

In Memorium

DONALD J. CIOETA, Acquisitions Editor at the University of Washington Press and Adjunct Professor of Middle East History at the University of Washington, died of cancer on July 8, 1992 at his home in Seattle.

Professor Cioeta was nationally known for his work in the field of 19th and 20th Century journalism and censorship of the Middle East. He was active in numerous professional organizations, including Middle East Studies Association and the American Historical Association, and brought to his work a lifetime commitment to peace and world human rights. Professor Cioeta was also an avid student of Middle East textiles and curated an exhibition for the Henry Gallery of the University of Washington in 1990.

Professor Cioeta graduated from Portland State University with honors in history and Middle East studies in 1967. At the University of Chicago, he earned through the department of history a master's degree in 1969 and a doctorate in 1979. Twice a Fulbright Fellow, Professor Cioeta traveled extensively in the Middle East and did extended research in Lebanon, Syria, and Egypt.

For many years, Professor Cioeta owned and operated Pangolin Press, which published in the fields of energy and environmental science. After teaching political science and history courses for several years at Portland State University and Willamette University in Oregon, he moved to Seattle in 1987 to his position with the University of Washington, where he divided his time between the history department and the press.

Professor Cioeta was an active participant in neighborhood and community affairs. A parishioner of St. Catherine of Siena Church, he taught the church Sunday School. In June 1992, he received the Washington State Parent-Teachers Association's Golden Acorn Award for his volunteer fund raising and classroom service at Bryant Elementary School.

Survivors include his wife, Corinna and son, Charles, both of Seattle, his mother, Wilma E. Cioeta, of Portland, two brothers and three sisters.

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KHOSROW MOSTOFI, Professor Emeritus of Political Science at the University of Utah, died of a heart attack in Salt Lake City, Utah, on August 3, 1992. "K" was primarily responsible for the development of the University of Utah's Middle East Center, serving as its director from 1967 to 1983.

Khosrow Mostofi was born in Tehran, Iran, in 1921. He completed a B.A. in English literature at the University of Tehran in 1944 and for five years taught English in various institutions in Iran. In 1949 he began his graduate studies at the University of Utah and received a Ph.D. in Political Science from that institution in 1958. Following two years of teaching at Portland State College, he returned to the University of Utah in 1960. His formal academic affiliation was in the Department of Political Science, but from 1963 onward he was involved in the development of the Middle East Center, initially as an assistant to Professor Aziz Atiya, then as director for a period of 17 years, and