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Referendum Set on Membership Requirements and Dues

During its January meeting, ASA Council recommended that two changes be made in current membership practices. One involves modifying the definition of Association membership. This requires altering the By-Laws of the Association and approval by the membership. The second recommended change applies to the current dues structure and also requires approval by a majority of members. (For a copy of the complete Constitution and By-Laws of the Association, see December 1979 issue of FOOTNOTES.)

The aim of the proposed change in membership requirements (see Figure I) is to shift the focus of membership qualifications away from "status" or "credentials" criteria to commitment to the purposes of the Association. Those purposes are stated in the Constitution as "to stimulate and improve research, instruction and discussion and to encourage cooperative relations among persons engaged in the scientific study of society". Given this eminently sensible aim, it is difficult to understand why only those with a PhD in Sociology or closely related field are qualified to pursue it. Thus, the new wording is intended to establish a positive basis for membership that includes all those subscribing to the purposes of the Association. The proposed change would also transform the Associate membership category into one for those desiring fewer membership services. The implication that people opting for it are not fully qualified would be removed.

The proposed alteration of the By-Laws also eliminates the "international" membership categories. The only significance that a particular location has is that it costs the Association more to deliver membership services to some areas. This can be taken into account by a postage surcharge for those living outside the U.S. In short, citizenship is an irrelevant basis for membership in a scholarly organization.

The definition of student is also modified by the proposed By-Law change. Currently, only those students enrolled in a sociology curriculum properly qualify as student members. Yet many students who wish to join the Association are enrolled in related degree programs, such as criminal justice, organizational behavior, human development, etc. Under the proposed By-Laws, such people would also be eligible for Student membership.

Finally, the new wording allows Council, as the members' elected representatives, to make cost of living adjustments in dues. The previous stipulation of a membership vote required before larger dues increases can go into effect is retained. In a large association, membership votes often cost more than would be realized by a modest dues increase. In the past, Council has been reluctant to initiate a membership vote until the need for new revenue is critical. Consequently, during periods when dues generate insufficient revenues but no massive deficits, the Association still operates at a loss. These lead to a cumulative loss of reserves.

The proposed shift in membership classification would eliminate the need for the Committee on Classification and would relieve the membership services department of the Executive Office of the obligation to verify the creden-

tials of prospective members. Council unanimously recommends that new membership By-Laws be approved by substituting the suggested wording in Article I, Section I.

Dues Structure

Council also recommended that the dues structure be modified (see Figure II). The rationale for the changes revolves around the increasing cost of delivering membership services and the cumulative loss of ASA reserves, due to the need to subsidize membership services in recent years.

In the past, membership dues have been determined in terms of what it was somehow thought that individual members "should" pay rather than in direct relation to the cost and value of membership services. Unfortunately, this is a luxury ASA can no longer afford in these inflationary times. Because functional accounting was introduced several years ago, the Association now has a better esti-

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Figure I. Membership Requirements and Dues Increases

Current

Article I-Membership and Dues

Section 1-Persons are eligible to become Members if they have been awarded a PhD in Sociology or in closely related fields or if they have completed all coursework for the PhD in such fields in good standing in ons. Persons lackaccredited institution ing these qualifications may also become Members if they can present evidence of comparable professional competence and commitment to the field of sociology as determined by the Classification Committee, There shall also be a class of Associates of the American Sociological Association Any person interested in the field of sociology is eligible to become an As-

Any undergraduate major or graduate student in sociology in a degree-granting institution may become a Student Associete.

Persons who are both non-citizens and also non-residents of the United States may become International

Members or International Associates provided they meet the qualifications of the counterpart Member or Associate categories. The dues for Members, Associates,

The dues for Members, Associates, Student Associates, and International Associates shall be determined by the Council, subject to mail ballot by the Members.

Proposed

Article I-Membership and Dues

Section 1—Persons subscribing to the objectives of the Association may become Members. Those subscribing to the objectives of the Association but desiring fewer membership services may become Associate Members. Students, enrolled in undergraduate or graduate institutions can become Student Members.

The dues for Members, Associate Members and Student Members shall be determined by Council. Increases in dues above cost of living a ments shall be subject to appro-ai oy mail ballot by Members.

Figure II. Membership and Dues Categories Proposed Category Dues Category Dues Member Member Annual Income Annual Income Under \$10,000 10,000-19,999 \$ 20 Under 20,000 \$ 30 \$ 40 20,000-29,999 \$ 45 20,000-29,999 \$ 50 \$ 75 30.000-39.999 30,000-39,999 40.000-49.999 \$ 90 40,000-49,000 50,000 and over \$120 50,000 and over \$125 Associate Associate \$ 40 Student Student "No Journal" options will be continued at the usual 20% reduction.

Election Edition

This issue of FOOTNOTES contains biographical information on candidates for election to ASA offices. It also includes a description of a proposed change in the By-Laws, a proposed change in the dues structure, and a proposed new Code of Ethics. Voting members will be given an opportunity to vote on these items later in the Spring. They are encouraged to retain their copies of this issue for reference when ballots are received.

Council Discontinues TAS; Keeps SOE, Annuals

At their January meeting in Washington, D.C., the members of the ASA Council voted unanimously to discontinue publication of *The American Sociologist*. This action had been recommended by the Committee on Publications. The Council did not approve other Committee on Publications recommendations which might have resulted in the termination of Association sponsorship for several other publications.

In addition to its actions on publications, during its three days of meetings, Council approved the Association's operating budget for the current year and recommended that certain changes be made in membership categories

and in the dues structure. It also received a report from the Task Group on Homosexuality and made final arrangements for the selection of a new executive officer. Several business meeting resolutions carried over from earlier meetings were considered, and a task force and committees were formed to handle other new items of business.

Publications

The recommendation to discontinue publication of *The American Sociologisit* was made by the Committee on Publications during the Annual Meeting in Toronto. It had also been recommended that *Sociological Methodology* be ph-

ased out and that alternative sources of support be sought for Sociology of Education and the yet unpublished annual, Sociological Theory. At that time, Council deferred action and requested additional information on how the recommendations were developed by the Committee on Publications. It also asked for reactions to the suggested changes from journal editors, concerned sections, and the general membership.

The decision in January to discontinue TAS came after members expressed their views on the desirability of maintaining a journal that would focus on professional issues and a discussion of whether a sufficient number of high quality manuscripts were available. The motion to terminate the journal also includes the provision that arrangements should be made for the publication of "important articles dealing with questions of self-reflection on the discipline and the profession" in the American Sociological Review. The motion stipulates that a special deputy editor will eventually be appointed for ASR to handle such items.

There was considerable discussion in Council of the need to maintain Association sponsorship of specialty journals and of the need for all Association publications to be self-supporting. Gen-

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COSSA Gears Up for New Budget Fight

Last year, the social science community was unprepared for the budget cuts in research funding initiated by the Reagan Administration. Those cuts, set at 75 percent in NSF, were the catalyst for the development of effective action by a coalition of social science associations. Using an organizational idea developed in the early 1970s, the Consortium of Social Science Associations (COSSA) provided the logical focus for a coordinated response to the threats posed by the dismantling of federal support for research. A senarate office and staff were established and common strategies were developed to deal with the suggested cuts.

The decision to cut funding for the social sciences was a political and not a scientific one. Other groups came to the support of the social sciences. Strong statements in support of the social sciences came from such groups as the NSF Science Advisory Board, the National Academy of Sciences and the American Association for the Advancement of Science. Witnesses, speaking on behalf of COSSA, were provided for various Congressional committees. On one critical NSF appropriation bill during the summer, COSSA organized a network of 1,200 individuals in 50 key congressional districts to discuss the NSF votes with their representatives. Strong emphasis was given to by perform support and particular attention was given to the "gypsy moth" Republicans and the "boll weevil" Democrats. In many of these congressional districts, there were no large graduate institutions but members of the various social science associations in many different smaller colleges were willing to communicate to their representatives the importance of continued support. This effort had several important results. The quality of congressional debate was improved, reflecting a better Congressional understanding of social science issues. The end result was a defeat for the administration-planned cuts, with 69 Republican Congressmen voting for increased support for the social sciences. Ultimately, this led to the restoration of over seven million dollars to the NSF budget for the social sciences. The consequences of COSSA activities were highlighted by Representative Doug Walgren (Democrat-PA), Chair of the House Committee on Science and Technology, in a letter of appreciation to COSSA. He said: "Your efforts to mobilize the social science community to reach directly their own local representatives was enormously successful. Instead of having a situation where a few of us were forced to try to persuade a large group of colleagues of a different mind, you helped build the broad congressional understanding of the issue

tively easy."

The initial success of COSSA in replacing money to the overall NSF social science budget added one million dollars to the budget for the support of research in

in a way which made my job rela-

sociology. This success, combined with the threats which continue to exist, has prompted the various social science associations to plan for a continued operation of COSSA and to develop means for institutionalizing its support. Members have worked out a formula for support based on a permember assessment and to proceed with separate incorporation to clarify the direction and legal status of the consortium. The articles of incorporation specify that the purposes are to "aid in the development of legislative and policy activities on behalf of research in the social and behavioral sciences as well as educating the members of the public concerning the utility of social science research". Participating members are the American Anthropological Association, the American Economic Association, the American Historical Association, the American Political Association, the American Psychological Association, the American Sociological Association, the American Statistical Association, the Association of American Geographers, the Association of American Law Schools and the Linguistic Society of America. Other associations have joined

the basic disciplinary associations in providing support for COSSA in 1982. These include the Social Science History Association, Law and Society Association, History or Science Association, Society for American Archaeology, Society for Physical Anthropology, American Educational Research Association, Association of Public Opinion Research, Evaluation Research Association, Society for the Scientific Study of Religion, and the Cornell Institute for Social and Economic Research. It is expected that several major research universities as well as regional affiliates of the various disciplinary associations will also provide support for COSSA operations this year. The ASA Council recently voted a \$25,000 contribution for its share in continued participation in the cooperative program of COSSA. The Board of COSSA has appointed Dr. Roberta Balstad Miller as Executive Director and has established offices at 1775 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W., Suite 300, Washington, DC 20036: (202) 234-5703

COSSA has already been involved in arranging testimony for the 1983 NSF budget and in gathering information about budgets in a variety of other agencies. Several seminars on social science related policy issues have already been arranged. These are oriented to Congressional staff and members of Congress. There are efforts being made to develop

Erratum

We apologize for misspelling Joane Nagel's name on the list of NSF grantees. We gave her an L to start her name. She gave us L in

"position" papers on the range of research necessary when the continuity of research funding is assured. Several other activities are being planned to present the case for the social sciences in Congressional and other public forums. The cooperative COSSA effort is critical to such activities since it can speak on behalf of some 140,000 social scientists across the country. Such a broad based membership will be essential when the need arises to contact members of Congress in their home districts.

Last year, the social science community began to understand the message that the suggested budget cuts were more than simple economies but that they constituted, instead, a devaluation of social science in the future of American society. When such devaluation cuts the professional worth of each social scientist by three-fourths, that provided a clarion call to mobilize for action. COSSA was an important result. Its initial success reaffirmed its importance. The various member organizations feel that the cooperative effort should continue.

Individual and group contributions to help defray the costs of the COSSA operation are still needed. They can be made through the ASA Executive Office and earmarked for COSSA.

SSRC Begins Series on Social Indicators

The Social Science Research Council recently announced the beginning of a new series of publications that are designed to report recent scholarship in the social sciences to the general public. The series, called Social Trends in the United States, is a project of SSRC's Center for Coordination of Research on Social Indicators. The Center was established in 1972 with a grant from the National Science Foundation. It is directed by Robert Parke.

The first volume in the series is Marriage, Divorce, Remarriage by Andrew J. Cherlin. In it, the author examines family changes since World War II, including the "baby boom", increases in divorce and remarriage, and differences in the marital patterns of blacks and whites. It provides an analysis of how both "cohort" and "period" explanations may be relevant for understanding these changes and patterns.

In the forward to Cherlin's volume, which also serves as an introduction to the series, Parke links the works to earlier efforts in the same vein, beginning with such reports as Recent Social Trends in the United States by William F. Ogburn, the 1933 report of the President's Research Committee on Social Trends.

According to Parke, the concept of the series was originally developed by Philip Converse. Several other sociologists are involved with the publications through their membership on the Council's Advisory and Planning Committee on Social Statistics.

For additional information about the series, contact the Social Science Research Council, 605 Third Avenue, New York, NY 10016.

Registry of Retired Sociologists

In response to requests from both academic and non-academic employers who are searching for scholars available to conduct seminars, do editorial work, act as sabbatical replacements, and perform other short-term assignments, the ASA is planning to update the "Roster of Retired Sociologists".

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1983 Federal Agency Research Budgets: Complex and Deceptive

As the news of the FY 1983 budget trickles down from administration sources, the developing picture for research and development as well as for higher education is not encouraging. A facade of economy is being used to cover over a transfer of funds from previous support for science and education to other purposes of the administration, mostly defense funding. At first glance, it would seem that science and technology have fared well since there is a 10.8 percent increase at a time when the federal budget is under a tight squeeze. But such "overall" increases are deceptive. Military programs would account for the entire increase while civilian science and technology would decline in real terms as inflation takes its toll.

In other areas, particularly relating to the social sciences, the FY 1982 budget, with its severe cuts, is now being defined as "normal" and as the base line figure for future allocations. Figures in the FY 1983 budget which appear unchanged actually reflect only the continuation of significant cuts made last year. In addition, research budgets in various agencies might appear stable but funding may be eliminated in particular areas while a similar amount is added to other programs in that agency. Thus, the overall picture is complex and requires some analysis by agency. While the social sciences do not seem as targeted as they were in FY 1982, there are still many problems to be overcome as the budget moves through Congress.

National Science Foundation.

NSF exemplified the complexity of the picture. The Foundation would receive an overall 7.4% increase in 1983 to 1.077 billion. The largest part of that increase is earmarked for physical science and engineering. Funds for the social and economic sciences would increase only 1.1 percent. While some might be pleased at such "stability", the overall loss in support for the social sciences in NSF has dropped from 31.3 million in 1980 to a proposed 17.9 million in 1983-a decline of 43 percent. (By contrast, funding for the Biological, Behavioral and Social Sciences Directorate, of which the social sciences is a part, will show a slight increase from 1980 to 1983.) While Congress last year gave seven million dollars, overall, back to the social science budget for FY 1982, 13.4 million has been lost since 1980. In addition, while the funding for sociology will remain stable in FY 1983, this, in effect, still represents a 45 percent loss since 1980.

Alcohol, Drug Abuse and Mental Health Administration. The Administration requested \$246 million for research and research training conducted by ADAMHA in fiscal 1983, up \$27 million from \$219 million this year. No funds would be provided for clinical training on which about \$50 million is expected to be spent this

year.

For NIMH, the projected research funding is provided in the accompanying table.

National Endowment for the Humanities. Under the proposed \$96\$ million budget for the humanities endowment—down from 130.6 million last year—money for fellowships and seminars would drop 31 percent, from \$13.4 million to \$9.2 million. Research grants would decrease 17 percent from \$15.7 million to \$13 million—the smallest reduction of any of the units of the agency.

The only funding areas which do not suffer significant cuts in the \$96 million budget are those which match dollars from the private sector. The 26 percent reduction is felt chiefly in the agency's program areas where the divisions with grants aimed toward the general public are cut most severely.

National Institute of Education.

The FY 1983 budget request of \$53.6 million is up one-half of one percent from FY 1982 but it is 28 percent less than the NIE budget for FY 1980.

Actual 1980	74.1*
Actual 1981	65.6
Actual 1982	53.4
Proposed 1983	53.65

*in millions

The Administration is now suggesting that funding for NIE and other programs be combined in a Foundation for Education Assistance (FEA). In that proposed modification, 38 programs currently in the Department of Education would be retained, 30 programs would be transferred and 23 programs terminated. The proposed budget FY 1983 for FEA is 8.8 billion or 32% less than the FY 1981 appropriations for the same programs. Authority for NIE, FIPSE and NCES would be eliminated but these programs would have lines in FEA. Both the National Council on Education Research and the Advisory Council on Education Statistics would be eliminated along with 9 other councils and boards. FEA would replace many of the functions of the current Department. Early reports, however, do not suggest strong support from Congress for this idea.

Department of Agriculture. Research programs would fare well in the Department of Agriculture under the FY 1983 budget. Support for research would rise by \$54 million. Much of that increase would go into the Agricultural Research Service, the intramural portion of the Department's research effort and the remainder would go into the Cooperative State Research Service.

Department of Defense. The budget calls for a major increase in the Defense Department's support of basic research from 694 million to 828 million or 19.2 percent. It is

	Actual 1981	Actual 1982	Proposed 1983
Total Research	171	137	147
Extramural Research	101	94	99

possible that the increase will be reduced by Congress. Research administrators suggest that the social and behavioral sciences will not share fully in the increased budgets. Representatives in several services report that social and behavioral sciences have been cut by Congress in the past and may well be cut again this year.

Major Data Sources Eliminated.

A serious consequence of administration budget cuts and administrative turmoil has been the disruption of various governmental statistical agencies. Both the Census Bureau and the Bureau of Labor Statistics are canceling surveys, eliminating publications and delaying needed improvements in basic statistics. Some of this information feeds directly into such widely used series as the Consumer Price Index (CPI) which measures prices and the National Income Accounts which measure economic growth. HHS plans to cancel several important surveys, including one located at the University of Michigan which is the major source of information about changes in income, work and family makeup from year to year. When data sources begin to disappear, such losses should provoke suspicion. If the administration policies work, it should welcome analysis. If they do not, certainly the public needs to know. With the permanent loss of such data sources, future political debate will remain only political and not informed.

Graduate Student Assistances. In addition to federal support for research, there are many other aspects of the budget which will have far reaching effects on colleges and universities across the country. The Reagan Administration has asked Congress to exclude all graduate students from the federal government's Guaranteed Student Loan Program. It is estimated that, nationwide, about 600,000 graduate students—about 600,000 graduate students—about

half of those enrolled—are borrowing under that program. Consequently, many current graduate students might have to drop out of degree programs. Such an enrollment loss would lead to cutbacks in graduate faculty and the end of entire graduate programs in some fields. It is not likely that private sources would provide the level of support for the loans. Reduction in Pell Grants and in other forms of campus-based aid will also make it difficult for many undergraduate students to continue.

Initial reactions to the FY 1983 budget suggest that many members of Congress are not as likely to rubber stamp the Administration budget as they did in FY 1982. Thus, the progress of the budget through the Congressional process will probably be slow and there is likely to be ample opportunity for input by interested and concerned groups. COSSA has already encouraged testimony about the appropriations for the social and economic sciences in the initial hearings on the NSF budget before the House Committee on Science and Technology. It is quite likely that the other strategies will be necessary before the budget process will be completed. Additional information about the budget will be presented in future issues of FOOT-

Problems of the Discipline Grants Available: Next Deadline June 1

Proposals designed to promote collaborative scholarship among sociologists or between sociologists and members of their disciplines are invited by the ASA Problems of the Discipline Grants Program.

The collaboration must be focused on theoretical and/or methodological issues that have broad implications for sociology or the synthesis and evaluation of a given area of sociological knowledge.

The program does not support general public conferences or joint research projects.

Proposals will be reviewed by the 1982 Committee on Problems of the Discipline composed of Norman Birnbaum, Georgetown University Law Center, Chair; Matilda White Riley, National Institute on Aging; William Foote Whyte, Cornell University; and Russell R. Dynes, ASA Executive Officer, ex officio.

The next submission deadline is June 1. Guidelines and additional information about the program are presented below.

Purpose and Guidelines

The purpose of the Problems of the Discipline Program is to make grants to small groups of social scientists to facilitate intellectual exchange and to move their efforts into a more productive future. Proposals may be brief but they should set forth an objective, a modus operandi, the implications of the project for the development of sociology as a discipline, plans

for disseminating results, and a budget.

The Committee does not wish to suggest theoretical, methodological, or substantive priorities or specific modes of operation, but applicants may be guided by the following considerations. Preference will be given to:

- (1) Proposals that involve theoretical and/or methodological issues that promise to have implications of general interest to the entire profession and beyond a narrowly defined substantive field.
- (2) Proposals that indicate a concern for drawing together several theoretical and/or methodological approaches, as for example those that cut across several different substantive fields.
- (3) Proposals that are of a stocktaking, integrative, synthesizing, and/or evaluative nature, with respect to a given area of sociological knowledge.
- (4) Groups of scholars who have established effective communication and have a shared focus on the problems they wish to address.
- (5) Groups that can specify mechanisms for preparing for the proposed conferences by the exchange of materials prior to their meetings.
- (6) Groups that can describe procedures to follow-up their meetings and present their results and conclusions to appropriate audiences.
- (7) Groups that can find ways to economize on travel and other ex-

penses.

Grants will generally not exceed \$1,500. Grants will not be given for travel to or related expenses involved in attending the ASA Annual Meeting or for travel outside of North America.

Applicants must send five copies of their proposals to the ASA Executive Officer, 1722 N Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20036. Applications should come from small groups of social scientists, at least three of whom must be ASA members.



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partment of Sociology, and Chair (1962-65), Division of Social Sciences, University of Wisconsin-Madison; Professor of Sociology, Cornell University (1959-61). Degrees: BA 1947, MA 1949, PhD 1952, New York University. Publications: Factor Analysis and Measurement in Sociological Research (Co-editor, 1981); Aging and Retirement: Prospects, Planning and Policy (Co-editor, 1981); Social Measurement (Co-editor, 1981); Aggregate Data: Analysis and Interpreta-tion (Co-author, 1980); Aging and Society: Current Research and Policy Perspectives (Co-editor, 1980). Honors and Awards: Brittingham Professorship, University of Wisconsin (1961-72); Distinguished Professorships, Queens College-CUNY (1972-76); Distinguished Alumni Award, Graduate School, New York University (1968). Offices Held in Other Organizations: Coeditor, Research on Aging; Associate Editor, Sociological Quarterly, Sociological Methods and Research, Marriage and Family Review, and others; Chair, Research Committee 33, Interna tional Sociological Association (1978-82); President, New York and New England Chapter, American Gem and Mineral Suppliers Association (1975-77); Member/Chair of various committees in NIMH (1964-68, 1981-), NIGMS (1968-72), Welfare and Social Security Administration (1963-66), International Exchange of Students (1963-66); Advisory Editor, Rand McNally and Co. (1959-73); Social Psychologist and Assistant Secretary, Russell Sage Foundation (1954-59). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Stouffer Award Selection Committee (1973); Sociological Methodology (Editor, 1969-70; Editorial Board, 1971-73); Committee on Nominations (1966); Chair, Section on Social Psychology (1964); ASA Council (1963-65); Section on Methodology (Council, 1961-62, 1967-69; Chair, 1971).

JAMES F. SHORT, JR.

Present Position: Director, Social Research Center (1970-); Professor of Sociology, Washington State University (1951-). Former Positions Held: Fellow, Institute of Criminology and Kings College, University of Cambridge (1976); Visiting Professor of Law and Sociology, Stanford University (1975); Dean, Graduate School, Washington State University (1964-68); Visiting Associate Professor, University of Chicago (1959-62). **Degrees:** BA 1947, Denison



University; MA 1949, PhD 1951, University of Chicago. Publications: The State of Sociology: Problems and Prospects (1981); Crime, Delinquency, and Society (1976); The Social Fabric of the Metropolis (1971); Group Process and Gang Delinquency (1964, 1974); Suicide and Homicide: Some Economic, Sociological and Psychological Aspects of Aggression (1954, 1964). Honors and Awards: Edwin H. Sutherland Award; Paul W. Tappan Award; Fellow, John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation; Honorary Degree Recipient, Denison University; Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences; Faculty Research Fellowship, Social Science Research Council. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Trustee, Law and Society Association (1981-83); Research Council, National Council on Crime and Delinquency (1968-); Director of Research, National Commission on the Cause and Prevention of Violence (1968-69); President (1966-67), Vice President, Northern Division (1965-66), Pacific Sociological Association; Executive Committee, Society for the Study of Social Problems (1962-64). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Secretary (1978-80); 1975 Program Committee; Editor, American Sociological Review (1972-74); Committee on the Executive Office and Budget (1971); Representative, Division of Behavioral Sciences, National Academy of Sciences (1970-73); Committee on Resolutions (1969); 1969 Program Committee; ASA Council (1968-70); Committee on the Visiting Scientists Program in Sociology (1966-71); Editorial Board, The American Sociologist (1966-68); Council Member, Section on Criminology (1966-68); Research Committee (1962-64; Chair, 1963).

Petition Candidates

Eight candidates were added to the ballot as the result of petitions. They are listed below, according to the positions for which they were nominated.

President-Elect:

James F. Short, Jr., Washington State University

Vice President-Elect:

Edgar F. Borgatta, University of Washington Morris Rosenberg, University of Maryland

Secretary-Elect:

Howard E. Freeman, UCLA

Council Member-at-Large:

Robert A. Dentler, Lexington, MA Ken G. Lutterman, NIMH Barbara R. Williams, Rand Corporation

Committee on Publications:

Walda Katz Fishman, Howard University

Ballots will be mailed to voting members later in the Spring.



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

JOAN W. MOORE

Present Position: Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Former Positions Held: Associate Professor, Urban Affairs and Sociology, University of Southern California (1972-75); Assistant to Associate Professor of Sociology, University of California-Riverside (1963-72). **De**grees: PhB 1948, MA 1953, PhD 1959, University of Chicago. Publications:



Homeboys: Gangs, Drugs and Prisons in the Barrios of Los Angeles (1979); Mexican Americans (1975); Social Problems (1972); The Mexican American People (1970). Honors and Awards: 1980 ASA Spivack Award; 1981 Research Foundation Award, University of Wisconsin. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Wisconsin Representative, Midwest Sociological Society (1981-83); Board Member, Society for the Study of Social Problems (1978-80); Vice Member, Society for the Study of Social Project (1975-); President, President, Chicano Pinto Research Project (1975-); President, Pacific Chapter, AAPOR (1972-73). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Career of Distinguished Scholarship Award Selection Committee (1980-81); ASA Council (1977-79; Liaison to Committee on the Minority Fellowship Program); Committee on the Status of Racial and Ethnic Minorities in Sociology (1972-73, 1975-76); Committee on Committees (1972-73; Chair, 1973)

Vice President-Elect (continued)

MORRIS ROSENBERG

Present Position: Professor of Sociology, University of Maryland-College Park (1975-). Former Positions Held: Professor, Department of Sociology, State University of New York-Buffalo (1974-75); Chief, Section on Social Structure, National Institute of Mental Health (1957-74); Assistant Professor of Sociology, Cornell University (1951-56). Degrees: BA 1946, Brooklyn College-CUNY; MA 1950,



PhD 1953, Columbia University. Publications: Social Psychology: Sociological Perspectives (Co-editor, 1981); Conceiving the Self (1979); Black and White Self-Esteem (Co-author, 1972); The Logic of Survey Analysis (1968); Society and the Adolescent Self-Image (1965). Honors and Awards: 1981 ASA Distinguished Contribution to Scholarship Award (Co-recipient); Eastern Sociological Society Falk Medical Fund Lecturer (1975-76, 1979-80); Superior Service Award, DHEW (1970); W.I. Thomas Lecturer, University of Tennessee (1966); American Association for the Advancement of Science Sociopsychological Prize (Corecipient, 1963); Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences (1956-57). Offices Held in Other Organiza-tions: Editorial Board, Social Forces (1981-); Epidemiologic Studies Review Committee, National Institute of Mental Health (1975-77); Committee on the Evaluation of Crime Surveys, National Academy of Sciences (1974-76); Chair, Social and Cultural Processes Study Group, NIMH Research Task Force (1972-73); President, District of Columbia Sociological Society (1967-68). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: ASA Council (1979-81: Subcommittee on Problems of the Discipline 1979-81, Chair 1981; Committee on Awards Policy); Editorial Board, Sociology of Education (1979-81); Section on Social Psychology (Council Member, 1978-80; Chair, 1977); Council Member, Section on Methodology (1970-72); Committee on Certification in Social Psychology (1968-70; Chair, 1970); Editorial Board, Sociometry (1965-66)

RITA J. SIMON

Present Position: Professor of Sociology, Law, and Communications Research, University of Illinois (1963-). Former Positions Held: Professor, Sociology/Law/Communications, Hebrew University, Jerusalem (1968, 1970, 1974); Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of Chicago (1959-61). Degrees: BA 1952, University of Wisconsin; PhD 1957, University of Chicago. Publications: The



Jury System (1981); Continuity and Change (1978); Transracial Adoption (1977); Women and Crime (1975); Jury and Defense of Insanity (1967). Honors and Awards: Guggenheim; Ford Foundation Faculty Fellowship. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Board of Trustees, Law and Society Association; Board of Directors, Research Committee on Deviance and Social Control, International Sociological Association. Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Council Member, Section on Criminology (1979-81); Editor, American Sociological Review (1978-80); ASA Council (1971-73).

Secretary-Elect

THEODORE CAPLOW

Present Position: Commonwealth Professor of Sociology, University of Virginia (1970-). Former Positions Held: Chair, Department of Sociology, University of Virginia (1970-78); Professor of Sociology, Graduate Faculties, Columbia University (1960-70); Assistant Professor to Professor, University of Minnesota (1946-59). Degrees: AB 1939, University of Chicago; PhD 1946, University of Chicago; Ph



sity of Minnesota. Publications: Middletown Families (in press); Toward Social Hope (1975); Two Against One: Coalitions in Triads (1968); Principles of Organization (1964); Academic Marketplace (Co-author, 1957). Honors and Awards: Visiting Professorships—Bordeaux (1950-51), Utrecht (1954-55), Stanford (1956-57), Sorbonne (1968-69). Offices Held in Other Organizations: President, Tocqueville Society (1978-81). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Committee on Nominations (1979-80). Committee on Sociologists in the National Register (1964-65); ASA Council (1962-64); Committee on Publications (1961-63); 1960 Program Committee.

IRWIN DEUTSCHER

Present Position: Professor of Sociology, University of Akron (1975-). Former Positions Held: Professor of Sociology, Case Western Reserve University (1968-75); Professor of Sociology and Director, Youth Development Center, Syracuse University (1958-68); Director of Research in Health and Welfare, Community Services, Inc. (1953-58). Degrees: AB 1949, MA 1953, PhD 1959, University of Missouri. Publications: What We Say/What We Do: Sentiments and Acts (1973); Among the People: Encounters with the Poor (Co-author, 1968); Twenty Thousand Nurses Tell Their Story (Co-author, 1958); 40 articles in professional journals; 15 original chapters in books and symposia, and many articles reprinted in readers. Honors and Awards: Noel P. Gist Distinguished Alumni Award, University of Missouri (1980); NIMH Special Postdoctoral Fellowship (1973-74); Visiting Professor, University of Amsterdam (1971-72); NSF Senior Postdoctoral Fellow (1965-66). Offices Held in Other Organizations: President, North Central Sociological Association (1980); President, Society for the Study of Social Problems (1965); Secretary-Treasurer, Midwest Sociological Society (1954-57). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: ASA Council (1979-81; Liaison to Committee on World Sociology and Committee on Sections); Editorial Board, Contemporary Sociology (1978-80); Committee on Nominations (1970-71); 1969 Program Commit-

HOWARD E. FREEMAN

Present Position: Professor, University of California-Los Angeles (1974-). Former Positions Held: Social Science Advisor for Mexico, Central America, and the Caribbean, Ford Foundation (1972-74); Morse Profesor of Urban Studies, Brandeis University (1960-72); Research Associate, Harvard University (1956-60). Degrees: BA 1948, MA 1950, PhD 1956, New York University. Publica-



tions: Evaluation: A Systematic Approach (Co-author, 2nd ed. 1982); Social Problems: A Policy Perspective (Co-author, 3rd ed. 1979); Handbook of Medical Sociology (Co-editor, 3rd ed. 1979); Handbook of Medical Sociology (Co-editor, 3rd ed. 1979); Evaluating Social Projects in Developing Countries (Co-author, 1979); The Mental Patient Comes Home (Co-author, 1963). Honors and Awards: Hofheimer Prize, American Psychiatric Association (1967). Offices Held in Other Organizations: Co-editor, Evaluation Review (1976-); Senior Research Advisor, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (1976-); Sociologist, Russell Sage Foundation (1967-72). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Chair, Committee on Applied Sociology (1982-); 1981 Program Committee; Chair, Committee on Sections (1968-69); Journal of Health and Social Behavior (Associate Editor, 1967-69; Editor, 1970-72); Chair, Section on Medical Sociology (1967); Associate Editer. American Sociological Review (1963-65)

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MICHAEL AIKEN

Present Position: Professor, Department of Sociology (1963-), and Associate Dean, College of Letters and Science (1980-), University of Wisconsin-Madison. Former Positions Held: Visiting Professor, Catholic University of Louvain, Belgium (1973, 1975); Visiting Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, Columbia University (1967-68). Degrees: BA 1954, University of Missis-



speis SA 1934, Chitweistly of Mississippi; MA 1956, PhD 1964, University of Michigan. Publications: Complex Organizations: Critical Perspectives (Co-author, 1981); Coordinating Human Services (Co-author, 1975); The Dynamics of Idealism: Student Activism and the Black Movement (Co-author, 1970); Economic Failure, Alienation, and Extremism (Co-author, 1970); Economic Failure, Alienation, and Extremism (Co-author, 1968). Honors and Awards: Horace H. Rackham Fellowship (1962-63); Woodrow Wilson Fellowship (1954-55). Offices Held in Other Organizations: Council for European Studies (Executive Committee, 1976-79; Co-chair, 1979-81); International Sociological Association (Research Committee on Sociology of Organizations, Executive Committee Member (1978-); Research Committee on Urban and Regional Research, (Executive Committee Member, 1978-); Wisconsin Representative, Midwest Sociological Society (1979-81); Editorial Board, Organizational Studies (1978-); Editorial Board, Comparative Urban Research (1975-); Editorial Board, Social Science Quarterly (1972-79). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Editorial Board, American Sociological Review (1977-79); Council Member, Section on Community (1973-76); Section on Organizations & Occupations (Council Member, 1969-72; Chair, 1978).

RODOLFO ALVAREZ

Present Position: Professor of Sociology, University of California-Los Angeles (1972-). Former Positions Held: Assistant Professor, Yale University (1966-72); Visiting Lecturer, Wesleyan University (1970); Teaching Fellow, University of Washington (1964-65). Degrees: BA 1961, San Francisco State University; MA 1964, PhD 1966, University of Washington. Publications: Discrimi-



nation in Organizations: Using Social Indicators to Manage Social Change (1979); Racism, Elitism, Professionalism: Barriers to Community Mental Health (1976); "The Psycho-historical and Socioeconomic Development of the Chicano Community in the United States" in Social Science Quarterly (1973); "Informationflow Within the Professions: Some Selective Comparisons of Law, Medicine, and Nursing" in On Record: Files and Dossiers in American Life (1970); "Informal Reactions to Deviance in Simulated Work Organizations: A Laboratory Experiment" in American Sociological Review (1968). Honors and Awards: Citation for Meritorious Service, State of Washington (1967). Offices Held in Other Organizations: Board of Directors, American Civil Liberties Union of Southern California (President, 1980-82; First Vice President, 1978-79); Alpha Kappa Delta (Past President, 1979-82; President, 1976-79; First Vice President, 1974-76; Second Vice President, 1972-74); Nominations Committee Chair, Association for Humanist Sociology (1980); Pacific Sociological Association (Advisory Council, 1979-82; Committee on the Status of Minorities in the Profession, 1977-82; Chair, 1979-82); Westwood Democratic Club (President, 1977; Executive Vice President, 1976): Nominations Committee, Southwestern Social Science Association (1976-78); Board of Trustees, Institute for American Universities (1976-); Delegate, Democratic National Convention (1976); Board of Directors, Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund (1975-79); Board of Directors, Narcotics Prevention Association (1974-77; Chair, 1976); Nominations Committee, Section K, American Association for the Advancement of Science (1973-76; Chair, 1975-76); Editorial Board, Social Science Quarterly (1971-). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Spivack Award Selection Committee (1977-79); Committee on Nominations (1977-78); Committee on the Status of Racial and Ethnic Minorities in Sociology (1972-73).

ROBERT A. DENTLER

Present Position: Senior Sociologist, Abt Associates, Inc. (1979-). Former Positions Held: Dean of Education and University Professor of Sociology and Education, Boston University (1972-79); Director, Center for Urban Education, New York City (1965-72); Executive Officer, Institute for Urban Studies, Teachers College, Columbia University (1963-65). Degrees: BS 1949. Northwestern



Degrees: BS 1949, Northwestern
University; MA 1954, American University; PhD 1960, University of Chicago. Publications: Schools on Trial (Co-author, 1981);

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Major Social Problems (2nd ed. 1972); The Politics of Urban Renewal (Co-author, 1963); Hostage America (Co-author, 1963); "Theory of Deviance in Groups" (Co-author, article, 1958). Honors and Awards: Schuman Creative Writing Award; Northwestern University Fellowship. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Board of Trustees, Institute of Responsive Education (1977-79); Board of Directors, Roxbury Children's Service (1974-78); Chair, Council for Educational Development and Research (1969); Research Advisory Committee, Social Security Administration (1965-69). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Chair, Section on Sociology of Education (1969).

AMITAI ETZIONI

Present Position: University Professor, George Washington University (1980-). Former Positions Held: Instructor to Professor (1958-80) and Chair (1969-71), Department of Sociology, Columbia University; Guest Scholar, Brookings Institution (1978-79). Degrees: BA 1954, MA 1956, Hebrew University, Jerusalem; PhD 1958, University of California-Berkeley. Publications: Social Prob-



lems (1976); Genetic Fix: The Next Technological Revolution (1973); The Active Society: A Theory of Societal and Political Processes (1968); Political Unification: A Comparative Study of Leaders and Forces (1965); A Comparative Analysis of Complex Organizations (1961). Honors and Awards: Honorary Degree of Doctor of Letters, Rider College (1980); Certificate of Appreciation, American Revolution Bicentennial Administration (1976); Guggenheim Fellowship (1968-69); Fellow, Center for the Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences (1965-66). Offices Held in Other Organizations: Member, National Advisory Council on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism of the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (1980-); Senior Advisor, White House (1979-80). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Committee on Professional Ethics (1967-68); Committee on Nominations (1967); Editorial Board, American Sociological Review (1966-68); Committee on International Order (1962-69-Chair, 1968-69).

ALLEN D. GRIMSHAW

Present Position: Professor of Sociology, Indiana University (1959-). Former Positions Held: Visiting Associate Professor of Sociology and South Asian Studies, University of California-Berkeley (1968-69); Instructor to Fellow, Sociology, University of Pennsylvania (1954-59). Degrees: AB 1950, MA 1952, University of Missouri; PhD 1959, University of Pennsylvania. Publications:



"Talk and Social Control" (chapter, 1981); Language as Social Resource (1981); "Mishearings, Misunderstanding and Other Non-success in Talk" (chapter, 1980); Comparative Social Research: Methodological Problems and Strategies (Co-editor, 1973); Racial Violence in the United States (Editor, 1969). Honors and Awards: Phi Beta Kappa; Alpha Kappa Delta; Faculty Fellow-ship, American Institute of Indian Studies; Fellow, American Anthropological Association; Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science. Offices Held in Other Organiza-tions: Associate Editor, Society (1980-); Distinguished Scholarly Achievement Awards Committee, North Central Sociological Association (1980-81); Associate, Current Anthropology (1972-); Associate Editor, Language in Society (1971-); President, Bloomington Chapter, American Association of University Professors (1970-71); South Asia Committee subcommittees, Association for Asian Studies (1968); Committee on Comparative Sociological Research (1967-69), Committee on Sociolinguistics 1967-79; Chair, 1973-79), Social Science Research Council; Associate Editor, Journal of Conflict Resolution (1967-71); Director, Institute for Comparative Sociology (1966-69); Program Committee, Ohio Valley Sociological Association. Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Editor, The American Sociologist (1976-79); DuBois-Johnson-Frazier Award Selection Committee (1976-79); Associate Editor, Sociometry (1974-75); 1973 Program Committee; Editorial Board, American Sociological Review (1971-73); Committee on Public Policy (Chair, 1970-71); Committee on Committees (1969, 1972-73).

RUTH SIMMS HAMILTON

Present Position: Professor, Department of Sociology, Michigan State University (1968-). Former Positions Held: Assistant Professor, Iowa State University (1965-68). Degrees: BA 1958, Talladega College; MA 1962, PhD 1966, Northwestern University. Publications: "Women in the Urban Economy of Ghana: Associational Activity and the Enclave Economy" (article, 1977); Racial Conflict, Dis-



crimination and Power: Historical and Contemporary Studies (1976); "The Savannah Story: A Study of Segregation and De-

segregation" (chapter, 1968); Urbanization in West Africa: A Review of Current Literature (1965). Honors and Awards: College of Social Science Research Scholar Award (1978); Teacher-Scholar Award, Michigan State University (1971). Offices Held in Other Organizations: Trustee, Carnegie Corporation (1980-84); Commissioner, Study Commission on U.S. Policy Toward Southern Africa (1979-81). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Council Member, Section on Racial and Ethnic Minorities (1981-84); Chair, Section on the Sociology of World Conflict (1978-79); Committee on the Status of Racial and Ethnic Minorities in Sociology (1972-74); Committee on Training and Professional Standards (1971-74; Chair, 1973); Ad Hoc Committee on Teacher-Sociologists (1970-71).

ROSABETH MOSS KANTER

Present Position: Professor of Sociology and Professor of Organization and Management, Yale University (1977-). Former Positions Held: Visiting Professor of Management, Sloan School, M.I.T. (1979-80), Asociate Professor of Organizational Behavior, Graduate School of Education, Harvard University (1974-75); Assistant to Associate Professor of Sociology, Brandeis University



(1967-74; 1975-77). Degrees: BA 1964, Bryn Mawr College; MA 1965, PhD 1967, University of Michigan. Publications: Life in Organizations: Workplaces as People Experience Them (Editor, 1979); Men and Women of the Corporation (1977); Work and Family in the United States (1977); Commitment and Community (1977); Another Voice: Feminist Perspectives on Social Life and Social Science (Editor, 1975). Honors and Awards: "Woman of the Year" Awards—International Association of Personnel Women (1981), New England Women Business Owners Association (1981), Intercollegiate Association of Women Students (1980); Honorary Doctor of Science Degree, Bucknell University (1980); McKinsey Foundation Award (1979); C. Wright Mills Award, Society for the Study of Social Problems (1977); Guggenheim Fellowship (1975-76). Offices Held in Other Organizations: Trustee, American Leadership Forum (1981-); Director, Educational Fund for Individual Rights (1980-); Director, American Center for the Quality of Work Life (1979-); Director, NOW Legal Defense and Education Fund (1979-); Chairman of the Board, Goodmeasure, Inc. (1977-); Executive Council, Eastern Sociological Society (1974-76). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Editorial Board, American Sociological Review (1978-81); Editorial Board, Rose Monograph Series (1974-76); Committee on Committees (1973-74).

WILLIAM T. LIU

Present Position: Professor of Sociology and National Director, Pacific/Asian American Mental Health Research Center, University of Illinois-Chicago Circle (1976-). Former Positions Held: Professor of Sociology, University of Notre Dame (1961-77); Visiting Lecturer, University of California-San Diego (1975-6); Visiting Research Professor, Department of Population Dynamics,



School of Public Health, Johns Hopkins University (1970-71). Degrees: BA 1951, College of St. Thomas; MA 1952, University of Notre Dame; PhD 1958, Florida State University. Publications: Kinship and Fertility (Co-author, 1980); Transition to Nowhere: Vietnamese Refugees in America (1979); Abortion: Perspective on Public Policy (Co-editor, 1977); Catholics, U.S.A. (Co-editor, 1970); Chinese Society Under Communism (1967). Honors and Awards: Alpha Kappa Delta; Phi Tau Phi; Science Research Award, Visayan Medical Association, Philippines (1968). Offices Held in Other Organizations: President, Asian Human Services (1981-); Acting Chief, Behavior Science Branch, Division of Manpower Training, NIMH (1980); Vice Chair, Social Science Advisory Committee, Planned Parenthood/World Population, Inc. Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Committee on World Sociology (1970-72, 1979-81; Liaison for Asian countries, 1970-81).

KENNETH G. LUTTERMAN

Present Position: Associate Director, Division of Biometry and Epidemiology, National Institute of Mental Health, HHS (1968-). Former Positions Held: Congressional Fellow, American Political Science Association (1979-80); Visiting Professor, Stanford University (1974-75); Assistant Professor, University of Wisconsin-Madison (1962-68). Degrees: BS 1951, MA 1954, PhD 1962, University of Wisconsin. Publications: Discrimination in Organizations (Co-editor, 1979); "Research Training from the Perspective of Government Funding" in Social Policy and Sociology (1975); "Post High School Earnings: When and for Whom Does 'Ability' Seem to Matter?" in Education, Occupation and Earnings (Co-author, 1975); "Characteristics of Willing and Reluctant Respondents" in Pacific Sociological Review (Co-author, 1973); "Authoritarianism, Anomia, and Prejudice" in Social Forces (Co-author, 1970). Honors and Awards: Congressional Fellowship. Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Editorial Board, Journal of Fiealth and Social Behavior (1973-75).

HOWARD SCHUMAN

Present Position: Professor of Sociology and Program Director, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan (1964-). Former Positions Held: Research Associate, Harvard University (1961-64). Degrees: BA 1953, Antioch College; MS 1956, Trinity University; PhD 1961, Harvard University, Publications: Questions and Answers in Attitude Surveys (Co-author, 1981); Black Racial At-



titudes: Trends and Complexities (Co-author, 1974); Conversations at Random (Co-author, 1974); Social Change in a Metropolitan Community (Co-author, 1973); Economic Development and Individual Change (1967). Honors and Awards: Guggenheim Fellowship (1980-81); Gordon W. Allport Prize in Intergroup Relations (1970). Offices Held in Other Organizations: Conference Chair, American Association for Public Opinion Research (1981-82); Member, Panel on Survey-Based Measures of Subjective Phenomena, National Research Council (1979-81); Member, Methodological Advisory Committee, NORC's General Social Survey (1978-). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Chair, Section on Social Psychology (1981-82); Editor, Social Psychology Quarterly (1977-79); Spivack Award Selection Committee (1977-79); Editorial Board, American Sociological Review (1969-71).

BARBARA R. WILLIAMS

Present Position: Head, Behavioral Science Department, The Rand Corporation (1971-). Former Positions Held: Associate Professor of Sociology, Vassar College (1969-71); Research Sociologist, Research & Plans Division, Office of Economic Opportunity (1967-69); Professor of Sociology, St. Lawrence University (1962-67). Degrees: BA 1954, Austin College; MA 1957, PhD 1963, University of Illinois. Publications: Appraising HUD Strategies for Economic and Community Development: An Analysis of the CDBG, Section 312, and UDAG Programs (1980); Recent Contributions to the Urban Policy Debate (1979); Comparisons Among Three Diverse Cities: San Jose, California, Seattle, Washington, and St. Louis, Missouri (1974); St. Louis: A City and Its Suburbs (1973); Alternative Growth Strategies for San Jose: Initial Report of the Rand Urban Policy Analysis Project (1971). Honors and Awards: Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Director, First Pennsylvania Corporation & Bank (1979-). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Committee on Applied Sociology (1982-83); Committee on Professional Opportunities in Applied Sociology (1979-81).

Committee on Publications

AARON V. CICOUREL

Present Position: Professor of Sociology, University of California-San Diego (1970-). Former Positions Held: Professor of Sociology, University of California-Santa Barbara (1966-70); Assistant to Associate Professor, University of California-Riverside (1960-65); Visiting Assistant Professor, Northwestern University (1958-60). Degrees: BA 1951, MA 1955, University of California-Los Angeles; PhD 1957, Cornell University. Publications: Theory and Method in a Study of Argentine Fertility (1974); Cognitive Sociology: Language and Meaning in Social Interaction (1973); The Social Organization of Juvenile Justice (1968); Method and Measurement in Sociology (1964); The Educational Decision-Makers (1963). Honors and Awards: Guggenheim Fellow (1975-76); NSF Senior Postdoctoral Fellow (1970-71). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Chair, Section on Theoretical Sociology (1977); Stuffer Award Selection Committee (1975-76); Editorial Board, Sociology of Education (1973-75).

WALDA KATZ FISHMAN

Present Position: Associate Professor of Sociology, Howard University (1970-). Degrees: BA 1968, Newcomb College-Tulane University; MA 1970, PhD 1977, Wayne State University: Publications: "Science and Society: Debunking the Myth of Scientific Purity and Autonomy" in Humanity & Society (1981); "Right Wing Reaction and Violence: A Response to Capitalism's Crises" in Social Re-



search Journal (1981); "Reinterpreting the 'Andrew Young Affair': An Analysis of Black and Jewish Distortion in the Changing U.S. Mideast Policy of 1979-1980" in The Western Journal of Black Studies (1981); "The Politics of Sociobiology" in The Insurgent Sociologist (Co-author, 1980); "Inequality, Right Wing Reaction and the Humanist Imperative" in Humanity & Society (Co-author, 1980). Honors and Awards: NIMH Graduate Fellow; Woodrow Wilson Fellow. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Humanity & Society (Associate Editor, Acting Editor, 1980-81; Editor, 1981-83); Associate Editor, SWS Network (1979-): Co-chair, Capital Area Sociologists for Women in Society (1979-81).

Committee on Publications (continued)

NORVAL D. GLENN

Present Position: Professor of Sociology, University of Texas-Austin (1964-). Former Positions Held: Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of Illinois-Urbana (1961-64); Instructor in Sociology, Miami University (1960-61). Degrees: BA 1954, New Mexico State University; PhD 1962, University of Texas-Austin. Publications: "The Effects of Offspring on the Psychological Well-Being



ing on the Psychological Well-Being of Older Adults" (article, 1981); "Education's Effects on Psychological Well-Being" (article, 1981); "The Contribution of Marital Happiness to Global Happiness" (article, 1981); "The Logic and Utility of Cohort Analysis" (article, 1981); "The Well-Being of Persons Remarried After Divorce" (article, 1981); Offices Held in Other Organizations: Council, Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research (1979-83). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Distinguished Contribution to Scholarship Award Selection Committee (1981-83); Editor, Contemporary Sociology (1978-80); Editorial Board, Rose Monograph Series (1977-79, 1980-82); Editorial Board, American Sociological Review (1973-75); Classification Committee (1970-72).

IAMES L. McCARTNEY

Present Position: Professor, University of Missouri-Columbia (1965). Degrees: BA 1958, MA 1960, University of Nebraska; PhD 1965, University of Minnesota. Publications: "Diversity in Sociology: Crisis or Challenge?" in Sociological Quarterly (1982); "The Need for a Council of Social Science Editors" (chapter, 1978); "Confronting the Journal Publication Crisis" in The American



Sociologist (1976); Critical Criminology (Co-author). Offices Held in Other Organizations: Collaborating Editor, Social Studies of Science (1978-79); Editor, The Sociological Quarterly (1971-78); Convener, Ad Hoc Group of Sociology Editors; Publications Committee, Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Editor, The American Sociologist (1980-82); Jessie Bernard Award Selection Committee (1980-83); Indexing Subcommittee (1980-81);

HOWARD F. TAYLOR

Present Position: Professor of Sociology, Princeton University (1973-). Former Positions Held: Assistant to Associate Professor of Sociology, Syracuse University (1968-73); Assistant Professor of Sociology, Illinois Institute of Technology (1966-68). Degrees: MA 1964, PhD 1966, Yale University. Publications: "Biases in Mental Testing" in Contemporary Sociology (1981); The IQ Game:



A Methodological Inquiry into the Heredity-Environment Controversy (1980); "On a General Model for Social and Cognitive Consistency" in Sociological Methods and Research (1979); Balance in Small Groups (1978); "Linear Models of Consistency: Some Extensions of Blalock's Strategy" in American Journal of Sociology (1973). Honors and Awards: Member, Sociological Research Association; invitation to become Fellow, Center for Advanced Studies in the Behavioral Sciences; Garfield Society and Board of Trustees, Hiram College; American Men and Women of Science; Who's Who Among Black Americans; and others. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Executive Committee, Association of Black Sociologists (1973-77). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Editorial Board, Social Psychology Quarterly (1981-83); 1980 Program Committee; 1979 Program Committee; Committee on Nominations (1977-78); Committee on the Status of Racial and Ethnic Minorities in Sociology (1977); Stouffer Award Selection Committee (1974-76); Editorial Board, Sociology of Education (1974-76); Committee on Certification in Social Psychology (1971).

Committee on Nominations

District 1

DAVID GOLD

Present Position: Professor, University of California-Santa Barbara (1963-). Previous Appointments: University of Iowa (1950-63). Degrees: BA 1947, MA 1948, University of Iowa; PhD 1953, University of Iowa; PhD 1953, University of Chicago. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Editor, Pacific Sociological Review (1979-); Pacific Sociological Association (Vice President, 1966; President, 1977); Editor, Social Prob-



lems (1968-75). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Committee on Committees (1977); Committee on Publications (1975-76); Committee on Regional Affairs (1972); Committee on Sections (1970-72; Chair, 1972); Associate Editor, Sociometry (1965-67); Committee on Social Statistics (1963-66; Chair, 1964-66); Council Member, Section on Methodology (1962-64, 1968-70).

BARBARA LASLETT

Present Position: Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Southern California (1972-). Previous Appointments: Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, California State University-Northridge (1970-72); Lecturer, Department of Sociology, University of California-Los Angeles (1968-70). Degrees: BA 1956, MA 1959, PhD 1969, University of Chicago. Offices



Held in Other Organizations: Pacific Sociological Association (Committee on the Status of Women in the Profession, 1974-76; Council, 1977-79; Vice President, Southern Region, 1979-80); Executive Committee, Social Science History Association (1977-79). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Committee on Freedom of Research and Teaching (1978-80); Editorial Board, American Sociological Review (1977-79); Sorokin Award Selection Committee (1975-77; Chair, 1976-77).

District 2

ALBERT J. McQUEEN

Present Position: Professor, Oberlin College (1966-). Previous Appointments: Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology & Anthropology, Brooklyn College-CUNY (1965-66); Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry, Howard University (1964-65); Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan (1959-64). Degrees: BA 1952, Oberlin College; MA 1953, PhD 1959, Univer-



sity of Michigan. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Society for the Study of Social Problems (C. Wright Mills Award Committee, 1972-73; Executive Committee, 1974-75); Review Committee, Research Scientist Development Grant Program, NIMH (1971-76); Executive Committee, Association of Black Sociologists (1971-75; Chair, 1974-75); Visiting Scientist, Laboratory of Socio-Environmental Studies, NIMH (1971, 1973). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Career of Distinguished Scholarship Award Selection Committee (1980-82; Chair, 1982); Committee on Nominations (1974-75); DuBois-Johnson-Frazier Award Selection Committee (1973-75; Chair, 1974-75); Committee on Teaching Undergraduate Sociology (1969-72).

CHARLOTTE WOLF

Present Position: Professor, Department of Sociology, Ohio Wesleyan University (1974-). Previous Appointments: Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Colorado Women's College (1969-74); Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Colorado State University (1968-69). Degrees: MA 1959, University of Colorado; PhD 1968, University of Minnesota. Offices Held in



Other Organizations: President, Ohio Wesleyan AAUP (1981-83); Society for the Study of Social Problems (Program Committee, 1974-75; Budget, Finance and Audit Committee Chair, 1975-79; Treasurer, 1979-81); Council Member, Western Social Science Association (1974-77): Publications Committee, Pacific Sociological Association (1972-75); Chair, Nominations Committee, Sociologists for Women in Society (1971-72). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Committee on the Status of Women in Sociology (1974-76; Chair, 1976).

District 3

ZENA SMITH BLAU

 $\textbf{Present Position:} \ Professor \ of \ Sociology, \ University \ of \ Houston$ (1976-). Previous Appointments: Professor of Sociology, Richmond College and CUNY Graduate Center (1975-76); As sociate Professor of Sociology, Northwestern University (1969-74); Senior Research Scientist, Illinois Institute of Juvenile Research (1965-75). Degrees: BA 1943, MSW 1946, Wayne State University; PhD 1957, Columbia University. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Executive Committee, American Professors for Peace in the Middle East (1979-80); Distinguished Service Award Committee, Eastern Sociological Association (1975-76); Member, Sociological Research Association (1974-); Association for the Sociological Study of Jewry (Executive Committee, 1972, 1974-76, 1979-80; Nominations Committee Chair, 1973); Research and Evaluation Advisory Committee, Mayor's Committee of Senior Citizens, Chicago (1971-1974). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Section on Aging (Chair, 1980; Nominations Committee Chair, 1981); Editorial Board, Contemporary Sociology (1978-80); Committee on Committees (1978-79); Committee on Nominations (1973-74); Editorial Board, The American Sociologist (1972-74).

GORDON F. STREIB

Present Position: Graduate Research Professor of Sociology, University of Florida-Gainesville (1975-). Previous Appointments: Instructor to Professor (1949-75), Chair (1962-67), Department of Sociology, Cornell University. Degrees: BA 1941, North Central College; MSSc 1947, New School for Social Research; PhD 1954, Columbia University. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Vice Presi-



dent, Gerontological Society (1979-80); Editor, Social Gerontology, Journal of Gerontology (1976-78); Associate Editor, Journal of Marriage and the Family (1975-81); Council Member, American Association for the Advancement of Science (1970-72); Member, Study Sections, NIH (1965-69, 1974-78); Fulbright Professor (1959-60, 1966-67). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Chair, Section on Aging (1981).

District 4

BETH B. HESS

Present Position: Professor, County College of Morris (1978-). Previous Appointments: Assistant to Full Professor, County College of Morris (1969-). Degrees: BA 1950, Radcliffe; MA 1966, PhD 1971, Rutgers University. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Division Chair and Board of Directors, Society for the Study of Social Problems (1979-84); Gerontological Society of America (Fellow,



1978; Secretary, Behavioral Science Section, 1979-81); Secretary-Treasurer, Eastern Sociological Society (1978-81); Member, Morris County Advisory Council on Needs of Women and Morris County Advisory Council on Aging. Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Editorial Board, Contemporary Sociology (181-83); Nominations Committee, Section on Aging (1980).

MELVIN L. KOHN

Present Position: Chief, Laboratory of Socio-environmental Studies, National Institute of Mental Health (1960-). Previous Appointments: Research Sociologist, Laboratory of Socio-environmental Studies, NIMH (1952-); Visiting Scholar, Institute for Social Research, Oslo, Norway (1964-65); SSRC Predoctoral Research Fellow, Cornell University (1951-52). Degrees: BA 1948, PhD



(1951-52). Degrees: BA 1948, PhD 1952, Cornell University Offices Held in Other Organizations: U.S. Delegate, Council, International Sociological Association (1982-85); President-Elect/President, Eastern Sociological Sociological Research Association (Executive Committee, 1975-79; President, 1978-79); Consulting Editor, American Journal of Sociology (1974-75); Board of Directors, Foundations Fund for Research in Psychiatry (1973-76); Vice President, Society for the Study of Social Problems (1973-74); President, Assembly of Scientists, NIMH (1970-71). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: 1981 Program Committee; Jessie Bernard Award Selection Committee (1977-79); ASA Council (1974-76; Liaison to Committee on the Status of Women in Sociology); Editorial Board, American Sociological Review (1970-72); Section on Social Psychology (Council Member, 1965-67; Chair, 1981); Associate Editor, Sociometry (1962-64).

Committee on Nominations (continued)

District 5

CHERYL TOWNSEND GILKES

Present Position: Assistant Professor of Sociology, Boston University (1978-); Visiting Lecturer and Research Associate in Women's Studies, Harvard Divinity School (1981-82). Previous Appointments: Instructor, Department of Sociology (1976-77), Lecturer, University College (1973-77), Northeastern University; Instructor, Department of Sociology Roston, State College (1978-77).



Sociology, Boston State College (1974-77). Degrees: MA 1973, PhD 1979, Northeastern University. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Committee on Standards of Freedom of Research and Teaching, Society for the Study of Social Problems (1979-81); Committee on the Status of Minorities, Eastern Sociological Society (1974-77; Co-chair, 1975-76); Massachusetts Sociological Association (Member-at-Large, 1974-75; Secretary, 1975-76). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: DuBois-Johnson-Frazier Award Selection Committee (1980-81).

ELIZABETH USEEM

Present Position: Associate Professor of Sociology, Boston State College (1970-). Previous Appointments: Faculty Associate, Institute for Interdisciplinary Study of Education, Northeastern University; Visiting Associate Professor, University of California-Santa Cruz (1980-81). Degrees: BA 1965, Northwestern University; MAT 1966, EdD 1971, Harvard University. Offices Held in



Other Organizations: Massachusetts Sociological Association (Committee on the Status of Women, 1972-73; Academic Grievance Investigation Committee, Chair, 1976-79); Committee on the Status of Women, Eastern Sociological Society (1972-73). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Committee on Freedom of Research and Teaching (1980-82; Co-chair, 1982).

District 6

JEROLD HEISS

Present Position: Professor, University of Connecticut (1958-). Previous Appointments: Fellow, SSRC Survey Archive, University of Essex (1978); Visiting Professor, College of the Virgin Islands (1969-70); Research Fellow, University of Western Australia (1962-63). Degrees: BA 1951, MA 1953, New York University; PhD 1958, Indiana University. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Re-



view Editor, Symbolic Interaction (1980-); Associate Editor, Journal of Marriage and the Family (1977-); Chair, Candace Rogers Award Committee, Eastern Sociological Society; Nominating Committee, Burgess Award Committee, NCFR. Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Editorial Board, Contemporary Sociology (1981-83); Nominating Committee Chair, Section on Social Psychology.

DAVID L. SILLS

Present Position: Executive Associate, Social Science Research Council (1973-). Previous Appointments: Associate Director to Director, Demographic Division, Population Council, New York (1968-72); Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences (1967-68); Editor, International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences, Crowell, Collier and Macmillan (1962-67). Degrees:



BA 1942, Dartmouth College; MA 1948, Yale University; PhD 1956, Columbia University. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Chair, New York Chapter, American Association for Public Opinion Research (1981-82); Section K, American Association for the Advancement of Science (Chair, 1979-80; Secretary, 1980-81). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Privacy Research Award Selection Committee (1977-80).

Committee on Committees

District 1

KIYOSHI IKEDA

Present Position: Professor and Chair, Department of Sociology, University of Hawaii-Manoa (1976-). Previous Appointments: Instructor (1958), Assistant to Professor (1960-76), Oberlin College; Assistant Professor, University of Wisconsin-Madison (1958-60). Degrees: BA 1950, MA 1955, University of Hawaii; PhD 1959, Northwestern University. Offices Held in Other



Organizations: NIMH Research Education Review Committee (1980-83); Charter Founder, Hawaii Sociological Association (1980); Committee on the Profession, Ohio Valley Sociological Association (1965). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Committee on the Status of Racial and Ethnic Minorities in Sociology (1980-82; Chair, 1982); Membership Committee (1971-72); Committee on the Role of Teacher-Sociologists (1970-71).

PEPPER SCHWARTZ

Present Position: Associate Professor, University of Washington (1971-). Degrees: MA 1970, Washington University-St. Louis; PhD 1974, Yale University. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Chairman of the Board, Empry Space Theater (1979-81); Council, Pacific Sociological Association (1978-80); Board, ACLU of Washington (1977-79); Review Committee Chair,



NIMH Special Crime and Delinquency Committee on Rape (1976-81); Membership Chair, Sociologists for Women in Society (1971-75); Board, National Assembly for Policy Research and Development (1971-73). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Committee on Nominations (1979-80); Committee on the Status of Women (1977-79); Council Member, Section on Sex Roles (1975); Section on Family (Public Policy Committee, 1974, 1978-79; Nominations Committee, 1979).

District 2

JAMES E. CONYERS

Present Position: Professor of Sociology, Indiana University (1962-64, 1968-). Previous Appointments: Atlanta University (1964-68); LeMoyne College (1955-56). Degrees: AB 1954, Morehouse College; MA 1956, Atlanta University; PhD 1962, Washington State University. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Chair, Association of Black Sociologists (1973-74); President,



Association of Social and Behavioral Scientists (1970-71). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Committee on Nominations (1973-74); DuBois-Johnson-Frazier Award Selection Committee (1971-73); Chair, Committee on the Status of Racial and Ethnic Minorities (1971-72).

NANCY DITOMASO

Present Position: Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology and Center for Urban Affairs and Policy Research, Northwestern University (1976-). Degrees: BA 1969, Ohio State University; MS 1971, PhD 1977, University of Wisconsin-Madison. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Society for the Study of Social Problems (Chair, Division on International Conflict and Cooperation, 1982-84: Editorial and Publications C



1982-84; Editorial and Publications Committee, 1981-83; Chair,

Division of Labor Studies, 1979-81).

District 3

JOSEPH H. FICHTER

Present Position: Emeritus Professor of Sociology, Loyola University of New Orleans (1974-). Previous Appointments: Favrot Chair of Human Relations, Tulane University (1973-74); Professor, State University of New York-Albamy (1971-72); Chauncey Stillman Chair, Harvard University (1965-70). Degrees: BA 1935, MA 1939, St. Louis University; PhD 1947, Harvard University. Offices Held in



Other Organizations: Southern Sociological Society (First Vice President, 1973-74; President, 1982-83); President, Society for the Scientific Study of Religion (1969-71); Editorial Board, Association for the Sociology of Religion. Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Editorial Board, Rose Monograph Series (1980-82); ASA Council (1974-76; Liaison to Committee on the Minority Fellowship Program); Sorokin Award Selection Committee (1968-70; Chair, 1969); Committee on Nominations (1968-70)

JOHN MOLAND, JR.

Present Position: Professor of Sociology and Director of Center for Social Research, Southern University (1969-). Previous Appointments: Professor and Chair, Fisk University (1968-69); Associate Professor of Sociology, Grambling State University (1961-68); Assistant Professor of Sociology, Florida A&M University (1953-60). Degrees: BA 1952, MA 1954, Fisk University; PhD 1967,



1954, Fisk University; PhD 1967, University of Chicago. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Southwestern Sociological Association (Second Vice President, 1974-75; First Vice President and Program Chair, 1975-76; President, 1976-77); Association of Social and Behavioral Scientists (Vice President and Program Chair, 1971-72; President, 1972-73; Executive Secretary, 1975-77); Southern Sociological Society (Nominating Committee Chair, 1973-74; Executive Council, 1977-80). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Committee on Committees (1975-76); Committee on the Status of Racial and Ethnic Minorities in Sociology (1973-76); Committee on the Minority Fellowship Program (1973-75).

District 4

JAN MARIE FRITZ

Present Position: Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Georgetown University (1977-). Previous Appointments: Program Analyst, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation (1980-81); teaching positions at colleges and universities (1964-77); consultant (1968-81). Decrees: BA 1970. Bowling Green State



grees: BA 1970, Bowling Green State
University; MA 1970, Ohio State University; PhD 1978, American University. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Clinical Sociology Association (Executive Board, 1978-; President, 1981-83); Employment Committee, Eastern Sociological Society (1981-82); Editor, Clinical Sociology Review (1981); Acting President and Board Member of a public school Title I Parent Advisory Committee and Representative to the county Title I Parent Advisory Council (1980-81); Capital Area Sociologists for Women in Society (Newsletter Editor, 1979-80; Nominations Committee, 1981); Editorial Board, Humanity & Society (1979-). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Committee on Certification of Sociologists (1981-).

BURKART HOLZNER

Present Position: Professor of Sociology and Director, University Center for International Studies, University of Pittsburgh (1964-). Previous Appointments: Visiting Committee Member, Social Relations Department, Lehigh University (1980-); Chair, Department of Sociology (1966-80), Director, Board of Visitors Field Staff, Learning Research and Development Center (1964-66,



Development Center (1964-66, 1971-78), University of Pittsburgh; Visiting Professor—Chinese University of Hong Kong (1969-70), University of Augsburg

Committee on Committees (continued)

(1977), Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Beijing (1980, 1981); Associate Director, Social Science Research Institute, University of Hawaii (1965-66). Degrees: DPh 1958, University of Bonn. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Vice President, International Society for Comparative Study of Civilization; Executive Committee Member, Pennsylvania Council for International Education; Board, United Nations Association of Pittsburgh.

District 5

CAROL A. BROWN

Present Position: Associate Professor of Sociology, University of Lowell (1976-); Visiting Professor, Occidental College (1981-82). Previous Appointments: Assistant Professor, Urban Studies, Queens College-CUNY (1973-76); Assistant Professor, Social Welfare, Brandeis University (1970-72). Degrees: PhD 1971, Columbia University. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Society for



the Study of Social Problems (Committee on Academic Freedom, Research and Teaching, 1977-79; Chair, 1979-80; Publications Committee, 1980-); Union for Radical Political Economics (Steering Committee; Editorial Board, 1981-); MSP/MTA Local Secretary (1979-81); Editorial Board, Insurgent Sociologist. Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Section on Marxist Sociology (Council Member, 1977-79; Chair, 1979-80); 1976 Program Committee.

FRANKLIN D. WILSON

Present Position: Associate Professor of Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison (1968-). Previous Appointments: U.S. Army (1966-69); Instructor, Grambling College (1965-66). Degrees: BA 1964, Miles College; MA 1970, PhD 1973, Washington State University.

District 6

MARK ABRAHAMSON

Present Position: Professor of Sociology, University of Connecticut (1976-). Previous Appointments: Syracuse University (1967-76); Illinois Institute of Technology (1963-67). Degrees: BA 1960, University of PhD Illinois-Urbana; Washington University-St. Louis. Offices Held in Other Organizations: Advisory Editor, Sociological Inquiry (1981-); Papers Committee,



Eastern Sociological Society (1981-82); Board of Directors, The Roper Center (1979-); Editorial Board, Administrative Science Quarterly (1973-77). Offices and Committee Memberships Held in ASA: Editorial Board, Contemporary Sociology (1981-83); ASA/NSF Visiting Scientist (1971-72).

J. ALLEN WHITT

Present Position: Assistant Professor of Sociology & Urban Studies, Brown University (1975-). Previous Appointments: Visiting Assistant Pro-fessor, Department of City & Regional Planning, Cornell University (1978); Lecturer, Department of Sociology & Environmental Studies Program, University of California-Santa Barbara (1975). Degrees: BA 1964, University of Texas-Austin;
MA 1972, PhD 1975, University of California-Santa Barbara.



Offices Held in Other Organizations: Division Officer and Electronic Data Processing Officer, U.S. Navy Supply Corps (1964-

Revised Code of Ethics

The Code of Ethics published below has been accepted by the ASA Council and is being referred to the general membership for its approval. Members will be asked to indicate whether they approve or disapprove of the Code in its entirety on the election ballot that is to be mailed later this Spring.

The revised Code is the result of four years of work by the Committee on Professional Ethics, which was chaired at various stages in the process by Rose Laub Coser, Theda Skocpol, and Patricia Y. Miller. Earlier drafts were published in the January 1980 and August 1980 issues of FOOTNOTES, and member reactions were obtained in writing and at an open hearing at the 1980 Annual Meeting in New York. Council accepted the basic draft, subject to minor modifications, in May 1981. The final draft was accepted at the January meeting of Council.

If approved by a majority vote of the members, the new Code will replace the current one which became effective in September,

PREAMBLE

Along with those in other scholarly and scientific disciplines, sociologists subscribe to the general tenets of science and scholarship. Teaching sociologists are also guided by ethical and professional principles that govern that activity. In addition, because of its specific subject matters, sociologists are especially sensitive to the potential for harm to individuals, groups, organizations, communities and societies that may arise out of the misuse of sociological work and knowledge.

As a discipline committed to the free and open access to knowledge and to self regulation through peer review and appraisal, sociology shares with other disciplines the commitment to the pursuit of accurate and precise knowledge and to public disclosure of findings. However, because sociology necessarily entails study of individuals, groups, organizations and societies, these principles may occasionally conflict with more general ethical concerns for the rights of subjects to privacy and for the treatment of subjects with due regard for their integrity, dignity and autonomy. This potential conflict provides one of the justifications for a code of ethics

The styles of sociological work are diverse and changing. So also are the contexts within which sociologists find employment. These diversities of procedures and context have led to ambiguities concerning appropriate professional behavior. These ambiguities provide another justification for this code

Finally, this code also attempts to meet the expressed needs of sociologists who have asked for guidance in how best to proceed in a variety of situations involving subjects of investigation, relations with colleagues, and public authorities.

This code establishes feasible requirements for ethical behavior. These requirements cover

-but not all-of the potential sources of ethical conflict that may arise in scholarship, research, teaching and practice. Most represent prima facie obligations that may admit of exceptions but which should generally stand as principles for guiding conduct. The code states an associational consensus about ethical behavior upon which the Committee on Professional Ethics will base its judgments when it must decide whether individual members of the Association have acted unethically in specific instances. More than this, however, the code is meant to sensitize all sociologists to the ethical issues that may arise in their work, and to encourage sociologists to educate themselves and their colleagues to behave ethically. To fulfill these purposes, we, the members of the American Sociological Association, affirm and support the following Code of

I. SOCIOLOGICAL RESEARCH AND PRACTICE

A. Objectivity and Integrity

Sociologists should strive to maintain objectivity and integrity in the conduct of sociological and research practice.

- Sociologists should adhere to the highest possible technical standards in their research. When findings may have direct implications for public policy or for the well-being of subjects, research should not be undertaken unless the requisite skills and resources are
- available to accomplish the research adequately.

 2. Since individual sociologists vary in their research modes, skills and experience, sociologists should always set forth ex ante the disciplinary and personal limitations that condition whether or not a research project can be successfully completed and condition the validity of findings.
- 3. Regardless of work settings, sociologists are obligated to report findings fully and without omission of significant data. Sociologists should also disclose details of their theories, methods and research designs that might bear upon interpretation of research findings
- 4. Sociologists must report fully all sources of financial support in their publications and must note any special relations to any sponsor.
- 5. Sociologists should not make any guarantees to subjects— individuals, groups or organizations—unless there is full intention and ability to honor such commitments. All such guarantees, once made, must be honored unless there is a clear, compelling and overriding reason not to do so.
- 6. Consistent with the spirit of full disclosure of method and analysis, sociologists should make their data available to other qualified social scientists, at reasonable cost, after they have completed their own analyses, except in cases where confidentiality or the claims of a fieldworker to the privacy of personal notes necessarily would be violated in doing so. The timeliness of this obligation is especially critical where the research is perceived to have
- Sociologists must not accept grants, contracts or research assignments that appear likely to require violation of the principles above, and should dissociate themselves from research when they discover a violation and are unable to achieve its correction.
- When financial support for a project has been accepted, sociologists must make every reasonable effort to complete the proposed work, including reports to the funding source.
- When several sociologists, including students, are involved in joint projects, there should be mutually accepted explicit agreements, preferably written, at the outset with respect to division of work, compensation, access to data, rights of authorship, and other rights and responsibilities. Of course, such agreements may need to be modified as the project
- When it is likely that research findings will bear on public policy or debate, sociologists should take particular care to state all significant qualifications on the findings and interpretations of their researches.
- B. Sociologists must not knowingly use their disciplinary roles as covers to obtain information for other than disciplinary purposes.

C. Cross-national Research

Research conducted in foreign countries raises special ethical issues for the investigator and the professional. Disparities in wealth, power, and political systems between the researcher's country and the host country may create problems of equity in research collaboration and conflicts of interest for the visiting scholar. Also, to follow the the precepts of the scientific method—such as those requiring full disclosure—may entail adverse consequences or personal risks for individuals and groups in the host country. Finally, irresponsible actions by a single researcher or research team can eliminate or reduce future access to a country by the entire profession and its allied fields.

- 1. Sociologists should not use their research or consulting roles as covers to gather intellience for any government.
- Sociologists should not act as agents for any organization or government without disclos-

- Research should take culturally appropriate steps to secure informed consent and to avoid invasions of privacy. Special actions may be necessary where the individuals studied are illiterate, of very low social status, and/or unfamiliar with social research.
- 4. While generally adhering to the norm of acknowledging the contributions of all collaborators, sociologists working in foreign areas should be sensitive to harms that may arise from disclosure, and respect a collaborator's wish and/or need for anonymity. Full disclosure may be made later if circumstances permit.
- 5. All research findings, except those likely to cause harm to collaborators and participants, should be made available in the host country, ideally in the language of that country. Where feasible, raw data stripped of identifiers should also be made available. With repressive governments and in situations of armed conflict, researchers should take particular care to avoid inflicting harm.
- 6. Because research and/or findings may have important political repercussions, sociologists must weigh carefully the political effects of conducting research or disclosure of findings on international tensions or domestic conflicts. It can be anticipated that there are some circumstances where disclosure would be desirable despite possible adverse effects; however, ordinarily research should not be undertaken or findings released when they can be expected to exacerbate international tensions or domestic conflicts.

D. Work Outside of Academic Settings

Sociologists who work in organizations providing a lesser degree of autonomy than academic settings may face special problems. In satisfying their obligations to employers, sociologists in such settings must make every effort to adhere to the professional obligations contained in this code. Those accepting employment as sociologists in business, government, and other non-academic settings should be aware of possible constraints on research and publication in those settings and should negotiate clear understandings about such conditions accompanying their research and scholarly activity.

E. Respect for the Rights of Research Populations

- 1. Individuals, families, households, kin and friendship groups that are subjects of research are entitled to rights of biographical anonymity. Organizations, large collectivities such as neighborhoods, ethnic groups, or religious denominations, corporations, governments, public agencies, public officials, persons in the public eye, are not entitled automatically to privacy and need not be extended routinely guarantees of privacy and confidentiality. However, if any guarantees are made, they must be honored unless there are clear and compelling reasons not to do so.
- Information about persons obtained from records that are open to public scrutiny cannot be protected by guarantees of privacy or confidentiality.
- The process of conducting sociological research must not expose subjects to substantial risk or personal harm. Where modest risk or harm is anticipated, informed consent must be obtained.
- 4. To the extent possible in a given study, researchers should anticipate potential threats to confidentiality. Such means as the removal of identifiers, the use of randomized responses, and other statistical solutions to problems of privacy should be used where appropriate.
- 5. Confidential information provided by research participants must be treated as such by sociologists, even when this information enjoys no legal protection or privilege and legal force is applied. The obligation to respect confidentiality also applies to members of research organizations (interviewers, coders, clerical staff, etc.) who have access to the information. It is the responsibility of the chief investigator to instruct staff members on this point.

II. PUBLICATIONS AND REVIEW PROCESS

- A. Questions of Authorship and Acknowledgment
- 1. Sociologists must acknowledge all persons who contributed significantly to the research and publication processes.
- Claims and ordering of authorship must accurately reflect the contributions of all major participants in the research and writing process, including students.
- Material taken verbatim from another person's published or unpublished work must be
 explicitly identified and referenced to its author. Borrowed ideas or data, even if not
 quoted, must be explicitly acknowledged.

- B. In submission for publication, authors, editors and referees share coordinate responsibilities.
 - Journal editors must provide prompt decisions to authors of submitted manuscripts. They
 must monitor the work of associate editors and other referees so that delays are few and
 reviews are conscientious.
 - 2. An editor's commitment to publish an essay must be binding on the journal.
 - Editors receiving reviews of manuscripts from persons who have previously reviewed those manuscripts for another journal should ordinarily seek additional reviews.
 - 4. Submission of a manuscript to a professional journal clearly grants that journal first claim to publish, provided a decision on the submitted paper is rendered with reasonable promptness. Except where journal policies explicitly allow multiple submissions, a paper submitted to one English language journal may not be submitted to another journal published in English until after an official decision has been received from the first journal, although, of course, the article can be withdrawn from all consideration to publish.

C. Participation in Review Processes

Sociologists are frequently asked to provide evaluations of manuscripts, research proposals, or other work of professional colleagues. In such work, sociologists should hold themselves to high standards of performance, in several specific ways:

- Sociologists should decline requests for reviews of the work of others where strong
 conflicts of interest are involved, such as may occur when a person is asked to review
 work by teachers, friends, or colleagues for whom he or she feels an overriding sense of
 personal obligation, competition, or enmity, or when such requests cannot be fulfilled
 on time.
- Materials sent for review should be read in their entirety and considered carefully. Evaluations should be justified with explicit reasons.
- Sociologists who are asked to review manuscripts and books they have previously reviewed should make this fact known to the editor requesting the review.

III. TEACHING AND SUPERVISION

The routine conduct of faculty responsibilities is treated at length in the faculty codes and AAUP rules accepted as governing procedures by the various institutions of higher learning. Sociologists in teaching roles should be familiar with the content of the codes in force at their institutions and should perform their responsibilities within such guidelines.

- A. Sociologists are obligated to protect the rights of students to fair treatment.
 - Sociologists should provide students with a fair and honest statement of the scope and perspective of their courses, clear expectations for student performances and fair evaluations of their work.
 - Departments of Sociology must provide graduate students with explicit policies and criteria about recruitment, admission, courses and examination requirements, financial support, and conditions of possible dismissal.
 - Sociology Departments should help to locate employment for their graduates.
 - Sociologists must refrain from disclosure of personal information concerning students where such information is not directly relevant to issues of professional competence.
- B. Sociologists must refrain from exploiting students.
 - 1. Sociologists must not coerce or deceive students into serving as research subjects.
 - 2. Sociologists must not represent the work of students as their own
- C. Sociologists must not use their professional positions or rank to coerce personal or sexual favors or economic or professional advantages from students, research assistants, clerical staff or colleagues.
- D. Sociologists may not permit personal animosities or intellectual differences vis-a-vis colleagues to foreclose student access to those colleagues.

The Standing Committee on Professional Ethics, appointed by the Council of the American Sociological Association, shall have primary responsibility for the interpretation of this Code, for the investigation of complaints brought under it, and for recommendations to Council pertinent to such complaints.

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Experimentation in the Law: Report of the Federal Judicial Center Advisory Committee on Experimentation in the Law is the report of a committee of 13 distinguished judges, scholars, and lawyers appointed in 1978 by the Chief Justice of the United States. The report addresses two issues: the legal and ethical issues of experimentation in the justice system; and experimentation in the legal system as a form of experimentation in social or governmental policy. One of the report's conclusions of particular note is the finding that informed consent is not essential for subject participation in justice system experimentation. Copies of the report can be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402. Request #027-000-01148-9; enclose \$4.25.

Praxis International is a new journal committed to the goals of international socialism, carrying on the spirit and work of the Yugoslav journal, Praxis, on a broader international scale. The basic purpose of Praxis International is to encourage a forceful and imaginative critical analysis of existing social systems. It explores rational alternatives and examines the possibilities for democratic social transformation. Articles are published in English, French or German and are of interest to the full range of contemporary social theorists.

For more information, contact: Edwin L. Goff, *Praxis International*, c/o Richard Bernstein, Haverford College, Haverford, PA 19041; (215) 649-9600.

Practice and Progress: British Sociology, 1950-1980, edited by P. Abrams, R. Deen, J. Flinsh, and P. Rock, includes ten papers presented at the 1980 annual conference of the British Sociological Association. The papers, like the larger conference, assess the first thirty years of the British Sociological Association and, indirectly, the progress of British sociology during this period. Available in paperback from Allen & Unwin.

A Woman's Yellow Pages: 570+ Organizations Concerned with Women's Issues has just been published by the Federation of Organizations for Professional Women. This 100-page reference work contains a compilation of national organizations concerned with women's issues with separate listings for their women's committees, caucuses, and divisions. Also included are groups providing resources on women's issues such as government agencies, research institutes, clearinghouses, and publishers. To order, send a self-addressed mailing label and a check for \$5.00 to: Federation of Organizations for Professional Women, 2000 P Street, N.W., Suite 403, Washington, DC 20036. For additional information, contact Nancy Felipe Russo at (202) 833-4908.

The Catalogue of British Official Publications Not Published by HMSO reveals for the first time a huge number of official documents that are at present virtually inaccessible to the average librarian. This catalogue is the first dual publication program of its kind outside North America, and nearly every publication listed is available on inexpensive microfiche. For prices and ordering information, contact: in the USA—Somerset House, 417 Maitland Avenue, Teaneck, NJ 07766; phone: (201) 833-1795; outside the USA—Chadwyck-Healey Ltd., 20 Newmarket Road, Cambridge CB5 8DT, England; phone: 0223 311479.

Treating and Assessing the Chronically Mentally III: The Pioneering Research of Gordon L. Paul, the latest publication in the NIMH Science Reports series, describes research which is a significant contribution to overall progress in mental health treatment and rehabilitation. Single courtesy copies of this report, written by staff science writer Lawrence J. Rhoades, are available from: National Clearinghouse for Mental Health Information, National Institute of Mental Health, Room 11A21, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857.

I have always appreciated it when sociologists wrote for a larger and wider audience. I tried it myself. I suppose that I'm one of a few who dared to include a *Reader's Digest* article on my vita. That article had many consequences. My mother liked it. My neighbors were impressed. Old high school friends wrote, astonished by my "success" and chagrined by their previous estimate of my future. With the fee, I laughed all the way on the short walk to the bank. It even led to some interesting professional and scholarly involvements. Many of my colleagues, I'm sure, considered my reputation abridged and condensed.

Consequently, I'm pleased when I run into a colleague in unexpected pages. Recently, I ran into Robin Williams on "America Today" in a report of a conference published by the American Council of Life Insurance. I ran into Marty Lipset on "The Limits of Social Science" in the October issue of Public Opinion. I ran into Charlie Moskos in the Fall 1981 issue of Foreign Affairs on "Making the All Volunteer Force Work: A National Service Approach". I learned something from each of these encounters but so did many other readers. It was nice to see my friends there.

In our periodic bursts of masochism, we don't think our work has enough visibility in more general periodicals. But editors of those periodicals say to me that they seldom get manuscripts. I'm not surprised. I would hope that more of us would run the risk of being abridged and condensed. I would hope that more would try. I hate to think of the National Enquirer being the major source of public attention to sociology.

I do have a suggestion, however. When you publish something for a wider audience, send me a copy. I can't read everything to look for my friends and colleagues. In exchange, I can't promise you a rose garden or tenure but I can note them periodically in FOOTNOTES. That, I understand, is the proper use of FOOTNOTES. I would like to see more of my friends in "public view" since most of them are very respectable. Most of them can stand the exposure and sociology can only benefit from that.—RRD

AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL REVIEW

Accepting the editorship of ASR for a year was not a bad trip...actually, the tenure was more like 18 months. Though Rita Simon had the office efficiently organized, I lost the entire staff almost immediately. Luckily, Sharon Gunason, Managing Editor, and Richard Wagner, Copy Editor, filled the vacancies beautifully. Most impor-tant, the Deputy Editors, Clark McPhail and Joe Spaeth graciously agreed to stay on for another year and so did all the Associate Editors. With the Ex-, Deputy, and Associate Editors giving me such strong support, how could I go wrong? Never mind, I managed-on occasion. Thank you all. You were magnificent.

I decided not to make many changes in ASR during my brief tenure, but I couldn't resist a few. My poor eyes always found the print of the abstracts too small, so I ordered larger type. I also shifted to bolder headings and sub-headings as well as to a modern block-type page format. I decided to stick with one color for the cover. Authors were rewarded by shifting their profiles from the back to the front of the journal. The Errata section was also moved to the front page to give errors more prominance and to enable readers to tear out the page and insert it with the original article. Nobody seemed to notice these changes except Henry Quellmalz, our printer (editors take note), but I liked them.

Comments and Replies quickly grew in number and length. They were sometimes longer than articles and research notes. I imposed a limit of six to eight typewritten pages to prevent ASR from becoming a journal of exchanges. As tenure time approached, authors seemed to become increasingly contentious about their rejected manuscripts. I found no easy solution for this.

The number of manuscripts submitted to ASR continued to decline from 608 to 541; 113 manuscripts were transferred to Professor Sheldon Stryker, the new editor. The rejection rate also declined from 86 percent in the previous year to 78 for my tenure. We called upon 382 referees for assistance and we took eleven weeks on the average to process a submission. Volume 46 of ASR contains 36 articles, 19 research notes, 37 comments and replies, and one correction.

William Form Editor

THE AMERICAN SOCIOLOGIST

For TAS, the publishing year 1981 was marked by a major retrospective feature on the ASA. The first two issues of Volume 16 were devoted to "The ASA at 75". Several articles explored the history of the Association—its accomplishments, as well as its failures and neglects. Other papers focused on contemporary facets of the Association—its politics, and a profile of the members based on the 1980 membership survey. Finally, the issues were capped by appraisals from former officers and executives of the accomplishments of the Association and their advice for its future direction.

Turning to the manuscript summary, we received 88 papers this year, slightly less than last year. The average review time was 67 days. Our policy is to send nearly every manuscript to four or five reviewers, several more than most journals use. We use more reviewers because we feel that many papers dealing with critiques and proposals for the profession and discipline might evoke strong reactions.

We thus seek the widest possible range of reactions to these papers. Nevertheless, we are surprised by the uniformity of evaluations of most papers: 88 manuscripts received; 12 accepted; 7 in revision; 13 in review; 40 rejected; 16 returned by editor, without review; 67 average number of days in review.

Among the 88 manuscripts received during 1981, we have observed some increase in the number focusing on applied sociology and social policy. Several of these either have been accepted for publication or already published. At present, we are reviewing papers for the special issue on funding of sociological research.

As of the date of this report, the fate of TAS again hangs in the balance. I wish to thank all of those persons who have written letters and signed petitions on behalf of the journal. Whatever the final decision of ASA Council in response to the Publications Committee's recommendation to phase out TAS, it has been gratifying to observe the outpouring of response in support of the journal.

Special thanks must go to John Hall, Deputy Editor, and to Barbara Barman, Secretary/Copy Editor. Both have been pillars of strength in this most difficult year for the journal.

James McCartney

CONTEMPORARY SOCIOLOGY

This report covers the issues of Volume 10. Norval Glenn was gracious enough to accept responsibility for the January issue of the volume, thus allowing me and my staff and editorial loard more time to get ourselves organized. However, because some readers may wish to see the whole volume in review, I am including the figures for the January issue in Table 1.

The 737 books reviewed constituted 53 percent of the 1,385 books received during the year. This represents an increase of 20 percent over the number of books reviewed in 1980. The increase was made possible because of an additional allocation of 72 pages, which enabled us to clear the backlog of reviews that had been accumulating.

Probably the most important recommendation that Norval Glenn made was that I develop an editorial board the majority of whose members lived within 150 miles of Storrs. This has been done, with the most noteworthy result being that I am able to call meetings several times a year. The prime purpose of each meeting is to examine with care the books that have arrived and that have not been easily assigned. The most obvious consequence, at least during the first year of operation, has been to raise the percentage of books selected to be reviewed. At the same time, we have developed a system by which our associate editors located at a distance have been able to play an active role in the reviewer-selection process. And so we are grateful to them also.

Again, following an idea used by others, we have resorted to minireviews of books that seem to merit some attention but not a full-fledged review.

We recognize the attractiveness of such features as symposia, feature esays, and survey essays, and we have made a decision to retain them. At the same time, we have consciously cut down on their numbers in order to find space for all the books that merit attention. We have also tried to encourage colleagues to write regular reviews of approximately 500 words duration. Most people exceed that number, generally by some 20 percent. So we continue to struggle to find

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space for all books meriting review in

A continuing problem of another sort is the high rate of refusal to review books for CS. A significant portion of those who decline the invitation are senior professors, from whom we should be looking for leadership in this matter. We really do run the risk that so many senior scholars will decline to review books that there will be no one available to review their books.

One other problem that emerges with refusals is that they delay further the period between the publication of a book and the appearance of the review in the journal. The process is slow at best, and when two or three persons turn us down, which is not at all unusual, the situation is simply exacerbated.

Glenn struggled with the problem of the gap between date of book publication and date of review, and we continue to do so. Table 2 points up the problem for Volume 10. In the March and May issues, 90 percent or more of all books reviewed were books published in 1979 or earlier. Indeed, the March issue was dominated by books published between 1975 and 1978.

Not until July did books published in 1980 become the dominant books reviewed. The first 1981 book to be reviewed appeared in the September issue. And as late as November 1981, a third of the reviews were of books published in the 1970s. The latter was due to the fact that some reviewers were sending in reviews more than a year late. We have taken steps to eliminate that problem, and will have more to say in next year's report.

The prospects for 1982 are not bright with regard to closing the gap. We already have commissioned about 660 reviews. We have another hundred books waiting assignment, and almost

three hundred awaiting a meeting for critical evaluation. These are almost without exception books published in 1980 and 1981. Thus, there is little prospect that more than a handful of books published in 1982 will be reviewed in 1982.

It takes one to two months to process a book and bring it to the attention of the editorial board. Even when the associate editors are able to recommend a reviewer or reviewers and then we find a reviewer on the first try, three or four months will have passed. If the reviewer gets the review back to us within two months, that is a record. And it is four months at least from date of receipt of clean copy to the publica-tion date—actually longer, because the lead time for materials to the printer is four months. So, under the present circumstances, there is not much to be done, except to try to insure that the gap not be lengthened.

We have taken seriously Glenn's suggestion that we try to raise the percentage of women reviewers. There is probably a relationship between the number of women on the editorial board and our ability to find women reviewers. We have, in fact, increased the percentage of women on the editorial board, and perhaps in consequence of this, we have also increased the percentage of women reviewers, as Table 3 makes clear. It would appear that we are reaching the point where the women reviewers are representative of the discipline itself. If the trend continues, we need not even bother to make such counts in the future.

The first year has not been without its trials and tribulations, but for the most part it has been fun, the editorial board has made a real effort to evaluate critically the books being published, and much has been gained by being able to have regular meetings with at least half of the board present. I am grateful to all for their help.

Most of all, I am grateful to Kathy Carroll, Patty Ceruzzi, and Allison Phaneuf for their invaluable work in the daily running of the office. Colleagues who had recommended Betty Seaver to me had said that she would be an outstanding managing editor, and they are right. She and Kathy have run a tight ship with extraordinary competence and good humor. They have continued the good tradition established by Joan Crandall of Texas of getting all issues to the printer on time. I thank them on behalf of the Association.

William V. D'Antonio Editor

JOURNAL OF HEALTH & SOCIAL BEHAVIOR

During the period January 1-December 31, 1981, four issues of the Journal of Health and Social Behavior were published at the appointed times. The four issues consisted of 34 articles and 7 comments/replies. Manuscripts comprising each issue reflected a common theme: Providing and Using Health Services: Responses to Perceive Health Needs (Vol. 22, No. 1), Social Factors in the Experience, Management, and the Expression of Physical/Psychological Symptoms (Vol. 22, No. 2), Delivery of Health Care-Antecedents, Consequences, Correlates (Vol. 22, No. 3), and Social/ Social Psychological Contingencies in the Experience of Subjective Distress and in Associated Outcomes (Vol. 22, No. 4). These manuscripts employed data or concepts dealing with healthrelated phenomena toward the goal of increasing understanding of more generally applicable sociological principles, and/or illustrated the application of sociological principles toward increased understanding of health-related phenomena.

During the period under consideration, 199 manuscripts (including 4 comments) were received and assigned for review. Of these, 81% were initial submissions, while 19% were revisions of manuscripts previously reviewed and rejected by the *Journal*. The numbers of submissions for the previous five years were, respectively: 294, 280, 260, 211 and 249.

The report on editorial disposition will consider: first, initially submitted manuscripts; second, resubmissions; and finally, all submitted manuscripts together.

Editorial decisions were made regarding 168 manuscripts submitted for the first time to the Journal. Of these, only 3% were accepted unconditionally, and another 5% were accepted conditional upon specified revisions. However, 20% of the initial submissions, while rejected, were offered encouragement to revise and resubmit in accordance with the detailed suggestions of the reviewers (at the same time being informed that such encouragement offered no guarantee of ultimate publication). The remaining manuscripts, 72% of initial submissions. were rejected without being encouraged to revise and resubmit. Four manuscripts were returned as unsuitable without external review.

Editorial decisions were also made on 35 manuscripts earlier rejected by the lournal, but revised and resubmitted (with or without encouragement). Whenever possible the manuscripts were reviewed by the same readers who read the earlier submission. In some instances, circumstances dictated the addition of one or more new readers. In marked contrast to the approximately 8% (unconditional/ conditional) acceptance rate for initial submissions, 57% of the revised/ resubmitted manuscripts were accepted for publication (31% conditional upon specified revisions). An additional 17% were rejected but encouraged to revise further and resub-

Contemporary Sociology, Volume 10 Table 1. Reviews

	Number		Re	views		
Issue	of pages	Survey	Symposium	Essay	Regular	Total
January	176	40 (8 reviews)	_	10	82	132
March	190	8 (1 review)	2	7	145	162
May	152	6 (1 review)	1	3	117	127
July	128			8	91	99
September	112	4 (1 review)	1	8	70	83
November	192	3 (1 review)	1	24	106	134
Total	950	61	5	60	611	737

Table 2. Year of Publication of Books Reviewed by Issue (percentages)

Publication Year	January	March	May	July	September	November
1975-1978	*	50%	05%	04%	07%	03%
1979	*	40	88	30	23	28
1980	*	10	7	66	69	64
1981	*	_		_	1	5
N-	_	171	135	96	86	132

*Data for January not included

Table 3. Percentage of Women Reviewers to Total Number of Reviewers

	March	May	July	September	November
	N=157	N=126	N=97	N=81	N=116
Women Re viewers as Percentage of Total	19%	21%	22%	25%	33%

Note: Data for January not included

mit. The remaining manuscripts in the revised/resubmitted category (26%) were rejected without further encouragement. Thus, the acceptance rate for previously submitted manuscripts was high, perhaps reflecting careful consideration given to instances where encouragement to resubmit is offered. The solicitation of revision and resubmission in so many cases was made possible by the lengthy, detailed, perceptive and constructive comments of several associate editors and ad hoc reviewers.

Considering initial submissions and resubmissions together, the acceptance rate was 16% (7% unconditional, 9% conditional). An additional 20% of these manuscripts were rejected but encouragement to revise and resubmit was offered. Finally, 64% of all editorial decisions resulted in rejection of the manuscript without encouragement to revise and resubmit.

The average turnaround time (from submission to reviewers until editorial disposition) was 51 days.

In very few instances, authors objected in writing or by phone to the outcome of the review process. In each instance anonymous exchanges of opinion between authors and reviewers was arranged. Ultimately, the original editorial decision stood.

The editorial process continued to be greatly facilitated by the cooperation of Henry Quellmalz and the Executive Office of the American Sociological Association, the effort and talent of Mary Sieber and Susan Valenta (Copy Editor and Editorial Assistant, respectively) and the conscientious evaluations of manuscripts received from our associate editors and ad hoc reviewers.

I would like to express my appreciation to those associate editors who completed their terms during the year covered by this report: Linda H. Aiken, Emil Berkanovic, John L. Colombotos, Bruce K. Eckland, Lawrence D. Haber, Ronald C. Kessler, S. Dale McLemore, Roberta G. Simmons, and R. Blair Wheaton.

My personal feelings upon having reached the end of my term as Editor are a mixture of personal satisfaction, relief, and the anticipation that whatever I have accomplished will be eclipsed by the efforts of my multitalented successor, Leonard I. Pearlin.

Howard B. Kaplan

SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY

Sociological Theory began preparation for its first annual volume under the editorship of Randall Collins, Peter Berger, and Irving Zeitlin, sharing joint editorial responsibilities. During the course of the year Berger and Zeitlin resigned from editorship, and Collins was confirmed by Council as sole editor. An initial volume has been prepared for the press, but has not yet been sent to the publisher because the ASA has not yet finalized arrangements with a publishing company.

Total number of papers received for Volume 1 was 54, of which 9 (16.6%) were accepted for publication. Turnaround time averaged 90 days.

Papers submitted for publication subsequent to August 1981 have been held in abeyance pending decision by Council regarding the future publication plans for ST.

Randall Collins
Editor

SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION

The attached tables report the activities of the journal during the calendar year 1981. A few comments are in order regarding the ways these tables compare with those in the past. I will

then assess the current state and future prospects of the journal.

The number of new submissions was down somewhat from 1980 (124

cation activities. It is difficult to imagine that there is anything the Association does that is more important than scholarly publication. If there are

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Rejected	58
Rejected without review	30
Request to revise	25
Accepted	23
Withdrawn	1
Undecided	15

Articles Published/New Submissions: 24/124=19.36%

24/124=19.36% Articles Published/Total Submissions: 24/152=15.79%

versus 138), but the overall quality of those submissions was higher than in the previous year. The acceptance rate on new submissions was thus somewhat higher (19.4% versus 15.2%). There was a similar level of resubmissions this year as last (28 versus 31). While this pattern suggests some drop-off of activity for the journal, that is somewhat deceptive. Both the level of submissions and resubmissions increased between 1979 and 1980, and the decrease this past year still leaves the flow of manuscripts at a higher level than in 1979. The higher acceptance rate this past year also means that more papers were published than in 1980 (24 versus 21) and a backlog of accepted manuscripts has formed. Because of that, the lag time to publication has increased slightly (30.2 weeks versus 26.8 weeks last year). The processing of manuscripts was even more efficient this year than last, the turnaround time for reviewed manuscripts being 9.7 weeks versus 11.0 weeks last year.

In many respects, SOE has proved to be very viable this past year. Yet, the Publications Committee recommended at its August meeting that it be phased out over the next two years. While that original recommendation was changed to a recommendation that alternate sources of funding be identified, and while ASA Council asked for further clarification, the Committee has not rejected the idea of phase out at the time of this writing. Those of us associated with SOE have objected to the recommendation on the grounds that no justification for it was offered. While my report of last year made it clear that a serious review of the quality of the journal would be welcome, no such review was carried out, and no assessment of quality was

included in the Committee report. There are, in fact, reasons to expect SOE to get even better in the next few years. The new Editor, Maureen Hallinan, has initiated further activities in the editorial office, including a special Spring issue, which have generated added interest in the publication. The combination of new, energetic leadership and the existing backlog of accepted manuscripts bodes well for the future of SOE. This seems like a strange time to consider phasing the journal out. Indeed, this seems a strange time for the Association to be considering a curtailment of its publibudgetary difficulties, that does not seem to be the way to deal with them. I know Maureen will do well, and I can only hope the Association will appreciate the value of the scholarly enterprise to which I know she and SOE will contribute.

As I leave the role of Editor, I wish to thank those who have been so important to me in carrying out that role. The Editorial Board have, without exception, been conscientious and effective in their duties. A very large number of external reviewers have contributed significantly to the quality of the publication. The two fine Editorial Assistants who served with me, June Casey and Cathie Maves Hudson, have been more effective and helpful than anyone has a right to expect. Most of all, I am grateful to my Deputy Editor, Richard T. Campbell. Dick's thoughtful evaluations and recommendations, his technical skill, his research wisdom were a source of strength and support that made the job a pleasure. I am greatly in his debt.

Alan C. Kerckhoff Editor

SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY QUARTERLY

As indicated in my report last year, I believe the procedure followed by many editors in reporting editorial decisions substantially underestimates the percentage of accepted manuscripts, since a large number of submissions are still under review at the time the Annual Report is due. Therefore, last year I provided data not only for the calendar year completed, but for the previous one for which I had data as well. I hope the subcommittee appointed by the Committee on Publications to produce a Publications Manual will seriously consider the importance of providing editors with a set of guidelines for the preparation of these reports if standardization of reporting procedures and hence comparison across journals is ever to be possible.

The data for the period January 1, 1980 to December 31, 1980 (calculated as of January 7, 1982), are as follows:

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Total Initial Submissions	185
Rejected without review	16
Rejected after initial review	93
Rejected after revision	14
Total Rejected	123
Accepted after one revision	10
Accepted after two revisions	22
Accepted after three revisions	10
Total Accepted	42
Revisions invited/not received	19
Revision under review	1
Total Revisions Invited with	
Decisions Not Yet Made	20

Using these data, it is seen that the acceptance rate during 1980 was 25.5%. While it is possible that this figure could change slightly since there are still 19 manuscripts for which revisions were invited but not received, the likelihood of receiving more than one or two of them over the next year seems small, given the amount of time that has passed since

originally asking for the revisions.

The data available at this time for the calendar year 1981 are:

Total Initial Submissions	173
Rejected without review	19
Rejected after initial review	84
Rejected after revision	1
Total Rejected	104
Accepted after one revision	7
Accepted after two revisions	3
Total Accepted	10
Revisions invited/not received	31
Revisions under review	5
Total Revisions Invited with	
Decisions Not Yet Made	36
Under Initial Review	22
Waiting for Fees	1

The number of new submissions for 1981 is 173, compared with 185 for the previous year; that is, we experienced a 6% drop in submissions between 1980 and 1981. While this drop is not trivial, it is considerably smaller than the 18% drop between 1978 and 1979, and the 23% drop between 1979 and 1980.

Of the 124 papers for which a final decision has been made, ten, or 8%, have been accepted. This figure is somewhat below the 13% figure re-

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chers within a particular research paradigm. Such research often lacks external validity: why should sociologists, much less people in general, be interested in the project being reported? In one sense this is simply a call for more research of both practical and theoretical significance. In another sense it is a lament that too much of what is submitted lacks both practical and theoretical significance.

Several important debts need to be acknowledged. First, I would like to thank Kay Deaux and Brendan Gail Rule, who completed their terms on the Editorial Board as of December 31, 1981. In all cases, these Editorial Board members performed in a very conscientious and helpful way. I would also like to thank my Managing Editor, Rose McGee. The journal continues to operate smoothly primarily because of Rose's experience and expertise. To put it simply, I find her invaluable. And the journal continues to benefit from my Assistant Editor, Dr. Jay Hull. His careful record-keeping and encyclopedic knowledge of who is doing what work in what areas have had significant effects, both in terms of our turnaround time and in the quality of reviews we have been able to provide authors.

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ported at the same time in 1980. However, since the data above indicate that eventually 25% of all 1980 submissions were published, the 8% figure reported most certainly will increase as revisions are resubmitted and reviewed.

Based on data available as of January 7, 1982, 75% of all revisions requested and received in 1980 were eventually published. Figures available for 1981 thus far indicate that 91% of all revisions requested and received have been published. This second figure, however, must be viewed as very tentative, since the review process has been completed for only 11 of the 46 revisions invited.

revisions invited.

Time from initial submission (when the file is complete, including receipt of the processing fee) to reporting of initial decision to the author was 9.1 weeks on average, compared to 8.9 weeks last year. The range was from 1 to 25 weeks. Obviously we view the latter figure as unacceptable, but on occasion we receive manuscripts which either are in an area in which few people are working or are so technically complex that the initial review time drags on further than any of us want it to.

The contents of Volume 44 (1981) are shown above by month.

The 1981 data suggest a continuing trend toward the publication of more research note length manuscripts. I continue to ask authors to shorten article length pieces if I believe they represent only a very small increment to the knowledge in a given subfield.

Volume 44 used 390 pages of our allocation of 490. While I continue to believe that the quality of articles has in general been reasonably high, the fact that we have not used our total page allocation indicates that the journal still has room to publish more high quality manuscripts. I would be particularly pleased if we received more first-rate theoretical pieces. Furthermore, I would encourage more authors to submit articles with self-evident applicability to social issues. The publication of basic research is clearly important, but too much of what is submitted ignores the larger issues within the field in favor of pursuing narrow issues of interest to only a few researFinally, new Editorial Board members who have been added to replace those whose terms ended are Mark Granovetter, Arnold Kahn, and Harry Reis.

George W. Bohrnstedt Editor

THE ARNOLD AND CAROLINE ROSE MONOGRAPH SERIES

During the period of January 1-December 31, 1981, twenty-two manuscripts were considered. A detailed breakdown follows:

Total number of manuscripts considered, 22; rejected as unsuitable for the Series, 5; accepted for full review 17; of these: 8 were rejected, 5 are in process of revision, 4 are currently being reviewed; monographs published during the year by the Cambridge University Press, 3.

Also, fifteen manuscripts were carried over from 1980. The following tabulation indicates their status:

Total number of manuscripts from 1980, 15; of these: 10 were rejected, 1 was withdrawn, 1 is in process of revision, 1 is receiving a final review by the Rose Board, 2 are with the Cambridge University Press: 1 will be published this summer, 1 is awaiting final approval by the Cambridge University Press.

The Editor was further kept busy answering numerous inquiries about the Series or examining selected chapters or summaries to see if an author should make a formal submission.

Fifty reviewers gave of their time and energy to respond positively to requests for reviews of manuscripts. They deserve special praise and special thanks for their careful reading of book length manuscripts without compensation and under the stress of fairly firm deadlines. For the most part, their reviews were thorough and painstaking, offering lengthy critiques of substance and style as well as useful suggestions for improvements. The profession is clearly in debt to the following reviewers: Carol S. Aneshen-sel, Bernard Beck, Steven V. Bossert, Sally Bould, Francesca M. Cancian, Janet S. Chafetz, Sarah C. Clark* Diana Crane, Paul J. Dimaggio, Patrick

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For the most part, authors have been patient and good natured about tardy or negative reviews. Most have also been responsive to suggestions for revision, and a number have indicated they will resubmit revised versions of their work.

The manuscripts have covered a wide range of topics and approaches, and their quality has generally been high.

The Rose Editorial Board has been constructive and responsive to the demands for review or advice made of it. Its support and expertise are greatly appreciated.

The following monographs were published by the Cambridge University Press during 1981: Janet Salaff, Working Daughters in Hong Kong: Filial Piety or Power in the Family?; Joseph Chamie, Religion and Fertility: Arab Christian-Muslim Differentials; William H. Friedland, Robert J. Thomas, Amy E. Barton, Manufacturing Green Gold: Capital, Labor and Technology in the Lettice Industry.

*Read original manuscript in 1980; read revised edition in 1981.

Suzanne Keller

Richard D. Alba, SUNY-Albany, has been named Director of the newly founded Center for Social and Demographic Analysis.

Henry Etzkowitz, SUNY-Purchase, is Visiting Professor of Sociology at the University of Colorado-Boulder for the Spring 1982 semester.

Myra Marx Ferree, University of Connecticut, has received a grant from the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation to study the women's movement and social policy.

GRADUATE

The Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation announces a new national graduate fellowship program in the humanities by the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation. For five years, beginning with awards for the 1983-84 academic year, 100-125 Mellon Fellowships in the Humanities will be available annually for college seniors or recent graduates wishing to begin graduate study who show outstanding promise for careers as teachers and scholars in the humanities, 1983 awards are expected to be in the range of \$7,000-\$7,500 plus full tuition. Application deadlines have not yet been announced. For further information. contact: Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation, Box 642, Princeton, NJ 08540; (609) 924-4666.

POSTDOCTORAL

The John E. Fogarty International Center for Advanced Study in the Health Sciences, National Institutes of Health, will award senior postdoctoral research fellowships to support foreign studies. Awards will be for a period of 3-12 months and funds may be used to support collaborative studies in basic or clinical research. and studies on the use of special techniques and equipment not otherwise available to the applicant. Support will not be provided for brief observational visits, attendance at scientific meetings or training courses, or independent research projects within a host institution. Deadline for applications is June 1, 1982. For further program information and eligibility requirements, send a self-addressed label to: International Research and Awards Branch, Fogarty International Center, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD 20205.

Indiana University encourages applications for postdoctoral fellowships in a NIMH-sponsored training program in the social psychology of program focuses on theories in which the concept of self is central and on research with mental health implications drawing on such theories using contemporary multivariate statistical methods. Stipends begin at \$13,380 per calendar year for Fellows with a new PhD and increase for each year in the program or for years of post-PhD experience. Applications consisting of a vita, letters of reference, copies of published or unpublished work, and a brief description of interests in the program and longer term research and career interests should be sent to: Sheldon Stryker, Director, Training Program in Identity, Self, Role and

Mental Health, Department of Sociology, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN 47405. Application deadline is March 15, 1982.

Rutgers-Princeton Mental Health Training Program expects to have a limited number of postdoctoral traineeships for 1982-83 funded by NIMH. The five areas of training are: epidemiology of psychiatric disorders and help-seeking; integration of medand psychiatric care; deinstitutionalization of the mentally ill; evaluation of mental health programs; and mental health policy analysis. Trainees receive between \$13,380 to \$18,780 per year, depending on prior experience. Send inquiries to Allan Horwitz, Department of Sociology, Murray Hall, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ 08903.

OTHER

Social Science Research Council Data Archive now invites applications to its Visiting Fellowship scheme for 1983-84 from social scientists interested in undertaking either substantive or methodological research based on the Archive's holdings. (The most recent catalog of Archive data sets should be available at your institution's library.) Two types of Fellowships are offered: one-year Visiting Fellowships, and Internships of any duration from 1-3 months. Fellows are provided with office facilities, access to all the Archive's holdings, storage and processing of the Fellow's own data sets, and free access to the University's computing facilities and services. Salaries and secretarial/research assistance are not provided. Applications accompanied by a curriculum vita should be sent by October 31, 1982, to: Director, SSRC Data Archive, University of Essex, Wivenhoe Park, Colchester, Essex CO4 3SQ, England.

The National Institute of Justice supports a limited number of adult crime and criminal justice research projects through its Unsolicited Research Program. Proposals should have potentially important implications for criminal justice policy, practice, research and theory. Awards will range from \$10,000 to \$120,000 for research of up to 2 years in duration. Next application deadline is June 1, 1982. For a copy of the grant announcement, send a selfaddressed mailing label to: Announcement Requests—Unsolicited Research Program, National Criminal Justice Reference Service, Box 6000, Rockville, MD 20850.

Northwestern University School of Education announces its program of Graduate Studies in Human Development and Social Policy. This interdisciplinary program is designed to meet the growing need for persons with a social science background who can bridge human development and social policy. It draws upon three areas of study and the interrelations among them: the individual's changing abilities and motivations from infancy to old age, the influences of the social environment, and the policy decisions that shape life chances and life outcomes. Special attention is given to research methods suited for analyzing the interrelations. Both the MA and PhD degrees are offered. Graduates of the program will be prepared to make unique contributions in a wide range of positions as teachers, researchers, or policymakers. For further information, write: Bernice L. Neugarten, School of Education, 2003 Sheridan Road, Evanston, IL 60201.

World Future Society

The World Future Society has an extensive publication list of interdisciplinary materials on future studies. For example, The Study of the Future, by Edward Cornish, is a general introduction to futurism and future studies, methods of forecasting, and the philosophical assumptions underlying studies of the future (320 pages, \$9.50). The Future: A Guide to Information Sources is 720 pages of information on individuals, organizations, educational programs and courses, current research projects, periodicals, books, films, videotapes, games, and other information on the future (\$25.00). A regular membership in the World Future Society, which includes a subscription to The Futurist, costs \$20 per year. The Society will meet this summer in Washington, D.C. For more information, contact: World Future Society, 4916 St. Elmo Avenue, Washington, DC 20014. Phone: (301) 656-8274

Adult Education

The fastest growing segment of college enrollees is the adult student returning to school. Jossey-Bass Publishers offers an Adult Education Association Handbook Series of publications about this college population: Serving Personal and Community Needs Through Adult Education by Boone, Shearon, White & Associates (\$15.95); Redefining the Discipline of Adult Education by Boyd, Apps & Associates (\$15.95); Comparing Adult Education Worldwide by Charters & Associates (\$15.95); Developing, Administering, and Evaluating Adult Education by Knox & Associates (\$15.95); Examining Controversies in Adult Education by Kreitlow & Associates (\$16.95); Changing Approaches to Studying Adult Education by Long, Hiemstra & Associates (\$13.95); Building an Effective Adult Education Enterprise by Peters & Associates (\$13.95). To order, write: Jossey-Bass Publishers, 433 California Street, San Francisco, CA 94104.

• Computer-Assisted Instruction

CONDUIT is a clearinghouse for computer-based instructional materials. CONDUIT provides three types of information: aids for authors and

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The World Federation for Mental Health is preparing for the next World Congress of Mental Health scheduled for Washington, D.C., July 23-28, 1982. The primary aim of the Federation is to promote among peoples and nations the highest possible level of mental health defined in the broadest biological, medical, education, social and cultural terms. Both institutional and individual memberships are available. For further information, contact: The Secretariat, World Federation for Mental Health, 2255 Westbrook Crescent, Vancouver, B.C., Canada V6T 2A1; (604) 228-7324.

ABSTRACTS

for Annual Meeting papers due in the Executive Office by May 1

DuBois-Johnson-Frazier Award

This biennial award was created to honor the intellectual traditions and contributions of W.E.B. DuBois, Charles S. Johnson, and E. Franklin Frazier. It will be made either to sociologists for outstanding contributions in the tradition of these scholars, or to an academic institution for its work in assisting the development of scholarly efforts in the same tradition. It is not intended to be an award for a single book. Send nominations to: Tilman Cothran, Department of Sociology, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI 49001. Nominations deadline is May 1, 1982.

Award for a Career of Distinguished Scholarship

This annual award honors scholars who have shown outstanding commitment to the profession of sociology and whose cumulative work contibuted to the advancement of the discipline. Award recipient(s) will be announced at the ASA Annual Meeting and will receive a certificate of recognition. Members of the Association or other interested parties may submit nominations to: Albert J. McQueen, Department of Sociology/Anthropology, Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH 44074. Nominations deadline is June 1, 1982.

Award for Distinguished Contributions to Teaching

This award is given annually to honor outstanding contributions to the undergraduate and/or graduate teaching and learning of sociology. The award may recognize either a career contribution or a specific product, and individuals, departments, schools, or other collective actors are eligible. The recipient will be announced at the ASA Annual Meeting and will receive a certificate of recognition. Members of the Association or other interested parties may submit nominations to: Raymond Mack, Provost, Northwestern University, Rebecca Crown Center, Evanston, IL 60201. Nominations deadline is June 1, 1982.

Workshop on Teaching Applied Sociology

A five-day workshop to develop and improve programs in applied sociology for graduates and undergraduates will be held at the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater, June 23-27, 1982.

The workshop is sponsored by the Teaching Services Program and staffed by sociologists experienced in applied sociology and workshop leadership. Two of the staff members work in applied settings. Participants should bring specific questions and plans for work in applied sociology in their department or institution.

Accommodations for family members can be arranged. The University of Wisconsin-Whitewater is accessible by freeway and by air from Milwaukee or Chicago.

- \$375 per person for registration and room and board, for ASA members; \$425 for non-members of ASA.
- \$75 deposit is required with applications, which will be accepted in the order received, but not later than May 15, 1982.

For more information and applications, write: Teaching Services Program, ASA, 1722 N Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20036.

- A report recently released by the National Advisory Council on Women's Educational Programs indicates that women's status in education has improved dramatically since Title IX went into effect. The 17-member Council, appointed during the Carter Administration, reports that women earned half of all Master's degrees awarded in 1980, and almost a third of all doctoral degrees. This represents a significant increase over the 1972 figures, as does women's current share of professional degrees. In law they have gone from being 7 percent to being 40 percent of the graduates, while in business and management their representation has jumped from 10 to 31 percent. In engineering the equivalent figures are less than one percent and 9 percent. More directly traceable to Title IX are the advances women have made in athletics. Of all students currently involved in intercollegiate sports, one third are women, which represents an increase of 527 percent since 1971. Further, the number of colleges awarding athletic scholarships to women has jumped from 60 to 500. Women have also made impressive gains in college funding. In 1974, the Big Ten universities allocated an average of \$3,500 to women's sports. By 1978, the amount of support provided ranged from \$250,000 to \$750,000. Nonetheless, women still receive only one sixth of the funds expended on college athletics, even though they are one third of the athletes. So, it is certainly premature to begin dismantling Title IX. This is particularly true with respect to employment, where salary and tenure disparities remain unchanged. The full report, entitled Title IX: The Half Full, Half Empty Glass, can be obtained from: The Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402
- Feminist Connections Throughout Education is the title of the 1982 conference of the National Women's Studies Association. It will take place from June 16th to June 20th at Humboldt State University. To submit a proposal for a session, or to obtain further information, contact: Phylis Chinn or Rosalind Ribnick, Women Studies Department, Humboldt State University, Arcata, CA 95521.
- Ethnic American Women: Scholarship on Black, Hispanic, Asian Pacific, and American Indian Women provided a rare forum for women scholars to compare both the similarities and divergencies in their ethnicallyconditioned life experiences. The conference was held at the University of Southern California in early May of 1981. The papers presented included: 'Asian-American Women: A Study on Communicative Competence and Achievement" (Hideko Bannai); "Asian-American Women in Educa tional Research" (Lily Chu); "Social Psychological Considerations in the of Negative Reproduction Stereotypes" (Betty Garcia-Bahne); "Twentieth Century Contributions of Puerto Rican Women—A Slide Series" (Estelle Irizarry); "American Indian Languages: Misconceptions in Research and Writing Spheres" (Bea Medicine); "Chicanos in Higher Education—Class Contradictions" (Rosaura Sanchez); "Ethnic Identity and the Asian Woman Scholar" (Linda Ching Sledge); "Cross-Currents in Ethnic Women's Research: Some Asian American Reflections" (Joanne S. Yamauchi); and "Demographic Profile and Sex Role Identification of Women Who Attended the National -Hispanic Feminist Scholarship Conference" (Sylvia Gonzales). For copies of any of the above papers, write: Program for the Study of Women and Men in Society, Taper Hall of

Humanities 336, University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, CA 90007.

- Between Money and Love: The Dialectics of Women's Home and Market Work, by Natalie J. Sokoloff, is now available in paper for \$9.95 from Praeger Publishers, 521 Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10017. This book explores the underlying assumptions used by sociologists in different theoretical and empirical perspectives for understanding women's relationship to work.
- The Criminal Justice System and Sexism: An Anthology on Women Of-fenders, Victims and Workers, coedited by Natalie J. Sokoloff and Barbara Raffel Price, will be published by Clark Boardman Ltd. (435 Hudson Street, New York, NY) for the Fall 1982 Semester. This book is useful for courses that look at the social control of women in general as well as women and criminal justice.
- Two Washington, D.C.-based organizations concerned with women's issues regularly issue useful publications on women and educational con-

PEER publishes a newsletter, Peer Perspective, describing current legislation and resources on women and education. To subscribe, or to request a publications list, write to: PEER, 1112 13th Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20005

· Resources for Change: A Guide to Materials and Organizations Promoting Equal Education for Both Sexes is an expanded resource list, covering such subjects as women in school administration, minority women in education, and male stereotyping. Prepaid orders of \$2.50 per copy should be sent to

The National Association for Women Deans, Administrators, and Counselors (NAWDAC) has published four new monographs on women in higher education. Prepaid orders may be sent to: NAWDAC, 1625 Street, N.W., Suite 624-A, Washington, DC 20006.

Women in Educational Administration: A Book of Readings, edited by Margaret Berry, \$10.00.

Women in Higher Education: A Contemporary Bibliography, by Kathryn Moore and Peter Wollitzer, \$8.50.

Returning Women Students: A Review of Research and Descriptive Studies, by Vancy Scott, \$6.50.

Women Administrators in Higher Education: Their Geographic Mobility, by Vicki Curby, \$6.50

· Other publications of interest: Women and Sports: A Summary of Major Court Cases lists dates, issues, outcomes, and special circumstances of major cases involving girls and

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women in sports from 1971-1979. Free from: WEAL, 805 15th Street, N.W., Suite 822, Washington, DC 20005.

Sex Equity Through the Eyes of Students shows women and men in nontraditional roles in poster format, produced by elementary school students. Each of six posters costs \$1.50 and is available from: The Mid-Atlantic Center for Sex Equity, American University, Foxhall Square Building, Suite 252, New Mexico Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20016.

The Problem of Women in Math is a thorough summary of recent research into the causes and cures for the sex differences in mathematical achievement. Free from: Ford Foundation, Office of Reports, 320 East 43rd Street, New York, NY 10017.

Teaching Women's History, by Gerda Lerner, discusses the various methods and techniques for teaching women's history, with an extensive bibliog-raphy. Order from: American Historical Association, 400 A Street, S.E., Washington, DC 20003. \$5.00.

Resources for Feminist Research is planning to publish an issue in 1982 entitled "Women as Elders". It will focus on the transitions, changes, and continuities in the lives of older women. The deadline for receipt of materials is April 15, 1982. For further information, contact: Emily Nett, Guest Editor, RFR, Department of Sociology, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada R3T 2N2.

Radcliffe Research Scholars Program is a three-year fellowship program funded with a grant from the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation. The purpose of the program is to encourage scholars studying American society to make use of the historical material at the Schlesinger Library on the History of Women in America and the empirical data at the Murray Research Center. Applicants must submit research proposals detailing how they intend to use the materials housed at Radcliffe. Up to four grants will be made each year and can be for a summer, a semester, or a full year. The application deadline for 1982-83 (both summer and academic year) is March 15, 1982. Deadlines for applications for future years are in November. For further information, contact: Radcliffe Research Scholars Program, The Henry A. Murray Research Center of Radcliffe College, 10 Garden Street, Cambridge,

MA 02138. The Federation of Organizations for Professional Women has published a Sexual Harassment Action Kit. It includes: a discussion of the EEOC guidelines on sexual harassment; a summary of recent studies and court cases; steps employers can take to prevent sexual harassment; options of employees experiencing harassment; a discussion of the special features of the academic setting; and a list of selected resources and publications. To order copies, send a self-addressed mailing label and \$2.50 per copy, plus \$1.00 for postage and handling, to: FOPW, 2000 P Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20036

The Ninth Annual Conference of the Barnard Women's Center, "Towards a Politics of Sexuality", will be held on Saturday, April 24, 1982. The aim of the conference is to redefine the relationship of female sexuality to power and autonomy. The morning session will feature presentations by 4 scholars. A series of 15 concurrent afternoon workshops will examine a wide range of theoretical and practical issues. At the closing plenary session, Amber Hollibaugh will present her feminist vision of sexuality. Attendance at the conference is limited to 600 pre-registered participants. For further information, contact: The Women's Center, Barnard College, New York, NY 10027

State Association News

The autumn months found many sociologists and their students meeting in their state sociological associations. Twenty-six states have formed sociological associations. While each state handles its own organizational structure and meeting programs, communication between the state societies is enhanced through the National Council of State Sociological Associations (NCSSA). NCSSA publishes a newsletter called "Network" to share information of the state associations. For more information on NCSSA, contact its President: Dr. Vaughn L. Grisham, University of Mississippi, University, MS 38677.

The Arkansas Sociological Association held its eleventh annual meeting, October 9-10, in Arkadelphia, Arkansas. It was co-hosted by Henderson State University and Quachita Baptist University. The following officers were elected for 1981-82: James R. Bruce (Hendrix College), President; Lou Ann Locke (Quachita Baptist University), Vice President; John S. Miller (University of Arkansas-Little Rock), Secretary-Treasurer: Qumare Morehead (University of Arkansas-Pine Bluff), Assistant Secretary-Treasurer: Donna Darden (University of Arkansas-Fayetteville), Public Relations Officer; Clarence A. Storla (University of Arkansas-Fayetteville), Parliamentarian. The next meeting of the Arkansas Sociological Association will be in Favetteville, site of the University of Arkansas, in October, 1982. For more information on the meeting or concerning the Arkansas Sociological Association, contact the President or one of the following: 1982 Program Chair: Lou Ann Locke, Department of Sociology, Quachita Baptist University, Arkadelphia, AR 71923; (501) 4531. Local Arrangements: William D. Mangold, University of Arkansas, Favetteville, AR 72702; (501) 575-3205. Newsletter Editor: Donna Darden, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR 72702; (501) 575-3205.

The newly formed West Virginia Sociological Association has the following officers: President: Kenneth Ambrose, Marshall University, Huntington, WV 25701; President-Elect: John F. Schnabel, West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV 26506; Vice President: Bill Westbrook, Marshall University, Huntington, WV 25701; Vice President-Elect: John Warner, West Virginia Wesleyan College, Buckhannon, WV 26201; Secretary-Treasurer: Karen Simpkins, Marshall University, Huntington, WV 25701.

Wisconsin Sociological Association also met this Fall. Its officers are: President: James Anderson, University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse; President-Elect:

Kirby Throckmorton, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point.

Sociologists of Minnesota hold 10th anniversary meeting. The University of Minnesota-Duluth hosted the decade anniversary meeting of the Sociologists of Minnesota (SOM) on October 2-3. Sixty-three sociologists from around the state participated in program sessions and workshops. The SOM programs have traditionally included workshops on teaching improvement and a session devoted to award winning student papers as well as paper sessions sharing sociological research and ideas. Some of the more 'Minnesota-ish" sessions included: "Sport Fishing, Pleasure Boating, and the Sea Grant Program", a panel on 'Duluth-Superior Area Metropolitan Problems", papers on the Minnesota Power Lines Issue, Local Viking Mythology, and research projects and student exchange programs in Scandanavia

SOM supported AMTRAK by reserving a train from Minneapolis to Duluth and encouraging members and their families to take the train and socialize en route to Duluth. The planning committee lined up a number of sightseeing activities for pre- and post-meeting. The Tenth Anniversary Banquet Dinner included presentation of a written and oral history of the organization by Marian Deininger (St. Cloud State University), Arthur L. Johnson (University of Minnesota-Minneapolis), and J. Clark Laundergan (University of Minnesota-Duluth), all part of the founding committee of SOM.

The organization has always had a formal structure that includes a faculty and a student representative from the north, south, and central regions of the state. The 1981-82 officers are: President: Donald P. Irish, Hamline University-St. Paul; Secretary: Beverly Wesley, Moorhead State University; Treasurer: Wendell Wessman, Mankato State University; Faculty Rep-resentatives: North: Mary Zimmerman, University of Minnesota-Duluth; Central: Peter W. Falkman, Hamline University-St. Paul; South: W. Roy Cook, Mankato State University; Student Representatives: North: Sharry Olson, Moorhead State University: Central: Mary C. Tutewohl, Hamline University-St. Paul; South: Scott Gresbrink, Mankato State University. For more information about future SOM activities, contact: Donald P Irish, SOM President, Department of Sociology, Hamline University, St. Paul, MN 55104. For copies of the SOM history, contact: Wendall Wessman, Mankato State University, Mankato, MN 56001.

Mt. Sinai Sociologist Receives Sage Award

Samuel W. Bloom, medical sociologist from Mount Sinai Medical Center and author of the Russell Sage volume, The Doctor and His Patient: A Sociological Interpretation, is one of seven social scientists who were recently named Russell Sage Scholars for 1982. Four other social scientists have been designated Russell Sage Fellows

Sage Fellows and Scholars receive awards which enable them to pursue research and writing for up to a year. Dr. Bloom's research deals with the development of sociology in medicine and the role of sociologists in medical education.

The Russell Sage Foundation is one of the nation's oldest grantmaking organizations and is New York City's oldest independent center for social science research. It has recently moved from its former headquarters, at 633 Third Avenue, to new offices at 112 East 64th Street. The new phone number is (212) 750-6000.

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March 24-26. Colloquium on Social Responses to Technological Change and Environmental Impact. University of Calgary. Contact: Gus Brannigan or Shelly Goldenberg, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary, 2500 University Drive, N.W., Calgary, Alberta, Canada T2N 1N4; (403) 284-6501.

March 26-27. Allegheny Valley Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Howard Johnson's and Westminster College, New Wilmington, PA. Held jointly with the Spring Meeting of the Pennsylvania Sociological Society. Contact: Roger Wolcott, Chair, Sociology, Westminster College, New Wilmington, PA 16142; (412) 946-8761, ext. 250.

March 26-31. VIII Annual Society for Intercultural Education, Training and Research Conference. R.M.S. Queen Mary, Long Beach, CA. Theme: "Strategies for Cultural Stability and Change". Contact: SIETAR, 1414 22nd Street, N.W., Suite 102, Washington, DC 20037; (202) 862-1990.

March 31-April 3. National Council on Aging 32nd Annual Conference. Sheraton Washington, Washington, D.C. Theme: "The 'American Dream'— Assessing the Status of Older Americans". Contact: The National Council on Aging, Inc., 600 Maryland Avenue, S.W., West Wing 100, Washington, DC 20024; (202) 479-1200.

April 2-3. Third Annual Arkansas Undergraduate Sociology Symposium. Mills Center, Hendrix College, Conway, AR. Organizer: James R. Bruce, Hendrix College, Conway, AR 27032; (501) 329-6811, ext. 307.

April 23-24. Clinical Sociology Association Training Workshop. Georgetown University, Washington, DC. \$175.00 fee; 14 hours, CSA continuing education credit. Contact: Thomas Rice or Jan Fritz, Department of Sociology, Georgetown University, Washington, DC 20057; (202) 625-4207.

April 29-May 1. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Town and Country Motel, San Diego, CA. Contact: Edgar Bisgyer, Business Manager, Population Association of America, 806 15th Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20005; (202) 393-3253.

May 5-8. North Central Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Book Cadillac Hotel, Detroit, MI. Contact: Shailer Thomas, NCSA Vice President, Illinois State University, Normal, JL 61761; (309) 438-8300.

May 10-12. Visual Values Conference. Keystone Lodge, Dillon, CO. Contact: Robert Rowe or Lauraine Chestnut, Abt/West, 1410 Grant Street, Suite C-207, Denver, CO 80203; (303) 830-0181.

May 19-20. Workshop on Strategies of Policy Planning and Program Evaluation. Duke University, Durham, NC. A cooperative program of USGAO and Duke. Contact: George Maddox, Center for Aging, Box 3003, Duke University, Durham, NC 27710; (919) 684-2248.

May 24-28. Workshop on Longitudinal Data Analysis: Biological and Social Applications. Durham, NC. Features alternative multivariate analysis strategies of public use data sets in the Duke Center Data Archive. Contact George Maddox at the address listed above.

June 22-26. 14th Annual Meeting of CHEIRON: The International Society for the History of Behavioral and Social Sciences. Newport College-Salve Regina, Newport, RI. Contact: Anthony Walsh, Department of Psychology, Newport College-Salve Regina, Newport, RI 02840.

June 28-August 20. Summer Institute on Survey Research Techniques. ISR, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI. Contact: Helene J. Hitchcock, Administrative Manager, Office of the Director, Survey Research-ISR, P.O. Box 1248, Ann Arbor, MI 48106.

July 6-9. Second International Conference on Cooperation in Education. Brigham Young University. Sponsored by the International Association for the Study of Cooperation in Education and the BYU College of Education. Contact: Clark Webb, 149 McKay, Brigham Young University, Provo, UT 84602

July 8-9. Second Annual Census Analysis Workshop: Producing Applied Demographic Publications. Madison, WI. Contact: Nancy Kanaskie, Census Analysis Workshop, Applied Population Laboratory, Department of Rural Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI 53706; (608) 262-3097.

July 14-17. Eighth International Conference on Improving University Teaching. West Berlin, Germany. Contact: Improving University Teaching, University of Maryland University College, College Park, MD 20742.

July 23-28. Correctional Education Association 37th International Conference. Baltimore, MD. Contact: Helen Eano Pecht, 417 Brandon Avenue, Charlottesville, VA 22903.

July 25-30. Children in Turmoil. 10th Congress of the International Association, Child and Adolescent Psychiatry and Allied Professions. Dublin, Ireland. Registration and travel information: 10th Congress, c/o Liberty Travel, U.S. Route 22, Union, NJ 07083.

July 25-31. 20th International Congress of Applied Psychology. University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, Scotland. Contact: Secretariat, Centre for Industrial Consultancy and Liaison, University of Edinburgh, 16 George Square, Edinburgh EH8 9LD, Scotland.

August 27-30. Third International Conference on Humor. Shoreham Hotel, Washington, D.C. Contact: Lawrence E. Mintz, American Studies Program, University of Maryland, College Park, MD 20742; (301) 454-4661.

CONFERENCES

Conference on the Social Impact of Technology in China and the West, August 14-September 1, 1982, Beijing. Shanghai, and Harbin, China. The purpose of this conference is to study the social impact of technology and to exchange papers and hold discussions between Chinese and U.S. specialists in technology and the humanities. Papers should emphasize information and perspectives in technological development. State-of-the-art papers on the positive and negative consequences of technology and technological modernization are encouraged. For information on the conference and a group tour package, contact: Shirley Kolack, Chair, Sociology Department, University of Lowell, Lowell, MA 01854; (617) 452-5000, ext. 2475.

First International Conference on Social Impact Assessment, October 24-27, 1982, Vancouver, B.C., Canada. Theme: "Advancing the State of the Art". Participants are invited to suggest workshop topics and other activities of particular and general interest. The conference will focus on both humanistic and scientific concerns in the field and their convergence in policy analysis and development. Proposals and abstracts must be submitted by March 31, 1982. Contact: SIA Conference Committee. c/o W. Zarchikoff, Continuing Education Division, Fraser Valley College, East Campus, 45600 Airport Road, Chilliwack, B.C., Canada V2P 6T4; (604) 792-0025 or 530-3840

International Congress on the Emerging Womanpower, September 22-30, 1982, Vienna, Austria. The conference will be future-oriented and will debate and discuss, through autonomous panels, the status and position of women of different classes in different countries, social-biologicalpsychological-economic discrimination against women; legal and physical protection of women in distress, role of women in national/community development, male dominated theories in women's studies; women writers, issues in women's history, etc. Contact the Chair of the International Organizing Committee: Samir K. Ghosh, ICEW, 114 Sri Aurobindo Road, Konnagar, W.B. 712 235, Near Calcutta, India.

The student representatives of the ASA Medical Sociology Section Council are sponsoring an evening session on "Dissertations in Progress" at the annual convention in San Francisco, September 6-10, 1982. Medical sociology, medical anthropology and health sciences graduate students are invited to submit a paper for a 15minute talk on substantive content and process issues (e.g., gaining entree, emergent ethical problems, negotiating with advisors, etc.) related to their dissertations. Papers may be in the planning stage and will be assessed on the basis of topical interest and research design. Eligible students should have received their degrees no earlier than December, 1981. Submissions should include contributor's name, year of study, departmental affiliation address and must be received by April 30, 1982 in duplicate-one copy each to Roberta Lessor. Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences, University of California, San Francisco, CA 94143; and Barbara Altman, Sociology Department, University of Maryland, College Park, MD

PUBLICATIONS

Clinical Sociology Review invites manuscripts focusing on theoretical, empirical, or professional issues relating to the application of sociological knowledge for positive social change. Sociologically-oriented approaches to practice in individual, couple, family, small groups, community, or organizational settings are of special interest. Deadline for the 1982 volume has been extended to May 15, 1982. Use ASR format and send 3 copies to: Janet Mancini Billson, Editor, CSR, Department of Sociology, Rhode Island College, Providence, RI 02980.

Journal of Research and Development in Education announces a change in format from thematic issues to general research in education effective with the Spring 1983 issue. Research is defined to include all scholarly inquiry which contributes to understanding and knowledge of education. Potential contributors are encouraged to submit review of research, historical and philosophical studies, case studies and content analyses in addition to experiments, correlation studies, survevs and reports of the validity and reliability of educational measurements. Send 3 copies of typed, double-spaced manuscripts to: Reese Wells, Editor, JRDE, Room G-3, Aderhold Building, University of Georgia, Athens, GA 30602.

Social Science Quarterly is planning a double-length topical issue on "The Mexican Origin Population: Experience of a Decade" for late 1983. Issue co-editors are Rodolfo Alvarez, Frank D. Bean, Rodolfo de la Garza, and Ricardo Romo. Issue co-sponsor is the Center for Mexican American Studies. UT-Austin. Manuscripts dealing in any way with the Mexican origin population are solicited. Preference is for short to medium length articles (no longer than 30 pages). Manuscripts will be considered for this issue through March 1983 and should be sent directly to: Social Science Quarterly, Will C. Hogg Building, University of Texas, Austin, TX 78712.

Journal of Urban Affairs (formerly the Urban Affairs Papers is seeking articles which will appeal to an audience including practitioners, policy makers, and scholars. The Journal, initiated through a grant from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and the Kettering Foundation, is now affiliated with the Urban Affairs Association. Send manuscripts to: Patricia K. Edwards, JUA Editor, Environmental and Urban Systems, Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA 24061.

International Migration Review intends to coordinate two special issues on undocumented/illegal migrants and on health problems of migrants. The Editorial Board is looking for articles which (1) identify the complex variables of the phenomenon of illegal migration in various regions of the world from the perspective of both sending and receiving countries; (2) critically evaluate methodologies used in analyzing numbers and impacts of illegals, etc.; and (3) deal with immigration and population policies. Submit papers to: The Editor, International Migration Review, Center for Migration Studies, 209 Flagg Place, Staten Island, NY 10304; (212) 351-8800.

Journal of Consumer Research announces new co-editors as of January 1, 1982. Co-sponsored by 11 professional associations, JCR provides a vehicle for communication of empirical research, theory, and methodology as they relate to the purchase, consumption, or usage of goods and services, as well as related decision processes. Send manuscripts to: Harold J. Kassarjian and James R. Bettman, JCR. Graduate School of Management, University of California, Los Angeles, CA 90024.

Dissertation Award

The National Council for the Social Studies is sponsoring an Exemplary Dissertation Award Competition in order to recognize excellence in research conducted by doctoral candidates in areas related to social studies education. Research is broadly defined to include experimental, conceptual, historical, philosophical, and other modes appropriate to the prob-lem investigated. The author of the selected dissertation will receive a certificate of merit and \$150. To be eligible for the 1982 award, the dissertation must have been completed between June 16, 1981 and June 15, 1982, Nominations must be received by June 15, 1982. Contact: Richard K. Jantz, Department of Early Childhood Elementary/Secondary Education, HRW Benjamin Building, University of Maryland, College Park, MD 20742.

Hamilton Prize

The University of Michigan Alice and Edith Hamilton Prize competition invites submissions for the 1982 prize. The \$1,000 prize, for the best original scholarly book-length manuscript on women, is offered annually through the University's Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies to encourage serious and signficant feminist scholarship. The University of Michigan Press expects to publish the winning manuscripts in the Women and Culture series. The manuscript must be a work of synthesis and/or interpretation, or a monograph of broad interest. Essay collections, fiction, and unrevised doctoral dissertations are not eligible. Two-page abstracts are due by July 15, 1982. Authors whose abstracts are selected will be invited to submit complete manuscripts for full review. Manuscript deadline is September 1, 1982. Guidelines may be obtained from: Hamilton Prize Committee, 354 Lorch Hall, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 48109.

Annual Meeting Space Requests: Other Groups

Groups wishing to meet in conjunction with the ASA during the 1982 Annual Meeting in San Francisco should submit requests before April 1, 1982. Space requested after this date cannot be assured. Rooms are being allocated on a first-come, first-served basis, one meeting per group. In the event that space exceeds demand, requests for a second meeting will be considered. Because Sections have been allotted program time, they are excluded from these provisions.

Space requests have been categorized as follows:

(1) Small groups requesting space for the purpose of conducting sessions focused on a special aspect of sociology will be allocated one two-hour time slot from 6:30-8:30 p.m. on one of the first four evenings of the meeting (Monday thru Thursday). The topic to be discussed should be clearly

stated

(2) Groups or organizations wishing to gather for other meetings such as those of a religious, political, or special interest nature are required to submit a petition containing the signatures of ten ASA members who support the request for meeting space. These groups will be assigned one two-hour time period from 8:30-10:30 p.m. on Tuesday night. No plenary session or social functions have been planned for this evening.

(3) Those groups or organizations wishing to hold cocktail parties, dinners, or other social gatherings should also submit requests for space at this time. There will be a charge for this space.

All requests should be forwarded to: Jo Ann Ruckel, American Sociological Association, 1722 N Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20036.

Council Adopts 1982 Budget; Approves Measures to Reduce Costs

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erally, the motions that were adopted by Council indicate continued support for specialty journals. However, there were also motions to limit the extent to which the publication costs of specialty journals would be subsidized and to gradually increase the subscription rates for all journals to a point where they more accurately reflect the costs of publication.

In a related vein, Council voted to direct the Committee on Publications to intensify its efforts to find ways of restructuring the editorial program of the ASR so as to "enlarge and diversify" its scope. Also, it endorsed the continued periodic evaluation of the quality and financial condition of all journals

Council recommended that the Committee on Publications consider changing the name or adding a subtitle to Sociological Methodology to include the word "quantitative". However, it endorsed continued publication of SM and Sociology of Education, and voted to support the publication of two volumes of Sociological Theory, after which it is to be reviewed.

Council passed by acclamation a motion expressing its appreciation to the Committee on Publications, editors, sections, the Executive Office, and the membership for providing responses and material that it required to intelligently perform its tasks relating to the publications program.

1982 Budget

Council approved the 1982 budget largely as recommended by the Committee on the Executive Office and Budget. The budget calls for expenditures of about \$1.4 million during the year with income projected at about \$1.2 million.

In order to minimize the deficit, a number of cost-cutting items were adopted. These include a reduction of page allocations for all journals, deferral of publication of a new cumulative journal index, and elimination of the May Council meeting. Several changes designed to increase income were also approved. The basic cost of a listing in the Employment Bulletin and the fees charged to book advertisers at the annual meetings

Employment Bulletin Notice

Effective March 1, 1982, the cost of a vacancy listing in the ASA Employment Bulletin will be \$50 per listing per month for 18 typewritten lines (50 typewriter characters per line). There will be a charge of 50¢ for each additional line. Telephone requests will continue to be accepted only in special instances (e.g., day of deadline, or when "express mail" or other mail facilities are no longer feasible). Each ad accepted via telephone request will be charged at an additional \$10 to cover handling

will be increased. The only item affecting most members directly is an increase in the Annual Meeting registration fee. This charge, which has not changed since 1974, will be increased to \$25 for preregistration and \$30 on-site this year. The ASA fee still remains well below what is charged for registration by most comparable organizations at their conventions.

Members who attempt to pay their dues and to make purchases with checks that are not covered by sufficient funds will now be required to pay a "recharge fee" to offset the bank costs associated with processing their checks.

As mentioned earlier, Council approved a new dues schedule which must be ratified by the membership. The proposed new member categories and the dues structure are described elsewhere in this issue of FOOTNOTES. If approved, these changes will not take effect in time to have a bearing on the 1982 budget. Approved increases in journal subscription rates will also become effective in 1983.

In an action which calls for an immediate cash outlay but which also promises to save considerable money in the long run, Council approve a "special capital expenditure" for the purchase of computer equipment for the Executive Office. This will make it possible for membership records, subscriptions, and accounting to be handled internally, rather than through contracts which are becoming more and more costly each year.

Council gave further indication of its support for the activities of the Consortium of Social Science Associations by voting to continue to pay a part of its expenses during 1982. COSSA expenses will be charged to the Fund for the Advancement of the Discipline rather than to the general operating budget of the Association. Membership contributions to COSSA are now being put into this fund.

In other deliberations and actions, all of which are covered in more detail in the official minutes, Council:

- Adopted for inclusion in the ASA journals a statement spelling out the conditions under which articles can be reproduced free of charge.
- Selected San Francisco as the site of the 1986 Annual Meeting.
- Approved a list of nominees for the editorship of Contemporary Sociology.
- Accepted the report of the Task Group on Homosexuality and approved the establishment of a task group to recommend specific actions that the Association might take to combat discrimination against homosexuals.
- Appointed a subcommittee to establish guidelines for the administration of the Fund for the Advancement of the Discipline.
- Authorized the Executive Office to continue the collection of information on minority participation in the Annual Meeting and on minority and female represen-

tation among sociology faculty and graduate students.

- Established a committee to examine trends in the occupation of sociologists.
- Approved the final version of the revised Code of Professional Ethics and referred it to the membership for a vote.
- Adopted sections of a business meeting resolution dealing with proposed changes in immigration policy and moved to involve the Association in instances where members seeking to enter the U.S. to attend scientific meetings are discriminated against because of their sexual orientations.
- Approved a resolution in support of congressional legislation to establish a U.S. Peace Academy.
- Approved the formula for allocating 1983 program time to sections.
- Voted to offer a disability insurance plan to members.
- Placed on the agenda for future consideration a review of the types of sessions that are held at annual meetings.
- Gave a vote of appreciation to Executive Officer Russell Dynes "for his leadership in this difficult and critical period when sociology has been under fire from the federal government".

Dues Revenue Increase Sought

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mate of realistic costs than it had earlier. Currently, over \$60 worth of membership services are delivered annually but the average member pays less than \$40 in dues. This means that over 85 percent of current members are not paying their share.

Most comparable social science associations have minimum dues of \$50 and usually deliver fewer membership services than does ASA. Although Council has implemented many different savings in the overall ASA budget, including meeting less frequently, the basic costs associated with printing and mailing have increased about 10 percent annually since the early seventies. A January 1982 increase in second class postage almost doubles the cost of delivering ASA journals. It is probable that another 40% increase will be added next year.

The Association delivers from 10-12 journal issues a year to each member, plus nine issues of FOOTNOTES as well as other informational mailings. The minimum value of these materials is over \$60. Revenue from dues has not covered these costs for several years now. Other sources of income are constantly sought and Association expenditures are carefully monitored by the Committee on the Executive Office and Budget but there is a limit to the savings that can be realized in this

fashion. Thus, members must assume a more realistic share if costs of the Association are to remain solvent. While, in difficult times, any increase may seem excessive, the only other alternative is to reduce membership services.

Council, while reluctant to increase dues, concluded that there was little choice but to have a larger proportion of the membership assume its fair share of the current costs of membership services. Council, therefore, recommends the approval of the new dues structure.



Andrew Moore, son of Burt and Joan Moore, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, December 31, 1981.

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