

# News and Notes

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## Activities

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**Gwendolen M. Carter**, Professor of Political Science and African Studies at Indiana University, received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Smith College in May 1979. In November 1978, she became the first recipient of the Distinguished Scholar Award of the African Studies Association at their annual meeting in Baltimore. Her most recent publication is *Southern Africa: The Continuing Crisis*, published in June 1979 by the Indiana University Press, which she edited with Patrick O'Meara and to which she contributed the chapter on "South Africa: Growing Black-White Confrontation." She spent two months in South Africa, January-March 1979, followed by a brief trip to Australia, and is presently preparing a book tentatively titled, *Which Way is South Africa Going?* which will be published by the Indiana University Press. Her edited collection of the speeches of President Sir Seretse Khama of Botswana will appear late in 1979 with a foreword by President Julius Nyerere. It is being published by Rex Collings, London.

**John J. Damis**, Portland State University, has returned from research leave in North Africa, Soviet Central Asia, Afghanistan, India and Nepal.

**Howard E. Dean**, Portland State University, is on sabbatical leave 1979-80.

**John Deegan, Jr.**, University of Rochester, has been awarded a University of Rochester Faculty Bridging Fellowship for 1979-80. The fellowship, which is for the purpose of studying health policy, will permit him to work in the University of Rochester Cancer Center and Department of Preventive Medicine and Community Health.

**June T. Dreyer**, Miami University, is on leave-of-absence in 1979-80 to continue serving as a Far East Specialist in the Federal Research Division of the U.S. Library of Congress.

**William Gormley**, SUNY-Stony Brook, recently received a NSF grant to study the effects of public intervention in public utility regulatory proceedings. He will direct the study at the George Washington University Program in Science and Policy.

**Charles W. Hartwig**, Arkansas State University, served as Associate Director of the third successive Robert A. Taft Institute of Government Seminar held at Arkansas State University, Jonesboro. The seminar, one of 37 conducted around the country in 1979 for elementary and secondary teachers of government and civics, was held on the ASU campus from July 22-August 3, 1979.

**Dr. Samuel Kim**, Monmouth College, is on sabbatical.

**Malcolm Moos**, former president of the University of Minnesota, has been named director of a special project at the University of Maryland to study alternatives for increasing the university's effectiveness in teaching, research, and service. The project is funded by a \$190,000 grant from the Carnegie Corporation.

**Ronald Oakerson**, Marshall University, received the 1979 Katherine Greenough award for the best Indiana University Political Science dissertation, "The Erosion of Public Highways: A Public Analysis of the Eastern Kentucky Coal-Haul Problem." The award honors Katherine Greenough, an alumna of Indiana University who was active in the early women's movement and the League of Women Voters.

**Robert Q. Parks**, Assistant Professor of Political Science at Elmira College, Elmira, New York, has been awarded a Fulbright Lectureship in Japan at Nagoya University, Japan, from April 1980 to January 1981.

**James H. Polhemus**, Deakin University, Geelong, Victoria, Australia, is on leave during 1979-81 to serve as senior lecturer in the Department of Political and Administrative Studies, University of Botswana and Swaziland, University College, Botswana.

**Rebecca R. Pollard** was appointed by President Carter to the Board for International Food and Agricultural Development. BIFAD was set up under Title XII added to Food Assistance Act. She is the first social scientist on the seven-member board, which includes Chancellor Wharton of SUNY and President Thomas of New Mexico State University.

**George E. Rawson**, Miami University, Lily Fellow, 1979-80.

**Stanley Renshon**, The City University of New York, returned from sabbatical leave in the Spring of 1979. For the past two years he has been a postdoctoral fellow in the Ph.D. Program in Clinical Psychology at City College, of the City University of New York. He has also recently been named coordinator of the Ethics Curriculum for the "Top 40" program at the Urban Academy, which provides advanced training for mid-career public officials in New York City.

**Howard J. Wiarda**, Department of Political Science, University of Massachusetts, has been awarded a Senior Fellowship from the National Endowment for the Humanities. During his coming sabbatical leave year Dr. Wiarda will be in Greece, Italy, Portugal, Spain and Geneva conducting research on "The Industrial and Labor Relations Systems of Southern Europe,"

and in Latin America for separate projects on "Political Theory and the Political Tradition of Iberia and Latin America" and "State-Society Relations in Latin America." He has also been appointed a Research Fellow at the Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, for 1980-81. At the Center Dr. Wiarda will be conducting research, writing, and participating in faculty forums and seminars.

**Gunnar Wikstrom, Jr.** received a grant from the Lilly Foundation through the Colleges of Mid-America Consortium for faculty development in the area of Gaming and Simulation. This grant has allowed him to develop expertise related to teaching and consulting in the area of Gaming and Simulation, as well as expertise in game design and developing appropriate resources for a gaming and simulation resource center. (The grant is being implemented during the 1979 calendar year under the direction of the Extension Gaming Center at the University of Michigan.)

**Carolyn J. Zinn** of Arkansas State University served as Director of the third successive Robert A. Taft Institute of Government Seminar held at Arkansas State University, Jonesboro. The seminar, one of 37 conducted around the country in 1979 for elementary and secondary teachers of government and civics, was held on the ASU campus from July 22-August 3, 1979.

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### New Appointments

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**Paul Bai Akridge**, assistant professor, University of Missouri-St. Louis.

**Paul Allen Beck**, professor in the Policy Sciences Program and Department of Government, Florida State University; formerly of the University of Pittsburgh.

**Ann O'M. Bowman**, assistant professor, Texas A&M University; formerly of the University of Florida.

**Mark R. Daniels**, assistant professor, Oklahoma State University.

**Gerald DeMaio**, formerly of Manhattanville College, has joined Baruch College's political science department as an assistant professor.

**Christine Drake**, assistant professor of geography, Old Dominion University.

**Michael Gant**, instructor, Texas A&M University; formerly of Michigan State University.

**T. Lane Hurley**, associate professor, University of Alabama.

**Clyde A. Keisler, Jr.**, assistant professor, University of Alabama.

**James Lester**, instructor, Texas A&M University; formerly of the George Washington University.

**Theodore R. Marmor**, professor of epidemiology and public health, Institution for Social

and Policy Studies, and Political Science; Chairman of the Center for Health Studies, ISPS; formerly of University of Chicago. Yale University.

**Gary McDowell**, assistant professor, Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

**Robert McGeehan**, Director, United Kingdom Graduate Program, School of International Relations, University of Southern California (London); formerly of Oxford University.

**John M. Mendeloff**, assistant professor of political science; formerly of University of California, Berkeley, School of Public Policy.

**Michael E. Milakovich**, associate professor, University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida; formerly of North Carolina at Greensboro.

**Gary Miller**, assistant professor, Michigan State University; formerly assistant professor, California Institute of Technology.

**Keith Mueller**, instructor, Department of Political Science, University of Nebraska, Lincoln.

**Charles J. Nagy, Jr.** has joined the faculty of Graceland College as an assistant professor of political science.

**Robert S. Norris**, visiting assistant professor, Miami University (European Center), 1979-80.

**Timothy J. O'Neill**, instructor, Tulane University.

**Ellen F. Paul**, visiting assistant professor, Miami University, 1979-80.

**Steven R. Reed**, assistant professor, University of Alabama.

**John Robertson**, assistant professor, Texas A&M University; formerly of the University of Illinois.

**Steven J. Rosenstone**, lecturer, Yale University.

**Claes G. Ryn**, associate professor, to the position of Chairman of the Department of Politics, The Catholic University of America.

**Gary L. Scott**, assistant professor, Portland State University; formerly of Carleton College.

**Douglas H. Shumavon**, assistant professor, Miami University.

**Edward I. Sidlow**, visiting assistant professor, Miami University, 1979-80.

**James D. Slack**, assistant professor, Muskingum College.

**James G. Smith**, instructor, Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

**Mary Ann Tetreault**, assistant professor of political science, Old Dominion University.

**Carlyle A. Thayer**, lecturer in Southeast Asian Politics, has been appointed to the Department of Government, Faculty of Military Studies, The University of New South Wales at the Royal Military College, Duntroon.

**Anne Walcott**, instructor, Gustavus Adolphus College; formerly of Inver Hills Community College, Minnesota.

**Noami J. Williams**, lecturer, Yale University.

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### Visiting and Temporary Appointments

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**Russell Capelle**, faculty-on-leave with Office of University Research, D.O.T., Old Dominion University.

**Hanna J. Cortner**, Program Analyst, Office of Policy Analysis, U.S. Forest Service, Washington, D.C.

**James C. Davies**, distinguished visiting lecturer, at the University of Arizona, for the fall term, 1979, University of Oregon.

**Ira Davis**, visiting instructor, Texas A&M University; formerly of the University of Texas.

**Arthur DiQuattro**, visiting assistant professor, Indiana University, 1979 through 1980.

**Patricia S. Florestano**, assistant professor in the Institute for Urban Studies, University of Maryland, College Park, has been appointed Acting Director of the Maryland Technical Advisory Service of the University of Maryland at College Park. The Maryland Technical Advisory Service is a service organization designed to assist state and local governments in Maryland in solving problems in governance, management and administration. Dr. Florestano, a resident of Crofton, Maryland, will also be an adjunct professor for the Institute for Urban Studies.

**James Franke**, visiting assistant professor, Texas A&M University; formerly of Florida State University.

**Norman Furniss**, visiting associate professor, University of Leiden, Netherlands, 1979 through 1980.

**Donald F. Hardy**, visiting lecturer, 1979-80, Murray State University.

**Chung-Hsiou Huang** has been appointed as a visiting assistant professor in the Department of Political Science, University of Oregon, for 1979-80.

**L. Sue Hulett**, visiting assistant professor, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

**E. Lester Levine**, visiting associate professor (Mentor), Empire State College, Long Island Regional Center, Hauppauge; after heading two-year Public Employment Study of state and local employment and compensation trends for the state of Minnesota.

**James McCormick**, visiting associate professor, Texas A&M University; on leave from Iowa State University.

**David Nice**, visiting assistant professor, Indiana University, 1979 through 1980.

**Ronald Nickerson**, postdoctoral fellow, workshop in political theory and policy analysis, Indiana University.

**Nancy Oppenlander**, postdoctoral fellow, workshop in political theory and policy analysis, Indiana University.

**Thomas J. Pavlak**, University of Pittsburgh, is spending 1979-80 as a visiting faculty fellow at the National Institute of Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice in Washington, D.C., where he

will conduct research on procedural justice in parole revocation.

**R. Christopher Perry**, visiting lecturer, 1979-80, Murray State University.

**Chester B. Rogers**, Western Michigan University, is serving as administrative assistant to Congressman Howard Wolpe (Michigan, Third District) while on leave.

**Leif R. Rosenberger**, special lecturer, Providence College, 1979-80.

**Ofira Stliktar**, visiting assistant professor, Texas A&M University; on leave from the University of Haifa.

**William P. Snyder**, Texas A&M University, on leave to the Army War College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

**Clyde B. Vedder**, visiting professor, 1979-80, Murray State University.

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### Administrative Appointments

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**Philip Abbott**, Assistant Dean of the College of Liberal Arts for Graduate Studies, Wayne State University.

**Burton Atkins**, Director of Graduate Studies, Florida State University.

**David N. Atkinson**, Chairman of the Department of Political Science at the University of Missouri-Kansas City.

**Ellen S. Boneparth**, Assistant Dean, School of Social and Behavioral Sciences, San Francisco State University; San Jose State University.

**Winberg Chai**, Vice President for Academic Affairs and professor of political science, University of South Dakota; formerly Chairman, Department of Asian Studies, The City College, CUNY.

**Maria J. Falco**, Dean, Loyola College, Louisiana; formerly of Tulsa University.

**Louis Friedland**, acting chair of the newly created Department of Criminal Justice, Wayne State University.

**Philip S. Gillette**, Chairman, Political Science/Geography Department, Old Dominion University.

**Donald G. Herzberg**, Dean of the Graduate School of Georgetown University, has been appointed to the new position of Vice President for Graduate Studies and Research at Georgetown University.

**Ladis K. D. Kristof**, Acting Department Head, 1979-80, Portland State University.

**Erwin L. Levine** has been named Chairman, Department of Government, Skidmore College.

**Marvin Maurer**, Chairman, Monmouth College.

**David R. Mayhew**, Chairman, Yale University.

**Lela Garner Noble**, Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs, San Jose State University.

**Harding C. Noblitt**, President of the Minnesota Higher Education Coordinating Board. Members of the Board are appointed by the Governor with the consent of the Senate, Concordia College.

**William H. Overholt**, Hudson Institute: Director of Hudson Research Services, a subsidiary corporation which conducts proprietary research.

**Lawrence C. Pierce**, Head, Department of Political Science, University of Oregon.

**Jack C. Plano**, Chairman, Department of Political Science, Western Michigan University.

**Peter A. Poole**, Director of Graduate Studies and Center for International Studies, Old Dominion University.

**Robert S. Robins**, Chairman, Tulane University.

**Eugene J. Rosi**, Chairman, Political Science Department, Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

**Kenneth Sherrill** has been elected to a second term as Democratic District Leader in New York's 69th Assembly District (Upper West Side).

**Paul P. Van Riper**, Master of Public Administration (M.P.A.) Program Coordinator, Department of Political Science, Texas A&M University.

**Joan K. Wadlow**, Dean of Arts and Sciences, University of Wyoming; formerly professor, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

**Michael E. Milakovich**, University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida: associate professor.

**Kathryn Newcomer**, University of Nebraska-Lincoln: assistant professor.

**B. Guy Peters**, Tulane University: professor.

**M. Hisham Sabki**, Eastern Michigan University: professor.

**Robert F. Sittig**, University of Nebraska-Lincoln: professor.

**Arnold Vedlitz**, Texas A&M University: associate professor.

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## Retirements

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**James W. Fesler**, professor, Yale University.

**Donald S. Strong**, University of Alabama, retired after 33 years of distinguished service to the University.

## In Memoriam

### John Brashear

Dr. John Brashear, professor of political science at Carson-Newman College in Jefferson City, Tennessee, for many years, died December 27, 1977. He was born May 9, 1908, in Lyndon, Kentucky. He began his teaching career in a one-room school and moved through the educational system to teaching at the college level. Along the way he earned a masters degree at Western Kentucky University and a Ph.D. in political science from the University of North Carolina. Professor Brashear retired from teaching in 1973.

For hundreds of former students, the death of Dr. Brashear was the passing of a man whose influence on them will never be forgotten. He was a man of inflexible principles who embarrassed those less principled than himself. He was a serious and an energetic teacher and he was a great teacher in the sense that he cared for his students and taught them above all else to be honest with themselves. He was not a prolific writer and his students cannot point to one article that he authored in a professional journal. His role in the profession was one of teaching the ideas and contributions of others and in teaching them in such a way that they made sense to his students. There are men and women throughout the nation practicing law, teaching, and in public service who are better people and better students for having studied under John C. Brashear. We are two who knew him, who met him at a crossroads in our lives, and who followed him into a profession. We and many others owe a lot to Professor

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## Promotions

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**F. Christopher Arterton**, Yale University: associate professor.

**Burton Atkins**, Florida State University: professor.

**Thomas L. Brewer**, Eastern Michigan University: professor.

**Terry L. Christensen**, San Jose State University: professor.

**James Dick**, Wayne State University: associate professor.

**Phillip W. Dyer**, University of Nebraska-Lincoln: professor.

**James S. Fishkin**, Yale University: associate professor.

**Larry N. Gerston**, San Jose State University: associate professor.

**John Latham**, Kent State University: associate professor.

**Warren L. Mason**, Miami University: professor.

**William T. McCraw**, San Jose State University: professor.

**Edward N. Megay**, University of Nebraska-Lincoln: professor.