
William Anderson Dissertation Award Established

The Association's Council has established a William Anderson award to honor annually the best dissertation completed and accepted during the previous year in the general field of intergovernmental relations in the United States. The sponsoring committee for the award is composed of:

Franklin L. Burdette, University of Maryland; Martin Diamond, Northern Illinois University; Leon Epstein, University of Wisconsin, Madison; David Fellman, University of Wisconsin, Madison; Donald Fraser, Member of Congress; Brooks Hayes, Member of Congress (retired); Donald G. Herzberg, Georgetown University; Matthew Holden, Jr., University of Wisconsin, Madison; Charles S. Hyneman, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars; Hubert H. Humphrey, U.S. Senator, Minnesota; Max M. Kampelman, Attorney, Washington, D.C.; Benjamin E. Lippincott, University of Minnesota; William S. Livingston, University of Texas at Austin; Charles H. McLaughlin, University of Minnesota; Robert Merriam, Chairman, Advisory Committee on Intergovernmental Relations; Clara Penniman, University of Wisconsin, Madison; Howard Penniman, Georgetown University; Orville C. Peterson, University of Minnesota; Llewellyn Pfankuchen, University of Wisconsin, Madison; Emmette S. Redford, University of Texas at Austin; Richard M. Scammon, Election Research Center, Washington, D.C.; Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the United States; John E. Turner, University

of Minnesota; George W. Warp, University of Minnesota; William H. Young, University of Wisconsin, Madison.

In asking the Council to establish the award, the sponsoring Committee noted that Dr. Anderson, a former President of the Association, was a leading American authority in the areas of local government, public administration, intergovernmental relations and the history of political science. He did much to shape teaching and research in these fields not only at his own university, but throughout the country. He also made major contributions to public service and to the profession of political science and the Association. A memorial to Dr. Anderson was published in the summer 1975 *PS*. Individuals wishing to contribute to the William Anderson Endowment Fund may do so by sending contributions to the Association. Contributions, which are tax deductible, should be made out to the APSA William Anderson Fund.

Annual Meeting Visiting Foreign National Travel Grant Program

Under two programs, one sponsored by the Asia Foundation and one sponsored by the U.S. Department of State through the Institute of International Education, 32 advanced graduate students and political scientists in the field of political science from 19 nations were awarded travel grants to attend the 1975 Annual Meeting in San Francisco. The individuals and nations represented are:

Asia Foundation

REPUBLIC OF CHINA
Yu-long Ling
Franklin College

INDIA
Ashim K. Basu
Claremont Graduate School

Subrata Kumar Mitra
University of Rochester

JAPAN
Tutomu Odani
University of Chicago

KOREA
Choong Lee
University of Georgia

PAKISTAN
Rashid S. Ahmad
University of Hawaii

THAILAND
Pisan Suriyamongkol
University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana

Radom Wongnom
University of California, Los Angeles

Institute of International Education

CANADA
William D. Coleman
University of Chicago

Elaine M. Todres
University of Pittsburgh



William Anderson

ENGLAND

Mary E. A. Buckley
Vanderbilt University

Martin W. Harrop
Yale University

Anthony Mughan
University of Iowa

F. John Ravenhill
Indiana University

ETHIOPIA

Girma Negash
University of Colorado

Admasu Zike
Northern Illinois University

GERMANY

Kai U. Hildebrandt
University of Michigan

Bernhard von Nicolai
Salem College

IRAN

Amir H. Ahanchian
Purdue University

Gholam Reza Maghroori
University of California, Riverside

IRAQ

Nazar T. Al-Hasso
University of Texas

Muafa M. Tikriti
University of Texas

KENYA

Paul P. W. Achola
University of Iowa

Francis M. Kilonzo
Claremont Graduate School

Joshua Nyunga Oiewe
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

LEBANON

Aman Mahmoud Attieh
University of Texas

Shaouki Raya
Claremont Graduate School

THE NETHERLANDS

J. R. van Lohuizen
Rice University

NEW ZEALAND

Joseph B. Atkinson
Yale University

NIGERIA

Hilary I. Iregbulem
University of Illinois, Urbana

SIERRA-LEONE

Nigel O. Parkinson
Florida State University

TURKEY

Ersin Kalaycioglu
University of Iowa

Present: Hayward R. Alker, Jr., Lucius J. Barker, Leonard Binder, James MacGregor Burns, Martin Diamond, Ada W. Finifter, William J. Keefe, Evron M. Kirkpatrick, Seymour Martin Lipset, Theodore J. Lowi, Herbert McClosky, Wilson Carey McWilliams, Dale Rogers Marshall, Betty A. Nesvold, Elinor Ostrom, Samuel C. Patterson, Frances Fox Piven, Jewel L. Prestage, Francine F. Rabinovitz, Austin Ranney, Mulford Q. Sibley, John E. Turner and Sidney Verba.

Proposal of the Committee on the Status of Women

President Ranney reported that, as approved at the September meeting of the Council, the Committee on the Status of Women in the Profession had prepared proposals providing for 1) an award of \$1,000 for the best published work or unpublished manuscript on women in politics, and 2) a plenary session at the APSA Annual Meeting (celebrating International Women's Year) and two distinguished non-American women would be invited to participate; the expenses of each would be paid up to \$1150. Carrying out the two proposals would cost a total of \$3300. The proposals were presented to several prospective donors. The Helen Dwight Reid Educational Foundation agreed to finance up to \$1700 if matching funds could be obtained from other sources. President Ranney also reported that there was a possibility that additional matching funds could be obtained from Pi Sigma Alpha or another source. He requested that the Council appropriate matching funds of up to \$1700 to enable the Committee on the Status of Women to carry out their plans for a prize and a plenary session.

McClosky moved to authorize the appropriation of up to \$1700 to match funds provided by the Helen Dwight Reid Educational Foundation and possibly Pi Sigma Alpha for a \$1,000 award for the best work on women and to provide travel for foreigners to appear on a panel on Comparative Status of Women in Politics at the Annual Meeting. Lowi moved to separate the two portions of the motion. Lowi motion unanimously approved. The authorization for matching funds to provide a prize of up to \$1,000 was unanimously approved. The motion to provide matching funds of up to a total amount of \$1700 for the prize and travel was approved by a show of hands vote.

Committee Appointments

President Ranney called attention of the Council to various criticisms that have been made about the procedures for appointing committees of the Association. He noted that the procedures followed were those adopted by the Council and included in the By-Laws (Ch. V, Section 4). He also noted that there had been a misunderstanding about a meeting of the Administrative Committee prior to Council approval of his appointments to it. He reported that a meeting of the members of the Administrative Committee had been held but that it was not an official meeting and that he had announced at the beginning of the meeting that no action

APSA Council Minutes

The first meeting of the Council was held April 12 and 13 at the Washington Hilton Hotel, Washington, D.C.