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Job Clinic Offered for Nonacademic Market

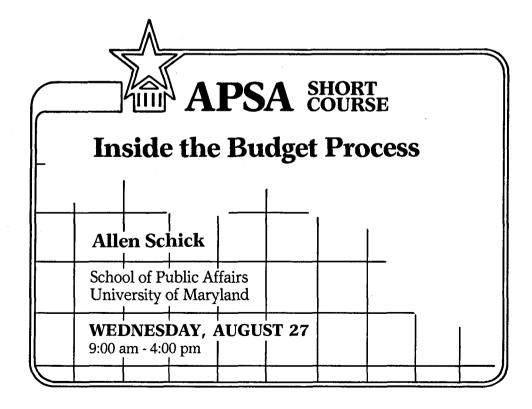
The Association will offer an intensive three-day job clinic as part of the professional development services offered at the 1986 Annual Meeting. The clinic will be directed by Richard Irish, author of the best-selling Go Hire Yourself an Employer and If Things Don't Improve Soon, I May Ask You to Fire Me. Mr. Irish is also cofounder and vice-president of Trans-Century Corporation, a Washington-based management and consulting firm specializing in international development and technical assistance. Mr. Irish has

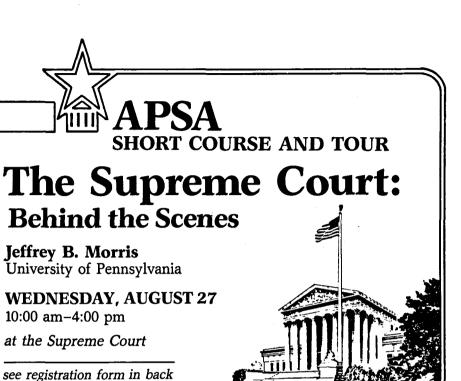
conducted similar clinics at the annual meetings of the American Anthropological Association, the American Sociological Association, and the Modern Language Association, as well as at Johns Hopkins University, MIT, and Georgetown University.

The Job Clinic will cover several themes: (1) how to determine what you want to do; (2) how to identify job goals and delineate skills; (3) how to produce a resume, and plan and implement an effective job campaign; (4) how to conduct job interviews; and (5) how to negotiate salaries.

Participants will also meet with Mr. Irish for one hour of personal consultation and, after they return home, will receive written comments from him on the final drafts of their resumes.

The Job Clinic will require work and critical self-evaluation by participants. Prior to the start of the clinic, participants will be mailed an assignment on which they should spend five to ten hours.





The clinic is recommended for individuals who are assessing whether to seek nonacademic professional careers. Many also use the clinic to approach secondincome sources in addition to research and teaching. While designed for the nonacademic job market, many participants have found help in improving their networking, interning, and salary negotiation skills within academia as a result of the clinic. The resume development component, however, of the job clinic is recommended only for those seeking employment in the professional, nonacademic job market. The clinic is aimed at the individual intending to pursue a serious job search.

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The clinic will begin Tuesday, August 26 9:00 a.m. to noon, 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., and 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.; and continued Wednesday, August 27, 9:00 a.m. to noon. Counseling sessions will be scheduled throughout Wednesday and Thursday, August 28.

The fee for the Job Clinic is \$170 for

APSA members and \$250 for nonmembers. Enrollment will be limited; if



Matthew Holden of the University of Virginia is Program Chair of the 1986 Annual Meeting.



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Reception for Applied Political Scientists

At the 1986 Annual Meeting on Thursday, August 28 6:30 pm-8:00 pm

you wish to participate, please complete the registration form in the back of this issue. Return the registration form with payment no later than July 31, to secure your place. The costs of producing the Job Clinic are substantial; underenrollment by July 31 will force its cancellation. In case of cancellation, clinic fees will be refunded.

Former Congressional Fellows to Hold Dinner at Annual Meeting

A dinner will be held during the APSA annual convention in Washington, D.C. for current and past Congressional Fellows. Fellows will have a chance to dine, socialize with other Fellows, and learn the latest on the Fellowship Program. An address will be given by the Outstanding Legislator of the 99th Congress, as selected by Congressional Fellows.

The reception and dinner will be held August 28 from 6:00-9:00 p.m. in the ballroom of the Dupont Plaza Hotel, 1500 New Hampshire Avenue, NW. The cost is \$25.00 per person, and you may invite a spouse or friend. Send check, payable to "APSA," to APSA, 1527 New Hampshire Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20036.

Fellows who cannot attend should let APSA know of their current address and occupation for our next edition of the Congressional Fellowship Directory.

Placement Service Set for Meeting

For many job seekers, the first step in the academic job search begins with the Annual Meeting Placement Service. The Placement Service will be available at the 1986 Annual Meeting.

The Service allows employers to review the vitae of job applicants and to interview them at the Annual Meeting. Also, applicants can review the list of positions which are open in their respective fields and can apply for positions in which they are interested.