

The Profession

Professional Notes

Foreign Policy Commission

The Commission on the Organization of the Government for the Conduct of Foreign Policy was established by the Foreign Relations Authorization Act of 1972, "to provide a more effective system for the formulation and implementation of the Nation's foreign policy."

The Commission seeks the cooperation of those individuals, institutions and research centers currently doing research in the fields of the organization of the government for foreign relations (not policy itself). Specifically, the Commission is interested in:

- 1) the topics currently under study that might be helpful to the Commission; and names of the people working on them;
- 2) copies of any papers or monographs that have not been commercially distributed which you might forward to the Commission, and reading lists or bibliographies dealing specifically with the administration and organization of U.S. government foreign policy.

Please forward any materials and direct questions to the Commission on the Organization of the Government for the Conduct of Foreign Policy, 2025 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20506. The Commission will be glad to supply on request copies of its Mandate and Tentative Program.

Health Politics Committee

The Committee on Health Politics held its Annual Breakfast meeting during the 1973 APSA Meeting in New Orleans. About forty people attended the session at which Harris Cohen, Acting Director of the Political and Legal Analysis Division of the N.I.H. Bureau of Health Services Research and Evaluation spoke.

Chairmen of the Committees for the organization are as follows: Publication: Ralph A. Straetz, New York University; Finance and Funding: Joseph L. Falkson, University of Michigan; Program: William Flash, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; and Curricular: Stephen F. Loeb, Ohio State University. For further general information on the Committee on Health Politics, write to the Chairman, Ralph A. Straetz, Director, Political Science and Health Policy, New York University, 547 La Guardia Place, New York, New York 10012.

Syracuse Eastern African Seminar

The Syracuse University Program of Eastern African Studies and the Division of International Programs Abroad are offering a Summer Seminar in East Africa, to run from approximately July 1st to August 9th, 1974.

The Seminar and fieldwork will be integrated around the theme of changing socio-economic and political conditions in contemporary Africa. Approximately three weeks of the program will consist of study in the Nairobi area, with the remaining three weeks spent traveling in other parts of East Africa, observing the same processes of change in different environmental settings.

Undergraduates, graduate students and teachers, particularly those in social studies, are eligible for this program, which will carry six hours of graduate or undergraduate credit.

Further information and application forms may be obtained by writing to the Program of Eastern African Studies, Syracuse University, 119 College Place, Syracuse, New York 13210.

Ukrainian Political Science Association

The Ukrainian Student Political Science Association has changed its name to the Ukrainian Political Science Association in the United States. The President of the Association is Petro Diachenko and he will welcome inquiries about the Association. His address is 815 Grant Road, Folcroft, Pennsylvania, 19032.

\$1.00 Checkoff Committee

At the request of the \$1.00 Checkoff Committee, *PS* is glad to note the checkoff provision in the Internal Revenue Code providing for \$1.00 of taxes already paid to be paid (or \$2.00 on joint returns) into the new Presidential Election Campaign Fund. It is simply necessary to check line 8 on your regular Federal tax return and \$1.00 (\$2.00 in joint returns) will be directed from your tax payment to a special fund. The fund will be distributed to the candidates after the nominating conventions in 1976 with candidates from the two major parties receiving equal amounts. Minor parties will receive pro rata shares if they receive over 5% of the vote.

For further information on the checkoff or on the \$1.00 Checkoff Committee, write to the Committee at 1826 Jefferson Place, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036.

Faculty Exchange Center

The Faculty Exchange Center has been established to make it possible for a faculty member to exchange positions for a year with a colleague from another institution either here or overseas where instruction is in English. The F.E.C. will publish a catalog containing details on those who register. For more information and registration forms write to the Faculty Exchange Center, P.O. Box 1866, Lancaster, Pennsylvania 17604.

Political Anthropology Letter

The first issue of the *Political Anthropology Letter* is now available without charge. The Letter is intended to improve communications among scholars interested in the anthropological study of politics and will be an irregular publication devoted to work-in-progress, notes and queries and similar materials. To receive a copy, contact: S. Lee Seaton, Department of Political Science, University of California, Berkeley, California 94720.

East Carolina Politics Series

The Department of Political Science of East Carolina University wishes to announce publication of the 1974 volume in its POLITICS SERIES and the theme for the 1975 issue.

TRENDS IN SOUTHERN POLITICS, the 1974 issue in the series, will appear in late March. Articles in the issue include: Philip L. Martin, *et al.*, "Republican Grassroots Leadership in Virginia and West Virginia"; Tod A. Baker and Robert P. Steed, "Southern Political Elites and Social Change: An Exploratory Study"; Mark Stern, "The Pro-Civil Rights Congressional Districts of the South"; James Clotfelter and William R. Hamilton, "Wallace and his Supporters: Opinions and Behavior"; Jerry Perkins, "Southern Partisan Change in National Politics"; Young-dahl Song, "Political Trends and the Non-Southerner in the South." Copies may be purchased for \$1.98 (add 33 cents for postage, handling, and sales tax). Orders should be directed to East Carolina University Publications, P.O. Box 2771, Greenville, N.C. 27834. Orders must be accompanied by payment. Checks should be made payable to East Carolina University Publications.

THE MODERN PRESIDENCY AND SEPARATION OF POWERS has been selected as the theme of the 1975 issue in the POLITICS SERIES. Inquiries and manuscripts should be directed to The Editor, POLITICS 1975, Department of Political Science, P.O. Box 2752, East Carolina University, Greenville, N.C. 27834. Manuscripts should be typed, double-spaced, with wide margins. Footnotes should appear at the end of the manuscript. Two copies of each manuscript should be submitted, and manuscripts should not exceed 6,000 words (or approximately 20-25 pages). Manuscripts should be submitted for consideration no later than October 31, 1974.

Legislative Research Series

The Bureau of Government Research at the University of Oklahoma announces a new research monograph series devoted to the systematic analysis of legislative politics at the state, national and international level. Nine legislative monographs are now available at prices from \$1.00 to \$2.50. The Bureau also has recent publications on urban politics, comparative

state policy indicators, and voting behavior. For a list of publications write Bureau of Government Research, University of Oklahoma, 455 W. Lindsey, Norman, Oklahoma 73069.

Latin American Resolution

The Latin American Studies Association has recently passed a resolution on removal of original documents and books from nations and wishes to bring it to the attention of relevant professional and scholarly associations. The full resolution is as follows:

WHEREAS the developing areas of the world are losing primary resource materials for research through purchase by private and public collectors and research institutions of foreign countries, it is moved that when papers, documents, books and other materials of historical research value are purchased or otherwise removed from countries where their absence will seriously prejudice the development of local research, the Executive Council of the Latin American Studies Association (LASA) singly and if possible in conjunction with other relevant professional and scholarly associations, will try to assure that the purchaser will arrange to leave on deposit in an appropriate research facility of the country a usable copy of the materials. Furthermore, this motion shall be communicated to all relevant professional and scholarly associations and, insofar as practical, to collectors and their agents who might be involved in such transactions.

Voluntary Action Research Journal

The Association of Voluntary Action Scholars, an autonomous interdisciplinary and interprofessional association of scholars and professionals interested in research, scholarship, and programs related to voluntary action in any of its many forms, has initiated a journal, THE JOURNAL OF VOLUNTARY ACTION RESEARCH, in order to stimulate and aid the efforts of those engaged in research on voluntary action and to make the results of that research more readily available. Political Scientists serving on the Editorial Board of the new journal are: John W. Chapman, University of Pittsburgh; Anne Freedman, Roosevelt University; Henry Kariel, University of Hawaii and Harman Zeigler, University of Oregon. Subscriptions for the new journal are \$12.00; students and individuals from foreign nations may subscribe at lower rates. For further information on the Association and its journal, write to AVAS/JVAR, Room 211, 1785 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036.

Asian Law Committee

The Committee on Asian Law of the Association for Asian Studies has prepared a *Directory*

of persons with special interests in Asian Law, which is available for \$1.00 upon request to Professor Chin Kim, CAL, College of Law, University of Illinois, Champaign, Illinois 61820. (Make checks payable to Chin Kim, CAL.) This Directory, edited by Chin Kim and based on a widely circulated questionnaire and other sources, presents names, current addresses, present positions, academic background, and Asian law specialties.

The Committee on Asian Law is also co-sponsoring at the present time, with the International Legal Center, a *survey of present research and teaching about Asian Law* in social science and law departments in North America. Since this work is now in progress, the Committee would appreciate information the reader could provide regarding institutional programs, individual courses incorporating to a significant degree material about the law of one or more Asian nations, the work of individual scholars, and non-university based research and instruction. Besides collating information on existing resources on Asian law, we hope to discern topical and methodological characteristics of research and teaching, with a view to analyzing the findings in relation to current trends in legal research within Asia, in international and comparative legal studies generally, and in Asian studies generally. Information should be sent to Mr. Barry Metzger, CAL, International Legal Center, 866 United Nations Plaza, New York, N.Y. 10017. A *preliminary report* on this survey will be presented and discussed at the Asian Law Forum of the Committee on Asian Law at the 1974 meeting of the Association for Asian Studies in Boston (April 1-3).

Asia, for purposes of the Committee on Asian Law, is divided in accordance with the Association for Asian Studies Regional Councils system, into Northeast Asia, China and Inner Asia, Southeast Asia, and South Asia (the area between Japan and Afghanistan). The Committee on Asian Law, which is an interdisciplinary inter-regional committee of the AAS, develops and disseminates information concerning existing expertise, educational programs and research concerning Asian law, assists in the development of liaison between the Association for Asian Studies and such academic associations as the American Political Science Association, encourages research and instructional programs on Asian law, and promotes cross-disciplinary and cross-national academic exchange, including Asian legal scholars, on Asian law.

Currently represented in the Committee's membership (which is listed below) are the fields of political science, law, legal sociology, and legal anthropology:

The Committee on Asian Law, Association for Asian Studies

Regional specialization corresponding to the AAS Regional Councils system is indicated in parenthesis, with terminal year in office.

Lawrence W. Beer, Chairperson (1977), Department of Political Science, University of Colo-

rado, Boulder, Colorado 80302; Home: (303) 494-7633; messages: 443-2211, ext. 7871.

Daniel S. Lev (Southeast Asia; 1976), Vice Chairman, Department of Political Science, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington 98195.

Marc Galanter (South Asia; 1977), Faculty of Law & Jurisprudence, State University of New York at Buffalo, John Lord O'Brian Hall, North Campus, Buffalo, New York 14260.

Chin Kim (Northeast Asia; 1977), College of Law, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, Champaign, Illinois 61820.

Nancy Tanner (Legal Anthropology, Asia; 1977), Board of Anthropology, Merrill College, University of California, Santa Cruz, California 95064.

Jerome A. Cohen (China & Inner Asia; 1976), Law School, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138.

Barry Metzger (South Asia; 1976), International Legal Center, 866 United Nations Plaza, New York, New York 10017.

Robert L. Kidder (Legal Sociology, Asia; 1976), Department of Sociology, Temple University, Philadelphia, Pa. 19122.

Dan Fenno Henderson (Northeast Asia; 1976), School of Law, Condon Hall, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington 98195.

Norman Nyun Han (Southeast Asia; 1976), Department of Political Science, Westmont College, Santa Barbara, California 93108.

Victor H. Li (China & Inner Asia; 1975), Stanford Law School, Stanford, California 94305.

Drake PA Program

Drake University has added a new component to its undergraduate and graduate programs in Public Administration.

As of the spring semester, 1974, students at both the undergraduate and graduate levels may obtain a combined degree in Public Administration and Urban Affairs.

The combined programs include courses in methodological techniques, an internship, and a broad selection of core courses in Public Administration and Urban Affairs.

Those desiring further information on these and/or other programs should contact Elliot Kline, Director, Programs in Public Administration, Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa 50311.

Virginia Commonwealth

Department of Political Science

A new department of political science has been organized at Virginia Commonwealth University. Previously, the members of the Political science faculty were part of the history depart-

ment. Members of the department include: Robert J. Austin, Frank P. Belloni, Janipher Greene, Dennis Johnson, Henri Warmenhoven, and Nelson Wikstrom, Acting Chairperson.

An undergraduate major in political science will be offered by the department beginning in the Fall, 1974. Majors will be allowed to take one three-hour credit course outside of the department in a cognate discipline and apply it toward their major requirements. Consideration is now being given to the possibility of granting academic credit for assorted work and experience in practical politics and the political process.

Further, it should be noted that several members of the department are involved in an interdisciplinary graduate program in public administration.

Graduate Education Report

In a recently issued report, entitled *Scholarship for Society*, the Panel on Alternate Approaches to Graduate Education has questioned the emphasis on research as the single criterion for evaluating all graduate schools and their faculties, and urges that all doctoral students spend time working outside university walls in areas related to their major fields.

More than 18 months of study by the panel preceded the report. The Panel was supported by two influential organizations largely representative of graduate school opinion — the Graduate Record Examinations Board, whose policies affect the entrance requirements of most graduate institutions, and the Council of Graduate Schools in the United States, whose 307 members include universities awarding 98 percent of the doctoral degrees in this country.

The 15-member panel was appointed by the two groups in the fall of 1971, with J. Boyd Page, president of the Council, serving as chairman. Educational Testing Service (ETS) in Princeton, New Jersey, provided administrative support under the direction of I. Bruce Hamilton.

In a preface to the report, Dr. Page notes that "new elements do need to be added to graduate schools, that significant modifications need to be made, and that horizons of concern need to be expanded if graduate schools are to meet fully the emerging needs of society."

The panel report recommends that:

- Graduate school faculty be encouraged to take a wider view of their professional roles, and the decisions "for tenure, promotion, and salary increments no longer [should be] based on the single criterion of research and publication."
- more experts who may not possess the usual academic credentials be added to graduate school faculties. "Successful achievers in business and government possess gifts and experience that could be of immense influence in redirecting academic energies toward the servicing of social needs."

- more intensified efforts be made to recruit able minority-group representatives and women to the faculties. "Statistics can be cited confirming that the politics of graduate education reflect the influence of a . . . discriminatory society."

- often rigid institutional requirements, such as residency and fellowship policies, become more flexible to meet the needs of new groups of students; for example, part-time women students. "Graduate administrators and faculties must arrive at a new perception of the worth and dignity of 'recurrent' or 'intermittent' learners."

- every graduate student should be required to undertake discipline-related work outside the university if he has not previously done so to insure that no advanced-degree candidate graduates without exposure to real working situations.

- certain institutional policies be altered to allow faculty members more time to play a larger role in the solution of major societal problems. "It is a matter of recreating the graduate faculty as leaders in the search for a new understanding of the possibilities of human society and of recreating the graduate institution as one that is capable of counseling political and cultural leaders on ways of assuring meaning to the structural changes of society now in progress," the panel concluded.

The report cites a "cultural lag" resulting from an enormous increase in the past 50 years in the proportion of persons obtaining graduate degrees. While this increase, according to the report, has dramatically altered "the relation between the university and society as a whole," there has been little change in the self-conceptions of graduate departments in the same 50-year period.

Following its specific recommendations, and suggestions for implementation, the report goes on to make projections about the future of graduate schools. Student populations, the panel forecasts, will be fairly evenly divided between the sexes; at least 20 percent of its numbers will be drawn from minority groups.

Because of recurrent education, the ages of students will correspond more closely with those of the general population. It will be standard practice for students and teachers alike to examine the social implications of projected research. Standards for measuring faculty performance will be applied to a great variety of professional activities. For instance, community activity could be part of the assessment process.

The panel also predicts that the graduate professor will become more of a "mentor and preprofessional counselor" through expanded use of new educational technology. In addition, significant lines of communication will connect graduate programs and schools of different functions with each other and with other institutions, such as two-year colleges and state education departments.

In addition to Dr. Page, the panel included Daniel Alpert, Director, Center for Advanced Study, University of Illinois; Warren G. Bennis, President, University of Cincinnati; Albert H. Berrian, Associate Commissioner for Higher Education, New York State Education Department; Edward E. Booher, President, Books and Education Services Group, McGraw-Hill, Inc.; Jean W. Campbell, Director, Center for Continuing Education of Women, University of Michigan; Benjamin DeMott, Professor of English, Amherst College; May N. Diaz, Professor of Anthropology, University of California at Berkeley; Patricia Albjerg Graham, Professor of History and Education, Barnard College and Teachers College, Columbia University; Cyril O. Houle, Professor of Education, University of Chicago; Robert F. Kruh, Dean of the Graduate School, Kansas State University; W. Edward Lear, Dean of the School of Engineering, University of Alabama; Lincoln E. Moses, Dean of the Graduate Division, Stanford University; Rochus E. Vogt, Professor of Physics, California Institute of Technology; Albert N. Whiting, President, North Carolina Central University.

Mr. DeMott was the principal writer of the report.

Single copies of *Scholarship for Society* are \$2.00; 10 or more, \$1.50 each; 100 or more, \$1.00 each. Orders should be addressed to: Panel Report, GRE Board, Educational Testing Service, Princeton, New Jersey 08540. (Prepayment is requested with orders for fewer than 10 copies.)

East Texas State **MPA** Program

The Department of Political Science, East Texas State University, has instituted a Master of Public Administration (M.P.A.) Program which began its first full year of operation in August, 1973. The Program provides practical, career-oriented training for those seeking jobs or those already employed in government service. In addition, it provides academically-oriented courses for students interested in pursuing further graduate study or careers in college teaching. For further information write to Ellis Sandoz, Chairman of the Department, Commerce, Texas 65428.

International Relations Bibliographies

During the past academic year, several faculty at California State University, Los Angeles, have offered topic-directed seminars in International Relations, and have supplemented their textual materials with short, working bibliographies. Some of these research-reference instructional materials are being made available to faculty at other institutions, and currently available titles include: *The Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons and the Nonproliferation Treaty* (245 entries); *The Military-Industrial Complex* (257 entries); *Arms Control, Disarmament and Economic Planning* (295 entries); *The*

"Amnesty" Issue and Conscientious Objection; The Cuban Missile Crisis; The U.S. and the EEC (229 entries); *Salt II: A Selected Research Bibliography* (372 entries).

Interested instructors are encouraged to contact Richard D. Burns, Director, Center for the Study of Armament and Disarmament, California State University, Los Angeles, California 90032, for information regarding additional titles and transmission arrangements.

Asian Forum

Chang-hyun Cho, professor and chairman of political science department, Pembroke State University, Pembroke, North Carolina, has been named new Managing Editor of ASIAN FORUM, effective January 1, 1974.

ASIAN FORUM is a Quarterly Journal of Asian Affairs now in its sixth year of publication and is dedicated to the cause of the advancement of Asian Studies. Since 1969 it has published important articles dealing with business administration, economics, history, political science, psychology, sociology, and related disciplines. It is currently subscribed to by scholars and universities in twenty-six different nations around the world.

The FORUM welcomes the submission of manuscripts dealing with the problems of Asia and Asian Studies. Research notes and review articles are also welcome. Articles appearing in this journal are abstracted and indexed in ABC POL SCI, HISTORICAL ABSTRACTS and/or AMERICA: HISTORY AND LIFE. ASIAN FORUM is also indexed by the PUBLIC AFFAIRS INFORMATION SERVICE.

Subscriptions (U.S. (\$10.00 a year; \$18.00 for two years; \$25.00 for three years), manuscripts and other correspondences should be directed to Institute for Asian Studies, Pan-Asia Foundation, 1750 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006.

Symposium on Empirical Studies of Judicial Behavior

The Cincinnati Law Review is scheduled to publish two studies of judicial behavior by political scientists. Following introductions by David Danelski, Professor of Political Science at Cornell University and Harry Kalven, Professor of Law at the University of Chicago, revised portions of two papers presented to the APSA Convention are presented.

Professor Beverly Blair Cook's "Sentencing Behavior of Federal Judges: Draft Cases — 1972" and Professor Sheldon Goldman's "Conflict on the U.S. Courts of Appeals 1965-1971: A Quantitative Analysis" form the major part of the symposium.

To further inter-disciplinary discourse, two of the nation's most distinguished federal judges "respond" to the studies. Judge Marvin E. Frankel, United States District Judge and

Noted Expert on sentencing comments upon Professor Cook's analysis of district judge's decision-making behavior. Judge Henry J. Friendly, United States Courts of Appeals Voting reacts to Professor Goldman's study of voting blocs on courts of appeals.

Reprints of the Symposium will be available from: The Cincinnati Law Review, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio 45221, for \$2.00 each.

Caucus of **Foreign-born**

The Caucus of Foreign-Born Political Scientists in North America met at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association in New Orleans. A paper entitled "Foreign-Born Political Scientists in North America," co-authored by Madan Lal Goel (University of West Florida) and Yasumasa Kuroda (University of Hawaii) was read at the first meeting. Richard P. Y. Li (University of Wisconsin) presented his prepared comments on the paper. The paper is being revised at this time, but if anyone wishes to have a copy of it, write to: Y. Kuroda, Department of Political Science, University of Hawaii, Honolulu, Hawaii 96822.

Several important announcements and decisions were made at the second meeting. Chairman Kuroda announced that the Caucus from now on will be known as "Asian Political Scientist Group in North America." He was asked to make a decision on the name of the organization by those who attended the 1972 APSA meeting when it was found impossible to achieve a consensus on this matter. The objectives of the organization were announced to remain the same in spite of the organizational name change. The chief objective will be to increase the level of communication among cultural minorities and with other members of the American Political Science Association. Europeans, Africans, Asian-Americans, American Indians, and other minorities will be welcomed into membership in the Group.

The Group proceeded to elect members to the Executive Committee: Richard P. Y. Li, Chong Lim Kim, Madan Lal Goel, Jean-Robert Leguey-Feilleux, and Herman H. Cabrera. Young Wei was elected as Vice Chairman. He was asked to organize a panel on brain drains for the next APSA meeting in Chicago. Anyone interested in presenting a paper on brain drain or any other related topics may write to Young Wei, Department of Political Science, Memphis State University, Memphis, Tennessee.

Y. Kuroda and M. L. Goel attended a meeting with nominees for the forthcoming election in November and presented their viewpoints to the nominees. It was pointed out to them that foreign-born political scientists who are permanent residents feel that the citizenship requirement for federal government grants is discriminatory and should be eliminated.

Caucus for **Faith** and Politics

At the September, 1973, APSA convention a group of political scientists interested in religion and politics met informally and decided to form a Caucus for Faith and Politics. The purpose of the Caucus is to encourage the exploration of the implications religious values and perspectives have for the teaching and study of politics. Although the Caucus is interested in the political implications of the values and perspectives of all religions, it is especially interested in those of historic, orthodox Christianity.

The Caucus is planning a breakfast meeting at the fall convention on Saturday, August 31.

Those interested in receiving further information on the Caucus should contact Professor Stephen V. Monsma, Department of Political Science, Calvin College, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49506.

Penn State **Humanities** Program

Responding to current problems in graduate education, The Pennsylvania State University is inaugurating a new interdisciplinary program with the help of a four-year grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities. Designed for both predoctoral students and postdoctoral fellows, the program offers students the opportunity of pursuing work toward a doctorate in a specific discipline while at the same time engaging in interdisciplinary study.

The program is structured in such a way that students may study at the pre- or post-doctoral levels within any one of the following departments: Anthropology, Art Education, Art History, Classics, Comparative Literature, Economics, English, French, German, History, Linguistics, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, Religious Studies, Slavic Languages, Sociology, Spanish, or Speech. In addition, each student may engage in internship activities in one or several additional disciplines as well as in specially designed interdisciplinary courses and seminars.

Pre-Doctoral Curricula: For pre-doctoral students the program will extend over a five-year period during which gradually increasing stress will be placed on interdisciplinary study. Only a limited amount of time each week will be required for interdisciplinary training and research during the first two years of a student's curriculum. After completing most of the requirements for the Ph.D. degree in the discipline of his choice, a student will devote the greater part of his time to his interdisciplinary education and to preparing his doctoral dissertation.

Post-Doctoral Programs: This part of the program is intended for persons who have already earned a Ph.D. degree and who wish to enrich

their education or strengthen their preparation for teaching through interdisciplinary study and teaching internships. The program is designed to permit post-doctoral fellows to select the area, outside their doctoral specialization, in which they wish to work. Responsibilities include conducting two courses on an interdisciplinary basis during a full academic year, and participating in faculty seminars which meet twice each month for ten months.

Pre-doctoral students participating in the program may apply for financial support. This support will be arranged through the participating departments. Those who are awarded post-doctoral fellowships will receive a stipend of \$8,000 per year; the funds necessary for this purpose are made available by the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Pre-doctoral students who wish admission to the program should apply to any participating department indicating specifically their desire to join the interdisciplinary program. Post-doctoral fellows should send their applications immediately to the program director: Joseph J. Kockelmans, Director, Graduate and Post-Doctoral Interdisciplinary Internship Program in the Humanities, The Pennsylvania State University, 118 Sparks Building, University Park, Pennsylvania 16802.

Bibliographies on Women

The Center for the American Woman and Politics is currently collecting references for a bibliography of research and projects on the subject of American women's participation in public life, politics and government. The bibliography will list published and unpublished works as well as recently completed research and research in progress. In order to make the bibliography as comprehensive as possible, the Center requests that all persons wishing their work to be listed please submit their names, addresses, titles of their research, brief abstracts, and dates or projected dates of completion. The Center would also like to receive syllabi and information on courses taught on the subject of women and American politics.

Information should be sent to the Center for the American Woman and Politics, The Eagleton Institute of Politics, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903.

ISA Consortium

The Consortium for International Studies Education has been established by the Education Commission of the International Studies Association. The broad purpose of the Consortium is to improve the quality of international studies education in the United States at a

variety of educational levels through the operation of an institutional network for developing, testing, and disseminating innovative materials in the field. The impetus for the Consortium grows out of both the increasing concern shown over the inadequacy of traditional approaches to teaching international studies and the efforts already underway to refine educational goals and techniques in the field. An extensive statement spelling out the rationale and goals of the Consortium is available by writing to The Executive Secretary of the Consortium, J. Martin Rochester, Center for International Studies, University of Missouri, St. Louis, Missouri 63121.

African Journal

A group of internationally known jurists from various countries are initiating a new review, AFRICA AND LAW, in cooperation with the African Institute of Private International Law. The review will be published monthly in English, French and Italian and have seven sections dealing with such aspects of law as international and community law, law and religion; penal law; commercial law; administrative law; civil law and constitutional law. For further information and subscription material write to Dott. Vandro Taborra, Africa and Law, Corso Rinascimento, 19, 00181 Rome, Italy.

Environmental Materials

Under a grant from the Exxon Educational Foundation, the Department of Physics and Astronomy of the University of Maryland has established an Environmental Resources Program and is developing a series of publications on environmental topics such as, "Emergency and Environment," "No Deposit, No Return: Municipal Solid Waste Management," "Noise Pollution," and "Urban Transportation." For information on availability of specific publications write to John M. Fowler, Director, ERP Project, Department of Physics and Astronomy, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland 20742.