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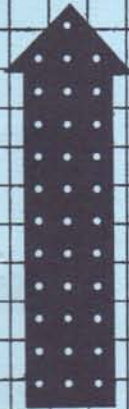


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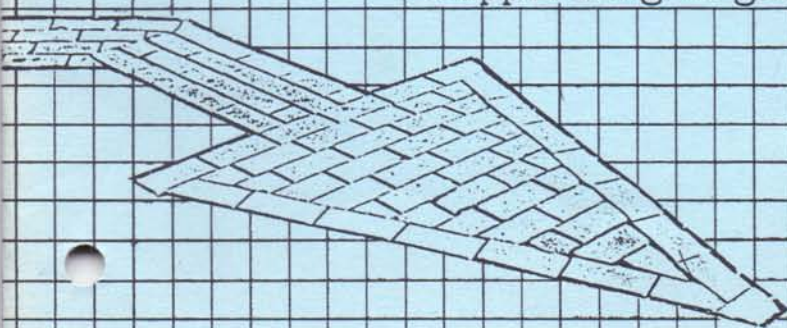
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**XI WORLD CONGRESS OF SOCIOLOGY
AUGUST 18-23, 1986 - NEW DELHI, INDIA**

REMINDERS:

The XI World Congress of Sociology will be held **August 18-23, 1986, in New Delhi, India.**
The official theme of the Congress is:
"SOCIAL CHANGE: PROBLEMS AND PERSPECTIVES".

PRE- and LATE-REGISTRATION FEES, with June 15, 1986 serving as preregistration deadline are:

	before 15 June '86	after 15 June '86
ISA members	\$ 100	\$ 150
non-ISA members	\$ 125	\$ 175
student ISA members	\$ 25	\$ 35
student non-ISA members & accompanying persons	\$ 35	\$ 45

Pre-registration forms will be printed in the Spring 1985 issue of the ISA Bulletin.

THE PROGRAM of the XI World Congress of Sociology will consist of:

- **Presidential session**
to be organized entirely by the ISA President, Fernando H. Cardoso (Monday, August 18, 1986, 09:00 -12:00)

- **Six Symposia**
to be organized by the Program Committee. Four sessions of each of these six symposia will run simultaneously from Tuesday (August 19) through Friday (August 22), 09:00-12:00; fifth sessions of Symposia II, IV, V will be held in the evening, 20:00-22:00, on days still to be determined.

- **Research Committees' sessions**
will be allotted up to ten time slots of two hours each, 14:00-16:00 and 16:30-18:30, from Monday (August 19) through Friday (August 22). When two or more Research Committees plan a joint session, an additional period of two hours will be allotted for that purpose.

- **Working Groups**
will have the same time slots available as the Research Committees;

- **other sessions**
will be held in the evening, 20:00-22:00, from Monday (August 18) through Friday (August 22);

- Ad Hoc Groups recognized by the Research Council - maximum 5 sessions;
- other Ad Hoc Groups - maximum 2 sessions;
- SSO (special sessions by international

organizations affiliated to the ISA) - maximum 2 sessions;

DEADLINES:

January 31, 1985

Research Committee and Working Group session topics and the names of session organizers should be received by the ISA Secretariat for publication in the Spring 1985 issue of the ISA Bulletin.

October 1, 1985

Full information on each session should be received by the ISA Secretariat. This should list:

- title of the sessions
- authors (discussants, etc.)
- title of their papers
- address of each author

Anything received later than this date may not be printed in the Congress Programme.

March 1, 1986

Abstracts of papers should be received by the ISA Secretariat. Forms and instructions for submitting abstracts will be sent from the ISA Secretariat to session organizers. Anything received after this date cannot be printed in the "Sociological Abstracts" issue included in the Congress kit.

AD HOC GROUPS AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS.

Ad Hoc Groups are similar to Research Committees in that they cover specialized areas of sociology, but they do not have officially established places in the continuing organization of the ISA. In 1984 the Research Coordinating Committee granted Ad Hoc Group status to the following six applicants who may in the future become Research Committees as international interest and collaboration in their specialties grows:

- Sociology of Agriculture (Chairman: L. Busch)
- Clinical Sociology (Chairman: R. Sévigny)
- Sociology of Population (Chairman: F. Yusuf)
- Sociocybernetics & Social Systems Theory (Chairman: F. Parra-Luna)
- Labor Movements in the Industrial and State Arenas (Chairman: M. Regini)
- Social Indicators (Chairman: R. Andorka)

These six Ad Hoc Groups are allotted up to 5 sessions in the program, while new applicants will be allotted up to 2 sessions.

To qualify for a place in the program, the potential ad hoc group must consist of: (a) a substantial number of sociologists, (b) from several

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countries, (c) who have already engaged in some collaboration, and (d) whose special interest does not properly fit within the field of an established Research Committee.

Other international organizations (affiliated to the ISA) may be granted up to 2 sessions for programs that promise to be distinctive and to have wide international appeal to participants in the World Congress. Those sessions are called **SSO** (special sessions by other international organizations).

March 31, 1985 is the **deadline for receipt of applications** by the Program Committee Chairman, Professor Joji Watanuki (Naka-Cho 2-12-11-606, Musashino-Shi, Tokyo 180, Japan) and by the ISA Secretariat. Application forms can be obtained from the ISA Secretariat. Applications will be reviewed by the Program Committee at its Spring 1985 meeting where final decisions will be taken.

THEMES AND COORDINATORS OF THE SYMPOSIA:

Symposium I Sociological Theories and Social Change

Coordinator: Allesandro Cavalli (Istituto di Sociologia, Università di Pavia, Via Mantovani 7, 27100 Pavia, Italy)

Subthemes: Conceptualizing social structure and social change: a critical analysis; Linking actors and structures; The time element in processes of social change; Beyond pluralistic coexistence: towards creative comparison.

Symposium II Social Institutions and Change

Coordinator: Melvin Kohn (Laboratory of Socio-Environmental Studies, Bldg. 31, National Institute of Health, Bethesda, MD 20205, USA)

Subthemes: Changes within institutions; Social movements and emerging institutions; The connectedness of institutions; Formal provisions, unmet needs and informal solutions; Controversies about facts and values in comparative studies on social change.

Symposium III Science and Technology in Social Change

Coordinator: Joji Watanuki (Naka-Cho 2-12-11-606, Musashino-Shi, Tokyo 180, Japan)

Subthemes: Positive and negative impacts of scientific and technological developments on society; Problems of controlling scientific and technological development; The information and communication revolution and its impact on national and international power structures; Science, technology and changes in social values.

Symposium IV Social Aspects of Economic Development

Coordinator: Erwin Scheuch (Inst. für Angewandte Sozialforschung, Universität zu Köln, Grienstrasse 2, D-5000 Köln 41, FRG)

Subthemes: The sociological meaning of economic crisis; The victims of economic change; The role of the state in economic change; The social consequences of the internationalization of the economy; Alternative paths of economic development.

Symposium V The Cultural Dimension of Social Change

Coordinator: Margaret Archer (Dept. of Sociology, University of Warwick, Coventry CV4 7AL, England)

Subthemes: The rise, fall, and resurrection of the concept of culture; Cultural contradictions and cultural continuities in social change; Cultural maps and cultural map-making; The changing faces of religion; National aspects of cultural development.

Symposium VI Sociological Aspects of Peace, Militarization and Conflict Resolution

Coordinators: Ulf Himmelstrand (Department of Sociology, University of Uppsala, Box 513, S-751 20 Uppsala, Sweden) Artur Meier (Dept. of Sociology of Education, Academy of Educational Sciences, Schulstrasse 29, 110 Berlin, GDR)

Subthemes: The sociology of peace - the state of the art; Peace movements as agents of social change; Values and conflict resolution; The causes and consequences of militarization.

XI World Congress of Sociology - Table of Academic Sessions

	9:00 - 12:00	14:00 - 16:00	16:30 - 18:30	20:00-22:00
Monday August 18th	Presidential Session	Research Committees Working Groups	Research Committees Working Groups	Ad Hoc, SSO
Tuesday August 19th	Symposia	Research Committees Working Groups	Research Committees Working Groups	Symposia Ad Hoc, SSO
Wednesday August 20th	Symposia	Research Committees Working Groups	Research Committees Working Groups	Symposia Ad Hoc, SSO
Thursday August 21th	Symposia	Research Committees Working Groups	Research Committees Working Groups	Symposia Ad Hoc, SSO
Friday August 22th	Symposia	Research Committees Working Groups	Research Committees Working Groups	Symposia Ad Hoc, SSO

NEWS FROM THE RESEARCH COMMITTEES

RC 05
ETHNIC, RACE AND MINORITY RELATIONS

Peter Reinsch has been appointed Secretary of the Research Committee for the period 1984-1986. He is also in charge of producing the RC Newsletter; members are welcome to submit their communications for publication to:

Peter Reinsch
c/o ISA Secretariat
Oude Hoogstraat 24
1012 CE Amsterdam
The Netherlands

The Research Committee proposes to hold a colloquium on Marxist perspectives on ethnicity and nationalism at the Institute for Political Studies, University of Belgrade (Yugoslavia), September 2-3, 1985. The meeting will consist of four main sessions focussing on the following broad issues:

1. Marxist and Neo-Marxist Theories of Ethnicity and Nationalism
2. Marxist Theory and Practice in Socialist States
3. Marxist Theory and Practice in Third World States
4. Marxist Interpretations of Ethnicity, Race and Nationalism in Capitalist States

Completed papers should be ready by July 15, 1985 to allow time for circulation to discussants and other participants prior to the meeting. It is intended to publish the resulting papers either as a special issue of a journal (e.g. "Ethnic & Racial Studies" or "International Sociology") or as a book.

Abstracts of proposed contributions should be sent before 31st January, 1985 to:

John Stone
Dept. of Social Science & Administration
University of London, Goldsmiths' College
New Cross, London SE14 6NW, United Kingdom

RC 09
SOCIAL PRACTICE AND SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION

The information published in ISA Bulletin 35 should be supplemented by the following items:

Orlando Fals Borda (Columbia), Ellen B. Hill (Switzerland) and Ortwin Renn (FRG) were chosen to the editorial committee for the publication of papers presented at the regional meeting on "Social Consequences of the New Technologies". The meeting was organized by RC 09, Social Practice and Social Transformation, and RC 07, Futures Research, and held at the Sociological Institute of Zurich University, August 1984.

Traditionally, the Chairman of the Research Committee has always been the Newsletter Editor. Since Ulf Himmelstrand's resignation from the position of Chairman for reasons of health, Peter Park serves as Chairman-protem and, consequently, editor of the Newsletter. Members are welcome to send their information directly to Peter Park (Department of Sociology, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Mass. 01003, USA).

RC 16
NATIONAL MOVEMENTS AND IMPERIALISM

submitted by Anouar Abdel-Malek, Chairman

The logistics of RC 16 changed considerably after the Mexico World Congress. For one thing, the executive Secretariat was moved to the Centro de Estudios Economicos y Sociales (CEESTEM), Mexico City (Mexico), Jorge Serrano being in charge. The transition from Paris to Mexico caused minor financial and logistical problems, yet led to a reinforced Secretariat during 1982-1983.

The priority scientific field of RC 16, as defined at the Uppsala World Congress, and stressed anew at the Mexico World Congress, is as follows:

- a) The comparative-critical, prospective oriented, study of the interrelation between power and culture in a period of the transformation.
- b) This major thrust envisages the pursuit of field studies on national movements; the national question, the problem of the nation, state, social power, essentially in the three continents of Asia, Africa and Latin America, yet always in comparison with the western world.
- c) At the same time, and as a convergence area, the pursuit of the exploration of major items in the comparative sociology of contemporary civilizations, already initiated powerfully during the special session: "Civilizations: One or many?" at the Uppsala IXth World Congress of Sociology.

Scientific collaboration with the United Nations University's Projects on: "Socio-Cultural Development Alternatives in a Changing World (SCA)" and "The Emergence of New Social Thought (NST)" was reinforced since 1983. Thus the number of Research Papers, commissioned by the UNU-NST Project, have been designed as joint Research Papers between the two units:

- NST Volume I: "World Crisis or World Transformation?"
NST Volume II: "New Social Thought: The Formative Moulds"
NST Volume III: "The Civilization Quest: Projects and Strategies"

The Committee is pursuing correspondence with the proposed Forum of Sociologists and Social Scientists of the Third World, initiated at CEESTEM, Mexico, with a view to strengthen potential joint activities.

Meetings. The pursuit of the Joint Symposia on: "Culture and Power in a Changing World", the first of which was held in 1981 at CEESTEM, Mexico, is envisaged. The second of the Joint Symposia will be the major organized activity of RC 16 between the two World Congresses.

Publications. RC 16 will publish the following texts before the Delhi World Congress:

- One Volume bringing together selected topical contributions presented at the Uppsala and Mexico World Congresses, to be published in London, England. The manuscript and contract are now being negotiated.
- Several Joint Research Papers in the UNU/NST Projects Three-Volumes Series.
- The publication, subject to availability from CEESTEM, Mexico, of the first Joint Symposium of: "Culture and Power in a Changing World: Latin America".
- Newsletter No. 5 (1983-1985), summing up RC activities in this period.

RC 23**SOCIOLOGY OF SCIENCE**

On September 3-5, 1984 in Varna (Bulgaria), the Research Committee in cooperation with the Bulgarian Sociological Association held a conference on "New Trends in the Sociology of Science and Knowledge". 60 scholars participated in opening and closing plenary sessions, and simultaneously ran meetings of two thematic sections: "Problems of Sociology of Sciences and Knowledge" and "Science Policy" coorganized with the International Council for Science Policy Studies.

Board members of the Research Committee held a business meeting where future plans and the preliminary program for the 1986 World Congress of Sociology were discussed. David Bloor resigned from the Board; Galin Gornev was coopted for the remainder of the period 1982-1986.



Section "Science Policy" at work: Jacqueline Cramer (University of Amsterdam), Vojin Milic (University of Beograd), Steven Yearley (Belfast), Rob Hagendijk (University of Amsterdam).

RC 28**SOCIAL STRATIFICATION**

Recent scientific meetings organized by the Committee:

October 1983, Amsterdam (The Netherlands): There was no special theme designated and participants were invited to present papers on all topic included within the Committee's range of interest.

September 1984, Budapest (Hungary): "Dimensions of Social Stratification" organized by Tamas Kolosi at the Institute for Social Sciences.

Future meetings:

May 7-9, 1985, Duisburg (FRG)
"New differentiations of status structures?"
organizer: Hermann Strasser

Second week of September 1985, Cambridge, Mass. (USA), organizer: Aage B. Sørensen

Easter 1986, Rome (Italy)
organizer: Paolo Ammassari

August 18-23, 1986, New Delhi (India)
XIth World Congress of Sociology

Spring 1987, Nurnberg (FRG)
organizer: Manfred Kaiser

Autumn 1987, Berkeley, California (USA)
organizer: Michael Hout

1988, Madison, Wisconsin (USA)
organizer: Robert M. Hauser

RC 33**LOGIC AND METHODOLOGY IN SOCIOLOGY**

The Western European Interim Meeting of the Research Committee, organized by Alberto Marradi (Vice-President), Ray Pawson and Helmut Artus (Board members), took place in Rome (Italy), September 26-29, 1984.

This so called Rome Symposium on Concept Formation and Measurement, was grouped around not only European RC 33 members; the participants came from: Algeria (1), Australia (1), FRG (4), Italy (3 for the whole time, several others for one or two days), Sweden (1), United Kingdom (4), USA (4). Although, in accordance with the RC's name, the topics ranged from pure epistemology to the development and application of special methods, the focus was on measurement scales, respectively the levels of measurement scales.

The second Western Hemisphere meeting will be organized by Helmut Artus in Germany, in late 1985 or early 1986.

The Eastern Hemisphere Interim Meeting sponsored jointly by RC 33 and the Dutch Sociometric Society, was held October 3-5, 1984 in Amsterdam (The Netherlands).

The meeting, known as International Congress on Methodological Research, was organized by Willem Saris (University of Amsterdam), on behalf of the other members of the International Program Committee (Vladimir Andreyenkow, Manfred Kuechler, Alberto Marradi). The remarkable smoothness of the local arrangements was secured by Kees Aarts (University of Amsterdam) who made every effort to ensure a successful organization of the meeting.

The conference was attended by some 150 participants (not counting numerous students), with some 50 scholars coming from countries other than Holland: Algeria, Australia, FRG, GDR, Poland, United Kingdom, Yugoslavia.

The "Conference Preparation Book" (160 pages) listed abstracts for each paper, facilitating the choice between three simultaneously run sessions. Sessions covered a wide range of topics, among them: Time Series Analysis, Causal Modelling, Content Analysis, Sampling and Survey Research, and Categorical Data Analysis. The conference was highlighted by three invited lectures given by Louis Guttman, Howard Schumann, and David Bartholomew.

Microcomputers located in the lobby were available for a computer-assisted conference evaluation. In addition, a book exhibition, organized by **Wisepress** of London, attracted a lot of attention. At its display, Wisepress, a specialist book exhibition company, presented approximately 300 titles from 25 different publishing houses. The catalogue of the publications was available free of charge, and all the publications could be ordered during the conference. The Exhibition became an important feature of the conference, and we would like to recommend the services of Wisepress to organizers of forthcoming conferences

of the Research Committees. For any further information, contact:

Penelope Head
Wisepress Book Exhibitions
Ashford House, 39 High Street
Wimbledon Village, London SW 19
United Kingdom



Willem Saris Manfred Küchler
University of Amsterdam RC 33 Secretary

At the Rome Symposium on "Concept Formation and Measurements" held in Centro Studi per l'Evoluzione Umana



RC 34
SOCIOLOGY OF YOUTH

The XIIIth International Meeting on "The Problems of Youth Research" was held on September 17-22, 1984 at the International Youth Centre in Primorsko, Bulgaria. The meeting was hosted by the Institute of Youth Studies in Sofia. It was organized as a regional meeting of the East European and the Soviet members of the Research Committee. The meeting consisted of a symposium on the "Problems of the Young Family", and two round tables discussions: "The Young Woman as a Mother and as a Working and Socially Active

Person", and "Negative Phenomena in Society and Youth". There was also an ad hoc group "Spontaneous Youth Groups", and meetings of the research teams of two international comparative studies: "The Young Replacements of the Working Class", and "The Leisure Time of Youth", a business meeting on questions of multilateral cooperation.

45 researchers participated in the meeting, coming from: Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, the GDR, Hungary, Poland, Romania, and the USSR; in addition, there were also youth researchers from Cuba and the FRG.

An international workshop on "New Technologies, Youth Employment and the Transition from School to Work" coordinated by the European Centre for Information and Documentation in Social Sciences, was held in Sofia (Bulgaria), November 11-14, 1984. The Bulgarian Institute of Youth Studies acted as a coorganizer.

19 researchers from 13 European countries participated in the workshop. Among the participants were representatives of RC 10 Participation, Workers' Control and Self-management", RC 19 Sociology of Poverty, Social Welfare and Social Policy, RC 30 Sociology of Work, and RC 34 Sociology of Youth.

HISTORIES OF THE RESEARCH COMMITTEES

(Continued, see Bulletins 27, 29-33)

Prepared by Kurt Jonassohn and Sergio Contreras

HISTORY OF RC 22 SOCIOLOGY OF RELIGION

Origins. During the IIIrd World Congress of Sociology (Amsterdam, August 1956), a meeting on "The Sociology of Religion" was jointly convened by the Groupe de Sociologie des Religions of the Centre d'Etudes Sociologiques (France) and by the Department of Sociology of the London School of Economics. The special sessions were attended by around 100 persons. Gabriel LeBras (France) and Norman Birnbaum (UK) chaired the sessions. People from 10 countries delivered papers, some of which were printed in the ARCHIVES DE SOCIOLOGIE DES RELIGIONS.

Three years later, at the IVth World Congress of Sociology (Milan, September 1959), the Groupe de Sociologie des Religions of CNRS (Paris) and sociologists from a number of other countries held a meeting attended by some 90 sociologists from about 20 countries. Norman Birnbaum chaired the sessions. During these session the formation of a scientific sub-committee of the ISA in the field of the sociology of religion was discussed; participants elected a provisional coordinating committee to establish contacts with the ISA Executive Committee and to follow the suggestions made at the meeting. Its members were: Buralassi (Italy), Fiamengo (Yugoslavia), Fichter (USA), Falardeau (Canada), Frantzev (USSR), Goldschmidt (FRG), Kruijt (The Netherlands), Taplamacioglu (Turkey), Vogt (Norway-Italy), while Birnbaum (UK) and Desroche (France) served as secretaries. After

the 1959 World Congress, the ISA Executive Committee decided to recognize a scientific sub-committee on sociology of religion.

Executive and members. The first president of the sub-committee was Gabriel LeBras (France), and the secretary was Norman Birnbaum (UK). During the first 3 years, the sub-committee had a membership of 10 persons, coming from 9 countries: Canada (1), France (2), FRG (1), Italy (1), The Netherlands (1), Norway (1), UK (1), USA (1), USSR (1).

By 1962, the year of the Vth World Congress of Sociology (Washington, D.C.), the Committee membership had increased to 16 persons, from 15 countries: Brazil (1), Ceylon (1), Colombia (1), France (1), FRG (1), India (1), Japan (1), The Netherlands (1), Norway (1), Pakistan (1), Spain (1), UK (1), USA (2), USSR (1), Yugoslavia (1).

Having suffered the death in early 1970 of the Research Committee President, Gabriel LeBras, the board was renewed at the VIth World Congress in Varna, 1970:

President: Norman Birnbaum (USA)
Delegate to the Research Council
Vice-Presidents:
Dimitri Ugrinovitch (USSR)
Ivan Varga (Hungary)
Secretary: Hans Mol (Canada)
Alternate to the Research Council
Members: François Houtart (Belgium)
Jacques Verscheure (France)
Bryan Wilson (UK)

At the time of the VIIIth World Congress of Sociology (Toronto 1974), the Committee had 53 members. During the Congress, a new board was elected:

President: Hans Mol (Canada)
Delegate to the Research Council
Vice-Presidents:
Kiyomi Morioka (Japan)
Dimitri Ugrinovitch (USSR)
Secretary: Karel Dobbelaere (Belgium)
Members: Norman Birnbaum (USA)
Olof Klohr (GDR)
David Moberg (USA), in charge of liaison with CURRENT SOCIOLOGY
Viktor Timofeev (USSR)
Ivan Varga (Canada)
Jacques Verscheure (France)
Bryan Wilson (UK)

During the 4 years between 1970-74, the president and secretary of the Research Committee were elected as executive members of the International Conference for the Sociology of Religion (CISR). This arrangement became a tradition which is still maintained today. Bryan Wilson (President of the CISR) and Jacques Verscheure (Secretary) were invited to join the Research Committee Executive. This practice of close cooperation with the CISR was reaffirmed during the Uppsala Congress, when it was decided to elect to the Committee's board the representatives of both the CISR and the ASR (Association for the Sociology of Religion).

The new board elected in Uppsala was:
President: Karel Dobbelaere (Belgium)
Delegate to the Research Council
Vice-Presidents:
Taufik Abdullah (Indonesia)
Miklos Tomka (Hungary)

Secretary: James A. Beckford (UK)
Alternate to the Research Council
Members: Otto Maduro (Venezuela)
Meredith McGuire (USA)
Dimitri Ugrinovitch (USSR)
Ivan Varga (Canada)
CISR Liaison: David A. Martin (UK)
Jacques Verscheure (France)
ASR Liaison: David O. Moberg (USA)

In February 1980 the register of members contained about 120 members from 31 countries: Australia (3), Austria (2), Belgium (3), Brazil (2), Bulgaria (1), Chile (1), Canada (16), Finland (3), France (5), FRG (9), Hungary (1), India (1), Indonesia (1), Israel (1), Italy (6), Japan (3), Korea (1), The Netherlands (4), New Zealand (10), Nigeria (1), Norway (2), South Africa (1), Spain (2), Sweden (6), Switzerland (2), USA (28), USSR (1), Venezuela (3), Yugoslavia (1).

At the Xth World Congress in Mexico City (1982), the following were elected to the board:

President: James A. Beckford (UK)
Delegate to the Research Council
Past-President: Karel Dobbelaere (Belgium)
Vice-Presidents:
Braj Sinha (India)
Miklos Tomka (Hungary)
Secretary: Nikos Kokosalakis (UK)
Members: Gustavo Guizzardi (Italy)
Adrianus Koster (The Netherlands)
James T. Richardson (USA)
Dimitri Ugrinovitch (USSR)
ASR liaison: Meredith McGuire (USA)
CISR liaison: David Martin (UK)
Jacques Verscheure (France)

Meetings.

March 1960, Oxford (UK):
A meeting was held at Nuffield College, Oxford at the initiative of Norman Birnbaum. 13 specialists were present, among them 4 members of the sub-committee. They came from: Belgium (1), France (2), FRG (1), Italy (1), The Netherlands (2), Norway (1), Spain (1), UK (2), USA (1), and the General Secretary of the ISA.

September 1962, Washington (USA):
Two main topics were discussed by the Research Committee at the Vth World Congress of Sociology: "Theoretical Problems of the Sociology of Religion", where 5 papers were presented, and "Towards a Comparative Sociology of Religion", where 6 papers were read.

September 9, 1962, Washington (USA):
A special meeting on Sociology of Religion took place at Georgetown University, a few days after the Vth World Congress. Two American groups (The Religious Research Association and the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion) took the responsibility for organizing the conference. Some 84 participants from 22 countries were able to review the present state of research in the field. As a result of the discussion, the Research Committee was charged with the task of inquiring into the feasibility of an international research project on "Youth and Religion".

Between 1963-64, the Groupe de sociologie des religions of the Centre d'Etudes Sociologiques in Paris conducted a pilot study for the project on "Youth and Religion" among Parisian students.

Forty open-ended interviews were analyzed bearing on religious and social attitudes, as well as on the relationship between them and the respondents' views on the future of individual and society.

In 1964 a seminar was held on "Religion and Development", conducted by Henri Desroche (France) and Norman Birnbaum (UK).

September 1966, Evian:

Approximately 14 papers were presented during the Research Committee's sessions at the VIth World Congress of Sociology. Authors came from Australia (1), Bulgaria (4), France (1), Hungary (1), Japan (1), Switzerland (1), Taiwan (1), USA (3), USSR (1).

September 1970, Varna (Bulgaria):

During the VIIth World Congress the Research Committee held three sessions:

- Session 1: Secularization (11 papers)
- Session 2: Internationalization of research in the sociology of religion (7 papers)
- Session 3: Others (7 papers)

The authors of these 25 papers came from: Bulgaria (6), Canada (2), FRG (1), Israel (1), Japan (1), Lebanon (1), Norway (1), South Africa (1), Switzerland (1), UK (2), USA (3), USSR (4), Yugoslavia (1).

Between the VIIth and the VIIIth World Congresses of Sociology no conferences were held, primarily because the 1971 Opatija and the 1973 The Hague conferences of the International Conference for the Sociology of Religion served very much the same purpose as the Research Committee had, and applied similar academic standards. The meeting in The Hague, on the topic of "The Contemporary Metamorphoses of Religion" was held on the occasion of the 12th International Conference for the Sociology of Religion.

1974, Toronto (Canada):

The program of the VIIIth World Congress of Sociology included 4 sessions on Sociology of Religion:

- Session 1: The scientific and cultural revolution and its effect on religion (10 papers)
- Session 2(a) The sociology of religion and the sociology of knowledge (8 papers)
- Session 2(b) Information systems for research in the sociology of religion (6 papers)
- Session 3: Sociological research: religion, methods, techniques, processes (4 papers)
- Session 4: The new religious phenomena
 - Part I: New religious developments in different countries (3 papers)
 - Part II: New patterns of sectarianism (3 papers)

These 34 papers were written by authors coming from: Australia (1), Austria (1), Belgium (1), Brazil (1), Canada (5), France (3), Hungary (1), India (1), Italy (1), The Netherlands (1), South Africa (1), UK (4), USA (8), USSR (5).

Between the VIIIth and the IXth World Congresses of Sociology, the Research Committee continued its cooperation with the CISR:

1975, Lloret del Mar, near Barcelona (Spain):

CISR conference on "Religion and Social Change".

1977, Strasbourg (France):

The Research Committee coorganized with CISR the

conference on "Religion and Symbolism".

August 1978, Uppsala (Sweden):

During the IXth World Congress of Sociology, the Committee presented the following program:

- Session 1: Religion and social development (1 paper)
- Session 2: Religion and identity (20 papers - 12 were published by Sage)
- Session 3: Religion and secularization
- Session 4: New religious movements (5 papers, 1 discussant, 9 panelists)
- Session 5: Religion and spiritual well-being: theoretical and conceptual studies (7 papers)
- Session 6: Religion and spiritual well-being: qualitative and quantitative research (3 papers)

These 36 papers came from: Australia (2), Canada (10), France (1), FRG (3), Ghana (1), India (2), Indonesia (1), Malta (1), The Netherlands (1), South Africa (1), UK (6), USA (6), Venezuela (1).

All sessions were well attended with an average of 70 to 80 people, twice as many as at the Toronto and Varna Congresses.

Cooperation with the CISR was maintained in the years following the Uppsala Congress at:

- The biannual meeting of the CISR, Venice, Italy, 1979
- The meeting of the CISR in Lausanne (Switzerland), on "Religion, Values and Everyday Life", August 30 - September 3, 1981.

August 1982, Mexico City:

During the Xth World Congress in Mexico City, the Committee organized following 9 sessions:

- Session 1: New religious movements (3 presentations, 1 discussant)
- Session 2: 4 miscellaneous papers
- Session 3: Sociolinguistics and religion (4 papers, 1 discussant)
- Session 4: Modern religion, modern societies, modern theories and global change (1 paper)
- Session 5: 5 miscellaneous papers
- Session 6: 7 miscellaneous papers
- Session 7: Religion in the new nations (6 papers)
- Session 8: Religion and secularization in socialist countries (1 presentation)
- Session 9: Religion and death-related behaviour (4 papers, 1 discussant)

These 35 papers came from: Belgium (1), Canada (1), FRG (1), India (7), Israel (1), Italy (3), Japan (2), Mexico (1), The Netherlands (4), Sweden (1), UK (3), USA (8), USSR (1), Venezuela (1).

Publications. In September 1979, the Research Committee asked the ISA for a \$650 grant which was allocated. This money helped to distribute to all of the Research Committee's 120 members a NEWSLETTER (No.4) supplying useful information about scientific meetings and arrangements for the Xth World Congress of Sociology. It also helped to circulate a register of names, addresses and research interests of all members who completed a brief questionnaire included in the NEWSLETTER of 1979. These costs amounted to about one half of the grant, the balance being used to finance similar projects in 1981 and 1982.

In 1982 the UNESCO's Division for the Inter-

national Development of the Social Sciences awarded the Research Committee a grant of \$12,000 for producing a book of ten chapters dealing with **NEW RELIGIOUS MOVEMENTS AND RAPID SOCIAL CHANGE**. James A. Beckford is the editor and contributors would be drawn from many different parts of the world. It is expected that the work will be completed in 1984 and that publication will take place in the next year.

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TRANSACTIONS OF THE VIth WORLD CONGRESS OF SOCIOLOGY, Vol.IV. Sofia, 1973. Contains 3 papers on sociology of religion presented at the Congress.

_____ HISTORY OF RC 27
_____ SOCIOLOGY OF SPORT

by Günther Lüschen, President

Origins. It was in 1964 when upon the initiative of the late Ference Hepp (Hungary) the following persons convened in Geneva to discuss the foundation of the International Committee for Sociology of Sport:

Joffre Dumazedier (France)
Gunter Erbach (GDR)
Kalevi Heinila (Finland)
Günther Lüschen (FRG)
Peter Molutosh (England)
Aleksander Novikow (USSR)
Andrzej Wohl (Poland)

In January 1965, this group, joined by Gregory Stone (USA), held its founding session in Warsaw (Poland) and drew up statutes, which with slight alterations have been in existence ever since. Andrzej Wohl (Poland) was elected President, Günther Lüschen (USA) General Secretary.

These statutes set the objective of the Committee, terms of office and, among others, election procedures of the Committee. It was furthermore agreed that members after sufficient scrutiny would be invited upon their scholarly merit and would represent only themselves but not any specific nation. As the political dimension in sport and its organization was and is rather obvious, the latter was considered crucial and has been followed rather carefully. Consequently, while consideration was given toward sufficient regional and national representation on the Board, political problems never interfered with the work of the Committee.

In this early phase organizational affiliations were sought with both the ISA and the International Council of Sport Science and Physical Education (ICSSPE). The latter had actually initiated the Committee through Professor Ference Hepp. Within ISA, ICSS became its 13th Research Committee.

At that time the sociology of sport could refer only to a few succinct sociological publications, among which Norman Triplett's famous experimental study on pacemaking and competition (*American Journal of Psychology*, 1898), Risse's "Soziologie des Sports" (Leipzig 1921), Florian Znaniecki's "Sociology of Education" (1931), and Huizinga's "Homo Ludens" (1938) rank prominently. However, there was no concerted effort as these analyses were rather the result of individual interests or the byproduct of other projects, such as the problem of performance and individual vs. group in Moede's "Experimentale Massenpsychologie" (1920).

The situation was not that much different in 1964/65. There were a few individuals in each country. What made a difference was that the institution of sport had expanded rather drastically from a period when it was the pastime of a few well-to-do in its organized form, and of the broad masses at annual fairs, or after church-going, in tests of prowess or games that had run their course since the Middle Ages. At least in terms of participation, the institution of sport had now surpassed religion in modern societies. What made a difference as well, were the two international organizations: ISA and ICSSPE, where people with insight rose to the occasion in supporting the organization of ICSS as it became known ever since. In the ISA it was René König, in the ICSSPE the late Philipp Noel-Baker and his associate, the late William Jones, internationally known as Mr. Basketball.

In a way, ICSS was a creation from the top down. Nowhere was there any national group with the exception of a section in the Japanese Society for Physical Education. ICSS became the meeting place for a dispersed group of a few sociologists interested in sport and a stimulant for at times rather singular national efforts. In the meantime ICSS has had an impact on the organization of national groups in such countries as Bulgaria,

Finland, France, East and West Germany, North America, Poland, USSR.

The major orientation of the Committee was, however, not organizational in itself. It set out to do essentially four things in the effort to foster the sociology of sport:

- Conduct regular seminars on important topics within the discipline;
- Stimulate as well as conduct cross-national research;
- Assist the dissemination of information among scholars interested in the field through publications, bibliographies and a regular newsletter;
- Promote understanding among social science scholars and practitioners/policymakers in sport;

Conferences. In 1966 the first international seminar of the Committee was held at the University of Cologne (FRG) on "Small Group Research and Sport". At this meeting sponsored by the ISA, Roger Girod (Switzerland), then General Secretary of the ISA, could welcome 110 participants from all over the world. Subsequently the Committee conducted sessions at the World Congresses of Sociology (1970, 1974, 1978, 1982) and at the Olympic Congress (1972, 1976, 1980, 1984). In the off-years following the Cologne seminar, a series of seminars/symposia was organized on the following themes:

- Cross-cultural research on sport (Illinois, USA, 1967, Leicester, U.K., 1968)
- Working class youth and sport (Vienna, Austria, 1968)
- Methodological problems in the sociology of sport (Macolin, Switzerland, 1969)
- Sport and socialization (Waterloo, Canada, 1971)
- The analysis of children's games (Bucarest, Romania, 1973)
- Sport organizations (Heidelberg, FRG, 1975)
- Sport and culture (Warsaw, Poland, 1979)
- Sport and life-style (Halle, GDR, 1981)
- Sport in modern society (Paris, France, 1983)

Research projects. The Committee sponsored and through its members carried out, the following cross-national research projects:

- Careers of top athletes
- Sport and leisure
- Attitude toward sport in Finland and the U.K.
- Policymaking in National Olympic Committees.

Engagement beyond the sphere of scholarship in practical problems of sport occurs fairly regularly. Twice UNESCO called upon expert advice of the Committee, and such practical impact is secured particularly well via the Committee's membership in ICSSPE, the leading international sport science organization.

Membership. The membership consists mainly of representatives from the fields of sociology and sport science, but there are philosophers, political scientists, and psychologists as well. The Committee now has 135 regular and 99 corresponding, student and institutional members from 30 countries.

At present the Executive Board members are:
President:

Alan Ingham (USA)

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These six are joined in an extended Board by:

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B. McPherson (Canada)

K. Petrovic (Yugoslavia)

V. Stolyarov (USSR)

K. Weis, Editor IRSS, ex-officio

Publications. Regarding publications, the Committee was instrumental in assisting the publication of proceedings of the seminars/symposia, an international bibliography (CURRENT SOCIOLOGY, vol.XV-3, 1967) while it has now for 17 years published the INTERNATIONAL REVIEW OF SPORT SOCIOLOGY under the editorship of Andrzej Wohl (Poland). In 1983 the IRSS changed its location to Munich (FRG) and is published by Oldenbourg Verlag. Kurt Weis (Technische Universität, Munich, FRG) is the editor-in-chief, while Eric Dunning (U.K.), Klaus Heinemann (FRG), and Zbigniew Krawczyk (Poland) serve as associate editors. Moreover, members and friends biannually receive the ICSS BULLETIN, a regular source of information about the field.

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REPORTS FROM THE COLLECTIVE MEMBERS OF THE ISA

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Membership: 350 Australian members and 100 New Zealand members, giving a total membership of about 450.

Recent activities. The annual conference of SAANZ was held from 25-28 August, 1983 at Melbourne College of Advanced Education. The Annual General Meeting of the Association took place in conjunction with the Conference. The symposia titles were as follows:

- Current problems of sociology
- The Australian state
- Feminist social theory: the challenge to sociology
- Cultural and economic production

Publications.

THE AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND JOURNAL OF SOCIOLOGY, the journal of the Association, is published three times a year; the editors are John Western (University of Queensland) and Stewart Clegg (Griffith University).

Owen Dent (The Australian National University, Canberra) has recently produced for the Association a publication POSTGRADUATE STUDIES IN SOCIOLOGY. This publication provides information for students contemplating postgraduate studies in sociology in Australia and New Zealand.

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On June 27, 1984, in Sofia, the Bulgarian Sociological Association (BSA), marked its 25th

anniversary. Having started as a sociological society in June 1959, it succeeded in a comparatively brief period of time at developing a wide range of activities. Besides members of the Council and of the Auditing Commission of the BSA, members of the Sofia Sociological Society, many sociologists, scientific workers and public figures, participated in the Jubilee Meeting. The BSA was awarded the order "People's Republic of Bulgaria - 1st class" for its contributions to the development of sociological science and in connection with the 25th anniversary of its foundation.



Nico Yahiel, President of the Bulgarian Sociological Association, presenting a paper at the meeting held on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of the BSA

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The Canadian Sociology and Anthropology Association / La Société Canadienne de Sociologie et d'Anthropologie (CSAA/SCSA) is a professional association which promotes research, publication and teaching in anthropology and sociology in Canada. Its members include anthropologists and sociologists in education, government and business, students and individuals from other disciplines or affiliations who share a concern for anthropology and sociology.

Membership: 980 individual and 720 institutional members.

The ongoing activities of the association include:

- The publication of THE CANADIAN REVIEW OF SOCIOLOGY AND ANTHROPOLOGY / LA REVUE CANADIENNE DE SOCIOLOGIE ET D'ANTHROPOLOGIE. The Review is a professional journal, published four times a year, including articles and book reviews. All members of the association receive this journal.
- The organization of an annual conference in conjunction with the meetings of the Learned Societies. In 1983 approximately 400 members met in Vancouver, B.C.; in 1984 the meetings were held in Guelph, Ontario.
- The publication of SOCIETY / SOCIETE. This newsletter is published periodically in order to inform members of events and issues considered relevant to their disciplines. Topics include administrative concerns, those of a social policy nature, as well as academic and employment news.
- The articulation of social policy concerns expressed by the membership, as well as the promotion of those concerns with the relevant groups or agencies. This has meant the preparation of briefs for presentation to government or other formal organizations, the expression of opinion through letters or publications, financial support for issues of concern to the disciplines and even the enactment of boycotts in extreme cases. Topics which have been addressed in the recent past include the Canadianization of education, the position of women, native rights and

government funding of the social sciences.

- The support of members who feel they have been unjustly treated or are concerned about situations which they feel violate ethical principles relevant to their disciplines. The association has represented members interests in issues of employment, promotion and professional relations.
- Special services to students. Besides the benefits that students have as members of the association, there are a number of programs especially designed to meet their needs. These include: Fellowship and Grant Application Bank; Thesis and Dissertation Proposal Bank; Employment services at the annual meetings, and reduced prices for membership.

Other activities:

- an exchange program of scholars between Canada and Poland
- the publication of a DIRECTORY OF SOCIOLOGY, ANTHROPOLOGY AND ARCHEOLOGY DEPARTMENTS IN CANADA

COLOMBIAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

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Sociology of Science	G. Restrepo (Dept. of Planning)
Sociology of Cooperatives & Self-Management	J. Ronderos, and H. Useche (U. de los Andes)
History of Sociology	A. Mayor (U. Nacional)
Medical Sociology	C. Escalante (U. Nacional)
Political Sociology	A. Camacho (U. Valle)
Urban Sociology	A. L. Serna (U. de Antioquia)
Sociology of Education	G. Téllez (U. Pedag. Nacional)

The purpose of these research committees is to initiate research in all fields of sociology, to stimulate the exchange of experiences between researchers in the same fields, and to organize meetings and congresses on specific topics.

The 45th International Congress of Americanists is planned for the middle of 1985, at the University of Bogota. 1.500 scholars (sociologists, anthropologists, archeologists, historians, linguists, political scientists, and economists) from all over the world are expected. The congress is held every three years, its location alternating between America to Europe.

THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

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Urban sociology
Demographic society
Sociology of culture and leisure time
Sociology of youth
Sociology of family
Social pathology
Forensic psychology
Sociology of work, industry and enterprise
Sociology of physical culture

Publications in 1983:

- Bulletin ZPRAVY
- "Types, typology and methods of their formation". Collective work of the section of sociological methods and techniques.
- "Selected problems of the life styles of the socialist rural workers". Collective work of the section of rural sociology and the section of the research on the socialist life style.
- "Development of the Marxist sociological theory and ways of its implementation". Collective work of the section of the Marxist sociological theory and of the section of sociological methods and techniques.

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La Société Française de Sociologie s'est proposée à sa fondation, en 1962, de rassembler tous les sociologues français, d'établir des contacts avec les spécialistes de disciplines voisines et avec les utilisateurs de sciences sociales, en même temps que d'assurer la représentation des sociologues français au sein de l'Association Internationale de Sociologie.

Parmi toutes ses activités, il semble qu'au cours des dernières années ait été particulièrement privilégiée celle consistant à rendre compte, à partir d'exposés de travaux, de certaines des orientations prises effectivement par la théorie et la recherche sociologique. Cette activité doit être évidemment maintenue dans la mesure où elle est naturellement conforme à ce qui peut être attendu d'une Société dite Société Savante. Il est toutefois apparu à l'évidence aux membres du Comité Directeur de S.F.S. que celle-ci ne pouvait rester indifférente au vaste mouvement de réflexion actuellement engagé sur les sciences humaines et, plus particulièrement, sur la sociologie.

Il est déjà envisagé de consacrer éventuellement certaines réunions de la Société à l'un ou l'autre des thèmes suivants:

- Sociologie de la France avec participation de collègues étrangers;
- Rapports histoire et sociologie;
- Réflexions sociologiques sur le Japon;
- Approche économique et approche sociologique;
- La question de la recherche-action.

GERMAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

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The German Sociological Association (DGS) accepts individual members only, there being currently around 850 members. Institutes and other collective organizations have their own organization: the ASI (Arbeitsgemeinschaft sozialwissenschaftlicher Institute). The internal organization of the DGS is a bit unusual: the board consists of 7 members, and although plenary meetings of members are held, all votes and elections are taken by mail ballot only; between membership meetings, the members are represented by a kind of parliament, a council of 30 elected members. This structure was initiated by Lepsius and Scheuch in 1970 to defuse the then fairly emotional membership meetings.

Every two years DGS organizes the "Deutscher Soziologentage" (last meeting 1984). The emphasis on scientific discourse has shifted more to research committees, so called "sections". There are 15 of these that meet at least once a year, often with the participation of more than a hundred persons.

The German Sociological Association has two publications presenting information about its ongoing activities. Twice a year a bulletin, SOZIOLOGIE, is published, and every two years transactions of the "Deutsche Soziologentage".

SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION OF IRELAND

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XI World Congress questionnaire

Dear Colleagues,

It may still seem early, but we would like to know now whether you plan to attend the New Delhi Congress in 1986. We can imagine that it may be well into 1986 before you can expect a definitive commitment from your university or from other funding sources to supply you with a travel grant, and that you would like to wait for the outcome of such a decision before deciding whether or not to go to Delhi. On the other hand, we have already entered into negotiations with several airlines, hotels, etc. and hope to be able to offer you advantageous rates for both your travel and your hotel in the near future. However: we can only negotiate from a strong position when we know at least roughly **who** will come **when** from **where** and for **how long**. And only then will we hopefully be able to offer you better prices than you can obtain from your own travel agency. Moreover, apart from prices there is the capacity problem: both plane seats and hotel beds have to be blocked well in advance; most hotels and airlines sign contracts with large tour operators a year and a half in advance, and in order to keep a large number of plane seats/hotel rooms blocked for the ISA, we must know pretty soon whether they will indeed be taken.

We would therefore appreciate your helping us in our negotiations by filling out and returning the questionnaire on the other side of this page before **February 1st, 1985**, to the ISA Secretariat.

The core question obviously is whether you will come to Delhi in case you will not obtain a travel grant. Considering the steadily increasing participation at previous Congresses, we expect some 3500-4000 foreign and at least 1000 Indian participants, also in view of the attractiveness of a fascinating country like India. Due to the formidable logistics of an operation of this size, we want to urge you herewith not only to return the enclosed questionnaire, but also to xerox it, and give a copy to every colleague in your Department and elsewhere who might want to participate, in order to obtain a reasonably realistic estimate of the number of participants: this Bulletin goes only to ISA members, i.e. a fraction of the potential Congress participants.

The second important question in our questionnaire is how long you plan to stay in India. The reason for this question: if all of you would only come for the Congress, this would force us to negotiate with virtually all airlines flying to Delhi, since no single carrier can transport 3500-4000 persons within a span of one or two days. If, however, most of you plan to stay for one, two or perhaps even three additional weeks before and/or after the Congress, there would be much less of a seat capacity problem.

In this respect it is relevant for you to know that our Indian colleagues will organize a few one week pre- and post-congress seminars in various cities in India. Moreover, in our next Bulletin we hope to be able to publish data on pre- and post-congress tours.

Looking forward to a speedy reply from you and your colleagues,

Felix Geyer

1. Do you plan to attend the XIth World Congress of Sociology (August 18-23, 1986, New Delhi), assuming you will obtain a sufficient grant?

Yes, certainly	- 1
Yes, probably	- 2
Don't know	- 3
No, probably not	- 4
No, certainly not	- 5

2. If "No, certainly not" to the above question: Why not?

3. Would you also attend if you would have to pay all expenses yourself?

Yes, certainly	- 1
Yes, probably	- 2
Don't know	- 3
No, probably not	- 4
No, certainly not	- 5

4. When do you expect to know definitively - given the regulations pertaining at your university or other sources of subsidies - whether or not you will obtain the necessary travel funds?

month.....	
year	

5. How many weeks do you intend to stay in India, including the week of the Congress itself?

one week	- 1
two weeks	- 2
three weeks	- 3
four or more weeks	- 4
don't know yet	- 5

6. If four weeks or more: How many weeks before and how many weeks after the Congress ? (Please circle a number in both columns).

no stay	before the Congress	- 0	no stay	after the Congress	- 0
one week	" " "	- 1	one week	" " "	- 1
two weeks	" " "	- 2	two weeks	" " "	- 2
three weeks	" " "	- 3	three weeks	" " "	- 3
four or more weeks	" " "	- 4	four or more weeks	" " "	- 4
don't know yet		- 5	don't know yet		- 5

7. My airport of departure will be

8. Will you return to the same airport?

Yes	- 1
No	- 2
will return to	

9. Will you need a single or a double room ?

Single	- 1
Double	- 2

10. If your answer to the above question is "single": Are you prepared to share your room with someone else if this would entail a considerable reduction compared to the price of a single room ?

Yes	- 1
No	- 2

Please return this questionnaire before February 1st, 1984 to the ISA Secretariat
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INTERNATIONAL SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION - ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONALE DE SOCIOLOGIE
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INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES FORM

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12	Sociology of Law
13	Sociology of Leisure
14	Sociology of Communication, Knowledge and Culture
15	Sociology of Medicine
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18	Political Sociology
19	Sociology of Poverty, Social Welfare and Social Policy
20	Sociology of Mental Health
21	Regional and Urban Development
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23	Sociology of Science
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28	Social Stratification
29	Deviance and Social Control
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31	Sociology of Migration
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38	Biography and Society

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Payment must be made either in US dollars or the equivalent in Dutch guilders.

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Please note that both **this form and your payment** must reach the ISA Secretariat in order to validate your membership. Do not enclose money for the Research Committee(s)' fees, as you will be billed separately by the Research Committee(s).

Membership: Corporate 204
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The Association is hosted by the Economic and Social Research Institute founded in 1960 and reconstituted in its present form in 1966 with facilities for social psychological and sociological as well as economic research. The Institute's primary purpose is to promote studies on the problems of Irish society and the Irish economy, economic, sociological, and psychological research according to recognized professional standards. The Institute has also evolved a training role, to increase the stock of qualified economic and social research workers in Ireland.

The Institute's main publication series are: GENERAL RESEARCH SERIES, BROADSHEET SERIES, POLICY RESEARCH SERIES, and the QUARTERLY ECONOMIC COMMENTARY.

In 1968/69 the Institute took the lead in promoting a quarterly ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL REVIEW, which is now controlled as a cooperative enterprise by an independent company whose members are representative of the economics and social science departments of the universities in the Republic and Northern Ireland.

ISRAEL SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY

(Category "A")

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ISRAEL

President: Yonatan Shapiro

Membership of the Association consists of 400 individual members: academics from six universities in Israel which have Departments of Sociology, as well as sociologists employed by government departments, municipalities and private companies. The constitution requires members to be holders of a M.A. degree (at least) in sociology, anthropology or social psychology. There is also an associate membership category for students and sociologists residing outside of Israel.

At present there are three sections within the Association: Sociology of the Family, Medical Sociology and Evaluation.

The Society holds an annual two-day conference. Attendance at the conference ranges between 200 and 300 participants.

The Society issues a mimeographed newsletter (in Hebrew) distributed to its members five or six times a year. It also has a publication series STUDIES OF ISRAELI SOCIETY, issued by Transaction, Inc. Each volume is devoted to a particular theme, bundling articles previously published in other journals. The editorial board consists of: Joseph Ben-David, David Glanz (Assistant Editor), Elihu Katz (Chairman), Ernest Krausz (Editor), Bilha Mannheim, Yonatan Shapiro, Alex Weingrod, and Ephraim Yuchtman-Yaar.

Published volumes in the series:
Volume 1: MIGRATION, ETHNICITY AND COMMUNITY

Volume 2: SOCIOLOGY OF THE KIBBUTZ
Volume 3: POLITICS AND SOCIETY IN ISRAEL

ITALIAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

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KOREAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

(Category "A")

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KOREA

Members: 150

Every year the Association holds two conferences: one in summer and the other in winter. The summer 1983 theme was "Korean Society and Sociology of Education in Korea"; the winter 1983 conference was devoted to the presentation of various individual papers, and the general assembly meeting. Papers presented at the meeting will be published in the official journal of the Association, HANGUK SAHEHAK.

In September 1983 a special symposium on "Korean Society and Korean People in the Future" was held; papers presented at the meeting shall be published in book form.

COLEGIO DE SOCIOLOGOS DE MEXICO

(Category "A")

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President: Luis Fernando Chavez Murueta

CSM has currently some 500 members, mostly specialized in the area of sociology, but covering a wide spectrum of other related disciplines. Although no collective members exist under the statutes, the official representatives from three States of the Republic could, in some respect, be considered as such.

Most of the research projects of CSM are done through the task-oriented, voluntary student-conformed groups. With their aid there is currently being conducted a series of surveys in Mexico City on the following issues: the population's actual representation in the Congress, inflation, the increasing price of fuel, the labor

market, and, the professional development of Mexican sociologists.

Another important field of activities, has been the organization of meetings and the release of a number of press communications on crucial sociological questions; for example, the international meeting on Energy and Society and the Symposium on the Problems of Leisure Time in Mexico.

CSM has sponsored a contest which, starting in 1982, awards a yearly prize to the best sociological thesis, giving the previous years' graduate sociology students the opportunity to publicize their research results.

Publications:

A bi-monthly Bulletin is distributed to members free of charge.

In 1983 the first two issues of CUADERNOS DE SOCIOLOGIA were published.

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DUTCH SOCIOLOGICAL AND ANTHROPOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION
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(Category "A")

NSAV Secretariat
Mauritsweg 44
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THE NETHERLANDS

President: L. Laeyendecker
Secretary: H.B. Entzinger

Individual members: 1246

At present, the main concern of the association is to help sociologist and anthropologists with the problems of employment. The goal is to improve the relationship between education and the labour market, to improve the image of sociology and anthropology in Dutch society, and to be effectively represented in groups where decisions are made relevant for the positions of sociologists and anthropologists.

Recent conferences sponsored by the NSAV:

October 1983: - Sociology of Housing and Environment
- Carribean Minorities in the Netherlands
- Unemployment amongst Anthropologists



Felix Geyer (Executive Secretary of the ISA) and Leo Laeyendecker (President of the NSAV) at the Dutch-Flemish Sociology Days

November 1983:- Fourth Meeting of Medical Sociologists
December 1983:- Social Aspects of Reducing the Labor Week
January 1984: - The Works of the Theoretical Anthropologist Ton Lemaire
April 1984: - Dutch Anthropology and Sociology of Development
- Dutch-Flemish Sociology Days
October 1984: - Ten Years of Socio-Cultural Reports
November 1984:- Dutch/Belgian Anthropology Days on "Etnicity and Interethnic Relations"
December 1984:- Value Changes and/or Cultural Crises. Sessions on: illness and health, the work ethic, individuals in society, life and global views.

SOCIODROME, the newsletter of the NSAV, is published five times a year. Editorial Board: J. van Duin, B. Maso, P. Nijhoff, D. Pels, H. Tromp, J. Verrip.

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THE SOVIET SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION (SSA)
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(Category "A")

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USSR

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Members: Individual 7.863
Collective 976

The SSA was established in 1958. It is a voluntary scientific organization whose main purpose is to promote sociological research on the basis of historical materialism as a general sociological theory.

The SSA has 17 Republican (regional) divisions each carrying on research and organizational activity. The Ukrainian division is particularly active with its 95 collective and 440 individual members. In the past five years Ukrainian sociologists held more than 30 conferences and published about 120 monographs on different problems of sociological theory and social practice.

The Presidium of the SSA has organized 29 Central Research Sections. The most important of them are: Social Structure of the Soviet Society, Sociological Problems of the Family and Everyday-Life, Sociology of Labour and Social Planning, Sociology of Organization, Methods and Techniques of Sociological Research, Sociology of Time Budget, Ethnosociological Research, Social Forecasting and Planning, Sociology of Education, Sociological Problems of Science, Sociology of Culture, Social Problems of Religion, Sociology of Mass Media and Public Opinion, Social Problems of Deviant Behaviour, Sociology of Developing Countries, Sociology of International Relations, Sociological Problems of Town-Planning and Architecture.

According to its Charter, SSA holds the all-Union SSA Conferences every four years. The last one took place in February 1983. It attracted about 300 delegates from all regional divisions.

The SSA in cooperation with various institutes of Sociological Research, regularly publishes scientific papers resulting from the theoretical and applied researches.

Moreover, since 1984, the SSA will publish SOCIOLOGICAL ANNUAL REVIEW, under the editorship of Kh. Momdjin.

THE AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

(Category "A")

1722 N Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20036
USA

President: Kai T. Erikson
Vice-President: Morris Rosenberg
Secretary: Theodore Caplow

Members: 12,500

ASA members with interest in special fields of sociology may join Sections of the ASA. Currently there are Sections devoted to: Medical Sociology, Criminology, Sociology of Education, Family, Theoretical Sociology, Sociology of Organizations and Occupations, Sociology of Sex Roles, Methodology, Undergraduate Education, Community, Social Psychology, Environmental Sociology, Marxist Sociology, Sociological Practice, Sociology of Population, Political Economy of the World-System, Sociology of Aging, World Conflicts, Collective Behavior/Social Movements, Racial and Ethnic Minorities, Comparative Historical Sociology. Section activities include publication of a newsletter and sessions during the Annual Meeting on section-related topics.

The ASA has official representation on the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the American Council of Learned Societies, the International Sociological Association, the Social Science Research Council and the Consortium of Social Science Associations, among others.

Publications.

The official journal of the Association is the AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL REVIEW, published bi-monthly and devoted to research papers and analysis.

CONTEMPORARY SOCIOLOGY: A JOURNAL OF REVIEWS, also bi-monthly, contains extensive book reviews, review symposia, and occasional reviews of the literature.

ASA FOOTNOTES is published nine times a year and contains departmental news, activities of the ASA and Executive Office, the ASA Official Reports and Proceedings.

ASA EMPLOYMENT BULLETIN is published monthly and contains current position vacancy listings.

The ASA TEACHING NEWSLETTER, published six times a year, provides information on practical problems related to the teaching of sociology.

The Association publishes three specialized quarterly journals: SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY QUARTERLY, SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION: A JOURNAL OF RESEARCH IN SOCIALIZATION AND SOCIAL STRUCTURE, and JOURNAL

OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL BEHAVIOR.

The ASA publishes an annual GUIDE TO GRADUATE DEPARTMENTS OF SOCIOLOGY, an annual DIRECTORY OF MEMBERS, and an annual DIRECTORY OF DEPARTMENTS OF SOCIOLOGY.

The ASA also sponsors the publication of volumes in SOCIOLOGICAL METHODOLOGY, SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY, and the ROSE MONOGRAPH SERIES IN SOCIOLOGY.

LEGAL PROTECTION FOR SOCIOLOGICAL DATA - a letter from the President, Kai T. Erikson:

The purpose of this letter is to make everybody aware of a currently pending legal case with profound implications for our ability as individual researchers to insure the confidentiality of data collected in the field.

In early April of this year Judge Jack B. Weinstein of the U.S. Eastern District Court of New York ruled that serious scholars cannot be required to turn over their fieldnotes in a grand jury investigation when the government fails to establish "substantial need" for them to do so. Weinstein's ruling establishes a "qualified privilege not to reveal documents or confidential sources" for social science researchers, akin to the privilege enjoyed by journalists. This decision is of great importance, as it provides an unprecedented degree of legal protection for sociological data. (....)

In addition to using legal precedents to support his ruling, Weinstein cited the ASA Code of Ethics, which states that "Confidential information provided by research participants must be treated as such by sociologists, even when this information enjoys no legal protection or privilege and legal force is applied." The Weinstein decision, discussed in more detail in the August 1984 issues of FOOTNOTES, grew out of a subpoena issued to Mario Brajuha, a sociology graduate student at SUNY-Stony Brook, by a County Grand Jury investigating the origin of a restaurant fire. Brajuha had gone to work as a waiter in the restaurant about 10 months prior to the fire to collect data for his dissertation.

The Federal Prosecutor is appealing the Weinstein decision in Appellate Court. ASA has an Amicus Brief arguing that it should be upheld. In addition, the ASA Council recently authorized an initial \$2,000 contribution for defense of the case. This sum is far from sufficient, however. Brajuha's expenses already exceed \$10,000, even though the attorneys defending him are contributing their services free of charge. It is likely that an additional \$20,000 will be needed before the case draws to a close. On behalf of the ASA Council, I urge all members to contribute as generously as they can to this important case. Contributions can be sent to: Center for Research, Suite 1008, 225 Lafayette Street, New York, NY 10012.

Mario Brajuha has rendered a singular service to the discipline by bringing his case this far. It is now time for the rest of us to assume our responsibility by sharing the financial burden.

INTERNATIONAL RURAL SOCIOLOGY ASSOCIATION

(Category "B")

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AUSTRALIA

President: Bruce R. Crouch (University of Queensland, Australia)
1st Vice-President: Herbert Koetter (Institut fur Agrarpolitik, Germany)
2nd Vice-President: Tetsuo Ninomiya (University of Kanazawa, Japan)
Secretary: Jack C. Lamrock (University of Queensland, Australia)

MEMBERS: 1,800

Membership is composed of individual members and members of sponsoring regional rural sociological societies: Rural Sociology Association, European Rural Sociology Society and the Latin American Rural Sociology Association.

ISRA has a Council of 14 members which includes the President, two Vice-Presidents. The Executive is made up of these three persons plus three additional Council members. ISRA has a voluntary Secretary/Treasurer.

The last, Vth IRSA World Congress was held in August 1980 in Mexico City, with 3000 persons attending. The Vith World Congress for Rural Sociology will be held December 15-21, 1984 in Manila, The Phillipines. The theme of the Congress is "Inter-disciplinary approaches to development: Co-operation between the natural and social sciences in planned rural change."

THE WORLD DIRECTORY OF INSTITUTIONS WORKING IN RURAL SOCIOLOGY, edited by Bruce R. Crouch, is scheduled for publication in November 1984.

THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR THE SOCIOLOGY OF KNOWLEDGE

(Category "B")

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CANADA

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Editor of the Newsletter: Volker Meja (Memorial University of Newfoundland, Canada)

ISSK was founded in 1972 to promote the development of theory and method in the study of the relation between social structure and consciousness, to encourage and sponsor research in the sociology of knowledge, to stimulate scholarly publications, and to foster cooperative relations among persons and organizations engaged in the study of the sociology of knowledge and related studies, on a national and international basis.

ISSK has organized meetings at the ISA World Congresses since 1974. At the 1982 Congress in Mexico, it organized five sessions, plus a joint session with the Research Committee on Sociology of Communication, Knowledge and Culture.

ASSOCIATION FOR SOCIOLOGY IN SOUTHERN AFRICA

(Category "B")

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Secretary: Toni Lamont

The annual 1983 ASSA Congress was held on June 28-30, at St. Peter's Conference Centre near Hammanskraal. It was devoted to the centenary of the death of Karl Marx.

CENTRE OF SOCIOLOGY OF LAW (UFSIA)

(Category "C")

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Chairman: Jean van Houtte (University of Antwerp)

The Centre of Sociology of Law attempts in its research to present a critical approach of the relation between the legal system and society, in order to create a refined understanding of law for lawyers as well as for sociologists.

Furthermore, the centre supports the development of judicial policy, in the first place by the choice of problematic situations as research objects, secondly by the formulation of specific policy-oriented conclusions based upon its empirical research results. Research has focussed upon two specific areas: the institutions of family law, and the administration of justice in civil matters.

CENTRO DE ESTUDOS RURAIS E URBANOS

(Category "C")

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BRAZIL

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Executive Secretary: Oscarlina Maltese Rezende

The CERU has 231 individual members. The staff consists of three people - one secretary and two librarians. The number of researchers amounts to 40.

Each year by the middle of September, CERU holds its National Meeting gathering 150 to 200 researchers from all over Brazil. The 1983, Xth National Meeting of CERU, lasted for 3 days. Two symposia and four sessions were held at which the researchers presented their recent work.

The following research groups function within

CERU:

- Brazilian Culture, led by Maria Isaura Pereira
- Sociology of the Family, led by Lia F. Garcia Fukui
- Sociology of Education, led by Zeila de B.F. Demartini
- Rural Sociology, led by Ethel Volfzon Kosminsky
- Urban Sociology, led by Dirce Spedo Rodrigues
- Women, led by Maria T. C. Crescenti Bernardes
- Sociology of Science and Technology, led by Antonio Carlos Boa Nova

Publications of CERU:

- a review, CADERNOS, published twice a year, presents research results and abstracts of recent scientific books;
- a collection, TEXTOS, published twice a year, presenting theses in scientific or methodological areas.

CENTRO BRASILEIRO DE ANALISE E PLANEJAMENTO

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CEBRAP is an independent non-governmental and non-profit organization in the field of social sciences, which was created in 1969 in Sao Paulo. 20 members form the CEBRAP's permanent staff : 5 economists, 1 demographer, 10 sociologists, 1 political scientist, 2 statisticians, and 1 anthropologist.

There are 69 individual members who pay annual membership dues and receive CEBRAP's publications.

Trying to develop the social sciences in Brazil, on one hand, and to generate knowledge contributing to the improvement of Brazilian's well-being, on the other, CEBRAP first oriented its research effort towards the critical analysis of the model of economical development after 1964. After having examined the dynamics of the economical system, the outlines of a mass society deeply damaged by the enormous social and economical inequality, and the paralyzation of the political system under authoritarian rule, CEBRAP has now taken the role of stimulating intellectual reflexion on the democratization of the political institutions and concomitant emergence of new social actors with new demands and forms of expression. These lines of research are materialized in a series of programs and projects.

LABORATOIRE D'ETUDES ET DE RECHERCHES SOCIOLOGIQUES SUR LA CLASSE OUVRIERE

(Category "C")

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FRANCE

Le LERSCO a été fondé en 1972 à l'Université de Nantes, à l'initiative commune de Jean Claude Passeron et Michel Verret dans le propos:

- de spécialiser un Laboratoire français dans

l'étude sociologique de la classe ouvrière;
- de contribuer à la décentralisation de la recherche, en l'implantant en province;
- d'assumer cette localisation périphérique dominante, sans renoncer pour autant aux avantages intellectuels de la fréquentation du centre; en prenant dès l'origine le parti d'une bilocalisation: Jean Claude Passeron à Paris; Michel Verret à Nantes.

L'originalité de recherche du LERSCO tient au choix fait d'aborder sur temps longs de recherche, par approches méthodologiques conjointes (statistiques, ethnologiques; linguistiques, etc.), les différentes échelles d'existence des classes ouvrières concernées (biographiques; locales; régionales, nationales, internationales), dans la diversité de pratiques (économiques, politiques, juridiques, culturelles), et dans la diversité de leurs rapports avec les autres classes.

Le bilan de recherche global s'établit à une dizaine de livres, une trentaine de rapports de recherche; une centaine d'articles, un rythme annuel de cinq thèses de 3^e cycle depuis 1980, la publication de cinq CAHIERS DU LERSCO, diffusés à 400 exemplaires.

Operations de recherche pour la sequence 81-85.

La programmation de recherches du LERSCO pour les cinq années à venir avait été définie en 1981, sur les axes et les opérations de recherche qui suivent:

- Analyse de classe par aires d'existence
- Analyse de classe par pratiques
- Sociologie de la culture et de la communication
- Méthodologie de l'analyse des données sociales
- Epistémologie de la sociologie.

CENTRE D'ETUDES DE L'EMPLOI

(Category "C")

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BOOKS

A. Sicinski and M. Wemegah: **ALTERNATIVE WAYS OF LIFE IN CONTEMPORARY EUROPE**. 190 pages, US\$9; United Nations University, 1983.

This book deals with some of the emerging forces in both Western and Eastern European countries which seek to create truly alternative ways of life as opposed to the existing dominant ways of life. The first part presents some general reflections on different possible interpretations of the concept of alternative ways of life. The second part contains detailed descriptions of alternative ways-of-life movements in Finland, Germany, Norway, Poland and Switzerland. The third part deals with the major themes of these movements, pertaining to their political, technological and socio-cultural choices and preferences.

Albert B. Cherns, Alexander J. Matejko, Adam Podgorecki, Joachim K.H.W. Schmidt: **BEYOND BUREAUCRACY? A SOCIOTECHNICAL APPROACH TO THE DIALECTICS OF COMPLEX ORGANIZATIONS**.

This book is the first volume of a series of books **MATERIALS ON SOCIOTECHNICS**; published by Verlag für Gesellschaftsarchitektur, founded by Joachim K. H. W. Schmidt, the Secretary of the Research Committee on Sociotechnics. The purpose of this publishing house is to publish literature relevant for the new discipline of Sociotechnics.

Hollis Cherney, William Kincaid, Nazli Choucri and Kimon Valaskakis: **GLOBAL CRISES AND THE SOCIAL SCIENCES: NORTH AMERICAN PERSPECTIVES**. 350 pages, \$ 25 Canadian, IPSA - University of Ottawa Press under UNESCO copyright, 1984.

The publication is a result of the symposium on "Fundamental Problems of, and Challenges for, the Social Sciences in North America" sponsored by the Canadian Commission for UNESCO. The symposium was one of five organized under the auspices of UNESCO in various regions of the world to discuss the "Tasks and Challenges for the Social Sciences in the 1980's". The overarching goal was to analyse the potential contributions of the social sciences in North America towards the understanding of the global problems we face in the last two decades of the century.

Wojciech Gasparski and Tadeusz Pszczolowski: **PRAXIOLOGICAL STUDIES: Polish Contributions to the Science of Efficient Action**. 417pp., US\$78, or Dfl. 180, D. Reidel Publishing Company, 1983.

This book includes the main contributions made to praxiology by Kotarbinski, the principal representative of the famous Polish school of logic, as well as a philosopher and methodologist, and his pupils - praxiologists or praxiology oriented scientists including Oskar Lange and Zbigniew Wasitynski. It serves as a broad review of the subject, pointing to the convergence/concurrence of various approaches and the possibility of their applications in the sciences, technology and society.

JOURNALS

BOLETIN DE ESTUDIOS LATINOAMERICANOS Y DEL CARIBE No.35 - special issue on THE POLITICS OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN LATIN AMERICA, edited by Gerrit Huizer. 144 pages, US\$ 4.50, CEDLA Publications, Keizersgracht 395-397, 1016 EK Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

INTERNATIONAL MIGRATION a scholarly journal published by the Intergovernmental Committee for Migration headquarters in Geneva.

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VICTIMOLOGY: AN INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL edited by Emilio Viano, published by Victimology Inc., 2333 North Vernon Street, Arlington, VA 22207, USA.

Nos. 1 and 2 (1983): The proceedings of the "International Seminar on Victimology" sponsored by the International Association of Penal Law and held in Italy in 1982.

Nos. 3-4 (1983): The proceedings of the Second International Institute on Victimology hosted in 1982 by the Rockefeller Foundation at its Bellagio Conference Center (Italy).

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04 Sociology of Education

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ence of PAPER (People &
Physical Environment Re-
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ence of Nursing Care of
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