

placing the decentralization movement in its American political-administrative context; treating the issue informatively and imaginatively by drawing on social science theory; and offering balanced judgment on the advisability and utility of urban structural change. The author concludes: it is now necessary to convert decentralization from a fighting word into a creative public policy."

Members of the selection committee were C. Herman Pritchett, University of California, Santa Barbara, Chairman; Deil Wright, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; and Frank N. Marini, Syracuse University.

#### **Pi Sigma Alpha Award**

The Pi Sigma Alpha Award for the best paper at the 1972 Annual Meeting was not awarded on the recommendation of the Committee. The members of the Committee were: Donald S. Strong, University of Alabama, Chairman; Lewis C. Mainzer, University of Massachusetts; and Donald Hanson, University of Utah.

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