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ISA RESEARCH COUNCIL AT WORK

by Else Øyen, ISA Vice-President, Chair of the Research Council

The Research Council is a forum established to represent the interests of the Research Committees. It meets during the World Congresses and once between the Congresses. Each Research Committee in good standing is entitled to send a delegate to the Council meetings. These are chaired by one of the ISA vice-presidents.

The mid-congress meeting of the Research Council will be held in Ljubljana, Yugoslavia, September 1-4, 1988

The Faculty of Sociology, Political Science and Journalism, and The Institute of Sociology of the Edvard Kardelj University in Ljubljana, have generously offered to host the Research Council. Professor Zdravko Mlinar has taken the initiative to bring the Research Council members to Yugoslavia and will organize the visit.

According to decisions made at the 1984 meeting of the Research Council, three of the four days will be devoted to academic deliberations, while one day will be earmarked for administrative matters.

The delegates are asked to present a paper on one of the following two topics: (1) Cross-cultural and international research: theory, method, project and organization, or (2) Centralization vs. decentralization.

The delegates are also asked to prepare a short report on the activities of their Research Committee in order to familiarize all the delegates with the richness and variation of the many ongoing academic pursuits in the ISA.

Deadline for both the papers and the activity reports is May 15, 1988, and the addressee is the ISA Secretariat in Madrid.

Among the business matters to be discussed in Ljubljana is a review of the Research Committee statutes. A working group headed by Professor Petar Mitev is preparing a report to be put before the Research Council. Voices have been raised for a better coordination of the regulatory framework of the Research Committees which now ranges from very

elaborate statutes to no statutes at all. Another matter to be discussed is the financial situation of the Research Committees and what can be learned by comparing notes. Also on the agenda will be the arrangement of regional meetings, cooperation across Research Committee boundaries, integration of graduate students in the work of Research Committees and a discussion on the future of the Research Council.

Allocation of newsletter grants will be decided upon in Ljubljana. See below for the detailed announcement on the application procedure.

In order to avoid the confusion of the last minute nomination of candidates which was experienced at the World Congress in New Delhi, I have asked that a Nominating Committee be appointed by the Research Council at the Ljubljana meeting. The Committee shall prepare well in advance of the 1990 elections a slate of candidates, supplied with bibliographic data about the candidates.

It is vital to the ISA that the Research Council as well as other fora be kept for new initiatives and critique of present malfunctions. Therefore, all members of the ISA are herewith invited to put forward suggestions, complaints or any other matter of relevance to the Research Council. This can be done in writing to me or the Executive Secretary.

1988 GRANTS FOR RESEARCH COMMITTEES NEWSLETTERS

Every Research Committee is entitled to apply for a grant for the production and distribution of its newsletter, once between two World Congresses. 10 grants, \$ 800 each, will be allocated by the Research Coordinating Committee at its August 1988 meeting. Applications have to be received by the ISA Executive Secretary before June 1st, 1988. In your application, please answer the following points:

- (1) When did (does) your Newsletter start, and how many issues have already been produced?
- (2) How many issues do you plan for 1988, with roughly how many pages each?
- (3) How many subscribers do you have in each continent, and how many of these (per continent) have an exemption of dues?
- (4) How much do you receive per year in membership fees, and what part of this amount is reserved for producing and mailing your Newsletter?
- (5) Is your Newsletter subsidized in any way already?

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INTERNATIONAL SOCIOLOGY EDITORIAL MEETING

by Elizabeth King, Editorial Assistant

A few members of the Editorial Board of the "International Sociology" had an opportunity to meet in Geneva on September 3, 1988. They were Martin Albrow, Editor, Elizabeth King, Editorial Assistant, and two Associate Editors: Jacques Coenen-Huther and T.K. Dommen. Regrettably neither Lyuben Nickolov nor Salvador Giner were able to attend. The meeting turned out to be a highly successful forum on questions of journal production and distribution, editorial policy and future editorial plans.

It was agreed that a great promotional drive was needed to make the journal better known across the world and thus to obtain many more subscriptions. As it stands the journal is seen to be of great general interest to sociologists worldwide. The diversity of papers published is also believed to make it attractive to specialist institutes.

Various proposals to enhance the journal's standing further were discussed: (1) an invitation to authors who are not well known outside their national boundaries but whose work would be of great interest to a wider readership, to submit papers; (2) papers are invited on cross-national approaches to problems of method or theory; (3) papers which explain primarily national preoccupations with which the rest of the world is not familiar, are also invited. It is planned that a selection of the best papers due to be given at the 1988 conference of the Association Internationale des Sociologues de Langue Française, be translated for and published in "International Sociology". Jacques Coenen-Huther, one of the organisers of this conference, was left in charge of publicising this.

Our thanks must go both to the University of Geneva for providing the hospitality and facilities, and last but not least to Jacques Coenen-Huther who spent much time and effort in organising this most useful meeting.

REFLECTIONS ON THE 1987 ASA CONVENTION

We have asked Melvin Kohn, President of the American Sociological Association, and Artur Meier, ISA Vice-President in charge of the 1990 ISA World Congress of Sociology, for a contribution on "the ISA at the ASA" - reactions from the host of the 1987 ASA Convention and reactions from a guest at the ASA Convention.

CROSS-NATIONAL RESEARCH IN SOCIOLOGY

by Melvin L. Kohn, ASA President

In the years immediately following World War II, the United States enjoyed a dominant position in world sociology: Sociology had been largely destroyed on the continent of Europe by the Nazis and had not yet developed to any marked degree in most of the rest of the world. In the following years sociology developed rapidly, not only in the countries where it had been well-established before the War, but in many other countries as well. Today, U.S. sociology no longer holds a hegemonic position, but instead is part of a flourishing world sociology, and U.S. sociologists are coming to understand and appreciate the importance of cross-national research and the value

of keeping abreast of sociological research done by our colleagues in other countries.

Yet, in my opinion, we are still a bit parochial. The time is ripe to impress upon U.S. sociology - not just on the area specialists and those already engaged in cross-national research, but upon U.S. sociology in general - the value of cross-national research and of seeing our country in comparative perspective. As Chair of the 1987 ASA Program Committee, I wanted the 1987 ASA Convention to contribute to accomplishing this purpose and I therefore selected "Cross-National Research in Sociology" as the convention theme.

My intent, and the intent of the other members of the 1987 ASA Program Committee, was to fashion a rather large set of thematic sessions dealing with most of the major topics in sociology in terms of what is to be learned from a cross-national perspective and from cross-national research. We dealt with many of the major social institutions - medical institutions, the law, social stratification, social class, education, formal organizations, science - and many of the major social problems - immigration and ethnicity, gender inequality, problems of the welfare state, world conflict - from this perspective. We also dealt with some of the principal methodological and conceptual issues in doing such research. We thus intended to bring cross-national research prominently into the vision of U.S. sociologists in our major national forum.

The thematic sessions were:

Comparative economic development and its social consequences; Comparative health systems; Comparative organizations; Comparative perspectives on science as an institution; Comparative research on ethnicity and immigration; Comparative research on labor markets: internal and secondary labor markets; Comparative stratification and mobility: new directions; Comparative urban sociology; Cross-national research on educational systems; Cross-national research on law and social control; Cross-national research on population; Cross-national research on social structure and personality; Cross-national studies in class analysis; The international division of labor: implications for working women and working men; International social surveys; The nature of sociological research and practice, worldwide; Protest, dissent, and social change; Reflections on world conflicts and peace; Rise and fall of civilizations; Social change and the life course: cross-national perspectives; Strategies of cross-national research; Theoretical implications of comparative research on gender inequality; Trans-national meaning of concepts; Weber, Mead, and contemporary cross-national research; Welfare states in crisis?.

As a major component of this thematic emphasis, we invited some 40 distinguished scholars from other countries to present papers and to participate more extensively in these sessions. These scholars were chosen, not only for their stature in the field, but also because they embody a comparative approach. Most of them have done explicitly cross-national research.

This was the first time in the history of the American Sociological Association that cross-national research was the theme of the national convention. And, although we had presentations by individual scholars from other countries at other conventions, and even entire sessions featuring presentations by official delegations from the Soviet Union and the People's Republic of China, this was the first time that foreign scholars were given so prominent a place on an ASA program.

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THE ISA AT THE ASA: SOME REFLECTIONS ON THE CHICAGO ASA CONVENTION

by Artur Meier, ISA Vice-President, Chairman of the Program Committee

The ISA was represented in several ways at the 82nd Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association. Invited by the ASA President Melvin Kohn and thanks to the generosity of the American hosts some members of the ISA Executive Committee were able to attend the Convention and to present individual reports on their own research in the field of comparative sociology. Four ISA Research Committees - History of Sociology, Logic and Methodology, Disasters, Women and Society - used the ASA Convention in Chicago as a meeting ground for their own transnational activities. Moreover, there were many well-known ISA members from abroad among the more than 3000 participants, colleagues coming especially from the Federal Republic of Germany, the Netherlands, Great Britain, Poland and Japan. Last but not least, the ASA in its own right is an essential part of world sociology and an indispensable collective member of our Association. We never forget the academic guidance the ISA has received from U.S. colleagues such as Lewis Coser or Rosh Turner, former ASA Presidents and ISA officers, and the excellent services that the ISA permanently receives from such prominent colleagues as Mel Kohn and Neil Smelser, at present working with us on the Executive, the Publications and the Program Committee.

The topic of the 82nd ASA Convention on "Cross-National Research in Sociology" was not only a success according to the judgement of many participants to whom I talked, but also undoubtedly a major contribution to the advancement of sociological knowledge throughout the world which is ISA's primary objective, too. Given the nature of the Congress as mainly a national forum U.S. sociologists evidently should be encouraged to understand the value of cross-national research and of seeing their country in comparative perspective. The presentations of foreign scholars, as well as of American sociologists who already employ a comparative, cross-national approach seemed to me very valuable in the search for social-structural regularities that transcend national borders.

The ISA can learn something from the ASA about how to focus the attention of sociologists clearly upon worthwhile themes and projects which lead conceptually to a more international dimension, not neglecting national peculiarities and regional diversity, but transcending borders and putting social problems in an international context, and making clearer the issue of the global interdependence of social systems and processes. And from an organizational point of view I also must express my deep gratitude and full admiration to our American colleagues. They succeeded in constructing and carrying out a congress program which, with its more than 250 scientific sessions was open and flexible enough for the diverse body of research coming mainly from the 26 ASA Sections (comparable with our Research Committees) and for didactic seminars and an impressively wide range of other professional activities as well, yet at the same time was coherent and comprehensive enough for substantive accomplishments and all the theoretical and methodological implications of cross-national sociological research. I observed that the latter fact was partly due to the design of the 24 Thematic Sessions exclusively devoted to the Congress' topic (comparable with the symposia sessions of ISA World Congress), ideally timed and distributed all over the whole Congress duration from morning till night on all five days, and partly due to the impressive

"discipline" of the U.S. scholars who obviously had been able to direct their pertinent research interests to the overall Convention theme. Of course, there were some competing sessions, but not too many, so that you always had a chance to find your Session, to pick up the papers you were particularly looking for and to meet your friends at the right spot. The simple pocket time table of the program was as useful as having everything under one roof: all sessions, meetings, the book fair and other exhibits, the administrative and business meetings (a lot more than at ISA Congresses), social events and many other happenings - all within one hotel, the Hilton Palmer House, where most of the participants also had their accommodation. Services had been provided for nearly everything ranging from ASA Paper Sales and the marvellous job Leo Chall did with his crew from "Sociological Abstracts" up to child care and to "resources for attendees with special needs". Needless to say, that the sightseeing tours guided by sociologists (!) involved in field work in the Windy City were highlights in the context of the Convention, this year sited at the world's first sociological laboratory which now seems to step over to the 21st century showing, at least by its skyline, a touch of over-modernization.

I personally learnt a lot at the ASA Convention and I hope to benefit from all that for ISA purposes especially when working together with the colleagues serving on the Program Committee and collaborating with the relevant National Organizational Committee to be formed for the preparation of the next World Congress. Perhaps my thoroughly positive evaluation of the ASA Convention is slightly biased, but when I talked with many of the foreign participants I heard only complimentary comments. And certainly I am influenced by direct contacts with so many excellent American researchers and teachers.

Sure, we need essentially such creative impulses for future World Congress preparation. No doubt, the quality and the arrangements of the scientific program are the final measures of any academic event. In this respect, I get the feeling that the 82nd ASA Convention was a world-class congress. Similar in size, it set up standards to be reached in academic and organizational terms if we want to meet the requirements of the crowds of participants expected to come to the next ISA World Congress of Sociology in 1990.



Günther Lüschen, West Germany (left)
Stefan Nowak, Poland (right)



Left to right:
 standing: Aaron Antonovsky, Ken'ichi Tominaga,
 T.K. Dommen
 seated: William D'Antonio, Helga Hernes,
 Stefan Nowak

Candidates looking at job description
 in the Candidate Room of the ASA
 Employment Service



View of one booth in Exhibit Hall



Melvin Kohn (right) passing gavel and Presidency
 along to Herbert Gans (left)



Section information tables at the
 Welcoming and Orientation Party



REPORTS FROM THE COLLECTIVE MEMBERS OF THE ISA

In this issue of the BULLETIN we present reports received from ISA collective members in category "A" (national sociological societies), category "B" (international and multinational regional associations of sociologists), and category "E" (supporting organizations and institutions). Reports submitted by our category "C" members (research institutions and university departments) will appear in the next issue of the BULLETIN. We would like to express our sincere thanks to all contributors.

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The Austrian Society of Sociology (OGS) has about 500 members, most of them are graduate sociologists. There is also the possibility for advanced students of sociology to apply for membership. The annual general meeting decides about the admission of the applicants.

OGS has four main types of activities:

- (1) regular, bi-annual scientific meetings;
- (2) editorship of a scientific quarterly journal "Osterreichische Zeitschrift für Soziologie", founded in 1976;
- (3) editorship of a quarterly newsletter "OGS-Informationen";
- (4) within OGS there exist ten sub-sections which work quite independently: sociology of medicine, culture, technique, work and industry, economy, history of sociology, methods of sociology, sociology of teaching profession, education and development, women in society.

General thematic subjects of the previous scientific meetings were: Work and Education (1977), State-controlled Inequality (1979), Future of Work - Future without Work (1981), 1984 - Fantasy, Fiction, Reality (1983), Women - The Other Part of Society (1985).

On October 22-24th, 1987 the Austrian Society of Sociology celebrated a special anniversary, its 10th meeting. This meeting was organized as an international conference on "Society at the Frontiers-Social Structure and Social Consciousness in East and West Europe". The meeting took place at the University of Graz and was attended by about 150 sociologists, one third of them from Eastern Europe. Apart from the introductory lectures and plenary sessions, seven working groups were organized around the following topics:

- Old and New Class Structures and Patterns of Social Mobility
- Attitudes, Interpretations and Concepts of Work and Education
- Intelligence and Social Consciousness
- Social Limits of Technical Progress
- Territorial Frontiers and Regional Inequalities

- Sexual Inequalities in Life Cycle and Occupational Development
- Marginal Groups and New Poverty

The next scientific meeting will be held in Zürich from October 4th to 8th, 1988, as a joint conference with the Sociological Associations of the Federal Republic of Germany and Switzerland. The general theme of this conference will be "Culture and Society".

Report submitted by Alex Belschan and Max Haller

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The Bulgarian Sociological Association (BSA) was founded in 1959. Its members are scientists, lecturers, plant and farm sociologists, administrative, management and other specialists united in 28 sociological societies and 20 research committees.

The supreme body of the BSA is the Congress which convenes once in five years. The Congress elects the BSA Council and Financial Committee. The Council elects a President, members of the Executive Committee, and the Secretariat. The last IVth BSA Congress took place in 1983 and its general theme was "Working Team and Tasks of Sociology".

Within the organizational framework of the BSA function three main bodies: Council of the research committees, Council of the plant and farm sociologists, and Bureau for organizing and carrying out empirical sociological research solicited by clients. Under the auspices of the BSA there was established a Club of Sociologists located in the premises of the Trade Unions' newspaper "Trud". The BSA's Research Committee on Sociology of Family, Woman and Customs, opened an interdisciplinary club "Sovremennichka" (Contemporary Woman) where discussions are held on current problems of women's position in the Bulgarian society and in the world.

The main tasks of the BSA are: development of social sciences in Bulgaria, implementation of results of sociological research, improvement of professional qualifications of sociologists, popularization of sociological knowledge, international cooperation among sociologists.

The activities of the BSA include organization of numerous scientific meetings, establishment of research committees, foreign language publications of Bulgarian works on the history and contemporary state of sociology in Bulgaria, distribution of these publications abroad, publication in Bulgarian foreign language material on sociology.

Jointly with the Institute of Sociology of the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, the BSA manages the International Varna Sociological School. The School was founded in 1980 on the initiative of the BSA and has become an important forum of international scientific collaboration.

Recent conferences organized and/or hosted by the BSA:

1984: "Quality of the Scientific Research and the Scientific Publications", a scientometric and linguistic conference;

"Labour Team and the Quality of Labour";

A series of international symposia on the problems of youth: Problems of the Young Family, The Young Woman as a Mother and a Worker and her Social Activities, Negative Phenomena in the Society and the Youth;

"New Tendencies in the Sociology of Science and Knowledge", a conference of the ISA Research Committee on Sociology of Science;

"Unattractive Manual Work", a conference of the ISA Research Committee on Sociology of Work;

1985: "Electronics, Culture and Mass Consciousness": a conference of the BSA research committee on Sociology of Communication, Knowledge and Culture;

"Social Effects of Empirical Sociological Research";

"Sociology of Arts": a conference of the ISA Research Committee on Sociology of Arts;

"Sociology of Youth": a conference of the ISA Research Committee on Sociology of Youth;

"Sociology and Ideological Practice": annual meeting of the BSA Council;

1986: Annual meeting of the BSA Council;

1987: A series of lectures for young sociologists; Second National School on Scientometrics and Linguistics of Scientific Texts;

Annual Meeting of the ISA Research Committee on Sociology of Law;

VII Congress of the European Association of Experimental Social Psychology;

National School on Sociolinguistics.

Publications

"Bulgarian Sociological Journal" published annually in English and Russian;

"Sociological Problems" published six times a year by the BSA jointly with the Institute of Sociology of the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences;

"Sociological Review" published jointly by the BSA and the Institute of Sociology of the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences;

Collections of works by Bulgarian sociologists published in Russian: "Sociology and Social Practice under Socialists Conditions" and in English: "It's About Time", "Unattractive Work", "Contemporary Sociology in Bulgaria", "Problems of the Unified System of Sociological Information", "Sociological Theory and Social Practice", "Society and Social Change".

In the near future a short history of the BSA and the contents of the work of its research committees will be published in Bulgarian and in English.

Report submitted by Svetlomisr Bogatzevski
BSA Executive Secretary

ASSOCIATION CANADIENNE DES SOCIOLOGUES ET ANTHROPOLOGUES DE LANGUE FRANÇAISE

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Association Canadienne des Sociologues et Anthropologues de Langue Française (ACSALF) is the only one in

Canada dealing with scientific activities organized by/for French-speaking sociologists and anthropologists. This explains why most of its membership is residing in Québec.

ACSALF is in close contact with nearly 700 members through a quarterly bulletin and an annual three-day scientific meeting organized within the annual program of the Association Canadienne-française pour l'Avancement des Sciences.

Our Administrative Council is composed of 14 members representing both disciplines, various sectors of practice, and both professionals and students. The Council meets every month and deals with all matters concerning the status of sociology and anthropology in French Canada.

Besides the Bulletin, ACSALF publishes proceedings of its annual meetings. Various Québec universities are responsible for the publication of the following journals: "Recherches Sociographiques", "Sociologie et Société", "Cahiers de Recherche Sociologique", "Anthropologie et Société".

Report submitted by Lucien Laforest

CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

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The Czechoslovak Sociological Association (CSA) is affiliated with the Czechoslovak Academy of Sciences. An independent constituent of the Association is the Slovak Sociological Association operating under the Slovak Academy of Sciences.

The nucleus of the Association is composed of professional sociologists. Membership is of course open to any interested member of other profession who needs information on specific sociological surveys and wishes to follow the latest theoretical and methodological publications relevant to the field covered and seeks lively contacts with professional sociologists. Such members are usually granted status of 'extraordinary members of the Society'.

At present, the Association has 850 members, including 200 extraordinary members. Women account for one third of the total membership. Most members are active in scientific institutes and universities, branch- and sector-based research institutes, or work as industrial sociologists. About half of all members is under 40 years of age; most members live in Prague.

The activities of the Association are controlled by a Committee elected by the General Assembly for three years. The Committee then elects a fifteen-member Presidium.

The current officers of the Presidium are:

President: Jaroslav Kohout
Vice-Presidents: Frantisek Zich and Juraj Zvara
Members: Dalibor Holda, Jana Vitecková, Jaroslava Bauerová, Vlatislav Bauch, Antonin Burian, Vladimír Dubský, Blanka Filipcová, Rudolf Franěk, Frantisek Charvát, Róbert Roska, Karel Rychtarík, Věra Urbanová, Lubomír Vacek, Antonin Vaněk, Ladislav Macháček.

The Association's programme covers activities of

various sociological sections and affiliations in the following towns: Brno, Hradec Králové, Olomouc, Ostrava, Plzeň, Ústí nad Labem.

At present, following sections operate within the framework of the CSA: Marxist sociological theory, sociological methods and techniques, sociology of work, industrial sociology and enterprise sociology, urban sociology, sociology of agriculture and rural sociology, sociology of culture and leisure, sociology of family, sociology of youth, sociology of public opinion, social pathology, sociology of integrated study of man, research into socialist way of life, sociology of physical culture.

The Association organizes numerous scientific seminars every year. The interest and participation is always higher than organizational capacities. In 1987 the following seminars organized by various sections of the CSA took place:

- Sociological Methods and Techniques: sociological school;
- Sociology of Culture: "Problems of Sociology of Art";
- Urban Sociology: "Objective and Methodological Problems of the Social Prognosis of the Town and settlement Development";
- Sociology of Public Opinion: "Dynamics and Forming of Public Opinion"
- Sociology of Agriculture and Rural Sociology: "Social Development and Social Policy in Agriculture and Rural Areas in the 8th Five-Year Plan";
- Research into Socialist Way of Life: "Territorial Aspects of Way of Life in Present Stage of Development in CSSR";
- Marxist Sociological Theory: "On the Problem of Theoretical Starting. Points of Social Prognosis-Making";
- Social Pathology: Youth and Social Pathological Phenomena";
- Sociology of Youth: "Theoretical Methodological Problems of the Research into Youth";
- Sociology of Family and Sociology of Culture: "Family and Cultural Development in Present Czechoslovak Society".

Articles of the CSA members are published in two professional periodicals: "Sociologicky casopis" (Sociological Magazine) issued by the Czechoslovak Academy of Sciences, and "Sociológia" (Sociology) issued by the Slovak Academy of Sciences.

Report submitted by Jaroslav Kohout

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Background Information

The BSA was founded in 1951 at a time when the discipline was primarily located at the London School of Economics and Political Science, and colleagues around the country followed its syllabus. Its founders came from a variety of disciplines, reflecting the eclectic nature of its appeal, including such notables as Carr Saunders, David Glass and Raymond Firth. The first Chair was Professor Morris Ginsberg.

The BSA office is in touch with all that is taking place within British Sociology and has contacts in educational and research institutions and in the

field of publishing in this country and overseas. The Administrative secretary is always happy to put members in touch with one another and to help answer professional queries.

Organisational Structure

The BSA is run by an Executive Committee consisting of 14 members elected by the membership. Committee members are elected for a maximum of four years. The Executive Committee also includes representation from the Scottish Branch, the Association of Teachers in the Social Sciences, the Standing Committee on Equality of the Sexes, the organisation of Sociology in Polytechnics and the Editors of the three journals published by the Association. There are three main voluntary officers: the President, the Chair and the Honorary General Secretary. In addition, the Association has a permanent staff of two: the Administrative Secretary and a part-time Publications Officer. These are housed in the Associations' suite of offices at the London School of Economics.

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The BSA holds an Annual Conference at different locations each year. Themes for the Annual Conference are suggested by the membership. Recent and forthcoming themes include: "The Life-Cycle", "Science, Technology and Society" and "Sociology and History".

The Association encourages and subsidises the activities of Study Groups on any sociological topic or area of study where there is sufficiently wide interest among the membership. Groups meet fairly regularly throughout the country. They run varied programmes from seminars through one-day meetings to full three day conferences. Members may participate in as many Study Groups as they wish.

Current Study Groups include:

Development, Education, Ethnography, Leisure and Recreation/Leisure Studies Assn., Race and Ethnic Relations", Religion, Reproduction, Rural Economy, Sexual Divisions and Society, Social Networks, Sociology and Environment, Sociology, War and Military Organisations, Sociology of Language, Sociology of Sciences, Teaching Sociology, Theory, Women's Caucus, Work and Industrial Relations, Youth.

Other Activities

The BSA organises Summer Schools with the support of the ESRC, for full and part-time postgraduate students and junior research workers. These events allow sociologists from widely differing departments and research traditions to meet and work together in a stimulating environment on the problems they have encountered in the course of their own research. Schools reflect a balance between speakers and workshops and are designed to encourage maximum participation.

A Post-graduate Forum, reflecting the needs and interest of postgraduate members, acts as a clearing house for information and as such a network putting in touch those with common interests and problems. The Forum organises meetings on a range of topics and offers a supportive arena for the discussion of ideas and work in progress. All postgraduate members of the Association are encouraged to participate in its



Chris Bryant, Malcolm Cross, John Scott, Jennifer Platt, David Lane, Joan Busfield, Jacqui Halson, Betsy Ettorre, Rosemary Crompton, Geoff Payne

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activities. In recent years the Postgraduate Forum has produced a journal Critical Social Research.

The Association is concerned to combat sexist practice and discrimination, especially through its Equality of the Sexes Sub-Committee, which has a mandate to assist in the realisation of sex equality both within the Association and within the discipline, and monitors the equality of the sexes in the profession. There is also an active Womens' Caucus and Sexual Divisions Study Group.

The Association has also forged links with other organisations, including the Joint Forum for Academics and Teachers in the Social Sciences, the Association of Learned Societies in the Social Sciences, and Section N of the British Association. It liaises with the Economic and Social Research Council by meeting members of the relevant ESRC committees to discuss the direction of sociological research in Britain.

The BSA has recently founded a Degree Curriculum Sub-Committee to consider the content of Sociology degrees and it has maintained a continuing interest in the "O" and "A" level syllabus.

Publications

There is a separate Publications Committee which assists in the publication of the two main journals: "Sociology" with a circulation of around 3,000, and the new journal "Work, Employment and Society" which was launched in January 1987. The Association also produces a newsletter, "Network" which serves to keep the members in touch with developments in the profession.

The Publications Committee helps to sponsor the publication of books and series. This includes the volumes of selected papers arising from the Annual Conference. Recent volumes published by MacMillans have been:

From the 1984 Conference - Allen et al (eds): "The Experience of Unemployment"; Purcell et al (eds): "The Changing Experience of Work".

From the 1985 Conference - Hanmer and Maynard (eds): "Women, Violence and Social Control"; Creighton and Shaw (eds): "The Sociology of War and Peace".

From the 1986 Conference - Allat et al (eds): "Women and the Life Cycle"; Bryman et al (eds): "Rethinking the Life Cycle".

Two further publications from the 1987 conference are in production: Varoce et al (eds): "Deciphering Science and Technology", and McNeil et al (eds): "The New Reproductive Technologies".

A new series entitled "Sociology for a Changing World" edited for the BSA by Roger King is to be published by MacMillans as well.

Other books sponsored by the Association include "Exploring Society" and an updated version of "Investigating Society", first published in 1981; both are edited by R. Burgess and are aimed at an "A" level market. The BSA Theory Group is producing a volume called "Politics and Social Theory" edited by Peter Lassman and due to be published in 1988. In addition, Unwin Hyman has commissioned a book "Divisions in Western Capitalism and State Socialism" edited by R. Scase.

The Association organised a Book Club with discount prices for the benefit of its members.

Report submitted by Claire Wallace
Honorary General Secretary

ISRAEL SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY

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The Israel Sociological Society was founded in 1968. Currently it has 250 members.

The Society organizes usually in February, its annual professional conference. Participation in recent years has been about 200 persons and over 50 research papers were presented. The 1988 annual meeting scheduled for February 17-18, is organized by Jonathan Anson from the Department of Sociology, Ben



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Issues are published in French or English, but a text in one language is always accompanied by an extensive résumé in the other. CURRENT SOCIOLOGY is an official journal of the International Sociological Association. Its main aim is to review international developments in the discipline and to provide a forum from which professional sociologists from all countries can communicate with the widest group of colleagues.

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The Society has published a series of books in English titled "Studies of Israel Society":

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"Newsletter" is published (in Hebrew) four times a year.

Report submitted by Judith T. Shuval

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JAPAN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY

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Sociology in Japan has a history of over a century since its introduction into the University of Tokyo, which was founded shortly after the Meiji Restoration. In the 1920's, during the era known as "Taisho democracy", empirically oriented sociology started to develop in Japan and the Japan Sociological Society was established in 1923. The Japan Sociological Society and also Japanese sociology as a whole somehow survived the militaristic and authoritarian period of the 1930's and the subsequent war, and started to develop rapidly in the post-World War II period. Democratization, economic growth with its positive and negative consequences, expansion of higher education, and stimulus from abroad, including that brought about by activities of the International Sociological Association - all those conditions favored the development of sociology in Japan.

The Japan Sociological Society has grown into the general professional association of Japanese sociologists. Its membership is 2044 (as of June 1987), and its annual meetings which are traditionally held in October, attract over 900 participants.

The research activities of Japanese sociologists can be measured by such figures as the number of publications in books and articles by sociologists. According to a bibliography compiled by the Japan Sociological Society and published in Shakaijaku Hyoron (Japanese Sociological Review), Nos. 146 and 149, 277 books and 1562 articles were published by Japanese sociologists during the year 1985. Because of the successful indigenization of higher education and research activities in Japan, most of those publications are written in Japanese, which makes it difficult for them to be circulated internationally. However, what is desirable for Japanese sociology is a balance between indigenization and internationalization. In the direction of internationalization, we have been making various efforts, such as attaching brief summaries in English of all articles, published in Shakaijaku Hyoron, the official journal of the Japan Sociological Society (there are about 5 or 6 articles in each quarterly issue), and compiling Bibliography of Japanese Sociological Literature in Western Languages in 1986, which contained list of over 500 books and articles written in Western languages by Japanese sociologists.

Among internationally-oriented activities of the Japan Sociological Society, a series of conferences among Asian sociologists deserves special mention here. Since Japan is an Asian nation, Japanese sociologists should have closer contact with other Asian sociologists. In 1973, with the support of the ISA and UNESCO, the Japan Sociological Society organized the First Conference of Asian Sociologists. The Conference was a great success. Although the participants agreed to meet every three years at a different place in Asia, that follow-up did not immediately materialized. Under such circumstances, the Japan Sociological Society decided to play the major role in promoting conferences among Asian sociologists. In 1978, at the IX World Congress of Sociology held in Uppsala, Sweden, the Japan Sociological Society organized a Special Session devoted to "Asian Perspective and Social Development". Also in 1981 and 1984 in Tokyo and in Kobe respectively, the Japan Sociological Society organized two successive conferences of North-East and South-East Asian sociologists, in which participated sociologists from China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Republic of Korea, Philippines, Singapore, and Thailand, together with a number of Japanese sociologists. And in 1987, the fifth conference was held in Seoul under the auspices of the Korean Sociological Association. Thus, the time is being ripe for continued regional cooperation

among sociologists in Asia.

Report submitted by Joji Watanuki, Chairperson
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— **NEDERLANDSE SOCIOLOGISCHE EN ANTHROPOLOGISCHE
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The Dutch Sociological Association celebrated its 50th anniversary in 1986. It was founded exactly on April 4th, 1936, at 3 p.m. Its first President was W.A. Bonger and the aim of the Association at that time was to form a link between scholars of social sciences and thus promote the development of these sciences. As was the case in many European countries at that time, sociology was defined as a cover for the different social sciences. In 1965 the statutes were changed to the effect that the aim of the Association was to further the development of sociology in the Netherlands as well as to provide social conditions for such development. From the period 1963/1965 onward the Association has become bifocal: next to its scholarly orientation, it has developed its professional character and has acted as an interest group of and for sociologists.

In 1971 the name of the Association was changed to the Dutch Sociological and Anthropological Association (NSAV) recognizing the equality and the autonomy of the anthropologists.

In 1975 the NSAV adopted an ethical code for sociologists.

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NSAV newsletter "Sociodrome" is published since 1976. It appears five times a year. Editor: C. Bouw.

NSAV periodical "The Netherlands Journal of Sociology" publishes (in English) articles selected from Dutch language journals. Managing Editor: B. van Heerikhuizen.

Recent Conferences

April 3-4, 1986, Amsterdam: Flemish-Dutch Congress for Sociologists and Anthropologists (NSAV 50th Anniversary Conference).

"Proceedings" edited by W.E.A. van Beek et al, were

published in "Sociologisch en antropologisch jaarboek 1987", Deventer (Van Loghum Slaterus), 1987.

November 28, 1986, Amsterdam: Normoverschrijdend Gedrag (Transgressing Norms)

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Awards

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Report submitted by E. Wickerhoff-Maissan, Secretary

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— **POLISH SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION**
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(Year of admission: 1956, category "A")

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The Polish Sociological Association (PTS) was founded in 1957 on the initiative of Stanislaw Ossowski. At present it has 1000 members: approximately 50% from Warsaw, 50% from 11 regional divisions. Members are active in 8 working groups: Sociology of Medicine, Deviance and Social Control, Urban Sociology, Rural and Agricultural Sociology, Sociology of Work, Social Prognosis of Science, Popularization of Sociological Knowledge.

Activities of the PTS are regulated by the Statutes of the Association and general regulations concerning scientific societies affiliated with the Polish Academy of Sciences. PTS is governed by the Executive Board elected every three years, while one third of it is changed every year. In the work of the Executive Board participate chairmen of regional divisions and working groups. Special committees and ad hoc commissions are usually formed to work on a specific problem.

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One of the scopes of the PTS is to integrate different institutions by the means of public lectures, conferences for the representatives of various research centers and university departments. Particularly successful were conferences organized by the Warsaw Division of the PTS, eg.: "Legitimation of Social Order", "Survey Methods" (1986), "Social Structure" (May 1987), "Economics Reform" (June 1987).

In September 1986 there was held in Wroclaw a Sociological Congress organized by the PTS (a previous one was held in Lodz, 1981). It was attended by approximately 450 persons, 100 papers and reports were presented at four plenary sessions and 21 working sessions. The Congress requested that the

Executive Board prepare a report on "Polish Society in the second half of the 1980's". This 'diagnosis about the state of social consciousness' was written by Stefan Nowak, accepted by the Executive Board, and presented to the Polish Government as well as to independent social authorities. The report and discussion will be published in "Studia Socjologiczne" (Sociological Studies), no. 1(1988).

PTS is actively rebuilding international contacts. Two Polish-Swedish meetings took place recently (one in Warsaw, the other in Lund). Every year there is held an international meeting of urban sociologists (last year in Bulgaria).

Although since 1986 Polish sociologists are not represented in the ISA Executive Committee, they sit on a board of 14 research committees.

One of the more important activities of the PTS is building up a collection of manuscripts, research results and books published in a very small number of copies (100). They are kept in the Sociological Libraries of the University of Warsaw and Polish Academy of Sciences in Warsaw, while members of the PTS are regularly informed about the latest acquisitions. List of these publications in printed in the "Polish Sociological Bulletin" published by the PTS.

Among other activities of the PTS should be mentioned its concern about the ethics of a sociological profession, protection of this profession, and the right to publish sociological research results.

ASSOCIAÇÃO PORTUGUESA DE SOCIOLOGIA

(Year of admission: 1985, category "A")

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The First Portuguese Congress of Sociology is scheduled for January 27-29, 1988, in Lisbon. It will be organized by the Portuguese Sociological Association, the Portuguese Association of Sociology of Industry, Organisation and Work, and the Portuguese Society for Rural Studies.

The general theme of the congress is Sociology and Portuguese Society at the Turn of the Century.

The Plenary Session will be devoted to Present Conditions and Perspectives of Sociology in Portugal.

Working sessions will focus on:

- sociology of education
- sociology of family,
- sociology of information
- communication and culture
- political sociology
- sociology of rural and urban problems
- sociology of work and organizations.

SPANISH FEDERATION OF SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATIONS (FASEE)

(Year of admission: 1980, category "A")

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The FASEE was founded in 1979. It is composed of Sociological Associations of the following provinces: Andalusia, Aragon, Asturias, Canary Islands, Castilla - La Mancha, Catalonia, Galicia, Madrid, Murcia, Valencia, Basque Country.

The objectives of the FASEE, as defined in the Article 3 of its Statutes, are:

- coordination of activities of its members
- dissemination of information and animation of sociological activities in Spain
- protection of rights of sociologists and sociological institutions
- representation of Spanish sociology within the country and abroad.

Membership

All Spanish regional Sociological Associations are welcomed to join the FASEE.

Currently, there are two Research Committees established within the FASEE: Health and Medical Sociology, and Army and Society.

Organizational Structure

The FASEE is governed by the Federal Council and the Executive Committee. The Federal Council is the highest governing body and it assembles at least once a year. It is composed of three delegates from each member Association.

The current Executive Committee officers are:

President: Salvador Giner, University of Barcelona
Vice-Presidents: to be elected
Secretary: José Luis Veira Veira, University of Santiago de Compostela
Treasurer: José Luis Alamo, Sociological Association of the Canary Islands
Three Members: representatives of the Sociological Association of Valencia, Sociological Association of Aragon, Sociological Association of Murcia.



Salvador Giner, President, and
José Cazorla, Past President

Activities

The FASEE organized the following conferences:
1981, Zaragoza - First Spanish Congress of Sociology. It was organized with help and support of the Sociological Association of Aragon.
1984, Santander - Second Spanish Congress of Sociology devoted to "Conflict and Social Structure". It was organized in cooperation with the International University of Menendez y Pelayo and the Sociological Association of Madrid.
1986, Valencia - International Meeting of Sociology on "Social Change and Modernization". It was organized by the Sociological Association of Valencia.
1988, venue to be decided - Third Spanish Congress of Sociology

Publications

In 1984 FASEE published the Directory of Sociologists, which was prepared by the Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas in Madrid. It includes a brief description of the organizational structure and objectives of the FASEE, an alphabetical list of members, their addresses, areas of interest, and other professional data.

FASEE has also published abstracts of the papers presented at the Second Spanish Congress of Sociology (1984).

Plans are being made for publishing a newsletter providing news about present activities, reports from members.

Report submitted by José L. Veira Veira

SVERIGES SOCIOLOGFORBUND

(Year of admission: 1965, category "A")

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The Swedish Sociological Association has at present six local branches in Sweden: Stockholm, Göteborg, Lund, Uppsala, Umeå and Örebro; membership in 1987 is 450 members.

There are three permanent research committees: on social policy, sociological theory, and medical sociology. Apart from these there are several research committees that get organized around the annual meeting of the Association. They are: sociology of work, urban sociology, economic sociology, and historical sociology.

The Swedish Sociological Association is a member of the Nordic Sociological Association, responsible, among others, for the publication of a journal "Acta Sociologica". The Swedish Sociological Association publishes also its own journal, a quarterly "Sociologisk forskning" (Sociological Research).

Apart from organizing annual meetings and supporting its research committees, the Association is busy with

the opinion-making activities concerning university education and conditions of social science in general.

Report submitted by Göran Ahrne

SCHWEIZERISCHE GESELLSCHAFT FÜR SOZIOLOGIE SOCIÉTÉ SUISSE DE SOCIOLOGIE

(Year of admission: 1961, category "A")

Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Soziologie
Société Suisse de Sociologie
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President: Hans-Joachim Hoffmann-Nowotny
Executive Secretary: Peter Rusterholz

The Swiss Sociological Association was established in 1956 and has at present some 350 individual and a number of collective members. Its purpose is to promote sociological training and research. In particular, the Association encourages and coordinates activities of a number of Research Committees gathering members working in the same research area.

At present, the following Committees are active: Sociology of Medicine; Migration/Minorities; Sociology in Extra-University Practice; Planification and Urbanization; Society and Environment; Sociology of Youth; Symbols, Images and Ideologies; Sociology of Religion (ASSOREL); Sociography; Sociology of Work and Technology.

The Association organizes annual meetings and a larger congress every three years. In October 1988 such a large congress will take place in Zürich, organized together with the German Sociological Association and the Austrian Sociological Association. Such a joint convention has never been organized so far and it already attracts a lot of attention.

Publications

"Schweizerische Zeitschrift für Soziologie / Revue Suisse de Sociologie": 3 issues per year
"Bulletin": 4 times a year
"Recherches en cours / Laufende soziologische Forschungen": published annually.

Report submitted by Peter Rusterholz

CATEGORY "B": INTERNATIONAL AND MULTINATIONAL REGIONAL ASSOCIATIONS OF SOCIOLOGISTS

ASSOCIATION ARABE DE SOCIOLOGIE

(Year of admission: 1986, category "B")

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Race and Gender	Shireen Hassim
Population Studies	Wilmot James
Sociology of Law	Kim Elias
Sociology of the Family	Susan Ziehl
Sociology of Language	David Brown
Popular Writing	Ivan Evans
Militarisation	J. Cock
Sociology of Religion	Jeff Zerbst

The XIX Annual Congress of the ASSA is scheduled for July 4-6, 1988 at the University of Durban-Westville

Association Arabe de Sociologie a organisé trois colloques portant sur:

- "Les perspectives de la sociologie Arabe"
Tunis, 1985
- "Pour une sociologie de la culture populaire"
Gabès, 1986
- "Les origines sociales de l'intelligentsia Arabe"
Le Caire, 1987

Le plupart des articles présentés lors de ces colloques a été publiée soit dans des ouvrages collectifs soit dans des revues spécialisées.

Par ailleurs, l'AAS compte organiser son prochain colloque, en avril 1988, sur le thème de la sociologie et la religion dans la monde arabe.

Parmi nos projets à court et à moyen terme figurent en priorité le lancement d'un bulletin d'informations (paraissant 3 fois par an), la publication d'un Annuaire de sociologie arabe et rencontre entre deux générations de sociologues arabes (les vétérans et les jeunes).

Rapport par Tahar Labib

ASSOCIATION FOR SOCIOLOGY IN SOUTHERN AFRICA

(Year of admission: 1975, category "B")

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 Labour Studies
 Sociology of Health
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 Sociology of Knowledge and Popular Culture
 Social Theory
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Black Universities
 Women's Studies
 Problems of Research and Methodology
 Sociology of Class,

CONSEIL AFRICAIN DES SOCIOLOGUES ET ANTHROPOLOGUES

(Year of admission: 1987, category "B")

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L'idée d'un Conseil Africain des Sociologues et Anthropologues est née en août 1978 à Uppsala en Suède au cours du IX^e Congrès Mondial de l'AIS où les participants africains avaient constaté l'absence de structure de coordination, de concertation et de promotion de la Sociologie et de l'Anthropologie en Afrique. Sa gestation a duré presque 8 années. C'est en effet en avril 1985 que le CASA a acquis ses bases juridiques et un siège.

Le CASA est une organisation non gouvernementale de dimension panafricaine. Le CASA sollicite actuellement le statut diplomatique auprès du Gouvernement de la Côte d'Ivoire, et le statut d'observateur auprès de l'Organisation de l'Unité Africaine avec laquelle il entend conclure un accord de collaboration.

Le CASA s'est donné les objectifs fondamentaux suivants:

- Promouvoir la recherche et l'enseignement de la sociologie et de l'anthropologie en Afrique;
- Mieux faire connaître ces deux disciplines en Afrique;
- Donner à la sociologie et à l'anthropologie en Afrique, une dimension plus opérationnelle en vue d'une participation plus efficace des sociologues et anthropologues africains aux efforts des pays africains pour promouvoir un développement réellement endogène;
- Développer les activités scientifiques et les échanges entre les sociologues et les anthropologues africains;
- Réaliser des études fondamentales et appliquées destinées à éclairer les responsables politiques et administratifs africains dans le choix des politiques de développement économique, social et culturel de leur pays respectif;
- Promouvoir la diffusion et la vulgarisation des données et études relatives aux sociétés africaines afin que celles-ci soient mieux connues.

Les organes du CASA sont:

- L'Assemblée Générale qui se réunit ordinairement une fois tous les trois ans
- Le Comité Exécutif élu pour 3 ans par l'Assemblée Générale. Le C.E. se réunit ordinairement une fois l'an.

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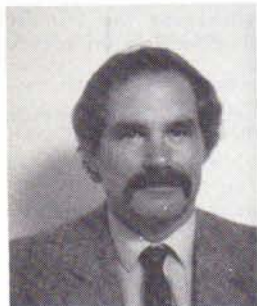
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- CASA-Newsletter
- Revue Africaine de Sociologie et d'Anthropologie
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INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF SOCIOLOGY

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The International Institute of Sociology (IIS) held its 28th International Congress in Albufeira, Portugal, in June 1986. A major action was confirmation of the decision to have future meetings only on the odd years, with the 29th International Congress scheduled for Rome, June 12-16, 1989. The 1991 Congress is scheduled in West Germany, and the IIS is exploring the possibility of having the 1993 Congress in France, to celebrate the Centennial of the IIS in the country where it was founded.

The continuing and newly elected officers are:

President: Edgar F. Borgatta (USA)
Vice-Presidents: Paolo Ammassari (Italy), Otto N. Larsen (USA), Erwin Scheuch (FRG).
Secretary General: R. Alan Hedley (Canada)
Conseillers: Hubert Blalock (USA), Shogo Koyano (Japan), Gioacchino Santanche (Italy), Manuel Soto Serulla (Spain), Pablo Suarez (Sweden)
Censeur: Alberto Gasperini (Italy)

Paolo Ammassari was asked to take charge of the development of the organizing committee for the Rome Congress, and inquiries may be directed to him at: Facoltà Scienze Statistiche, Piazzale Aldo Moro 5, 00185 Roma, Italy.

The journal REVUE INTERNATIONALE DE SOCIOLOGIE, the oldest sociological journal in existence, continues as the official publication of the IIS. It has begun a new series under the editorship of Mino Vianello, Faculty of Statistics, Demography and Actuarial Science, University of Rome. Under a special arrangement, members of the IIS will receive the journal for the three year period 1987-1989. Membership information should be requested from the secretariat of the IIS.

Report submitted by Edgar Borgatta

CATEGORY "E": SUPPORTING ORGANIZATIONS AND INSTITUTIONS

ILUSTRE COLEGIO NACIONAL DE CIENCIAS POLITICAS Y SOCIOLOGIA

(Year of admission: 1980, category "E")

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El Ilustre Colegio Nacional de Ciencias Políticas y Sociología (ICNCPS) is a non-profit national society of sociologists and political scientists. It was founded in 1953 with the main objective to promote and support the development of political science and sociology in Spain.

At present, ICNCPS has 2600 members united in the central organization in Madrid as well as in Regional Divisions established in Galicia, Valencia, Basque Country and Palencia. It is governed by the Board of Directors which is elected by the General Assembly.

Current officers are:

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Activities of the ICNCPS are carried on by eight Working Groups: Latin America, Sociology of Welfare, Education, Law, Military Sociology, Women, Social Psychology, Sociology of Health.

Each Group as well as the ICNCPS in general, organizes every year a number of conferences, seminars, round table debates which are open to a very broad public. In 1986 the following meetings took place:

- "Referendum on Spanish Participation in the NATO" coordinated by Agustín Galán Machio. Part I: Predictions, Part II: Analysis of the Results;
- "First Galician Congress of Political Science and Sociology" organized by the Galician Division of the ICNCPS;
- "Social Needs and Changes in the Social Security System" coordinated by Miguel Angel Ruiz de Azúa;
- "Analysis of the Results of the Election June 1986" organized jointly by the ICNCPS, Centro of Constitution Studies, Faculty of Political Sciences and Sociology of the Universidad Complutense in Madrid;
- "International Meeting on Comparative Politics and Third World" organized jointly by the ICNCPS, Colegio Mayor Nuestra Señora de Africa, and the Faculty of Political Sciences and Sociology of the Universidad Complutense in Madrid.

Courses organized by the ICNCPS in 1986:

- "Social Equality and (part I) Policy of a Municipality and Autonomous Communities, (part II) Management Company, (part III) Systems Theory". Director: Lorenzo Navarrete Moreno;
- "Sociology of Organizations" Director: Lorenzo Navarrete Moreno;
- "Citizens and the Policy of New Democracy: Spain 1976-1986" Coordinator: Miguel Angel Ruiz de Azúa;
- "Sociology and Planning of Social Services": Alberto Redondo de la Serna, Francisco Alvira Martín, Andrés Fernández Romero;
- "Indicators for Social Action. Methodology and Tables" a panel of experts.

ICNCPS maintains close contacts with the International Political Science Association and International Sociological Association.

Each year the ICNCPS grants two awards for the best publication and research project in sociology or/and political sciences.

ICNCPS regularly publishes a review "Cuadrenos de Ciencias Políticas y Sociología", and an informative newsletter "Hoja Informativa".

A list of book and other topical material published by the ICNCPS can be obtained from the secretariat.

Report submitted by Inés Alberdi Alonso



Maria del Mar Vanaclocha Bellever, General Secretary, and Miguel Angel Ruiz de Azua Anton, Dean



Lorenzo Navarrete Moren
Member of the Board of Directors

Inés Alberdi Alonso, Vice-Dean, reading an introduction
a lecture given by Tom Bottomore in Madrid, March 1987

CALENDAR OF FUTURE EVENTS

- January 27-29, 1988 First Portugese Congress of
Lisbon, Portugal Sociology
- March 28-31, 1988 Annual Conference of the
Edinburgh, Scotland British Sociological Assoc.
- April 5-8, 1988 IX European Meeting on Cyber-
Vienna, Austria netics and Systems Research
- 27 June - 1 July 1988 Int'l Research Conference on
Amsterdam, Holland Housing, Policy, and Urban
Innovation
- July 17-23, 1988 18th World Conference of the
Canberra, Australia Int'l Society for Music
Education

See ISA Bulletin 44 for more details.

June 24-26, 1988**Conference of the International
Organization for the Study of Group
Tensions**

- Theme: Problems of Racial, Ethnic, and other
Special Groups: National and
International Perspectives
- Place: Princeton University, USA
- Call for papers: Copies of abstracts and complete
papers should be sent no later than
January 15, 1988
- Information: Joseph B. Gittler
Department of Sociology and Anthropology
George Mason University
Fairfax, Virginia 22030, USA
tel. (703)273-3284, (703)323-2900
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August 25-26, 1988**Conference of the Association of People
and Physical Environment Research, PAPER**

- Place: Sydney, Australia
- Theme: Social/Environmental Cyclic Events and
their Resultant Effect
- Call for abstracts or proposals: no more than 300
words should be submitted before
11 January 1988 from Overseas and
14 December 1987 from Australia.
Papers may report the events or
decisions and their effects by
historical research, by empirical
research, as literature reviews, or
through argument from a theoretical
perspective.
- Information: R. Thorne
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29 août - 2 septembre 1988**XIIe Congrès de l'AISLF**

L'Association Internationale des Sociologues de
Langue Française (AISLF) tiendra son XIIIe Congrès à
Genève, du 29 août au 2 septembre 1988. Le thème
général en sera Le lien social. Identités
personnelles et solidarités collectives dans le monde
contemporain.

Les sociétés contemporaines sont affectées par des
déchirures profondes qui provoquent de multiples

entreprises de rééquilibrage et de recomposition.
La mondialisation de l'économie d'une part, le rôle
des individus dans la sphère privée d'autre part,
érodent les solidarités nationales et le sens
civique. Les rapports institués sont remis en
question à différents niveaux et selon diverses
modalités: changements organisationnels, négociation
de nouveaux rapports dans le monde du travail,
mutation des formes familiales et de parenté,
émergence de nouveaux réseaux informels. Au point
d'articulation entre le personnel et le social, dans
une dynamique incertaine entre la spontanéité
créatrice et l'anomie, se cherchent les régulations
institutionnelles et opératoires de futurs rapports
sociaux.

Comment comprendre de telles évolutions? Comment
rendre compte de ces processus? Telles sont les
questions qui seront à l'ordre du jour du congrès.

Les travaux s'organiseront autour de trois sous-
thèmes qui feront l'objet de séances plénières:

1. Mythes et valeurs dans la culture de l'éphémère
2. Les institutions à l'épreuve
3. Un nouvel individualisme?

En outre, une vingtaine de comités de recherche et de
groupes de travail divers travailleront sur des
problématiques en relation plus ou moins directe avec
le thème général. Des études concrètes basées sur des
observations précises seront vivement appréciées,
ceci sans négliger l'apport de travaux d'ordre
théorique, méthodologique, voire épistémologique
(sens et valeur de l'étude du lien social).

Des Actes du Congrès seront publiés. Des publications
complémentaires sont également envisagées par les
coordinateurs des différentes sections et par les
responsables des comités de recherche et groupe de
travail.

Le Congrès se déroulera dans les locaux de
l'Université de Genève. Les membres de l'AISLF en
règle de cotisation reçoivent automatiquement toutes
les informations nécessaires. Cette rencontre est
cependant ouverte aux sociologues qui ne sont pas
membres de l'association. Un Fonds de Bourses a été
créé en vue de contribuer à la participation de
collègues du Tiers Monde et des pays d'Europe de
l'Est. Des informations plus détaillées ainsi que
tous renseignements préalables à une inscription
éventuelle peuvent être obtenus auprès de:

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- Place: Hamburg, FRG
- Theme: Perspectives in Criminology, Challenges
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- Criminology and the Sciences of Man
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 - Crime and Abuses of Power
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imprisonment) and New Perspectives
 - Police Research
 - Women Studies in Criminology
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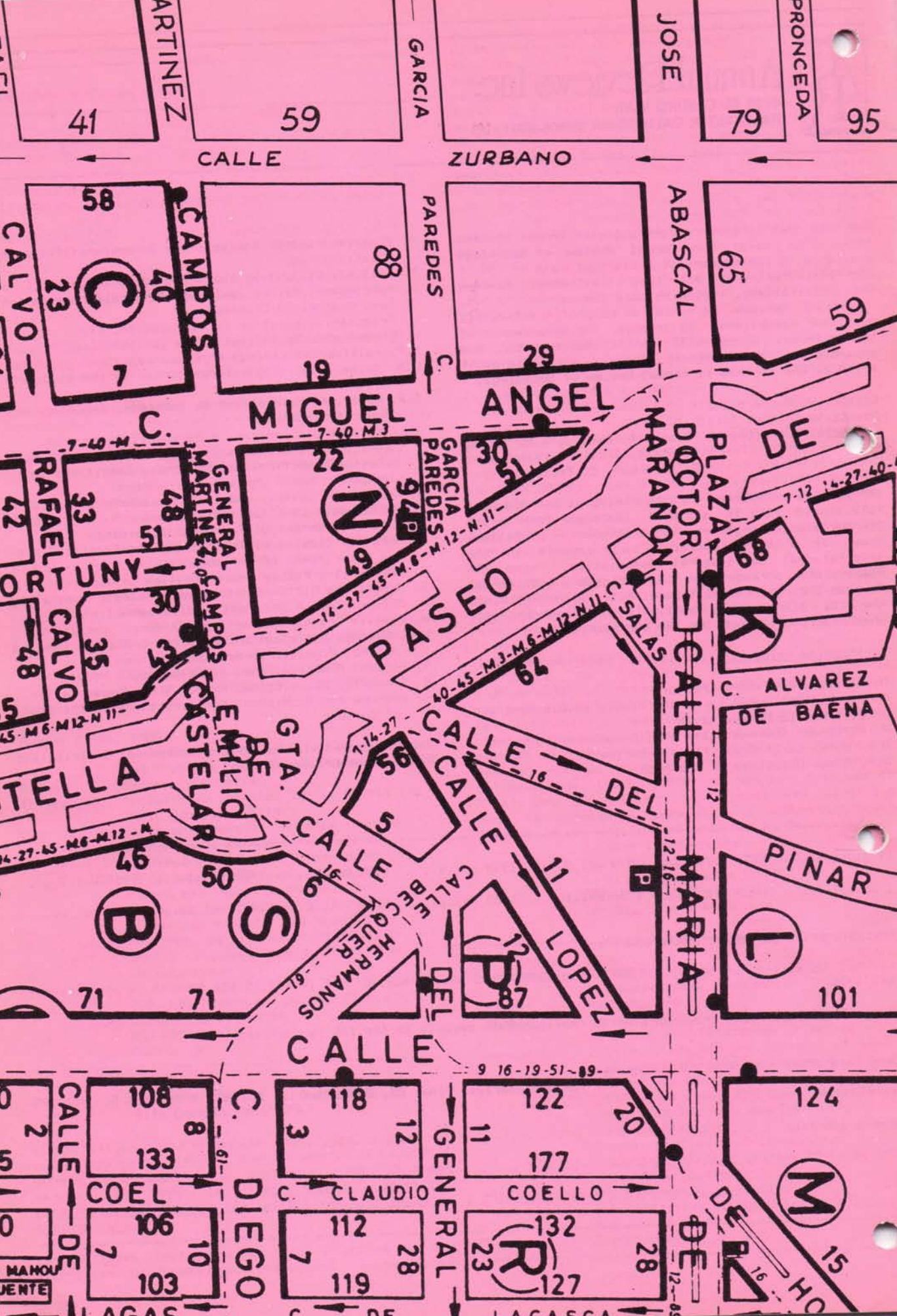
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