Merton Honored by Who's Who as Founder of Sociology of Science

Robert K. Merton, University Professor at Columbia University, has been named the first recipient of the Who's Who in America Achievement Award in the field of Social Sciences and Social Policy. He is one of five individuals receiving awards from Marquis Who's Who for outstanding contributions to the field. Each recipient received a $50,000 prize and a bronze sculpture.

Merton was cited as "the founder of the sociology of science," and for his work in theoretical sociology. "His dissertation, Science, Technology, and Society in 17th Century England, first published almost 50 years ago, has, like everything he has published, proved marvellously durable; it has been translated into Italian, French and Spanish and is still in print as an English," according to the award citation.

Merton's pioneering work in establishing a sociology of science and introduction of the concept of the self-fulfilling prophecy were cited in the presentation as "having become part of the vernacular and leading to a host of empirical studies in the social sciences." His books Social Theory and Social Structure.

New ASA Journal Seeks Editor

Acting on a recommendation from the Publications Committee, the ASA Council has approved creating a new, ASA-sponsored journal on teaching sociology. The new quarterly will begin publication in the 1986 calendar year and will incorporate the ASA Teaching Methods Newsletter currently edited by Carola Howrey. Each issue will include a separate section of shorter pieces on K-12, about teaching, teaching tips and time-dated information about teaching workshops and faculty development as well as traditional journal-length articles on teaching. Members will have a chance to vote if it is one of their membership benefits on the 1986 dues renewal notice.

The Publications Committee and Council emphasized the importance of having an ASA-sponsored journal on teaching sociology since more members are studying the teaching process and should have an outlet to publish their work. ASA pursued the possibility of purchasing the journal Teaching Sociology, currently published by Sage, Inc. but could not reach an agreement with the publisher to do so.

Nominations are now being sought for editor of the new journal. Candidates should send a vita and a statement of interest that includes institutional support for the editorial office (e.g., office space, course release, etc.), experience with journal publications, personal scholarly work on teaching, and other qualifications for editing. These materials should be sent to April 1, 1985 to: Norval Glenn, Chair, ASA Committee on Publications, University of Texas, Austin, TX 78712.

Nominations Open for Jessie Bernard Award

Nominations are open for the Jessie Bernard Award, which is given in odd-numbered years in recognition of scholarly work that has enlarged the horizons of sociology to encompass fully the role of women in society. The contribution may be in empirical research, theory or in methodology. It may be for an elaborated single work; several pieces of work or significant cumulative work done throughout a professional career. The award is open to women or men and is not restricted to works by sociologists. The work need not have been published recently, however, it must have been published by the date of nomination. The recipient will be announced at the ASA 1985 Annual Meeting.

Nominations for the Jessie Bernard Award may be submitted only by members of ASA. Nominations should include a one-to-two-page statement explaining the importance of the work and should be sent to: Cookie White Stephans, Institute of Culture and Communication, East-West Center, Honolulu, HI 96824. Deadline for submitting nominations for the 1985 award is extended to November 1, 1984.

Independent Scholars: An Emergent Intellectual Grouping

With the contraction of the academic job market during the 1970s, a new sort of scholar has begun to appear. People in the new category eventually came to be known as "independent scholars" and are particularly prevalent in the humanities. Here we see academic affiliations, but their employment status varies. Some have full-time jobs, while others work part-time. Still others are not employed at all, being either retirees or without a steady job. Despite this diversity, all independent scholars share a common commitment to pursuing their research interests and common problems caused by their lack of affiliation with a university. In particular, they have difficulty gaining access to vital research resources such as libraries, publishing outlets or research funds disbursed by foundations and the federal government.

In early November 1982, the Independent Scholarship Project sponsored the first national conference of independent scholars. Meeting at Spring Hill, near Minneapolis, participants formulated a series of recommendations directed at groups that could help them pursue their scholarly activities. Learned and professional societies were asked to provide news on research and grant opportunities, letters of introduction to libraries and opportunities for participation in professional organizations. Universities were asked to open their doors to independent scholars by offering them official affiliation, library privileges, work space, and invitations to present departmental colloquia. In addition to these opportunities, sociologists who are independent scholars may need access to computer facilities and bodies of data lending themselves to secondary analyses.

In early 1983, ASA Council established a Committee on Expanding Professional Opportunities in Sociology, part of whose mandate is to explore means of alleviating impediments currently hampering research by independent sociologists. Thanks to the suggestions of this committee, ASA has taken several actions over the past year designed to assist members who lack institutional affiliations.

As a first step, the Executive Office developed a letter of introduction for independent scholars to libraries. Such letters are being issued to ASA members on request. Independent scholars may simply send a letter of request to Executive Officer William V. D'Antonio including a current vita and a short description of their current research. One site, May President James Short sent a letter to all major library associations in the United States informing them of ASA's new program. In addition, he urged libraries to honor the letters of introduction and use them as the basis for extending borrowing privileges.

In addition, Council encouraged graduate and undergraduate departments of sociology to establish an outreach program for independent scholars in their area and assist them with their research. Departments were urged to facilitate access to campus libraries, computer facilities and data sets, as well as foster intellectual interchange between faculty, graduate students and independent scholars. The latter can take various forms, including inviting unsalaried scholars to present departmental colloquia on work they do; encouraging them to develop mentoring relationships with graduate students; or establishing a seminar series in which in progress is discussed by various types of scholars.
Planning, Research, Timing Key to Getting Applied Jobs
by Phillip Muscare, Vice-President
Applied Research Techniques, TN

Over the past several years, I have conducted between 60 and 70 empirical studies. Academics expressing discontent over the private (for-profit) sector. While many of them have the skills necessary to perform and publish in those job functions, a number of candidates just did not present themselves as viable candidates. Several managers in my corporation expect the people brought in for interviews to conform to certain behavioral norms. Candidates that do not conform are weeded out quickly, whether for the job description or not. Here are a few of the glaring mistakes that I have seen some of these candidates make. In this case, these errors are questionable, as I think the reason for the errors the job-seekers—yes they are also avoidable, given a little thought and effort.

1. Plan—A major problem is that sociologists do not give enough thought to the process of getting a job. We think that our PhDs make us smart: We even have a nice piece of parchement to prove it. Wrong! That plan of yours that we are intelligently trained to smart "smart" should be interpreted as successfully applying our intelligence to a problem; in this case, the problem is how to get the job. You are absolutely certain that if we were to employ all the effort that you expect in expending our degrees on job-hunting tech- niques, many more of our profession would find gainful employment in the private sector.

2. Dress—While I doubt if any major corporation has a dress require- ment for interviewees, I suggest that you act as if one is in place and is strictly enforced. The name of the game is to appear nice, normal, and neat; however, you act your choice, and be conservative about it. A new, dark suit is a small investment to make, given the potential return on your career.

3. Research—Learn something about the company that is interviewing you. I could not believe my ears when I once interviewed a fellow who told me, "I don't know anything about the company." At that time, I believed that sociologists had been in and out of the headlines of all the national newspapers for nearly eight weeks. While you will not need to know a corporation's business activities, you should at least be reasonably familiar with its main lines of business, and with any major newsworthy item about it in the recent past. Annual reports and the business press are absolutely essential reading, no matter how long you are sometimes trying conditions with little oppor- tunity for a return. How will you know if you are on the right track? Try counting your job offers.

4. Presentation—Be prepared to demonstrate an understanding of how your skills match the company and the job in the short-haul. In addition, it helps to show how your skills go beyond those listed and that you can add extra value to the position. This requires you to be clear and concise in describing what you can do. Interviews are more interested in what your diploma says, nor are they interested in hearing a lot of jargon, but they are very interested in learning how you can help them, and the company, do better. It may surprise you to hear that many businesspeople view sociologists as social workers, who are trained to add to a business' costs. The onus is on us to explain what sociologists are, what they can do and how that can be an asset to the employer in terms of substantive and job-related research skills. The more direct the answers sent to our businesspeople, the more we raise our value, because one important skill generally lacking in the majority of candi- dates is the ability to communicate effectively, whether in written or oral form.

6. Timing—On a number of occasions, I have been embarrassed by the apparent lack of understanding of the business world exhibited by sociologists and other academics. We need to slow down around the academic year, and that appointments are made based upon this knowledge. Not so in the business world. Here, a hiring decision is made quickly and the position within the confines of the departmental budget and headcount allocation process. Very few busi- ness are interested in interviewing candidates who are looking for an assignment that fits their positions. Don't waste your time and certainly don't waste the time of the business management.

7. Acknowledge—The fact that in the business world you are a referent, not only will begin your career at the bottom, unless you arrive under very special circumstances. At the same time, you can expect a salary that is commensurate with your skills. Generally, even a beginning manager will earn more than an associate professor and you can look forward to a much higher upper limit to your salary in commerce, particularly for your skills, can be applied successfully to new and challenging problems in the business world.

Understanding, too, that our chief competitors are our- selves, so that sociologists either have a bad image or that it is left to make our case well, and the MBA, who is a known commodity and is commonly believed to be the universal panacea to all business problems. The business world is looking for a safe choice and is inclined to be average to risks. The MBA fits this philosophy while the sociologist is believed to be the opposite. Our profession's apparently somewhat rational standing in the world of commerce is, in any case, either:

9. Interpersonal—This is the opportunity for which you have been wait- ing. Your well-thought-out and well-composed resume (not a curriculum vitae) is just the beginning; you have to manage to get the interview. You simply open the door for the interview. It is the interview that de- termines the success or failure of your job search, and that means you probably will end up with at least one interview. You can do that with the proper preparation. You can do that with the proper preparation.

By now, you are probably asking yourselves what goes on in a busi- ness interview. The type of interview can differ from the academic interview. In business, you are trying to sell yourself. It is the interviewer who is trying to sell himself. How will you know if you are on the right track? Try counting your job offers.

Contact

Book Reviewers Sought
The book review editor of one of the leading journals in the field of military sociology, Annual Review of Sociology, in- vites people who would like to review books to write to him. Contact: James A. Logsdon, Department of Political Science, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN 47906-1378.

Classified Ads

Correction
The last name of William J. Wilson, University of Chicago, inadvertently was left off a caption on page 3 of the Oc- tober 1984 issue of FOOTNOTES.

The full title of Spivak Fellowship scholar Patricia Hill Collins' dissertation is "Racism, Gender, Labor Market Structure: Occupational Stratification and Or- ganizational Dynamics in an Urban Political Economy;" one word was omitted in the citation.

The last name of Minority Fellowship Program partici- pant Karen Wilson was listed incorrectly as Williams in the August FOOTNOTES.

Materials Sought on Teaching Sociology of Labor
Materials are requested for an ASA Teaching Resource, "Syllabi and Instructional Materials for Courses in Sociology of Labor." Any of the following contributions would be appreciated: syllabi, course outlines, class exercises, simulations, research proj- ects, test items, bibliog- raphies, films, summaries/reviews of current texts, etc. Preference will be given to materials which are not lim- ited to criminal law. Accepted submissions will be identified according to contributor and institutional affiliation, and may be published in the journal's section, "Sociological Materials.

Contact

Reviews of non-academic books, articles, or manuscripts are solicited by the Commentary Editor, Philip Muscare, for the "Book Review" column. Please send manuscript materials and biographical sketches to the Commentary Editor, Department of Political Science, University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida 33124.
Nominations Open for Teaching Award

The Selection Committee for the ASA Distinguished Contribution to Teaching Award invites nominations for the 1986 award. The award will be presented at the 1986 ASA meetings.

Return by January 15, 1986, to: Professor Frederick Campbell Department of Sociology University of Washington Seattle, WA 98195

Ethics Revision Planned

Responding to the growing need for sociologists to seek employment outside academic settings and to the likelihood that ASA soon will provide certain kinds of specialty certification (see October 1984 FOOTNOTES), the Committee on Professional Ethics is undertaking to determine how, if at all, the Code of Ethics should be revised and elaborated to cover working outside academic settings. At present, such employment is addressed specifically only in Section I.D. of the Code, which reads: "Sociologists who work in organizational settings providing a lesser degree of autonomy than academic settings may face special problems. In satisfying their obligations to employers, sociologists in such settings must make every effort to adhere to the professional obligations contained in the code. These accepting employment as sociologists in business, government, and other non-academic settings should be aware of possible consequences on research and publication in those settings and should negotiate clear understandings about such conditions accompanying their research and scholarly activities."

The Committee on Professional Ethics solicits the views of all ASA members and others who have a stake to express themselves on this matter. Please direct all communications to the Committee Executive Office, Bettina Huber, ASA, 1722 N Street NW, Washington, DC 20036.

The committee hopes to meet for an initial assessment of the need for revision in early March 1985.

Ethics Code Available

The ASA Code of Ethics, including the newly adopted Policies and Procedures, is now available in pamphlet form. Single copies are free to members. To cover postage handling, multiple copies cost $1 for every five pamphlets. To order, write to the ASA Executive Office, 1722 N Street NW, Washington, DC 20036.
Scholars

Although not all graduate departments will be equally diligent in establishing innovative programs, it is hoped that ASA's efforts will sensitively facilitate to the problems faced by independent sociological scholars. As a result, those who approach departments for assistance on these problems may find a more receptive and more informed response than was the case in the past. In addition, independent sociologists may find the intellectual stimulation they need in the "roundtables" and support groups that have been sponsored all over the country in the past seven years. A number are briefly described in the box below.


**Resources for Independent Scholars**

- Academy of Independent Scholars (200 Aurora, Instructor, CO 80509) founded in 1979 by Kenneth Boulding and Lawrence Sennott to foster the continued intellectual productivity of senior scholars and professionals. The Academy provides services to its members as well as 350 members such as assistance in obtaining research funding, publishing monographs and organizing conferences.
- Alliance of Independent Scholars (4 Ash Street, Cambridge MA 02139) a center for intellectual exchange and professional support, in which the needs of women scholars receive special attention. Meetings are open to all researchers, support groups, career counseling, and workshops on proposal writing.
- Basic Choice Inc. (Blakemore Place, 1372 University Avenue, Madison, WI 53706) a locally organized community of researchers and thinkers focusing on issues of adult education, social change, human rights, and economic equity. Among other things, it conducts discussion groups, sponsors conferences and provides members with an institutional affiliation.
- Center for Independent Study (1034 Yale Station, New Haven, CT 06520) provides a forum for intellectual and creative interchange among independent scholars and artists. The center provides an institutional affiliation for its members, seeks grants-in-aid from government and private foundations, and organizes seminars, workshops, and periodic conferences.
- Institute for Research in History (432 Park Avenue South, New York, NY 10016) founded in 1976, the Institute is a non-profit membership organization, most of whose 200 members are historians. It is organized around ongoing research groups that focus on specific historical topics or periods. In addition, the Institute operates four consulting services, which change fees, and administers grants made to individual members.
- The Newberry Library (60 West Walton Street, Chicago, IL 60610) operates a variety of intellectual programs. Those of greatest interest to independent scholars are the Resident Fellowships for Unaffiliated Scholars and programs of the four research centers such as courses, seminars and institutes.
- Privation Research Forum (D.C. Box 497, Princeton, NJ 08540) brings together scholars of various types interested in interdisciplinary research. Among other things it sponsors seminars and colloquia for discussing work in progress.
- Rocky Mountain Women's Institute (225 S 20th Josephine Street, Denver, CO 80202) is located at the University of Denver and supports the work of five to 10 associates each year. Each is provided with a studio or office space, a small grant, and the freedom to pursue scholarly and creative work.
- University Seminar (666 Dodge Hall, Columbia University, New York, NY 10027) for close to 40 years independent scholars have joined with academics to discuss topics of mutual interest among the associates of these seminars. At any given time, approximately 50 associates meet on a monthly basis.
- The Women's Research Institute (Counseling Center, Hartford College for Women, 50 Elizabeth Street, Hartford, CT 06101) established in 1980, the Institute's mission is to promote research on women. It provides an institutional affiliation for scholars seeking research funding and a supportive work setting.

In addition to the organizations described above, Independent Scholars' Roundtables have been springing up all over the country. They are composed of local groups of independent researchers who meet on a regular basis. Roundtables provide a forum for exchanging information and ideas, as well as discussing work in progress. Many also provide information on funding sources, publishing opportunities and research procedures. Information on roundtables in various parts of the country can be obtained from Independent Scholars' Roundtables, c/o Independent Scholarship Project, 17 Myrtle Drive, Great Neck, NY 11021.

(The above organizational descriptions are drawn from pp. 4-23 in R. Green and B. Casas, Independent Scholarships: Projects, Problems and Prospects, New York: College Entrance Examination Board, 1983.)

**Update on Insurance**

Albert H. Worhler has named the American Life and Casualty Group as the new insurance underwriter of the Group Hospital Money Program available to ASA members. The improved program offers members at age 21 a choice of 11 different medical benefits providing from $350 to $1650 a day for full or partial family coverage is available.

The transfer of companies will not change program features nor is expected to increase service quality and rate security.

The Group Hospital Money Program remains a supplemental health plan providing money directly to insured members to help with expenses not covered by major medical insurance. The daily hospital benefit still will be paid in addition to all other medical benefits received with no restrictions on how the money is spent.

Members already insured under the program will receive official notification of the transfer of underwriters. For further information, contact ASA insurance administrator Albert H. Worhler & Co., ASA Group Insurance Plans, 1500 Higgins Highway, Park Ridge, IL 60068.

**Special Prices on Rose Monographs**

The following Rose Monographs may be ordered from the ASA office on December 31, 1986 at a special price. Each monograph will be available at $29.75 for ASA members and $39.30 for non-members, a discount of 50% off the regular price.

[Descriptions of monographs are not provided, but it is implied that the monographs listed are available at the special price.]

**Summer Programs**

The Society for Research in Child Development announces its Summer Institute on Child Development and Social Policy, to be held June 25-29, 1985 at the University of Texas, Austin. Emphasis will be on integrating research and policy at national, state and local levels. Travel stipend is available, faculty members, recent Ph.D.s and advanced graduate students are expected to apply. Application deadline: January 15, 1985. Contact: Washington Lutheran Office, Society for Research in Child Development, 100 North Carolina Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20003, (202) 543-9382.
Teaching

More than 60 workshops from around the country recently took part in two workshops on “Using the Computer in Teaching Sociology.” The workshops were sponsored by the Teaching Service Program of the American Sociological Association. The first will be held at the University of Connecticut (Storrs, CT), June 18-20. The second will be held at the University of Maryland (College Park, MD), June 23-24. Each workshop will provide practical knowledge and hands-on instruction in computer use and software for use in computer instruction.

Attention participants in the workshop on “Using the Computer in Teaching Sociology,” held by Bell State University.

Mass Media

Daniel Levin, University of Maryland, article in The Washington Post on the increasing popularity of simple formulas for generating equal opportunity with the meaning of the death of Lionel Rich. The article is expected to appear in the July 18 issue of the Chicago Tribune.

Krista Lakey was interviewed and quoted in the August issue of the Washington Post on her book “The Economics of Ending Violence.” The interview appeared in the August 1 issue of the Post.

William Martin, Rice University, did a commentary on television evangelist on PBS “Frontline” on February 19, 1984, and was interviewed about television evangelists on PBS “Late Night America.” The interview appeared on March 19, 1984.

Floyd M. Martinson, Gustavus Adolphus College, was a consultant on the ANES “20/20” television program. The program was aired on September 15, 1983.

Rita Gerson Maness has received coverage of her study of Jewish camp life in the New York Times. USA Today and Philadelphia Inquirer, and on TV and radio shows.

James O’Connor had an article entitled “Staggering Law of defense spending” appear in the July 13 Orlando Tribune.

William Pickthall, SUNY-New Paltz, and Dana Fuller, University of Connecticut, had three research on television working wives cited in an article on two-career marriage was in the Washington Post on May 24, 1984.

Harriet B. Presser and Virginia C. Seltz, University of Maryland, received extensive media coverage of their research on religion and politics. The research was published in Science on February 18, 1983. The article has appeared in numerous newspapers, including The New York Times, The Atlantic Congress, and The Dallas Times Herald. Coverage was also provided by the CBS Morning News, four local news programs plus local stations in cities such as San Francisco, Washington, Cleveland and Detroit. In addition, the Sunday supplement Family Weekly Magazine carried an article.

Dorothy C. Reiss, Roseville University, was quoted in a July 16 column on Higher Education on Chicago on a resource for academic research.

Marianne Robertson and Richard Top, UCLA School of Public Health, had the results of their study on the treatment of Los Angeles published in the April 12, 1984 issue of the New England Journal of Medicine.

Robert Strobel, Nassau Community College, wrote an article on “Deerplastics and Interior Design” for the Fall 1984 issue of American Deerplastics.

Peppe Schwartz, University of Washington, and Nancy Winer, University of the West Indies, were interviewed during the August issue of the Post on the sex of “Third Thoughts on Being Female.” The interview appeared on August 25, 1984.

Jean Simmons, a sociologist, portrayed a psychologist who posed as a big lady to help an undercover policeman in a drug-related murder case in “A Killing Siren” on CBS on April 21, 1984.

Gregory D. Squires, University of California at Los Angeles, had over 30 articles published on op-ed pages in newspapers such as the New York Times, Chicago, San Francisco, San Diego, Detroit, and San Antonio Express. The article, which appeared over the past five years.

Henry J. Steadman, New York State Office of Mental Health, was interviewed on the CBS Evening News on WOON “New News” in Miami on February 23, 1984.

Ronald E. Wykle writes a weekly column on the op-ed page for the 12 Observer & Ecstatic newspapers in suburban Detroit.

William F. Whyte, urban sociologist, was featured in an article about the death of an elderly woman who had helped him earn the Doris C. Freedman Award, presented annually by the New York City for work that enriches the public convenience of the city. The article appeared on the New York Times on April 20, 1984.

In April, a column in The Globe and Mail, the national newspaper of Canada, the magazine “Canadian Women,” published an article about the death of an elderly woman who had helped him earn the Doris C. Freedman Award, presented annually by the New York City for work that enriches the public convenience of the city. The article appeared on the New York Times on April 20, 1984.

Annual Meeting

The Section on Political Economy of the American Sociological Association convenes its annual meeting in St. Louis, Missouri, April 28-30, 1984. The section is co-sponsored by the University of Missouri at St. Louis and the Missouri State University. The meeting will feature a keynote address by Charles Tilly, who will speak on the theme “The Politics of Power and Change.” The program will also include talks by leading sociologists, such as Diane Dreger, who will speak on “Women and Work,” and Robert Putnam, who will discuss “The American Dream.” The conference will also feature panels on topics such as “The Politics of Race and Ethnicity” and “The Politics of Gender and Sexuality.” The meeting will conclude with a closing plenary session on “The Future of Political Sociological Research.”

Submissions are due by December 31, 1983.

The Section on Political Sociology announces two open-sessions subcommittees for the 1984 Annual Meeting in St. Louis. The first subcommittee, “The Politics of Power and Change,” will feature sessions on topics such as “The Politics of Race and Ethnicity” and “The Politics of Gender and Sexuality.” The second subcommittee, “The Future of Political Sociological Research,” will feature sessions on topics such as “The Politics of Power and Change” and “The Politics of Race and Ethnicity.” Submissions are due by December 31, 1983.

The Section on Sociology of Aging announces two open-sessions subcommittees for the 1984 Annual Meeting in St. Louis. The first subcommittee, “The Politics of Power and Change,” will feature sessions on topics such as “The Politics of Race and Ethnicity” and “The Politics of Gender and Sexuality.” The second subcommittee, “The Future of Political Sociological Research,” will feature sessions on topics such as “The Politics of Power and Change” and “The Politics of Race and Ethnicity.” Submissions are due by December 31, 1983.

The Section on Theoretical Sociology announces topics and organizers for its 1984 Annual Meeting in St. Louis. The theme for the two-session mini-conference will be “Politics and Power.” The conference will feature sessions on topics such as “The Politics of Race and Ethnicity” and “The Politics of Gender and Sexuality.” The conference will conclude with a closing plenary session on “The Future of Political Sociological Research.” The meeting will feature a keynote address by Charles Tilly, who will speak on the theme “The Politics of Power and Change.” The program will also include talks by leading sociologists, such as Diane Dreger, who will speak on “Women and Work,” and Robert Putnam, who will discuss “The American Dream.” The conference will also feature panels on topics such as “The Politics of Race and Ethnicity” and “The Politics of Gender and Sexuality.” The meeting will conclude with a closing plenary session on “The Future of Political Sociological Research.”

The Washington Bicentennial Commission has announced the winners of its poster competition. The first prize was awarded to a group of students from the University of Maryland, who created a poster featuring the Statue of Liberty and the words “Freedom and Justice.” The second prize was awarded to a group of students from the University of Virginia, who created a poster featuring the Virginia State Capitol and the words “Equality and Democracy.” The third prize was awarded to a group of students from the University of Michigan, who created a poster featuring the Michigan State Capitol and the words “Liberty and Justice.”

Internship Opportunities Abound in Nation’s Capital

“The Washington Center” is an organization located in the nation’s capital that provides internship opportunities and fee arrangements and an institutional National Leadership to diverse students from all over the United States. Founded in 1975, the Center provides career information, internship opportunities, and unique experiences for students.

The Internship Program provides full-time supervised work experience and weekly academic seminars for undergraduates, while the Summer Program provides one-semester seminars on selected topics for a variety of students. Center staff plan all aspects of each student’s internship at the time of application, providing evaluations that determine the basis for students’ grades and credits.

Juniors and seniors who wish to enrich their education and gain professional experience may apply to the Washington Center’s Internship Program. Once accepted, students are assigned an internship site from more than 100 work settings. These range from internships in agencies to Congressional offices, museums and the Library of Congress. Placements are also available in communications (e.g., newspapers, radio, TV), law, business, advertising, and international relations, labor, and education. In addition to their internship experience, students participate in one of the Center’s weekly seminars. They also attend lectures, panel discussions and debates. The purpose of such formal activities is to provide an opportunity for direct contact with people who influence change and various ways to draw on such people’s experiences.

Internships are scheduled to coincide with campus calendars and are offered for either a quarter or a semester. The Center attempts to keep costs as low as possible, and provides support for students through scholarships for minority and other applicants. To participate in the Internship Program, students must be in their junior or senior years and have completed a minimum of 60 credit hours. The University or college they attend, students must take a minimum of six credits per semester.

The Internship Program is open to students who are majoring in any discipline. The Center seeks to provide a diverse range of opportunities and to ensure that students from all backgrounds have the opportunity to gain valuable experience in the nation’s capital.

In addition, the Center offers a special program for students who wish to combine academic study with work experience. The Washington Center’s Internship Program provides opportunities for students to study and work in Washington, D.C., while earning academic credit. The program is designed for students who wish to gain a better understanding of the political process and the institutions that govern the nation. The program offers a unique opportunity for students to learn about the workings of government and the role of the media in shaping public policy. The program is open to students from a variety of disciplines, including political science, history, economics, and international relations.

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Funding Opportunities

The Clinton Center for the Study of American Catholicism will award research grants of $1,000 to $2,000 to scholars engaged in work for the study of American Catholicism who require the use of the library and the archives of the University of Notre Dame. Application for grants should be made by December 1, 1984. Contact: Jay P. Dolan, Director, Charles and Margaret Hall Center for the Study of American Catholicism, 434 Main Library, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN 46556.

The Institute for Advanced Study announces awards for postdoctoral research fellowships in the School of Social Science for 1985-86. Recipients will be visiting members and will be expected to pursue their own research. The School organizes weekly seminars at which members and invited guests present their ongoing work. Application forms should be obtained from School of Social Science, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, NJ 08540. Deadline for application: December 1, 1984.

The Gladys Krieble Delmas Foundation announces its 1985-86 program of pre- and postdoctoral grants for "Research in Venice, Italy." Applicants must be citizens of the U.S., have some experience in advanced research, and, if graduate students, have completed all doctoral requirements except for completion of the dissertation. Applications should be received by December 15, 1984. Further information, including areas of study to be considered, can be obtained from Gladys Krieble Delmas Foundation, 40 West 37th Street, New York, NY 10019.

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The W.K. Kellogg Foundation is offering 50 fellowships, with stipends of $30,000 each year, to pursue professional training through seminars, workshops, and travel. The program is open to professionals in the early stages of their careers. Deadline is December 31, 1984. Contact Jim Carey Amett, P.K. Kellogg Foundation, 611 Michigan Avenue, Battle Creek, MI 49016; (616) 966-4661.

The U.S. General Accounting Office (GAO), one of the support arms of Congress, provides dissertation support through the Doctoral Research Program which funds up to five research projects by doctoral students each year. This program allows participants to carry out a work project and gather data for their dissertation while being actively involved in GAO activities. dress is designed to encourage in-depth analysis of topics relevant to GAO, providing a vehicle for sharing knowledge on the "state of the art" between the academic community and GAO. To be eligible for the program, one must be a U.S. citizen, have completed all coursework leading to a doctoral degree, and be willing to move to Washington, DC for the period of employment (not to exceed one year). Participants receive a temporary appointment at the GS-12 level with a salary of about $24,000. The deadline for applications will be February 1985; however, earlier applications are encouraged. For more information, contact: Dominic DiGuglielmo, Coordinator, Doctoral Research Program, GAO, 740 G Street, N.W., Room 716, Washington, DC 20418. (202) 786-5466.

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The Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (ACJS) is soliciting theoretical and policy issues in criminal justice. Research papers presented at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting held in Las Vegas, Nevada, April 3, 1985, must be submitted in the form of a paper and an abstract. The paper must be clearly identified as such and include the abstract. The paper should be no more than 20 pages in length. The abstract should be no more than five pages. The author's name is to be included on the first page of the paper only.

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Michigan Academy of Sciences, Arts, and Letters 98th Annual Meeting, April 6-8, 1985. The theme of the meeting is "Science and Society." The meeting will feature sessions on a variety of topics, including the role of science in society. The meeting will be held at the Detroit Institute of Arts in Detroit, Michigan. For more information, contact: Kenneth M. Johnson, Program Chair, Program Chair, American Chemical Society, 1155 16th Street NW, Washington, D.C. 20036.

New England Undergraduate Research Conference in Sociology, April 8-9, 1985. The conference will feature presentations by undergraduate students from various institutions. For more information, contact: Graduate School of Education, Boston University, Boston, MA 02215.

The Ohio History Association Annual Meeting, October 31-November 2, 1985. The conference will feature sessions on a variety of topics, including the role of history in society. The conference will be held in Columbus, Ohio. For more information, contact: Dr. Jane Smith, Program Chair, Program Chair, Ohio History Association, 123 Main Street, Columbus, OH 43210.

National Association of Social Workers Meetings, April 12-18, 1985. The conference will feature sessions on a variety of topics, including the role of social work in society. The conference will be held in Dallas, Texas. For more information, contact: Mr. John Doe, Program Chair, Program Chair, National Association of Social Workers, 987 Main Street, Dallas, TX 75210.

Political Economy of the World System-IX Annual Conference, March 29-30, 1985. The conference will feature presentations by graduate students from various institutions. For more information, contact: Dr. Jane Smith, Program Chair, Program Chair, Political Economy of the World System-IX Annual Conference, 123 Main Street, Dallas, TX 75210.

Westeren Society of Criminology-1985 Annual Conference, October 6-8, 1985. The conference will feature presentations by graduate students from various institutions. For more information, contact: Dr. Jane Smith, Program Chair, Program Chair, Western Society of Criminology-1985 Annual Conference, 123 Main Street, Dallas, TX 75210.

Social Studies of Child Development, a new series from JAI Press, solicits essays dealing with the development of children in today's diverse range of theoretical and methodological contexts. Papers are invited for publication in both institutional and informal settings. For more information, contact the editors: Frances A. Adler and Peter Adler, Department of Sociology, University of Texas, Austin, TX 78712.

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Minutes of the ASA Section Meeting, August 31, 1964

Minute: The record of the 1963 Business Meeting was approved as published in Volume 1 of the newsletter.

Elections: Chair Elect—Ehrich Shurman; Council members—Charles Longino and Gamblin Hagestad.

Profession Allied institutions account stood at 1,183.21 as of June 30, 1964.

1965 Program: Page 1985 will be fallen on Saturday, August 24. AsChairman, I propose to have the 1965 meeting begin with the theme of the ASA 1964 Annual Meeting: "A Century of NASW: Work Not Winning." Consistent with this theme, the section’s two allotted sessions will deal with issues in the social work profession that are influenced by the NASW. In addition, the ASA will be approached to sponsor a didactic session on the application of longitudinal analysis of Middle-Aged and Older Workers. Possible topics will be chosen by Richard Calvert and Glen Elder. Members’ comments and suggestions for Dr. Shurman and reprinted in the 1961 program are in response.

Generational Society of America: Adam, Walter at the ASA nominated the term members that membership in the ASA and fits many with interests, including the opportunity to visit the National Anthropology in the present year with respect to the appropriate time for entering the ASA annual meeting committee. The 1964 Annual Meeting Committee now has a new chairman, which is expected to begin in November in San Antonio. Edgar Milk, J D, Director of the Labor Council of the local arrangements committee.

Elections: As per ASA recommendations, the Election Committee will consist of Paul Chieh Lebanon, Robert Adams, and present ASA Councilors Charles Longino and Gamblin Hagestad. The members of the Election Committee will be elected for November in San Antonio. Edgar Milk, J D, Director of the Labor Council, will be the new chairman.

Elections: As per the recommendations of the National Committee on Nominations and the Executive Committee, the 1964 Annual Meeting will take place on November 29, 1964, at noon and three sessions will be held.

Special Session in Social Research: George Maddox announced that the National Institute on Aging and its assembled members will participate in the National Seminar on Social Research. The session will begin on November 29, 1964, at noon and three sessions will be held.

Special Session of Historical Society: The Historical Society will meet on November 29, 1964, at noon and three sessions will be held.

Brotherhood in Teaching: Otha Harris (University of Tennessee) has proposed a book on ways to teach theology to the graduates. The Council approved these suggestions and asked that he give an update on the matter. The session will begin on November 29, 1964, at noon and three sessions will be held.

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