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IPSA NEWS

Professor Carl J. Friedrich, Eaton Professor of the Science of Government at Harvard University and former President of the American Political Science Association, was elected President of I.P.S.A. on 20 September 1967 during the course of the 7th World Congress in Brussels.

He succeeded Professor Jacques Freymond, Director of the University Institute of Advanced International Studies in Geneva.

Professor Serge Hurtig, Director of Research at the Paris Institute of Political Studies, resigned as Secretary General of I.P.S.A. after performing his function between 1 January 1961 and 23 September 1967. He was replaced by André Philippart, Secretary General of the Belgian Institute of Political Science and Research Fellow at the Free University of Brussels.

Finally, the outgoing Executive Committee (1964-1967) formed of Professors Jacques Freymond (Switzerland) Chairman, Stanislaw Ehrlich (Poland), Carl J. Friedrich (U.S.A.), Georges Lavau (France) all Vice Chairmen, Yavuz Abadan (Turkey), D. Norman Chester (U.K.), S.A.H. Haqqi (India), J. E. Hodgetts (Canada), A. I. Lepechkine (U.S.S.R.), Kaoru Matsumoto (Japan), W. H. Morris-Jones (U.K.), André Philippart (Belgium), Stein Rokkan (Norway), Alberto Spota (Argentine), Dolf Sternberger (Federal German Republic), was largely renewed during the council meetings held during the 7th World Congress.

The new Executive Committee (1967-1970) is formed of Professors: Carl J. Friedrich (U.S.A.) President of I.P.S.A. and Chairman of the Executive Committee,

Mrs. Nermin Abadan (Turkey) V. Tchikvadze (U.S.S.R.) Sam E. Finer (U.K.) Jacques Freymond (Switzerland) Alfred Grosser (France) Jean Laponce (Canada) Ali Mazrui (Uganda) Léo Moulin (Belgium) Norio Ogata (Japan) Austin Ranney (U.S.A.) Erik Rasussen (Denmark) Kurt Sontheimer (Federal German Republic) Mario Viora (Italy) Jerzy Wiatr (Poland)

Because of this upheaval in the governing bodies of I.P.S.A., 1968 was a year of transition during which the President, the Executive Committee and the Program Committee had to work out a program for the Association's activities.

The Executive Committee met in Brussels on 23 September 1967 and in Salzburg (Austria) on 18 September 1968. The Program Committee, with the task of assisting the President and formed of Professors S. E. Finer, A. Grosser, E. Rasmussen and J. Wiatr, met in Brussels on 12 and 13 January 1968 and 25 January 1969.

The President and the Secretary General, responsible for the management of I.P.S.A. met on many occasions despite the distance which separated them. Thanks to the financial help provided by the Harvard University, the American Political Science Association and the Belgian Institute of Political Science, which paid for most of the travel expenses, the President and the Secretary General were able to work together in Brussels, Paris, Heidlberg, Boston, Washington, Salzburg, Prague and Frankfort.

On 23 September 1967, the Executive Committee nominated Professor Serge Hurtig Managing Editor of publications.

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The Association's headquarters are still situated at 27 rue Saint-Guillaume, Paris VIIe.

However, the Secretary General's Office is situated in Brussels (Belgium), at 43 due des Champs-Elysées.

Three new national associations were admitted as Collective Members by the Executive Committee during its meeting of 15 September 1968, which brings the total number of Collective Members of I.P.S.A. to thirty three.

These three new associations are:

The Hungarian Society of Political Science

President: Professor Istvan Kovacs Secretary General: Professor Jozsef Halasz Committee Members: Professors György Antalffy Otto Bihari Mihaly Samu Address: Budapest V, Szemere Utca 10, Hungary.

Rumanian Association of Political Sciences

President: Professor George Macovescu Secretary General: Professor Ion Ceterchi Committee Members: Constantin Petre Ion Vintu Gheorghe Zane

Address: Bucaresti I, Sos. Kiseleff nr. 47, Rumania.

Bulgarian Association of Political Science

President: Professor Yaroslav Radev Secretary: Doko Dokov Executive Committee: P. Stainov D. Dimitrov J. Kimilan

- I. Kirilov
- V. Zahariev
- P. Slavov
- Y. Serkedjief
- S. Rusinov

Address: Sofia, Benkovski 3, Bulgaria.

It might be recalled that the other member countries of I.P.S.A. are: Argentine, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Korea, Denmark, Spain, United States of America, Finland, France, Greece, India, Israel, Italy, Japan, Lebanon, Norway, Pakistan, Holland, Poland, Federal German Republic, United Kingdom, Sweden, Switzerland, Czechoslovakia, Turkey, U.S.S.R. and Yugoslavia.

The Association now has 187 Associate Members, universities and research centers, in 38 countries.

For an annual subscription of 25 U.S. Dollars, these Associate Members are sent two publications free:

-International Political Documentation-Abstracts

(Published by I.P.S.A. at Basil Blackwell, Oxford)

-International Social Sciences Review

(Published by Unesco).

These members also receive, free of charge, sets of papers presented at the Association's Round Tables and Congresses. Reductions are also granted for all works published under the auspices of the Association, in particular the *International Bibliography of Political Science*, published annually by the International Committee for Social Sciences Documentation at Tavistock Publications, London.

Finally, the Association includes some 500 individual members who pay an annual subscription:

1) of 3 U.S. Dollars covering information about the Association's activities and reduc-

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tions on price of works published under the Association's auspices and reports presented at Round Tables and Congresses;

- 2) of 10 U.S. Dollars which also covers the free supply of either of the two publications:
 - -International Political Documentation-Abstracts

—International Social Sciences Review.

A new list of Collective, Associate and Individual Members is now being prepared and will be published in the near future.

Finally, a brochure of information retracing I.P.S.A.'s twenty years of activity (1949-1969) is also being prepared. This will contain a list of the Congresses and Round Tables as well as the themes dealt with; seminars and courses given in Asia and Africa; and councils and executive committees. The Association's evolution will also be analyzed.

Program

I. VIIIth WORLD CONGRESS (21-26 September 1970) (Munich Federal German Republic)

Date and place

The VIIIth World Congress of the International Political Science Association will be held in Munich, Federal German Republic, from 31 August-5 September 1970, thanks to financial aid from the Government of the State of Bavaria, the Government of the Federal German Republic and on the invitation of the Deutsche Vereinigung für Politische Wissenschaft.

Program

The program of the Congress will be as follows:

- A. Plenary sessions
 - 1.—Quantitative and mathematical methods in political Science General reporter: Prof. Karl Deutsch, Harvard University Department of Government, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138, U.S.A.

2.—Governmental organization and elite formation in Europe General reporter: Prof. Klaus von Beyme, University of Tübingen Seminar für Wissenschaftliche Politik Brunnenstrasse, 30, Tübingen 74, F.G.R.

3.—Church as a political institution

- General reporter: Prof. Léo Moulin, College of Europe, Bruge Private address: 72, rue des Echevins, Brussels 5, Belgium.
- 4.—Models and methods in the comparative study of Nation Building General reporter: Prof. Stein Rokkan, Ch. Michelsen Institute, Bergen University, Kalvedalsv. 12,

Bergen, Norway

B. Specialists meetings

1.—European Integration

Responsible: Mr. Jean Rabier, Director of Press and Information Department at the E.E.C.

- 244, due de la Loi, Brussels 4, Belgium.
- 2.—Comparative study of local politics Responsible: Prof. Jerzy Wiatr, Sciences Academy of Warsaw,
 - Palac Staszica, Pietro 1, Warsaw, Poland.
- 3.—Food and Politics
 - Responsible: Mr. Josué de Castro, President of the International Centre for Development, 23-25, avenue Mac-Mahon, Paris 17e, France.
- 4.—Psychology and Politics
 - Responsible: Prof. Arnold A. Rogow, City University of New York Graduate Center, 33 West 42 Street, New York, N.Y. 10036, U.S.A.

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5.—Recent tre	nds of political theory
Responsibl	e: Prof. Stéphane Bernard, Free University of Brussels, Institute of Sociology, 44, avenue Jeanne, Brussels 5, Belgium.
6.—Political F	
	e: Prof. R. S. Milne, University of British Columbia,
Responsibl	Political Science Department
	Vancouver 8, B.C., Canada.
7.—Biology ar	
	e: Prof. Albert Somit, State University of New York
1000001010101	at Buffalo, Political Science Department
	4238, Ridge Lea Road, Amherst, N.Y. 14226, USA.
8.—The Theor	y of international relations
	e: Prof. Dr. Ernst Otto Czempiel, Marburg University
-	3550, Marburg/Lahn, Gutenbergstrasse, 18,
	Federal German Republic.
9.—Comparati	ve political recruitment
Responsibl	e: Prof. Austin Ranney, University of Wisconsin
_	Political Science Department, North Hall,
	Madison, Wisconsin 53706, U.S.A.
	political thought, from Hegel to Lenin
Responsibl	e: Prof. Theodor Syllaba, Charles University,
	Facuty of Philosophy, Nam. Krasnoarmejcu, 1,
	Prague, Czechoslovakia.
11.—New appr	paches to the study of social structure and voting behavior
Responsibl	e: Prof. Richard Rose, University of Strathclyde,
	Political Science Department
	McCance Building, Richmond Street,
	Glasgow C. 1, Scotland.
	ttitudes and opinions of young people
Responsibl	e: Prof. Walter Jaide, Forschungstelle für
	Jugendfragen
10 70 1111 1	3 Hannover, Hindenburgstrasse, 19, F.G.R.
13.—Political o	pposition
Responsibi	e: Prof. Georges Lavau, University of Paris Fondation Nationale des Sciences Politiques
	27, rue Saint-Guillaume, Paris 7e, France.
14.—Political d	
	e: Prof. Dusan Sidjanski, University of Geneva,
Responsibi	Institute of European Studies,
	28, avenue Krieg, Geneva, Switzerland.
Specialista who	wish to present papers to one or several of these sessions are
	<i>irect</i> to the general reporters or organizers, at the address given.
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II. ROUND TABLES

1. Salzburg (Austria) 16-20 September 1968

On the invitation of the University of Salzburg and its Rector, Professor S. Rerhl, I.P.S.A. held a Round Table from 16 to 20 September 1968 on the following themes:

-Modernization of Politics

General reporter: Prof. G. Ionescu, University of Manchester and London School of Economics and Political Science.

-Political problems of planning

General reporter: Prof. H. Arndt, University of Heidelberg.

The general reports as well as the reports of Professors E. Brett, B. Crick, J. Hayward, S. Huntington, K. Knap, L. Nizard, A. Ort, N. Pasic, may be ordered from the Secretary General's Office. Cost for complete set: \$2, and postage according to distance.

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2. Torino 10-14 September 1969

Organizer:	Prof. Giovanni Sartori, Rector of the University of Florence Address: Institute of Political Science, 48, Via Laura, 50121 Florence, Italy.		
Hosts:	Italian Political Science Association and University of Turin Professor Mario Viora, Chairman of the Italian Political Science Association Address: Corso Generale Govone, 6, Turin, Italy.		
Financing :	Thanks to an important subsidy from the Agnelli Foundation Address: Via Principe Amedeo, 34, 10123 Turin, Italy.		
Themes:	 -European comparative politics General reporter: Prof. Hans Daalder -Methodological problems and current developments in the study of comparative politics General reporter: Prof. Giovanni Sartori Reports will be sent after the Round Table by the Secretariat of I.P.S.A. 		

Agenda

Wednesday 10 September	
10 a.m 12:30 p.m.	First topic (General reporter: H. Daalder) Euro-
3 p.m 5:30 p.m.	pean comparative politics
6:30 p.m.	Reception given by the Agnelli Foundation
Thursday 11 September	
10 a.m 12:30 p.m.	First topic: continuation
3 p.m 5:30 p.m.	-
6:30 p.m.	Reception given by the Mayor of Turin
Friday 12 September	
Excursion	
Saturday 13 September	
10 a.m 12:30 p.m.	Second topic (General reporter: G. Sartori Method-
3 p.m 5:30 p.m.	ological problems and current developments in the study of comparative politics
6:30 p.m.	Reception given by the University of Turin
Sunday 14 September	
10 a.m 12:30 p.m.	Second topic: continuation
3 p.m 5:30 p.m.	
6:30 p.m.	Conversation with the Italian Political Science Association

Monday 15 September and Tuesday 16 September

Round Table of the Italian Political Science Association

The Executive Committee of I.P.S.A. will meet on Monday 15 September, morning and evening.

Professors invited:

A. For the first topic:

K. von Beyme (University of Tübingen); N. Bobbio (University of Turin); B. Chubb (University of Dublin); R. Dahl (Yale University); L. Edinger (Columbia University); A. Lancelot (Fondation Nationale des Sciences Politiques, Paris); G. Lehmbruch (University of Tübingen); V. Lorwin (University of Oregon); P. Pesonen (University of Tampere, Finland); S. Rokkan (Michelsen Institute, Bergen, Norway); J. Steiner (University of Mannheim);

B. For the second topic:

G. Almond (Stanford University); H. Eckstein (Princeton University); K. Grzybowski (Jagellonian University, Poland); S. Hurtig (Fondation Nationale des Sciences Politiques, Paris); J. LaPalombara (Yale University); A. Lijphart (University of Leiden); D. Rustow (Columbia University). C. Members of the Executive Committee of I.P.S.A.

The general reports and other reports will be published after the Round Table.

Orders will be sent to the General Secretariat of the Association: 43, rue des Champs-Elysées, Brussels 5, Belgium.

3. Prague 18-19 September 1969

Organizer:	Professor Alexander Ort, Institut de Politique et d'Economie Internationales		
	Address: Vlasska 19, Prague 1, Czechoslovakia.		
Host:	Czechoslovak Association of Political Science		
Financing :	Academy of Sciences-Prague		
Theme:	The new patterns of political recruitment in a multi-national State.		
	General reporter: Prof. René Rohan, Charles University,		
	Prague, Czechoslovakia		

Reports:

a) The present place of political parties and interest groups in the selection of political leaders

(Criteria in selecting officials at a local and central level: the role of mass media in shaping the popularity of political personalities; the influence of interest groups on the structure of leading bodies (staffs) of political parties and government).

- b) Economists and their role in political decision making (The status of economists in political parties and in government bodies; political forms of the management of the national economy in a country divided into regions on the basis of nationalities).
- c) Federalism of state structure and national representation

(The impact of aspects of nationality in selecting state officials on the efficiency of state administration; the influence of political personalities on the cohesion of a multi-national state; local policy in a multi-national state, cultural societies and informal associations of national minorities in a multi-national country).

d) The training of politicians and their professionalism

(The teaching of political science and its impact on the professionalism of politicians; how graduates of universities and colleges of political science assert themselves in politics; problems of trends in the professional qualification of ploiticians).

The duplicated reports will be sent after the Round Table by the I.P.S.A. Secretary General.

4. Rio de Janeiro Last week of October 1969

Organizer:	Prof. Candido Mendès de Almeida, University of Rio de Janeiro, Faculty of Political Science and Economics, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.		
Host:	Brazilian Association of Political Science		
Financing:	Brazilian Society for Instruction and State Government of Guanabara.		
Themes :	 —"Political Models and Development" General reporter: Prof. Karl Deutsch Harvard University —"Political participation with special reference to Latin America" General reporter: Prof. Helio Jaguaribe 		
Organizer:	Prof. Jean Lapone, University of British Columbia		
Host:	University of British Columbia and Canadian Association of Political Science		
Financing:	University of British Columbia and Canadian Council		

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"Ex	perimentation and	simulation science"
A/	Experimentation	
	General reporter:	Prof. J. Laponce,
		University of British Columbia
B/	Simulation	
	General reporter:	Prof. Paul Smoker,
		Peace Research Center,
		Lancaster, U.K.

Invited persons:

Theme:

For Group A: M. Argyle (Oxford); K. Deutsch (Harvard); J. Coleman (J. Hopkins); H. Eulau (Stanford); R. Golembiewski (Georgia);
M. Pagès (Rennes); W. Riker (Rochester); K. Mushakoji (Tokyo); J. Wiatr (Warsaw); one representative of the Ahmadu Bello University of Nigeria.

For Group B: Participants have not yet been determined. Duplicated reports will be sent after the Round Table by the Secretariat of I.P.S.A.

III. PUBLICATIONS

A. International Political Science Abstracts

Volume XVIII, covering the period from October 1967 to September 1968, has been published at Basil Blackwell in three numbers 1, 2 and 3-4) forming 507 pages including 1,450 abstracts of articles, a list of periodicals consulted, a subject index and an authors' index.

This and previous volumes were compiled by I.P.S.A. with the cooperation of the International Committee for Social Sciences Documentation and with the financial help of Unesco.

B. International Bibliography of Social Sciences—Political Science

Volume XVI—1967—of International Bibliography of Social Sciences— Political Science, compiled by the International Committee for Social Sciences Documentation, under the auspices of I.P.S.A. and with the financial help of Unesco, was published in 1968 at Tavistock/Aldine.

It includes:

- -a list of periodicals consulted (more than 2,200)
- -- a very wide file plan with six major headings (Political science—Political thought—Political and Administrative Institutions—Political life—International Relations—National and Regional Studies)
- -4, 596 bibliographical references
- ---an authors' index (more than 4,000)

-a subject index.