

**Association News**

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**Travel Grants to 1985 IPSA World Congress in Paris Announced**

With funds from the National Science Foundation, the Association awarded travel grants to 50 scholars attending the XIII IPSA World Congress in Paris, July 15-20, 1985.

The Selection Committee, composed of Samuel C. Patterson, University of Iowa, chair; Linda P. Brady, Department of Defense; and Catherine M. Kelleher, University of Maryland, had the difficult task of choosing 50 grantees from among 158 qualified applicants.

The NSF travel grant recipients are:

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Robert Bianchi, University of Pennsylvania

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The Association's Selection Committee also assisted the American Council of Learned Societies to award travel grants to the IPSA Congress. ACLS travel grant recipients are:

Teh-Kuang Chang, Ball State University  
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## Organization of Power To Be Theme of 1986 Annual Meeting

**Matthew Holden, Jr.**  
 University of Virginia

The function of the annual meeting is, among other things, to allow colleagues to put on display, for collegial advice, criticism, and instruction, the varied forms of research and writing that, in our highly individualistic discipline, we take seriously. The 1986 meeting will serve that function fully. APSA programs can never be turned into Procrustean beds. But colleagues are particularly encouraged to consider how their work may be related seriously to the 1986 program theme, "The Organization of Power," predicated on the view that there is a fundamental coherence in the political phenomenon and a potential intellectual coherence in the analysis of the political phenomenon.

"Politics" as a fundamental human activity, to adapt language from Walton Hamilton, "is not [simply] the televised soapbox or the [search] for votes, but [in the] Aristotelian tradition . . . the usages and traditions, the arrangements and policies, by which [the human species] is governed, and through which [human beings]—usurping the function of the gods—attempt to shape destiny." In a quite different intellectual tradition, Masao Maruyama expresses politics as "the organization of control by man over

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Matthew Holden, Jr., Henry L. and Grace M. Doherty Professor at the University of Virginia, is program chair for the 1986 annual meeting which will be held at the Washington Hilton in Washington, D.C., August 28-31, 1986.