Work, International Sociological Association, (1974-78); President, Faculty Senate, Case Western Reserve University (1976-77); Chair, University General Human Studies Review Committee, Case Western Reserve University (1971-76). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on Professional Ethics (1975-); Section on Organizations and Occupations (Secretary-Treasurer 1971-74).

### DAVID MECHANIC



**Present Position:** John Bascom Professor of Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison (1973-). **Former Positions Held:** Chair, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison (1968-70); Professor of Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison (1965-73); Public Health Service Special Fellow, British Research Council, University of London (1965-66). **Degrees:** MA 1957, PhD 1959, Stanford University. **Publications:** *The Growth of Bureaucratic Medicine: An Inquiry into the Dynamics of Patient Behavior and the Organization of Medical Care* (1976); *Politics,*

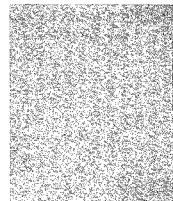
*Medicine, and Social Science* (1974); *Public Expectations and Health Care: Essays on the Changing Organization of Health Services* (1972); *Mental Health and Social Policy* (1969); *Medical Sociology: A Selective View* (1968). **Professional Honors and Awards:** Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in Behavioral Sciences, Stanford, California (1974-75); elected to Institute of Medicine, National Academy of Sciences (1971); Member, President's Science Advisory Committee's Panel on Health Services Research and Development (1971-72). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Institute of Medicine, National Academy of Sciences (Council 1972-74; Program Committee 1971-74; Membership Committee 1974-); Committee for a Study of National Needs for Biomedical and Behavioral Research Personnel, Commission on Human Resources, NRC-NAS (1975-); Chair, Epidemiologic Studies Review Committee, NIMH (1968-72). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on Medical Sociology (Chair 1969-70; Council 1968-71); Chair of Steering Committee, Carnegie Foundation Grant on Health Care Services 1971-; Chair, Development Committee 1969-72); Subcommittee on Publications Committee on Abstracting and Book Reviewing Services (1968-71); Committee on Certification (1962-66); Associate Editor, *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* (1965-69; 1972-75).

### JOHN R. SEELEY



**Present Position:** Professor of Psychiatry (Sociology), Charles R. Drew Post Graduate Medical School (1974-). **Former Positions Held:** Dean of Faculty, Center for the Study of Democratic Institutions (1966-69); Professor and Chair, Department of Sociology, Brandeis University (1963-66); Professor and Chair, Department of Sociology, York University, Toronto (1960-63). **Degrees:** PhD candidate 1945-47, University of Chicago; PhD 1974, International College (based on candidacy at University of Chicago and research since). **Publications:** (Co-author) *Crestwood Heights* (1953); (Co-author) *Community Chest* (1956); *Americanization of the Unconscious* (1962); approximately 300-500 articles, book chapters, etc., in five or six fields. **Professional Honors and Awards:** Phi Beta Kappa; entire number of *Sociological Inquiry* (Volume 46, nos. 3-4) published in honor; Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science, Center for Advanced Study.

### GERALD D. SUTTLES



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology, University of Chicago (1976-). **Former Positions Held:** Associate Professor of Sociology, State University of New York, Stony Brook (1971-76); Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of Michigan (1965-67). **Degrees:** MA 1962, PhD 1966, University of Illinois. **Publications:** *The Social Order of the Slum* (1970); *The Social Construction of Communities* (1972); "Urban Ethnography," *Annual Review of Sociology* (Volume 2, 1976); (Co-author) *Social Change and Social* (forthcoming). **Professional Honors and Awards:** C. Wright Mills Award (1970); Laing Award (1970-71).

### IMMANUEL WALLERSTEIN



**Present Position:** Distinguished Professor of Sociology, State University of New York, Binghamton (1976-). **Former Positions Held:** Directeur L'Etudes Associe, Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, Paris (1975-76); Professor of Sociology, McGill University (1971-75); Department of Sociology, Columbia University (1958-71). **Degrees:** MA 1954, PhD 1959, Columbia University. **Publications:** *The Modern World System* (1974); *University in Turmoil: The Politics of Change* (1969); *Africa: The Politics of Unity* (1967); *The Road to Independence: Ghana and the Ivory Coast* (1964); *Africa: The Politics of Independence* (1961). **Professional Honors and Awards:** Sorokin Award (1975). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** President, African Studies Association (1972-73); President, Research Commission, Centre Quebecois des Relations Internationales (1974-75); International Sociological Association Program Committee, IX World Congress of Sociology 1974-78; Vice President, Research Commission, National Movements and Imperialism 1974-78). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on International Cooperation (1964-68); Section on Marxist Sociology (Chair-Elect 1976-).

Council (continued)

DORIS YVONNE WILKINSON



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology, Macalester College (1970-). **Former Positions Held:** Visiting Associate Professor of Sociology, University of Connecticut, Storrs (1973-74); Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of Kentucky (1967-70); Associate Director, Inter-group Relations Workshop, Department of Sociology, Case Western Reserve University (Summers: 1963, 1965, 1966). **Degrees:** MA 1960, PhD 1968, Case Western Reserve University. **Publications:** "Political Assassins and Status Incongruence," *British Journal of Sociology* (Volume 21, December 1970); *Social Structure and Assassination: The Sociology of Political Murder* (1976); "Dating Status of American College Women as a Predictor of Interactional Patterns with Parents," *International Journal of Comparative Sociology* (December, 1970); "Black Youth," *Seventy-fourth Yearbook of the National Society for the Study of Education*, Chapter XIII (1975); (Co-editor) *The Black Male in America: Perspectives on His Status in Contemporary Society* (1977). **Professional Honors and Awards:** Woodrow Wilson Fellow (1959-61); Alpha Kappa Delta Outstanding Graduate Student Award (1964); AWS Outstanding Woman Faculty Member, U.K. (1969); Social Science Research Council Grant (1975). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Second Vice President, Sociologists for Women in Society (1974-75); Co-Chair, AAUP Chapter, Macalester College (1971-72); C. Wright Mills Award Committee, Society for the Study of Social Problems (1974). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** DuBois-Johnson-Frazier Award Committee (1974-77); Committee on Committees (1975-76); Minority Fellowship Program Committee (1975-77).

MAURICE ZEITLIN



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology, University of California, Los Angeles (1976-). **Former Positions Held:** Assistant to Professor of Sociology, University of Wisconsin (1964-76); Instructor, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Princeton University (1961-64). **Degrees:** MA 1960, PhD 1964, University of California, Berkeley. **Publications:** *Revolutionary Politics and the Cuban Working Class* (1967); (Co-editor) *Latin America: Reform or Revolution?* (1968); (Editor) *American Society, Inc.: Studies of the Social Structure and Political Economy of the United States* (1970); "Corporate Ownership and Control: The Large Corporation and the Capitalist Class," *American Journal of Sociology* (March, 1974); (Co-author) "Class Segments: Agrarian Property and Political Leadership in the Capitalist Class of Chile," *American Sociological Review* (Volume 41, December). **Professional Honors and Awards:** Ford Foundation Post Doctoral Fellowship, Foreign Area Training Program, Latin America (1965-67); Ford Foundation Faculty Research Fellowship (1970-71). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Latin American Studies Association (Committee for Scholarly Relations with Cuba 1970-); Midwest Regional Coordinator, Emergency Committee to Aid Latin American Scholars 1973-74). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Associate Editor, *The American Sociologist* (1968-71).

Committee on Publications

HERBERT J. GANS



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology (Ford Foundation Urban Chair), Columbia University (1971-); Senior Research Associate, Center for Policy Research (1971-). **Former Positions Held:** Professor of Sociology and Planning, Urban Studies and Planning, MIT (1969-71); Associate to Professor of Sociology and Education, Teachers College, Columbia University (1964-69); Assistant to Associate Professor of City Planning and Urban Studies, University of Pennsylvania (1958-64). **Degrees:** MA 1950, University of Chicago; PhD 1957, University of Pennsylvania. **Publications:** *The Urban Villagers* (1962); *The Levittowners* (1967); *People and Plans* (1968); *More Equality* (1973); *Popular Culture and High Culture* (1974). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Society for the Study of Social Problems (Chair, Committee on Standards and Freedom of Research 1965-66; Executive Committee 1968-71); Eastern Sociological Society (President 1972-73). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Council (1968-71); Editorial Board, *American Sociological Review* (1965); Committee on Professional Ethics (1977-79).

VIRGINIA GRABNER



**Present Position:** Instructor of Sociology, State University of New York, Buffalo (1975-). **Degrees:** MA 1971, University of California; PhD forthcoming. **Publications:** (Co-editor) "Political Criminals in America," *Issues in Criminology* (1970); "YCCA", *Youth Ministry Notebook* (1970); "Dialogue with Marie Bertrand," *Issues in Criminology* (1973); (Co-author) "Towards a Theoretical Understanding of Sexism," *Insurgent Sociologist* (1973); "The Woman's Party: The Ideology and Practice of the Washington, DC Police 1917" (forthcoming in *Crime and Social Justice*). **Professional Honors and Awards:** Fellow, NIMH (1969-70); Regents Fellow, University of California (1974-75). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Article Editor, *Issues in Criminology* (1970-74); Editorial Staff, *Crime and Social Justice* (1974-); Contributing Editor, *Insurgent Sociologist* (1975-); Reader, *Social Problems*.

BENTON JOHNSON



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology, University of Oregon (1957-). **Former Positions Held:** Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of Texas, Austin (1956-57); Assistant Professor, Woman's College of the University of North Carolina (1955-56). **Degrees:** MA 1952, PhD 1954, Harvard University. **Publications:** *Functionalism in Modern Sociology: Understanding Talcott Parsons* (1975); (Co-author) *American Mosaic* (1971); "Do Holiness Sects Socialize in Dominant Values?" (1961); "Ascetic Protestantism and Political Preference" (1962); "On Church and Sect" (1963). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Pacific Sociological Association (Vice President 1967-68); Society for the Scientific Study of Religion (Vice President 1975-77); Editor, *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion* (1972-74). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on Professional Ethics.

KARL E. TAEUBER



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology and Fellow, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin (1964-). **Former Positions Held:** Chair, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin (1970-73); Social Scientist, The Rand Corporation (1969-70); Assistant Sanitarian, Biometry Branch, National Cancer Institute (1959-61). **Degrees:** MA 1957, PhD 1960, Harvard University. **Publications:** *Negroes in Cities* (1965); *Migration in the United States* (1976); "The Black Population of the United States" (chapter, 1976); "Family and Work: The Social Life Cycle of Women" (chapter, 1976); "Demographic Perspectives on Housing and School Segregation" (1975). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Social Science Research Council (Director 1970-75; Chair, Committee on Social Science Personnel 1972-75); NIH Population Research and Training Committee (1971-75; Chair 1974-75); Population Association of America (Director 1966-69); Editorial Committee, *Annual Review of Sociology* (1973-78). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Advisory Editor, *American Sociological Review* (1968-71); Committee on Freedom of Research and Teaching (1971-73).

CHARLES V. WILLIE



**Present Position:** Professor of Education and Urban Studies, Harvard Graduate School of Education (1974-). **Former Positions Held:** Vice President, Syracuse University (1972-74); Professor and Chair, Department of Sociology, Syracuse University (1967-71); Lecturer on Sociology, Harvard Medical School (Department of Psychiatry) (1966-67). **Degrees:** MA 1949, Atlanta University; PhD 1957, Syracuse University. **Publications:** *Black/Brown/White Relations*

(1977); *A New Look at Black Families* (1976); *Oreo* (1975); *Race Mixing in the Public Schools* (1973); *Black Students at White Colleges* (1972). **Professional Honors and Awards:** Fiftieth Anniversary Distinguished Alumnus Award of the Maxwell Graduate School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University (1974); Master of Arts degree (honorary) Harvard University (1974); Faculty Service Award of the National University Extension Association (1969). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Eastern Sociological Society (President 1974-75). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** ASA Representative to Board of Directors of Social Science Research Council (1972); Committee on Committees (1970-71); Associate Editor, *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* (1972-74); Section on Community (Council 1972-74).

Committee on Nominations

District 1

RODOLFO ALVAREZ



**Present Position:** Associate Professor, University of California, Los Angeles (1972-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Assistant Professor, Yale University (1966-72); Visiting Lecturer, Wesleyan University (Fall, 1970); Teaching Fellow, University of Washington (1965-66). **PhD Granted** 1966, University of Washington. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Alpha Kappa Delta (President 1976-78; First Vice President 1974-76; Second Vice President 1972-74); American Association for the Advancement of Science (Member 1973-76; Chair, Nominating Committee Section K 1975-76); Editorial Board, *Social Science Quarterly* (1973-); Nominating Committee, Southwestern Social Science Association (1976-77). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on Status of Racial and Ethnic Minorities in Sociology (1971-73).

JOHN HORTON



**Present Position:** Associate Professor of Sociology, University of California, Los Angeles (1960-). **PhD Granted** 1960, Cornell University. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Delegate, Union of Marxist Sociologists (1975, 1976). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on Marxist Sociology (Chair, Nominations Committee 1976).

MAURICE JACKSON

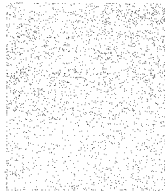


**Present Position:** Associate Professor, University of California, Riverside (1969-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Assistant Professor, University of California, Riverside (1967-69); Visiting Lecturer, University of Oregon (1964-65); Assistant Professor, San Diego State College (1962-64). **PhD Granted** 1966, University of California, Los Angeles. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Board of Directors, National Council on Aging (1972-); Executive Committee, Caucus of Black Sociologists (1974-76); District of Columbia Sociological Society (Executive Committee 1972-73; Chair, Committee on Status of Minorities 1972-73). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Executive Specialist for Race and Minority Relations (1972-73); Chair, Committee on the Minority Fellowship Program (1973-76); Committee on the Status of Racial and Ethnic Minorities in Sociology (1973-76).

Nominations (continued)

District 2

ROBERTA (ASH) GARNER



**Present Position:** Associate Professor, DePaul University, Chicago (1973-74). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Assistant Professor, DePaul University (1971-73); Assistant Professor, Barnard College (1967-69); Assistant Professor, Queens College (1966-67). **PhD Granted** 1966, University of Chicago. **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Theory Section (Committee on Nominations); Section on Marxist Sociology (Committee on Nominations).

JEYLAN T. MORTIMER



**Present Position:** Assistant Professor, University of Minnesota (1975-); Research Associate, Family Study Center, University of Minnesota. **Previous Academic Appointments:** Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Minnesota (1974-75); Research Associate, Family Study Center, University of Minnesota (1974-); Assistant Professor, University of Maryland (1971-73). **PhD Granted** 1972, University of Michigan.

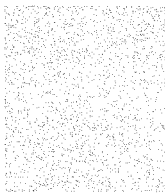
JOSEPH W. SCOTT



**Present Position:** Associate Professor of Sociology, University of Notre Dame (1970-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** University of Toledo (1967-70); University of Rosario (Summer, 1969); University of Kentucky (1965-67); University of Buenos Aires (Summer, 1967). **PhD Granted** 1963, Indiana University. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Council Member-at-Large, North Central Sociological Association (1975-77). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on Professional Ethics (1973-74).

District 3

JANET SALTZMAN CHAFETZ



**Present Position:** Associate Professor, University of Houston (1971-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Trinity University, San Antonio (1969-71); Wayne State University (1968-69). **PhD Granted** 1969, University of Texas, Austin. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Second Vice President, Sociologists for Women in Society (1973-74); Secretary-Treasurer, Southwestern Sociological Association (1976-). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on Sex Roles (Council 1975-).

THOMAS C. HOOD



**Present Position:** Associate Professor of Sociology, University of Tennessee, Knoxville (1973-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Instructor to Assistant Professor (1965-73), University of Tennessee. **PhD Granted** 1969, Duke University. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Southern Sociological Society, State Membership Chair (1969-71; 1975-77); Popular Culture Association in the South (State Coordinator 1974-76; Convention Local Arrangements Chair 1976; Program Chair 1977). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on Social Psychology (Secretary 1974-77; Ad Hoc Committee to Reorganize the Section 1972-74).

PAUL M. ROMAN

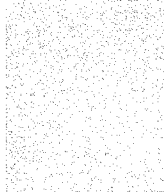


**Present Position:** Favrot Professor of Human Relations and Professor of Sociology, Tulane University (1975-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Assistant to Associate Professor of Sociology, Tulane University (1969-75); Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of Georgia (1968-69); Research Associate, Cornell University (1967-68). **PhD Granted** 1968, Cornell University. **Offices Held in**

**Other Professional Organizations:** Society for the Study of Social Problems (Chair, Division of Psychiatric Sociology 1968-71; Program Chair 1972; Chair, Division on Drinking and Drugs 1973-75); Southern Sociological Society (Chair, Committee on the Profession 1976-77; Awards Committee 1971 and 1975; Chair, Elections Committee 1975); Rural Sociological Society (Membership Committee 1970). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on Disability, Section on Medical Sociology (1970-73).

District 4

OLIVE WESTBROOKE QUINN



**Present Position:** Professor and Chair, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Goucher College (1958-); Director, Center for Sociological Study, Goucher College. **Previous Academic Appointments:** Research Sociologist, NIMH (1954-58); Assistant to Associate Professor of Psychology and Sociology, Southwestern at Memphis (1945-54). **PhD Granted** 1950, University of Chicago.

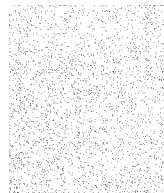
HOWARD TAYLOR



**Present Position:** Associate Professor of Sociology, Princeton University (1973-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Assistant to Associate Professor of Sociology, Syracuse University (1968-73); Assistant Professor, Illinois Institute of Technology (1965-68). **PhD Granted** 1966, Yale University. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Caucus of Black Sociologists (Executive Committee 1972). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on Certification in Social Psychology (1970-71); Samuel Stouffer Award Selection Committee (1973-76).

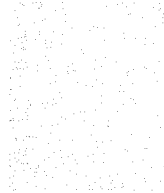
District 5

KAREN OPPENHEIM MASON



**Present Position:** Assistant Professor of Sociology and Research Associate, Population Studies Center, University of Michigan (1973-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Senior Sociologist, Research Triangle Institute (1970-73); Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison (1969-70). **PhD Granted** 1970, University of Chicago. **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on the Status of Women in Sociology (1973-74); Committee on the Rights of Non-Academic Sociologists (1974-75).

CONSTANTINA SAFILIOS-ROTHSCHILD



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology and Director, Family Research Center, Wayne State University (1970-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Senior Research Associate, The Merrill-Palmer Institute (1963-70). **PhD Granted** 1963, Ohio State University. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Executive Board, International Federation for Parent Education (1975-78); Program Chair, National Council on Family Relations (1976). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on Medical Sociology (Secretary-Treasurer 1974-77); Section on Family (Council 1972-75); Committee on the Development of World Sociology (1972-75).

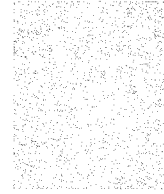
ERIK OLIN WRIGHT



**Present Position:** Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison (1976-). **PhD Granted** 1976, University of California, Berkeley. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Coordinating Committee, Union of Marxist Social Scientists (1974-76).

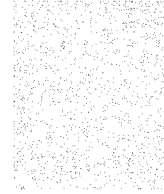
District 6

SYLVIA F. FAVA



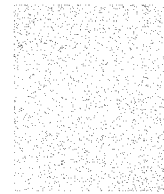
**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology and Chair, Interdepartmental Program in Urban Studies, Brooklyn College, City University of New York (1970-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Lecturer to Associate Professor of Sociology, Brooklyn College (1951-70). **PhD Granted** 1956, Northwestern University. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Vice President, Eastern Sociological Society (1965-66); Vice President, *Sociological Abstracts, Inc.* (1963-66); Council of Comparative Interdisciplinary Studies Section, International Studies Association (1974-77). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on Community (Council 1974-76; Chair-elect 1976-78).

PATRICIA KENDALL



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology, City University of New York, Queens College. **PhD Granted** 1954, Columbia University. **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Editorial Board, *Sociological Methodology* (1977); Editorial Board, *The American Sociologist* (1972); Committee on Committees (1975).

JACK L. ROACH



**Present Position:** Associate Professor of Sociology, University of Connecticut (1965-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** State University of New York, Buffalo (1960-64). **PhD Granted** 1964, State University of New York, Buffalo. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Eastern Sociological Association (Committee on Nominations 1967); Society for the Study of Social Problems (Chair, Membership Committee 1966); Union of Radical Sociologists (Steering Committee 1969-71).

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Committee on Committees

District 1

LYN H. LOFLAND



**Present Position:** Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of California, Davis (1971-); Academic/Research Director, Women's Resources and Research Center, University of California, Davis (1976-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Acting Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of California, Berkeley (1970-71); Instructor, Eastern Michigan University (Spring, 1968); Teaching Fellow, University of Michigan (Fall, 1967). **PhD Granted** 1971, University of California, San Francisco. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Council, Pacific Sociological Association (1976-79); Interim Steering Committee, Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction (1974-75).

LOIS DeFLEUR NELSON



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology, Washington State University (1975-); Distinguished Visiting Professor, U.S. Air Force Academy (1976-77). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Assistant to Associate Professor of Sociology, Washington State University (1967-74); Assistant to Associate Professor of Sociology, Transylvania College (1963-1967). **PhD Granted** 1965, University of Illinois. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Pacific Sociological Association (Vice President 1973-74; Council 1975-78). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Deputy Editor, *American Sociological Review* (1971-74).

Committee on Committees (continued)

District 2

PAULA L. GOLDSMID



**Present Position:** Associate Dean, College of Arts and Sciences and Assistant Professor of Sociology and Anthropology, Oberlin College (1974-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Lecturer to Assistant Professor, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill (1968-74); Director of Admissions, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill (1973-74). **PhD Granted** 1972, University of Chicago.

**Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Southern Sociological Society (Chair, Committee on the Status of Women 1973-74; Committee on the Profession 1974); Institutional Representative to Great Lakes Colleges Association Committee on Women's Studies (1975-). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on Freedom of Research and Teaching (1973-); Search Committee for Executive Specialist for Minorities and Women (1974-75); Section on Sex Roles (Council 1976-).

IRA L. REISS



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology, University of Minnesota (1969-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Director, Minnesota Family Study Center (1969-74); University of Iowa (1961-69); College of William and Mary (1955-59). **PhD Granted** 1953, Pennsylvania State University. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** President, Midwest Sociological Society (1971-72); Board of Directors, National Council on Family Relations (1966-69); Associate Editor, *Social Problems* (1966-69); Associate Editor, *Journal of Marriage and the Family* (1965-69). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on the Family (Chair 1975-76; Council 1969-72); Representative from the Midwest Sociological Society to Regional Affairs Committee (1974-75); Associate Editor, *American Sociological Review* (1968-71).

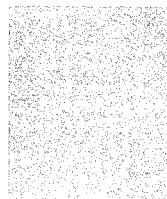
District 3

NORVAL D. GLENN



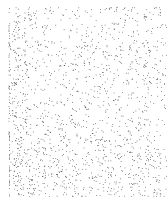
**Present Position:** Professor, University of Texas, Austin (1970-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Assistant to Associate Professor, University of Texas, Austin (1964-70); Instructor to Assistant Professor, University of Illinois, Urbana (1961-64); Instructor, Miami University (Ohio) (1960-61). **PhD Granted** 1962, University of Texas, Austin. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Editorial Board, *Public Opinion Quarterly*, American Association of Public Opinion Research (1973-); Deputy Editor, *Social Science Quarterly*, Southwestern Social Science Association (1970-76). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Associate Editor, *American Sociological Review* (1973-75); Committee on Membership (1971-73).

SCOTT G. McNALL



**Present Position:** Professor and Chair, Department of Sociology, University of Kansas (1976-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Arizona State University (1970-76); University of Minnesota (1965-70). **PhD Granted** 1965, University of Oregon. **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Editorial Board, *The American Sociologist* (1977).

MAYER N. ZALD

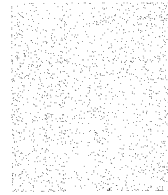


**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology and Anthropology, Vanderbilt University (1971-74). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Chair, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Vanderbilt University (1971-74); Associate Professor, Vanderbilt University (1964-68); University of Chicago, Department of Sociology (1960-64). **PhD Granted** 1961, University of Michigan. **Offices Held**

**in Other Professional Organizations:** Executive Committee, Southern Sociological Society (1973-76); Chair, Committee on Elections, Society for the Study of Social Problems. **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on Nominations (1970-72); Section on Organizations and Occupations (Secretary-Treasurer 1969-72).

District 4

JEANNE C. BIGGAR



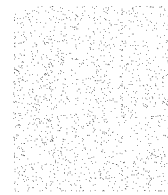
**Present Position:** Associate Professor of Sociology, University of Virginia (1969-). **PhD Granted** 1970, University of North Carolina. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Southern Sociological Society (Executive Committee 1974-77); Southern Regional Demographic Group (Executive Board 1974-78; Vice Chair, 1975-77). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on Government Statistics (1974-77).

ROY S. BRYCE-LAPORTE



**Present Position:** Research Sociologist/Director, Research Institute on Immigration and Ethnic Studies, Smithsonian Institution (1973-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Visiting Professor of Sociology, University of Pennsylvania (1973-); Associate Professor of Sociology, Yale University (1972-73); Director, Afro-American Studies, Yale University (1969-72); Assistant Professor of Sociology, Hunter College (1968-69); Lecturer, Syracuse University (1966-68). **PhD Granted** 1968, University of California, Los Angeles. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Executive Committee, Eastern Sociological Society (1973); Chair, Committee on Research and Publication, D.C. Sociological Society (1975); Advisory Board, Race Relations Abstract (1975-); Program Committee, Caucus of Black Sociologists (1975-); OLCACE (Council 1974-; Executive Committee 1976-); Editorial Board, *Black Sociologist* (1976-). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on Public Information (1971); Committee on World Sociology

TED GOERTZEL

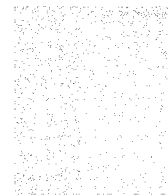


**Present Position:** Associate Professor of Sociology, Rutgers University (1973-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Assistant Professor, University of Oregon (1968-73); Visiting Instructor, Universidade de Sao Paulo (1967-68). **PhD Granted** 1970, Washington University, St. Louis. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Steering Committee, East Coast Conference of Socialist

Sociologists (1973-76); Associate Editor and Member of the Board of Directors, *The Insurgent Sociologist*. **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on Marxist Sociology (Chair 1976-77); Committee on the Sociology of World Conflicts (1973).

District 5

BLANCHE GEER



**Present Position:** Professor, Northeastern University (1968-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Associate Professor, Syracuse University (1963-68). **PhD Granted** 1956, Johns Hopkins University. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Eastern Sociological Society (Vice President 1971-72; Committee on Papers 1969 and 1976; Executive Council 1970-72; Merit Award Committee 1974-76); Society for the Study of Social Problems (Executive Council 1973-75; Committee on Standards of Research and Teaching 1967-68; Chair 1968-69; Award Committee 1971).

**Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Editorial Board, *Sociology of Education* (1966, 1973); Editorial Board, *American Sociological Review* (1975).

JACK LADINSKY



**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison (1972-). **PhD Granted** 1962, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Law and Society Association (Trustee 1965-; Treasurer 1966-72; Vice President 1972-74); Midwest Sociological Society (State Director 1973-75; Nominating Committee 1968-69; Chair, Local Planning Committee 1966); Committee on Work and Personality in the Middle Years, SSRC (1972-). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Committee on Freedom of Research and Teaching (1970-76); Section on Organizations and Occupations (Council 1976-79).

CARLETON W. SMITH



**Present Position:** Assistant Professor, University of Detroit (1970-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Wayne State University (1969-70); Oakland University (1966-69); Bradley University (1963-66); University of South Dakota (1969-73). **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** President, Michigan Sociological Association (1971-72); Chair, Sociology Section, Michigan Academy of Science, Arts and Letters (1971-72); Board of Directors, Michigan Association for Higher Education (1973-); Chair, International Tensions Division, Society for the Study of Social Problems (1973, 1975). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on Marxist Sociology (Secretary 1976-79).

District 6

BURTON R. CLARK



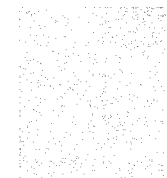
**Present Position:** Professor of Sociology (1966-) and Chair, Program of Comparative and Historical Studies of Higher Education, Yale University (1974-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Chair, Department of Sociology, Yale University (1969-72); Research Sociologist and Professor of Education, University of California, Berkeley (1958-66); Assistant Professor, Harvard Graduate School of Education (1956-58). **PhD Granted** 1954, University of California, Los Angeles. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Chair of Sociological Planning Conference, National Institute of Education (1971). **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on Sociology of Education (Chair, 1960-61, 1970-72); Associate Editor, *Sociology of Education* (1963-69); Committee on Nominations (1968-70).

JEAN DOWDALL



**Present Position:** Assistant Professor of Sociology, State University College, Buffalo (1973-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Visiting Assistant Professor of Sociology, Indiana University (1972-73). **PhD Granted** 1972, Brown University. **Offices Held in Other Professional Organizations:** Committee on Professions, Eastern Sociological Society.

EUGENE LITWAK



**Present Position:** Professor, Columbia University (1972-). **Previous Academic Appointments:** Associate to Full Professor, University of Michigan (1959-71); Assistant Director, Family Study Center, and Instructor, University of Chicago (1953-56); Research Associate, Cornell University (1951-53). **PhD Granted** 1976, Columbia University. **Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA:** Section on Family (Chair 1969-70); Section on Organizations and Occupations (Council).

## Official Reports & Proceedings

### REPORT OF THE EDITOR OF FOOTNOTES

Although a report of the editor of FOOTNOTES has not always appeared among the annual reports of ASA editors, it seems useful to do so. The gathering of information of relevance to scholarship, teaching, or careers, the reporting of official actions by ASA bodies, and the provision of services to the membership are parts of the functions performed by FOOTNOTES. Choice in content and emphasis reflects the best estimates of the wishes of the membership and the editor's judgment of the priorities of the Association. The development of the material to be used in FOOTNOTES and the writing and editing of this publication are the responsibilities of the staff of the ASA Executive Office who perform this function almost as an addendum to other, full-time responsibilities.

The recent editors of FOOTNOTES have brought different degrees of talent and experience to this job. During 1974-75, the editorial office of FOOTNOTES was fortunate in having the experience and interests of Larry Rhoades, Executive Associate, devoted to expanding the reporting functions of FOOTNOTES. The issues produced during that period show the evidence of the additional efforts. Since September 1976, this editor has, again, additional resources to draw on. Sue Titus Reid as Executive Associate and Kathy Bond as Research Assistant are making it possible to improve the services provided by FOOTNOTES.

During recent months, two areas have received greater coverage in FOOTNOTES. One of these represents a deliberate effort to increase information on funding opportunities and on various programs relevant to sociological scholarship. Largely performed by the Research Assistant, this capability is linked to the development of an improved reference system on federal and private programs which is currently being developed in the ASA Executive Office. One aspect of this plan is the development of a calendar of federal programs to enable the editorial staff to anticipate deadlines.

One area of critical comment received by the editor of FOOTNOTES relates to the problem of deadlines. Although it has been possible to shorten the turn-around time for the production of FOOTNOTES to just under four weeks, the slowness of the U.S. mail (three weeks delivery time is not unusual) dramatizes the short notice with which federal programs are typically announced.

The other area of information expanded in FOOTNOTES is represented by a new column on teaching. Partly responding to the interests of the large number of members who are primarily teachers and partly utilizing the opportunities provided by the ASA Projects on the Teaching of Undergraduate Sociology, this column serves as a vehicle for information about teaching and about teaching programs. Although implemented only a few months ago, both of these new columns have elicited favorable responses.

By action of Council, information about employment was removed from FOOTNOTES and, beginning with the November 1976 issue, a separately distributed ASA Employment Bulletin is being published. This change was instituted to provide a two-week turn-around time and to make first class mailing feasible. This new policy has received mixed reaction from the membership. While there

have been communications expressing approval, letters voicing strong criticism have been received. Like all new policies, the Employment Bulletin will need to be reviewed from the point of view of its service to the membership and from the point of view of its economics.

For the immediate future, the plans are to improve the services provided by FOOTNOTES within the current framework. More comprehensive reporting of events within the Association and of information about the Washington scene will be accomplished. To increase the exchange of information and the fuller sharing of the concerns of the membership through FOOTNOTES is one of the hopes of this editor.

Many participate every month in producing FOOTNOTES. Alice Myers, Administrative Officer and Associate Editor, continues to provide information about ASA governance, the annual program, and the management of Association affairs. She succeeded in achieving increased efficiency in the production of FOOTNOTES. In addition to Sue Titus Reid and Kathy Bond, Lucy Sells as Executive Specialist for Minorities and Women and Paul Williams as Director of the Minority Fellowship Program contribute to FOOTNOTES. Two individuals who have earned special recognition and the editor's genuine appreciation are Sue Gorman and Jo Ann Ruckel who perform the real work and translate the intentions of the editors into actual printed pages.

Hans O. Mauksch, Editor

### REPORT OF THE EDITOR OF THE AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL REVIEW

Because of the shift in accounting procedures by the ASA, I am reporting approximately a year and a half of the ASR's activity—from June 1, 1975, through December 31, 1976.

Between June 1, 1975, and December 31, 1976, the ASR received over a thousand manuscripts, decided 994 of them and accepted 16 percent of them. The cause of the marked increase in the acceptance rate (which was 9 percent in the previous year) is

not clear, but the consequence is clear enough: the ASR is now in the midst of a space crisis. I think everything that we accepted justifies publication by the ASR; the most immediate task, therefore, is somehow to find space for it all.

Aside from the space crisis itself, another obvious consequence of the increased rate of acceptance is an increase in the time lag between acceptance and publication: where in 1974-75 the lag was six months, in 1975-76 it was eight months.

On the other hand, the steadily increasing number of submissions seems to have leveled off in the same period. In the summer of 1975, it seemed that the average monthly number of submissions was not only still increasing, but increasing at a rapid rate. The number of submissions from June through September was 30 percent more than the comparable period in 1974. But this sharp turn upward (which frightened us all out of our wits) turned out to be not an increase in the number of submissions so much as a change in their timing. From October 1975 through December 1976, the average monthly number of submissions decreased by an amount sufficient to compensate for the marked increase in the summer rate of submission, evening out to a level not much different from 1974-75.

When the dam appeared to break in the summer of 1975, we made various moves (in panic) to deal with the flood, one of which turned out to be very sensible: we added a third deputy editor, Barry Edmonston, a demographer-ecologist trained at the Population Studies Center, University of Michigan, by Duncan and Farley. He has proved a valuable addition, and I would like to acknowledge here his otherwise rather unrewarded services to the ASR.

I want to thank five associate editors, who are retiring from the editorial board, for their assiduous service during their three years with the ASR: Ken Bailey (UCLA), David Knoke (Indiana), John Meyer (Stanford), Lynne Roberts (University of Washington), and William Rushing (Vanderbilt). I also welcome four new members of the board: Michael Aiken (Wisconsin), Barbara Laslett (USC), William Mason (Michigan), and Barbara Sobieszek (University of Rochester).

I would also like to again thank Henry Quellmalz, Alice Myers and Hans Mauksch for the continued advice, help and support that keeps the ASR going.

Morris Zelditch, Jr., Editor

### REPORT OF THE EDITOR OF THE JOURNAL OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL BEHAVIOR

From September 1, 1975 through August 31, 1976 the Journal received nearly 300 manuscripts for publication consideration (Table 1). This represents a 50 percent increase over the number submitted two years ago, and a seven percent increase over the number submitted last year (196 mss. in 1972-74; 275 in 1974-75).

Of the 240 manuscripts whose disposition had been decided by the end of August 1976, 16 percent were accepted for publication, 67 percent were rejected, and 17 percent were referred to other journals considered more appropriate for the papers' content. The rejection rate is about the same as that reported last year by Jackie Jackson, my predecessor as editor. But the acceptance rate is a bit lower, and the referral rate is a bit higher. Decision time for manuscripts received during 1975-76 averaged about 8 weeks, although for a handful it was as much as four months.

Some 90 percent of all the manuscripts received were reviewed externally, i.e., by associate editors of JHSB and/or ad hoc referees. In this context I would like to acknowledge my deep personal gratitude to the Journal's 22 associate editors—as well as to the 82 ad hoc referees I called upon during the year—for their extraordinary care and diligence in writing comments to be passed on to authors, as well as for their general promptness in responding to requests for reviews. Without such dedicated people the Journal (and its editor) could not function.

Nor could I have functioned initially, as a new editor, without the vital information and advice that Jackie Jackson provided so generously and graciously beforehand, and the understanding help offered unflinchingly by Henry Quellmalz and Alice Myers. As new editors quickly learn, there is a great deal more to putting out a journal than simply accepting and rejecting manuscripts, and anyone who aids in the learning process is a source of great comfort.

JHSB now has a new cover design, and we have instituted a formal "Comments" section as well as some minor changes in the format of articles. After giving up a brief, thankless, and futile effort to abolish footnotes entirely, to save on printing costs we now print footnotes altogether as "Notes" at the end of an article rather than at the bottom of pages. We have made valiant attempts to minimize the number and standardize the format of tables in articles printed in the Journal, but have only partly succeeded. Authors are generally willing to oblige if they are literally shown what is needed. What we have not yet accumulated, however, is a good set of model tables covering specific types of analysis to which we can routinely refer authors for inspiration.

The March 1976 issue carried an editorial statement that reaffirmed the Journal's commitment to publishing distinctly sociological studies within the broad realm of health and illness behavior, health care institutions and organizations, and health care occupations. My belief in the wisdom of this policy is strengthened by the July 30, 1976 figures on subscriptions to JHSB, which show that 2,082 or over half (56.3 percent) of the total 3,698 JHSB subscribers are members of the American Sociological Association. From these figures I also conclude that JHSB is reaching a sizeable number of

non-sociologists as well, which is all to the good.

At this writing, the accepted manuscripts inherited from Jackie Jackson have all been published, and our backlog of manuscripts awaiting publication is manageable in size, varied, and interesting. There have been very few complaints from authors. In brief, JHSB is alive and well.

Mary E.W. Goss, Editor

Table 1. Summary of JHSB Activity: September 1, 1975-August 31, 1976

Activity	N
Manuscripts Received	294 <sup>1</sup>
New	264
Revised	30
Review Activity	
MSS. Externally Reviewed	264 <sup>2</sup>
Reviewed by Editor Only	26
Withdrawn before Review	4
Mean Decision Time (in weeks)	7.6
Publication Decisions	240 <sup>3</sup>
Accept	39 <sup>4</sup>
Reject	160
Outright	90
Revision requested	70
Refer to other journal	41

<sup>1</sup>Excludes 19 mss. accepted in Durham and transferred to New York

<sup>2</sup>Each externally reviewed ms. was sent to two or more referees. Two of the mss. were subsequently withdrawn by the authors.

<sup>3</sup>Excludes 6 mss. withdrawn by authors.

<sup>4</sup>Includes Comments and Replies.

### REPORT OF THE EDITOR OF SOCIOMETRY

Since my last report (FOOTNOTES, August 1975), Sociometry has survived a crisis, been allocated a page increase, and gone through an editorial transition. From 1973 through the first nine months of 1975, the rate of submissions to Sociometry increased sharply while our page allocations remained constant. As a consequence, a backlog of manuscripts waiting for publication accumulated. On September 15, 1975, we had committed our page allocations through September 1976 and had 57 manuscripts under review. At that point, the decision was made to call a "moratorium" on new submissions.

At its March 1976 meeting, the Council authorized an increase of 15 percent in the page allocation for Sociometry. This action plus a change in the journal's format permitted us to resume the review of new submissions. At the time of this report, we do not have a backlog of manuscripts despite the fact that the submission rate has returned to the 1975 level.

Howard Schuman of the University of Michigan has assumed the Editorship. Schuman and I have had considerable correspondence and discussion. I am pleased by his appointment: the journal is in good hands.

My four years of experience as Editor has been the usual mixture of blessing and curse that goes with such responsibility. The major satisfactions were derived from my association with both authors and reviewers. I learned a great deal. The members of my Editorial Board and those who reviewed manuscripts on

#### American Sociological Review Statistical Summary

	6/1/75-12/31/76	6/1/74-5/31/75	6/1/73-5/31/74
Manuscripts Submitted	1056	698	629
Not Referred	198	87	22
Referred	727	567	607
In Process	126	32	
Withdrawn	5	12	
Evaluations Received	1720	1170	1272
Associate Editors	630	398	396
Editorial Consultants	1090	772	876
Decisions	994	669	601
Accept	160	61	58
Reject	834 <sup>1</sup>	608	543
Mean Decision Time (weeks)	10.6	9.3	9.4
Items Published	154 <sup>2</sup>	90	93
Articles	87	59	57
Comments	67	31	36
Lag time, acceptance to publication	7.9 months	6.0 months	

<sup>1</sup>Comments not included

<sup>2</sup>141 rejected without review (17%)

<sup>3</sup>June, 1975, through December, 1976, issues



an *ad hoc* basis deserve the profession's gratitude. I know of no adequate substitute for peer review, and my peers are men and women characterized by both competence and integrity.

In submitting my last report as Editor, I want to acknowledge my deep appreciation of the cooperation which I have received from both the ASA Executive Office and Boyd Printing Company. Alice Myers has been helpful in more ways than I can enumerate. Henry Quellmalz continued to find ways to make my work more tolerable and at the same time utilize our available pages in a most efficient manner. Finally, my Editorial Assistants, Barbara J. Beall and Dina Wills, deserve to be acknowledged. They know that they edited the journal in most respects. I made the decisions, but they did the work.

Richard J. Hill, *Editor*

#### REPORT OF THE EDITOR OF SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION

*Sociology of Education* is the ASA journal devoted to the sociology of education. Its mission, given on the masthead is:

"This journal exists to provide a forum for studies of the sociology of education and human social development. The aim is to publish research on how social institutions and/or individuals' experience within them impinge upon educational processes and social development. Such research could span various levels of analysis, ranging from the individual to the structure of relations among social and educational institutions. In an increasingly complex society, important educational issues arise throughout the life cycle. The content of this journal is meant to reflect this diversity by presenting a balance of papers which deal with education at the institutional and organizational levels as well as at the individual level, at all stages of schooling and with respect to all types of education. Contributions are invited from persons of any discipline whose objectives are consonant with those of this journal.

Contributors' papers are evaluated, through a peer-review process, entirely in terms of quality. All methodologies are welcome. The journal appears quarterly, January, April, July, and October."

First, a few words on recent history. From October 1974 to July 1975 a moratorium was declared on submission of new papers. The reason—such a large backlog of papers that the lag to publication for *accepted* papers was two years or longer, meaning as much as three years between submission and publication. The problem had grown up over a series of years.

The drastic step of declaring a moratorium has been worthwhile in this editor's opinion. For recent issues the average lag between acceptance of a paper and its publication is 9 or 10 weeks. The time elapsing between initial receipt of a paper and when a decision on it is made now averages about 7 weeks for new submissions, and 4 weeks for papers where authors have been requested to revise-and-resubmit.

The major goal of this editor is to secure papers of outstanding quality. Given high quality, the next consideration is diversity. We are very interested in securing papers on all phases of the sociology of education. These might concern individuals at any stage of the life cycle, or, at the other extreme, employ institutions or countries as the unit of analysis. All methodologies are welcome. The only stipulation is that the work, whatever its nature, be of outstanding scholarship.

Recent issues have papers on open schools, on the effects of publication on faculty promotion, on the social context of school games, on cross-cultural education, and on whether or not there is an academic melting pot. We would like to encourage even more diversity where education is seen as a life-long process beginning in infancy and extending into old age. Also where institutions other than schools are seen as the agents of, or inhibitors of, education. How does dropping out (or stopping) affect later education? What aspects of education do business firms concentrate upon, and with what result? How is integration working in elementary classrooms?

At this time we would like to encourage particularly manuscripts which seek to integrate and interpret an entire subfield. Now, for example, many papers in *SOE* and other places give findings on status attainment of adolescents based on a single large data set. No article known to me integrates findings on status attainment across the board in respect to sex, to race, or to region of the country. This is not the only such gap, of course.

Doris R. Entwisle, *Editor*

#### REPORT OF THE EDITOR OF THE ARNOLD AND CAROLINE ROSE MONOGRAPH SERIES

This is the final report of my editorship. It covers a year and a half, June 1975 through December 1976. Fifty-one manuscripts were received during this period, and eight were carried over from the previous reporting period. The Editor rejected five of these without review as inappropriate or failing to meet the page limitations; 38 were rejected on recommendation of the initial reviewers; five are being revised for reconsideration by initial readers; five are still under initial review; and six have gone before the Editorial Board for final consideration. The Board accepted three, sent two back for further revision, and is currently considering one. (The review process is described in *FOOTNOTES*, Vol. 2, August 1974, p. 14.) Turnaround time from mailing requests for review to receiving completed reviews has averaged 42 days. An average of three contacts has had to be made to get two reviews of each manuscript. Total turnaround time from receipt of manuscript to disposition has averaged 94 days. The manuscripts reviewed included 46 empirical studies, 13 theoretical works, and three methodological treatises. Thirty-nine inquiries were received and answered. They pertained principally to appropriateness of subject

matter, page limitations, and the review process. Ten eventuated in submissions.

So far only seven of the twelve manuscripts allocated to this editorship for publication have been accepted. In the event that the allotted number is not filled from those still under review and being reviewed, we urge that the unfilled allotment be carried over to the next editorship.

Our goals have been to increase the scholarly visibility of the Series and to enhance its prestige. Much progress has been made toward these goals during the second half of our term. Sociological journals now routinely review the monographs, and the four selections made during the first half of our editorship were announced at the presidential session of the 1976 Annual Meetings. The ASA has contracted with Cambridge University Press to publish and distribute the Series. ASA control over and editorship of the Series are unchanged by this agreement. Submissions have changed; their number dropped from 60 to 51, but their average quality improved noticeably. Submissions of what looked like unrevised doctoral and master's theses declined from 70 percent to 52 percent, and only two unrevised reports to granting agencies were submitted. Most authors were college faculty members, as before, but the number whose academic rank was above assistant professor rose from 5 percent to 31 percent.

This editorship has been a collective effort of the Board. The Board, acting as a body and always with carefully considered opinions, have made final decisions. Their scholarly and rigorous standards have lent prestige to the Series, and their dedication to it honors the memories of Caroline and Arnold Rose, its benefactors. It has been a highly rewarding intellectual and personal experience to have worked with Troy S. Duster, David L. Featherman, Herbert H. Hyman, Rosabeth Moss Kanter, Maurice Pinard, and Robin M. Williams, Jr. This editorship has been fortunate in its support from the Publications Committee and its chairs, Ralph Turner and Jay Demerath; and from Council and the ASA executive and administrative offices. Two hundred and twelve persons have read manuscripts during our editorship. They have given generously of their time to evaluate these book-length manuscripts without compensation. I am grateful for the unheralded service of the readers whose anonymous evaluations have been indispensable to the Series.

Ida Harper Simpson, *Chair*

#### REPORT OF THE EDITOR OF THE AMERICAN SOCIOLOGIST

Leon Mayhew, my predecessor as editor of *TAS*, began forwarding manuscripts to Bloomington in May of 1975. During the rest of 1975 we received 128 initial submissions. During 1976 we received a total of 169 article submissions; for the comparable May-December 1976 period we received 112, a decline of about thirteen percent. Disposition of the 169 submitted papers in 1976 is as follows:

Article manuscripts received	169
Returned without external review	21
Inappropriate for <i>TAS</i>	16
Other	5
External reviews	148
Accepted	8
Rejected	116
Under review	15
Returned for revision & resubmission	9

This constitutes an acceptance rate of roughly five percent. More than 200 external readers were used in addition to members of the editorial board; several read more than one manuscript. Board members read a total of 182 papers (with a range of 6 to 20 and a mean of 12). Turnaround time for initial submissions ranged from one to twenty-seven weeks; the mean was slightly over six weeks.

Editorial advisories are also sought on letters to the editor and on solicited responses for debates and exchanges. Eighteen letters were received during 1976; ten have been accepted; five rejected; two are under review; one is awaiting revision. Twenty-eight solicited responses have been accepted for publication.

Items published in Volume 11 include:

Articles	11
Exchanges or Debates	6
Notes	3
Letters	6
Poems	2

The modest decline in rate of submissions during the periods for which we have comparable data reflects a rather sharp drop in submissions on certain topics, e.g., "prestige studies" and "how to" articles on teaching and methods, and a fairly substantial increase in articles on other topics, e.g., problems of employment within and without the academy and of discrimination. Deputy Editor Paula Hudis has extended the deadline for submissions for her special issue on *Sociology and Complementary Disciplines: Problems of Data and Method*; thus far some dozen manuscripts have been submitted for that issue.

With over two hundred external referees (many reading more than one paper, or the same paper in more than one version), and with fifteen editorial board members reading an average of 12 papers, we received well over 500 editorial advisories on a total of 148 article referrals. We have averaged slightly more than three readings per paper. In fact, for a set of 100 papers, of the 80 sent out for external review, only three were read by just two readers and more than 60 were read by four or more readers in addition to me, and in many instances, Deputy Editor Hudis. These figures do not include the more than 100 evaluations of solicited responses, letters and poetry submissions which we received. We are most grateful for the conscientious and frequently extensive critiques and commentaries which have been provided by these many readers; their evaluations and suggestions have been invaluable to the editorial staff and, in many instances, to authors. I am particularly grateful to that small number of my colleagues, here at Indiana and elsewhere, who have read as many manuscripts as associate editors sometimes do but without whatever modest credit accrues from being officially designated, and who have also given me thoughtful advice on a number of critical matters. I am also aware that use of more than two readers constitutes a considerable drain on scarce professional resources; I believe that the more comprehensive pattern is appreciated by authors (some of whom have expressed such appreciation even in instances where their submissions have not been accepted). My belief in the high level of professional respon-

sibility of fellow professionals (both within and outside sociology) has been regularly reinforced.

Special thanks are due to Frank Clemente, Zelda Gamson, Cora Marrett, Wilbur Moore, John Finley Scott, David Segal and Guy Swanson, members of the editorial board whose terms have ended during my tenure as editor. It will be clear to our authors, readers, and members of the editorial board that whatever success we may have had with the journal is due in substantial part to critically important contributions made by Rose McGee and Lena Lo, who have been serving here in Bloomington as Editorial Assistant and Manuscript Editor, respectively. Ms. Lo will be leaving the journal at the end of April to spend more time on other responsibilities, and Ms. McGee will assume copy-editing responsibilities in addition to the work she already does. Ms. Lo has set an extraordinarily high standard for us; we will do our best to meet it. She will be profoundly missed, both personally and professionally. Thanks are also due to Jay Demerath, Bill Form, Hans Mauksch, and Alice Myers—however much we sometimes disagree. Finally, everybody who has edited an ASA journal knows how much we owe to Henry Quellmalz, who modestly and without complaint continues to do the impossible.

In my last editor's note I reported on mistakes I had made and problems and satisfactions I had experienced in my first year with the journal. I also noted that the fate of *TAS* depends, to some substantial extent, on our ability to "win back" subscribers who dropped the journal under the new journal options of the Association. Success in attaining that goal depends in turn on our ability to make *TAS* a viable forum for review and discussion of our collective professional concerns. We continue to urge readers to send suggestions and papers; we once again thank all those who have helped thus far—and those we know will in the time ahead.

Alan D. Grimshaw, *Editor*

#### Job Market for College Grads Brighter

The job market for 1976-77 college graduates will be considerably better than it was for the previous year's seniors, according to an article in a recent issue of the *Chronicle of Higher Education* (12/13/76). The results of three separate surveys by placement experts indicate that prospective employers in business and industry plan to hire 5 to 16 percent more college graduates than they hired in 1975-76.

In contrast, federal agencies anticipate little or no change for the first year of the Carter administration, and hiring by state and local governments appears to be down.

The greatest demand for graduates is in scientific and technical fields. One survey also indicated an increase in jobs for graduates in the liberal arts. Competition will still remain stiff for liberal arts graduates, however, because hiring among that group had dropped substantially in recent years.

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Yinger, from page 1 finally become inexorable. To the twenty or twenty-five individuals and groups to whom we've had to say "no," or to suggest a plan different from the one requested, I again express my regrets. There is no way to solve this problem, since good ideas for program do not necessarily occur on the required time table; but fortunately, with an annual convention, most of these good ideas can soon be used. I mention this problem to emphasize again to members of the ASA the need for thinking well in advance in making plans and suggestions for the annual convention.

By now, of course, the 1977 program is virtually complete. The combination of regular sessions, programs planned by the Sections, thematic panels, luncheon roundtables, discussion roundtables, supplementary sessions, didactic seminars, and workshops will involve the participation of over a thousand persons. (This is not to mention the 17,453 professionally-relevant conversations that will be carried on in elevators, bars, and coffee shops. (The Program Committee has not yet found a way to claim credit for those conversations, but we have a sub-committee working on the issue.) A major feature of the Chicago convention will be the participation of about forty colleagues from other disciplines (psychology, economics, anthropology, political science, law, history, mathematics, architecture, philosophy, biology, public affairs) on a series of

panels dealing with topics of major significance to several disciplines. These several types of sessions give promise, I believe, of a most stimulating convention.

The ongoing work of the Council and the Committees of the ASA tends to be so demanding, considering the time and resources available, that it is difficult to set aside time for general policy reviews and long range planning. Fortunately the Council has, for the last two years, reserved at least one period during each of its meetings for just such a purpose. Most of the time has been spent in three small "task groups" designed to give special attention to problems associated with the production, dissemination, and use of sociological knowledge. Recommendations are beginning to be formed for the consideration of Council and appropriate Committees.

Let me illustrate this procedure by referring to an issue that has not yet received attention by Council or any of its task groups, but which I think deserves careful examination. Like many others, I have been struck for years with the sense that the various regions of the world were developing sociologies that were only partly congruent with each other. In recommending a theme to the 1977 Program Committee, I was torn between "Sociology and related disciplines" and a theme dealing with the need for crossing international boundaries in sociological work. Although I finally decided to recommend the former, it is my firm belief that

concerted attention to the latter is also required. With respect to the production, dissemination, and use of sociological knowledge, to repeat the topics of Council's task groups, I sincerely hope that the ASA, through its Committee on World Sociology, the Council, Publications Committee, and other groups, can take the lead in advancing multi-national conversation and research. This is intended, of course, as a complement to the work of the International Sociological Association and its research committees, not as a substitute for them. By its very size, American sociology tends to be too inward looking and is strongly in need of continuous international contact if it is to escape the limits set by its own situation. In my experience, sociological work in other lands is scarcely less circumscribed. Of course we are unlikely to attain a "nationless intelligentsia" any more than we have attained Mannheim's "classless intelligentsia," and probably few of us would want to. But we can move in that direction; we can learn to ask new questions, or old questions in a more powerful way; we can greatly increase the range of the data on which we hope to build generalizations about society; we can keep our premises and our theories under steady review. I envisage small working conferences (perhaps a maximum of forty persons) made up of American sociologists and, for example, colleagues from Latin America, to explore questions of shared interest. Other confer-

ences with colleagues from Africa, Asia, and Europe might set the research of scores of sociologists in more fruitful directions. I make no fruit for any specific procedure. What is at issue is the need to break down our provincialisms.

With best regards, I hope to see you in Chicago in September.

Milton Yinger, *President*

#### CORRECTION

On page 1 of the January 1977 issue of FOOTNOTES, the authors of the first monograph to be published by Cambridge University Press, *Middle Start: An Experimental Study of Educational Enrichment in Early Adolescence*, should be J. Milton Yinger, Kiyoshi Ikeda, Frank Laycock, and Stephen Cutler.

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sociologists at Duke University in June 1976. Also mentioned as worth exploring were better utilization of foreign visiting scholars, improved coverage of foreign sociological publications, and exchange of scientific papers with sociologists in other countries.

Council also voted that ASA name a delegate to the Consortium of Affiliates for International Programs of the AAAS. Since the meeting of Council, John Useem has been appointed delegate to represent ASA at the AAAS meeting in Denver on February 21.

In a very different vein, international issues came to Council in the form of resolutions from the ASA Business Meeting, expressing concern and dismay about sociologists whose professional activities and personal freedom have been threatened in several countries. In some instances, Council asked the Committee on World Sociology to obtain more facts. The Executive Office was asked in many cases to express concern and to gather further information from the appropriate U.S. and foreign offices.

Such an inquiry about the whereabouts of Fatima Meer, the South African sociologist, elicited a quick response from the South African Embassy. Fatima Meer had been freed, although her activities have been curtailed. According to some sources, this curtailment is tantamount to completely preventing her from her professional functions. Further representations will be made.

A new resource has appeared in dealing more effectively with ASA's concern with the rights of foreign sociologists. The AAAS Committee on Scientific Freedom and Responsibility has established a subcommittee on Infringements of Scientific Freedom in Foreign Countries. Because of the importance of this development, the announcement of this subcommittee appears in

this issue of FOOTNOTES, reprinted from the January 21, 1977 issue of *Science*. The ASA Executive Office has been in contact with Ms. Chalk about future cooperation.

#### HUMAN RIGHTS

The recently appointed AAAS Committee on Scientific Freedom and Responsibility (1) has asked us to constitute its Subcommittee on Infringements of Scientific Freedom in Foreign Countries. We are, of course, well aware of widespread violations of human rights which affect people of all classes and occupations in many parts of the world. We believe, however, that we can be more helpful by focusing attention on rights of our fellow scientists, rather than diffusing our concern more widely. This subcommittee therefore will collect data on, and endeavor to find ways to ameliorate, violations of the human rights of scientists, particularly those rights which are of special importance to their scientific work. Briefly, these rights include (2):

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There are continuing violations of these rights in many nations, and the situation in some of them is growing worse. The recent instances of serious persecution of scientists in nations such as Argentina (3), which had hitherto generally respected the human rights of scientists, demonstrate that there is unfortunately much that needs to be done in this area. Infringement of scientists' rights in any country should be of concern to citizens of all countries, since the success of any scholar's work depends so much on the freedom of others to study and do research as it does on his own.

Our subcommittee will act as a clearinghouse for information on foreign infringements of scientific freedom. We request that anyone who has such information please communicate with us via our committee's staff officer, Ms. Rosemary Chalk, AAAS, 1776 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20036 (telephone: 202-467-5436). Unless our informants specifically request that we not do so, we will make the information we receive available to relevant scientific societies affiliated with AAAS, to the National Academy of Sciences Advisory Committee on Human Rights, the British Council on Science and Society, the International Council of Scientific Unions Committee on the Safeguard of the Pursuit of Science, the Federation of American Scientists, and other appropriate groups working to protect scientific freedoms.

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**April 20-23, 1977.** *Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting*, Senator Hotel, Sacramento, CA. Ronald Hardert, Department of Sociology, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ 85281.

**April 21-23, 1977.** *Conference on "Contributions of the Child to Marital Quality and Family Interaction Across the Life Span,"* University Park Campus of the Pennsylvania State University. Conference Center, 410 Keller Building, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA 16802; (802) 865-7557.

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