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I.S.A. INTERNATIONAL SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

A group of sociologists from various countries, having met in Oslo September 1949 under the auspices of UNESCO being convinced of the desirability and necessity of improving relations between sociologists of various countries, established the I.S.A. (**Preamble of Statutes 1949 - 1970**). The council of the I.S.A., having met in regular quadriennial session at Varna, September 1970, and having given due consideration to the many changes that have occurred in the Association, as well as in the broader world community of sociologists, adopted amendments to the Statutes originally agreed in Oslo. (**Preamble of Statutes 1970**). The International Sociological Association is an organization for purely scientific purpose. (**Statutes I**). The object of the association is to advance sociological knowledge throughout the world. To this end the Association shall undertake measures:

- (a) To secure and to develop personal contacts between sociologists throughout the world.
- (b) To encourage the international dissemination and exchange of information on significant developments in sociological knowledge.
- (c) To facilitate and promote international sociological research. (**Statutes II**).

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1. ACTIVITIES OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

a) INFORMATION ON OFFICIAL MEETINGS OF THE I.S.A. SECRETARIAT AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

On November 9-11th, 1971, I.S.A. Executive officer Guido Martinotti took part in the meeting of the Secretaries of the disciplinary associations at the International Social Science Council. The discussion centered on the draft of new Statutes for ISSC. The proposed new by-laws would deeply change the present structure of this organization basically by making it a federation of the disciplinary associations which now have a parallel position to ISSC. These proposals are to be accepted by the Executive Committee of the I.S.A., as well as by the other associations.

Taking advantage of the presence in Paris of I.S.A. President Reuben Hill and other members of the Executive Committee, two additional administrative meetings were held in the same days, first a restricted meeting of the President with the Executive Officer and Deputy Enzo Mingione. The I.S.A. staff took this occasion to survey several problems especially in view of the forthcoming meeting of the Executive Committee in Milan. The President and Secretarial staff met then with Prof. Gene Lyons, director of the Social Science Department of UNESCO.

During the following two days, took place a meeting of the Research Co-ordination Committee with the participation of Vice-President Tom Bottomore, Stein Rokkan and Erwin Scheuch (Anouar Abdel-Malek was not in Paris at the time). The Standing Committee reviewed the situation of Research Committees and discussed the possibility of convening the Research Council before the World Congress. The meetings were organized with the help of Mrs. Elina Almasy at the ISSC and at Reid Hall.

On December 1st, 1971, the Executive Secretary of the I.S.A. visited Vice-President Tom Bottomore at the University of Sussex to discuss additional problems connected with the co-ordination of Research Committees and with Current Sociology.

The Executive Committee of the I.S.A. and the Program Task Force for the VIII World Congress of Sociology met in Milan on April 9th through 16th to examine the suggestions collected by the Secretariat for the VIII World Congress of Sociology and to discuss the routine problems of the Association.

The meeting was attended by Reuben Hill (President), Tom Bottomore (Vice-President), Jivko Ochavkov (Vice-President), Aldo E. Solari (Vice-President), Erwin Scheuch (Executive Member), Hubert Guindon (Executive Member), Kiyomi Morioka (Executive Member), Gennadij Osipov (Executive Member), Angelo Pagani (Executive Member), Leopold Rosenmayr (Executive Member), Adam Podgorecki (Associate Member), Anouar Abdel-Malek (Associate Member), Stein Rokkan (Associate Member), Guido Martinotti (Executive Secretary), Enzo Mingione (Deputy Executive Secretary), Ph. H. Momdjian (Observer from Sov. Soc. Ass.) V. Dobrianov (Observer from Bulgaria), Peter Lengyel (Observer from UNESCO), Jean Meyriat (Editor-in-chief of Current Sociology), Arie Bornkamp (Observer from Mouton Publishers) and the members of the Program Task Force Committee: Miron Constantinescu, Alain Touraine, Renato Treves, Raymond Breton, Kurt Jonassohn.

The agenda of the meeting was the following:

1) VIII World Congress of Sociology (Program Task Force and Executive Committee).

- a) Format of Congress: Number and timing of Plenary Sessions, Administrative Sessions, Research Sessions, Round Tables, and Working Groups.
- b) Recommended Themes, if any. Theme of the Congress
- c) Receptions, excursions, plans for spouses.
- d) Report of Canadian Local Arrangements Committee on dates, logistics, facilities, excursions, and financial contributions expected for 1974 Congress.
- e) Report on Travel Grants, Charter Flights, Agency Contact.

f) Report on financial plans for 1974 Congress.

g) Report on Asian Conference hosted by Japan Sociological Society and I.S.A.

2) Finances

- a) Financial report 1971 and Budget for 1972.
- b) Report on Progress for New Headquarters and Secretariat for 1974.
- c) Legal responsibilities of I.S.A. Executive Committee for finances of the association.

3) Membership

Progress Report on National and Associate Memberships under New Dues Structure.

- a) Number of active associations
- b) Report on activities in Latin America and Asia

4) International relations.

Relations with UNESCO, WHO, NGO, ISSC and other International Organizations.

5) Publications.

Progress report on long term publications plans.

6) Research Activities.

Report on Research Committees and convening of Research Council.

Minutes of the meeting are being prepared and the final program of the VIII World Congress will be circulated in the fall with the next issue of the Newsletter, after consultation with National Associations and Research Committees. The essentials of the program, however, can be anticipated now.

Dates and site of the Congress (final): Toronto, from 18th to 24th August, 1974.

Chairman of the Canadian Organizing Committee: Prof. Raymond Breton, Dept. of Sociology - University of Toronto - TORONTO 5 - Ontario - CANADA

Format of the Congress: The scheme so far discussed is still very preliminary. By and large the schedule of the sessions will carry plenary meetings, round tables and general seminars organized around the main theme in the mornings and Research Committees and Ad-Hoc Groups in the afternoons. Some special topics will be dealt with in evening sessions. Particular attention has been dedicated to the problems of communication both within each of the sessions and in the procedures for the distribution of papers. More precise details on this point will be circulated with the next issue of the Newsletter.

Theme of the Congress: The main theme of the Congress will be **Science and revolution in contemporary societies**. The general theme will be analyzed through two major subtopics, one dealing with the scientific and technological revolution and the second dealing with the role of sociologists vis-à-vis the revolutionary changes in society.

Round tables and general seminars will examine specific aspects of the main theme. These meetings will be arranged in two large groups, one dealing with sociological problems of theory and method and the other dealing with the most relevant social problems. Special topics bridging the two aspects and topics of other kind will be dealt with in separate sessions.

Month and Day	Place	Research Committee	Theme of the Conference, if any	Name and address of organizer	Notes
January 31 - February 2	University of Leuven (Belgium)	Sociolinguistics	" Bilingual Education for Migrant Workers and Their Families "	Prof. Albert Verdoordt Naamse Straat 40 LEUVEN - Belgium	A complete report on this meeting will be published in the forthcoming issue of the Sociolinguistics Newsletter, together with some of the scientific papers read.
April 4th - 10th	Warsaw (Poland)	Social Ecology	Meeting in connection with the UNESCO seminar on " Ecological Indicators of Social Change "	Polish Academy of Science WARSAW (Poland)	Further details are available from Prof. Stein Rokkan (University of Bergen - Institute of Sociology - Christiesgt 19 - BERGEN, Norway) and prof. K. Ostrowski (Polish Academy of Sciences - Warsaw Poland)
April 10th - 13th	Turin (Italy)	Sociology of Education	Seminar on Factors of Change and Forces of Inertia in the Educational System.	Prof. Pierre Bourdieu Ecole Pratique des Hautes Etudes 54, Blvd. Raspail PARIS 16e (France)	A report prepared by the chairman of the Committee and organizer is available.
April 13th - 23rd	Moscow (USSR)	Family Research	Twelfth International Seminar on Family Research: Dynamics of Change in the Position of Women in Society and the Family.	Organizing Committee: Chairman: Dr. A. G. Kharchev, Z. Yankova, V. Jazykova, V. Bilshai	Further information is published in the Committee on Family Research Gazette 1972, available from the CFR, Secretary: John Mogy (Dept. of Sociology, Boston University, 232 Bay State Road, Boston, Mass. 02215).
June 16th - 17th	Paris (France)	History of Sociology		Prof. Pietro Rossi Facoltà di Lettere e Filosofia - Università di Torino - Via S. Ottavio, 20 10124 TORINO	
July 13th - 15th	Berlin West	Sociology of Regional and Urban Development	Basic Theoretical Orientations in Sociology of Regional and Urban Development-Bring Sociology Back in.	Prof. Rainer Mackensen Technische Universität 1 BERLIN 12 Jeberstrasse 1	The seminar will last two days and take place in the Technische Universität of Berlin. A statement, prepared by the board of the Committee, will be discussed at the meeting.
August 14th - 18th	Elsinore (Denmark)	Sociology of Medicine	Meeting in conjunction with the Third International Conference on Social Science and Medicine.	Prof. Mark G. Field - 40 Peacock Farm Road - Lexington, Mass. 02173 (U.S.A.) (For information on Conference on Social Science and Medicine, contact Dr. Peter McEwan, Social Research Inst., Univ. of Sussex, FALMER/BRIGHTON - Great Britain)	The main purpose of the meeting is to bring together the members of the Steering Committee and the other members of the R.C. to review the work done so far and plan for the next two years. This meeting is conceived as a half-way mark in the work of the Research Committee between Varna and Toronto.
August 22nd - 26th	Munich (W. Germany)	Sociology of Sport	Olympic Congress. Sport and Conflict, Careers in Sport, Professionalization-Sport and Collective Behaviour.	Prof. Günther Lüschen, Dept. of Sociology, University of Illinois, URBANA, Ill. 61801 (U.S.A.) Prof. Gerald S. Kenyon, Dean of the University of Waterloo, WATERLOO, Ontario (Canada)	The meeting will take place at the same time as the Olympic Games in Munich.
Autumn	Leipzig (D.D.R.)	Sociology of National Movements and Imperialism		Karl Marx Universität German Academy of Science	Further details are available from Prof. Anouar Abdel-Malek (Centre d'Etudes des Mouvements Sociaux, 54, Bld. Raspail - Paris 16e, France .
September 1st - 8th	Brac (Yugoslavia)	Political Sociology	Work in progress on Opinion Leadership among Elites, Theory and Methods of Comparative Research and the Role of Intellectuals in Contemporary Industrial Societies.	Prof. Bogdan Denitch - International Study of Opinion-Makers - 605 West 11th Street NEW YORK, N.Y. 10025 U.S.A.	
September 11th - 15th	London (Great Britain)	Sociology of Science	1) The Emergence of New Research Areas in Science. 2) Social Structure and Methaphysical Assumptions in Sciences, Past and Present. 3) Development and Innovation in Science.	Prof. Albert L. Mok, Netherlands Universities' Joint Social Research Centre, OZ Achterburgwal 128 AMSTERDAM 1 (Netherlands)	The meeting will take place at the City University, St. John's Street London, E. C. 1.
September 14th - 17th	Italy	Sociology of Mass Communication	Theoretical Problems of Communication	Prof. José Vidal Beneyto Luis Muriel 8 MADRID 2 (Spain)	Attendance only by invitation.
September 18th - 21st	Nordwijk-Leyden (Netherlands)	Sociology of Law	Proposed Topics: - Sociology of Law for Legal Education, and others to be determined.	Prof. Peter Vinke Lange Voort 54 Oegstgeest (Netherlands)	Attendance only by invitation.
October 16th - 20th	Paris (France)	Sociology of Leisure	Comparative Research in Leisure and Cultural Changes in Post Industrial Societies. Business meeting of the ISA Research Committee on Leisure.	Prof. Joffre Dumazedier, Centre d'Etudes Sociologiques 82 Rue Cardinet PARIS 17e (France)	The meeting will be held at the Maison des Sciences de l'Homme, 54 Bld. Raspail, Paris 16e.
December 18th - 20th	Rome (Italy)	Social Stratification		Prof. Kaare Svalastoga - Sociological Institute - University of Copenhagen 15 Rosenborggade - 1130 Copenhagen K (Denmark)	There will be a limit of 25 invitations.

Provisional Time and Place	Research Committee	Name and address of organizer	Notes
Early 1973 Europe	Sociology of Poverty	Prof. S. M. Miller, New York Univ. Washington Square, Urban Centre, 1 Washington Mews, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10003 (USA).	During this meeting, the program of special sessions for the VIII World Congress of Sociology on social policies issues in low-income Nations, will also be discussed.
September, Amsterdam (Netherlands)	Sociology of Religion	Prof. Hans Mol, Dept. of Religion McMaster Univ. HAMILTON, Ontario (Canada)	This meeting will be held on the occasion of the 12th International Conference for the Sociology of Religion. Topic: New Religions Phenomena.
Autumn Tokyo (Japan)	Sociology of National Movements and Imperialism	Prof. Anouar Abdel-Malek, Centre d'Etudes des Mouvements Sociaux, 54, Bld. Raspail, PARIS VIe (France)	The meeting will be sponsored jointly by ISA-RC and Institute of Developing Economies (Tokyo) and Japanese Sociological Association.
March Amsterdam (Netherlands)	Armed Forces and Society	Prof. Morris Janowitz, Dept. of Sociology, Univ. of Chicago 1126 E. 59th, CHICAGO, Illinois 60637 (U.S.A.) or Cambridge Univ. England.	The application forms and the working documents of the meeting are available from the secretariat of the Committee: Prof. Jacques van Doorn - Nederlandse Economische Hogeschool - Burgemeester Oudlaan 50 - ROTTERDAM 3016 (Netherlands)
(Poland)	Sociology of Medicine	Prof. Mark G. Field 40 Peacock Farm Road Lexington, Mass. 02173 (U.S.A.)	

c) REPORTS ON RECENT RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

1. SOCIOLOGY OF LAW

Report on Varese meeting

The second International Symposium of Sociology of Law took place from 17 to 19 September 1971, at Varese, where our Committee had the opportunity of discussing current problems of Sociology of Law. The Proceedings started with a report by R. Treves «The administration of Justice in Italy» and were concluded by a speech delivered by N. Bobbio.

The English version of Treves' report had been previously circulated among foreign participants.

Simultaneous translation was provided both in French and in English so that all participants could follow both the reports and the debates which followed. Some members of our Committee were thus able to make an oral contribution.

The three meetings of the Committee took place as planned:

the first, presided over by B. Kutschinsky, was on «Recent findings in the area of the research on Knowledge and Opinion about Law»; the second one, presided over by P. Vinke, was on «Sociology of Law for Legal Education»; the third one, presided by B. M. Persson Blegvad, was on «the Role of the Jurist in Society». The work done by the Committee was of great interest: if possible they shall give more extensive information in the next Information Circular.

Two business meetings were held on the evenings of Friday 17th and Saturday 18th with attendance of all Committee members present at Varese.

At the meeting of Friday September 17th, there was general agreement as to the engagement of the Committee in carrying out some important initiatives: for this purpose it was emphasized that the Board will have to be formed of active and committed members and - in line with the authorization expressed by the Executive Committee of the International Sociological Association (see letter of May 20th, 1971) - the decision was taken to elect three new members to the Board. In the election which followed, Mrs. Persson Blegvad, Mr. Versele and Mr. Vinke were unanimously elected, whereas Prof. Aporthe was excluded from the committee owing to the heavy responsibilities he has recently assumed in the Far East, which prevent him from any effective collaboration and have interrupted our correspondence.

At the meeting held on Saturday evening, adopting the proposals made by the delegates, the following new members were elected, in

the hope that they will all confirm their acceptance:

Mr. R. Blom (Finland); Mr. M. Chiba (Japan); Mr. F. De Miranda Rosa (Brazil); Mr. E. Diaz (Spain); Mr. J. Gorecki (U.S.A.); Mr. Jakovlev (U.S.S.R.); Mr. J. Kurczewski (Poland); Mr. P. Lewis (Great Britain); Mrs. M. Los (Poland); Mrs. P. Morris (Great Britain); Mr. P. Stjernquist (Sweden); Mr. D. Szabo (Canada); Mr. V. Tomeo (Italy).

It was also decided that next year further new members may be elected.

2. POVERTY, SOCIAL WELFARE AND SOCIAL POLICY

Report on Bucharest meeting (December 16th/18th 1971)

I. Present at the meeting were:

Denmark (Jorgen S. Dich)
England (Peter Marris, Jillian Norman)
France (Alwine de Vos van Steenwijk, Joseph Wresinski)
West Germany (Claus Offe)
Hungary (Susan Ferge)
Israel (Rivka Weiss Bar-Yosef, Israel Katz)
Poland (Wlodzimierz Wesolowski)
Rumania (Simion Taigar)
Sweden (Sten Johansson)
Switzerland (Hans Gunter)
USA (Herbert J. Gans, S. M. Miller, Martin Rein)

Yugoslavia (Miroslav Radovanovic)
Franco Ferrarotti (Italy) submitted a paper but was unable to attend at the last moment.

II. Rumanian Activities. The President of the Academy opened the meeting and stayed for the first session. The Academy held a reception for the participants so that we had an opportunity to meet many other Rumanian social scientists.

A meeting was held at the University of Bucharest with sociology students and faculty (about 50 in all) where the conference was summarized and a discussion followed.

The chairman spoke to the regular and large weekly meeting of the Sociological Laboratory. A general outline of the structure of the ISA preceded his address; it was followed by Professor Taigar's comments on the implications of the conference.

III. Papers specifically prepared for the conference:

The background paper on «The Possibilities and Limits of Social Policy» (Miller & Rein)
Miroslav Radovanovic, «Social Position of the Yugoslavian Poor. A detail of the Life of 'The Other Yugoslavia'»
Sten Johansson, «The Case of Sweden: The Possibilities and Limits of Social Policy»
Simion Taigar, «Problems and Achievements of Social Policy in the Socialist Republic of Rumania»
Franco Ferrarotti, «Scope and Limits of Italian Social Policy»
Jorgen Dich, «Danish Social Policy»
Herbert Gans, «Sociological and Attitude Research on Equality and Redistribution»
Also distributed: Adrian Sinfield, «Poverty Research in Britain and Europe»

IV. Discussion was vigorous and far-ranging. Issues discussed were:

1. Concepts and definitions of equality: what are the objectives?

2. Methodologies of studies of distribution: different models and objectives lead to different measures.
3. Trends in the distribution and redistribution of income and other resources in various countries.
4. Intercorrelations among the dimensions of well-being - the extent of divergence.
5. Processes affecting distribution.
6. Strategic issues in policy formulation and implementation.
7. The future of equality.
8. Plans for the Committee.

V. Plans:

- a. The Committee plans to meet again early in 1973, the place to be determined. This session will plan for the 1974 World Congress of Sociology as well as continue the analysis of the numerous issues discussed at the Bucharest meeting. Since the Bucharest meeting, President Reuben Hill of the International Sociological Association has inquired about the Committee holding a plenary session at the next World Congress of Sociology.
- b. A Methodology Sub-Committee to promote comparative studies was established. It will outline the major questions to be considered in studies on the distribution of resources in several countries. (Simion Taigar, chairman; Susan Ferge; Sten Johansson; S. M. Miller) The Sub-Committee plans to meet in the Spring in Eastern Europe.
- c. Publication.
- d. Country.

**3. SOCIOLOGY OF SPORT
Report on Waterloo meeting
(23rd - 28th August 1971)**

The 3rd International Symposium on Sociology of Sport was organized by the University of Waterloo/Canada from August 23 to 28, 1971. The Departments of Physical Education and of Sociology were in charge, with the ISA-Committee for Sociology of Sport sponsoring the event. The major topic was « Sport and Socialization » with a number of additional papers on general theoretical problems of sport and games.

The keynote address was delivered by Stanton Wheeler (Yale University). In all, more than 30 papers were read. More than one hundred sociologists and scientists representing Canada, Finland, France, West Germany, East Germany, Great Britain, Ireland, Netherlands, Poland, Rumania, USA, USSR attended the conference. The report of the proceedings will be edited by Gerald S. Kenyon (University of Waterloo).

4. SOCIOLOGY OF LEISURE

Presentation of project CIDOL (International Center for Documentation on Leisure)

The CIDOL project (International Center for Documentation on Leisure) officially presented at the VII World Congress of Sociology, Varna, Bulgaria, September 1970, by the I.S.A. Leisure Research Committee, has aroused interest in different countries. Specialists on modern documentation, researchers and teachers of Leisure Social Sciences have expressed a wish to take part in this project.

First proposal: Cidol nature.

CIDOL is a project for the creation of an international center for research, analysis and diffusion of scientific documentation on Leisure Social Sciences for researchers, teachers and men of action interested in the application of the research results.

Remarks: a) CIDOL is a project which, if it is to be put into effect, will require the collaboration of a number of countries. COCIDOL (see proposal No. 2) has been created in order to provide co-ordination.

b) The expression, scientific documentation, refers to all documents providing an account of theoretical, methodological or empirical research already carried out or in course. This kind of document will be given priority during the first years, but CIDOL may extend its field of action subsequently.

c) Social sciences will have priority but documents on district, health, educational sciences and so on will be included among the scientific documentation.

d) In offering CIDOL services to men of action, we hope to encourage every kind of decision makers to make use of scientific researchers in order to help their action.

Second proposal Direction

The CIDOL project has been worked out and introduced by the I.S.A. Leisure Research Committee. It is the extension and systematization of a scientific action initiated by the Committee 12 years ago. Leisure Research Committee members set up, at Varna on September 1970, a 4 member committee: COCIDOL, concerned with the documentation of Leisure.

COCIDOL, at present composed only of sociologists, will subsequently include representatives of the other scientific fields and specialists of modern documentation techniques. The aim of COCIDOL is to promote CIDOL by interesting as many countries as possible in this project, by encouraging theoretic, methodologic and technical studies on the relations between research and documentation and by developing services for the future CIDOL.

Remarks: a) I.S.A. Leisure R. C. presently consists of about 50 sociologists from 18 countries. Structural development will allow it in 6 months time to accept associated members representing all the human and social sciences. The Leisure R. C. permanent secretariat is in Montreal/Canada; administratively COCIDOL will work through this permanent secretariat.

b) COCIDOL members are:

- Prof. Joffre Dumazedier / CNRS / France; Leisure R. C. President;
- Prof. Premysl Maydl / Prague: Director of Leisure and Education European Center;
- Dr. Max Kaplan / Tampa / Florida / USA; Director of the Institute for Studies of Leisure;
- Dr. Marc Laplante / Montreal / Canada; Leisure R. C. general secretary.

c) All correspondence must be addressed to:

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N.B.: The official languages of the secretariat are French and English.

Third proposal: Organization.

a) International level:

Until the foundation of CIDOL, the following tasks will be carried out by the Montreal secretariat under COCIDOL supervision:

- 1 Coordination of activities of national centers;
- 2 relations with international institutes;
- 3 secretariat and translation;
- 4 supervision of preparation and testing of the thesaurus;
- 5 organization of technical groups in applicant countries;
- 6 direction of an investigation into requirements of Leisure documentation, in collaboration with applicant countries;
- 7 organization of international meetings;
- 8 introduction of bibliographic references; preparation of bibliographic indexes, publication of a bulletin, creation of a documentation forwarding service for subscribers.

b) National level:

Each country taking part in CIDOL must undertake the following responsibilities as far as materially possible:

- 1 collection of national documentation;
- 2 summary and cataloguing of documentation in its own language;
- 3 translation of documents into English or French using the terms provided by the thesaurus;
- 4 to recruit subscribers for CIDOL documentation services, which will begin in September 1972;
- 5 to search for funds in order to develop a Leisure documentation service at national level and to provide financial aid to the coordination secretariat in Montreal. It is clear that until the necessary funds have been found the project cannot be put into effect.

5. NOTES ON RELEVANT ACTIVITIES OF OTHER INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH COMMITTEES

The I.S.A. Research Committee 9, tentative title: « Innovative Process in Social Change », set up in 1971 for a trial period of two years, is planning a special issue of the Journal « Centro Sociale », dedicated to the subject of Modernization.

Suggestions and proposals of papers for inclusion should be sent to Ellen B. Hill, Guest Editor, Centro Sociale, Piazza Cavalieri di Malta 2, Rome, Italy. Applications for membership should be addressed to Orlando Fals Borda, Provisional Chairman, Apartado Aereo 51012, Bogota 2, Colombia.

International Review of Sport Sociology

Published by PWN (Polish Scientific Publishers); Editor in chief: Andrzej Wohl (Warsaw) from 1973, it will be published quarterly. Established in 1965. Official Journal of the Research Committee for Sociology of Sport.

I.S.A. Research Committee on Sociology of Knowledge

With a letter dated 21st February 1972, Professor Kurt Wolff, Chairman of the Committee, resigned his charge. Prof. Wolff stated in his letter that « the job has been, especially since Varna, far more a source of frustration than a gratification » and that it proved very difficult for him to communicate with members and to raise a relevant project of international activity.

The Executive Committee of the I.S.A. on April 19th, considering the dismissions by Prof. Wolff and the fact that the **International Research Committee on Sociology of Knowledge** had been inactive during the last period, discontinued it.

2. PUBLICATIONS

a) CURRENT SOCIOLOGY

Current Sociology is the official publication of the Association. It is a collection of trend reports on specific fields of Sociology Research.

During recent years the following trend reports have been published:

- 1967 - Vol. XV
- 1) **Sociology of Knowledge**, Kurt H. Wolff
 - 2) **Community Research**, Robert J. Havighurst and Anton J. Jansen
 - 3) **Sociology of Sport**, Günther Lüschen
- 1968 - Vol. XVI
- 1) **Sociology of Leisure**, Joffre Dumazedier and Claire Guinchat
 - 2) **Sociology of Mental Illness**, C. Dufrancatel
 - 3) **Military Sociology (II)**, Kurt Lang
- 1969 - Vol. XVII 1-2-3) **Marriage and Family Behaviour, 1957-1958**, John Mogey
- 1970 - Vol. XVIII
- 1) **La sociologie du développement latino-américain (I)**, Pablo Gonzales Casanova (ed.)
 - 2) **Sociologie du développement africain**, Abdelwahab Bouhdiba
 - 3) **Sociology of Mass Communication**, Alphonse Silberman.

Current Sociology has been backlogging during recent years due to a series of factors. Now, however, special efforts have been made to accelerate the publication of the journal and the Editor plans to publish at least the balance of Vol. XIX and the first issues of Vol. XX by the end of 1972.

The forthcoming issues are:

- 1971 - Vol. XIX
- 1) **La sociologie du développement latino-américain (II)**, Pablo Gonzales Casanova (ed.)
 - 2) **Sociology of the Social Sciences**, Elizabeth Crawford.
 - 3) **Nation Building**, Stein Rokkan.
- 1972 - Vol. XX
- 1) **Social Engineering**, Adam Podgorecki (ed.)
 - 2) **Sociology of Law**, Renato Treves
 - 3) **Adults' Education**, Ettore Gelpi.

For the 1973-74 issues, the following publications are being prepared:

Alienation as a concept for the social sciences, Peter Christian Ludz.

Sociologie de l'éducation, Viviane Isambert Janati.

Community research (II), Terry Clark.

Sociology of language, Rolf Kjolseth.

Sociologie de la science, Bernard Lecuyer.

Sociology of Youth, Leopold Rosenmayr.

b) TRANSACTIONS OF THE SEVENTH WORLD CONGRESS OF SOCIOLOGY

The four volumes of Transactions of the VIIth World Congress of Sociology are issued by a special editorial board of the I.S.A. (coordinator: prof. Velichko Dobrianov - Bulgarian Sociological Ass. SOFIA) and published by Hemus, Rouski 6, SOFIA, Bulgaria, but they can be ordered also through the I.S.A. Secretariat. The contents of the first 3 volumes already published are:

Vol. 1. Address of greeting by Todor Zhivkov.

« Contemporary and future social predictions and social planning ». (Plenary sessions)

Papers by: E. Bell (USA), S. Eisenstadt (Israel), F. Ferrarotti (Italy), P. Gonzales Casanova (Mexico), E. Hahn (German Democratic Republic), A. Khatri (India), J. Ochavkov, (Bulgaria), A. Roumyantsev (USSR).

« Problems of Sociology and development in the countries of the Third World ».

Papers by: K. H. Hoerning (German Federal Republic), A. Nypan (Norway), O. Oloko (Nigeria), M. Singh Das (USA).

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« Future Societies and long-term planning ».

Papers by: V. Betsuzhev - Lada (USSR), D. G. MacRae (England), J. Szczepanski, A. Sicinski, J. Strezelecki (Poland), F. Bonilla (USA), V. Scardigli (France).

« Modification of social relations in social change ».

Papers by: M. Kalab (Czechoslovakia), W. Wesolowski (Poland), J. Chuaqui (Chile), M. Krüger (GDR), A. A. Amvrosov (USSR), P. Crosser (USA).

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FRANCE	Centre de Recherches Sociologiques De Toulouse Fac. des Lettres et des Sciences Humaines de Toulouse 56, Chemin du Mirail TOULOUSE 31	1958	President: Raymond Ledrut	50
FRANCE	Centre d'Etudes Sociologiques 82, Rue Cardinet PARIS 17e	1950	President: R. Boudon	50
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NORWAY	Institute for Social Research Munthesgt. 31 OSLO	1950	Director: Erik Rinde	50
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SPAIN	Instituto de Estudios Politicos Plaza de la Marina Espanola, 8 MADRID 13	1954	President: Don Luiz Legaz Lacambra Secretary: Don Manuel Solana Sanz.	50
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ARGENTINA	Centro de Investigaciones Sociales del Instituto Torcuato di Tella Superi 1502 BUENOS AIRES	1966	Director: Eliseo Veron Director Interimo: Ezequiel Gallo	25
ARGENTINA	Asociacion de Graduados en Sociologia de la Facultad de Ciencias Sociales University of Salvador Callao 542 BUENOS AIRES	1972	President: Raul A. Hornos Secretary: Lic. Ana I. San Martin	25
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VENEZUELA	Colegio de Sociologos y Antropologos de Venezuela Av. Motatan entre Av. Caroni y Calle Chama, Ota Trinidad - Colinas de Bello Monte Ap. Postal 51906 CARACAS 105	1968	President: John Verburg Moore Secretary: Omar Gonzales Nunez	50

NORTH AMERICA

CANADA	Association Canadienne des Anthropologues, Psychologues et Sociologues de Langue Française Univ. de Montreal MONTREAL, Quebec	1965	President: Gérald Fortin	50
CANADA	Faculté des Sciences Sociales Univ. de Montreal Case Postale 6128 MONTREAL	1958	President: Philippe Garigne Secretary: Otto Thür	50
CANADA	Queen's University - Dept of Sociology KINGSTON, Ontario	1966	Head of Department: Jayant K. Lele	50
U.S.A.	Sociological Abstracts Inc. 73-8th Avenue BROOKLYN, N.Y. 11215	1965	Director: Leo P. Chall Secretary: Albert L. Solodar	50
U.S.A.	The Society for the Study of Social Problems Executive Office: P.O. Box 533 NOTRE DAME, Indiana 46556	1953	President: Albert K. Cohen Secretary: Donald N.M. Horning	500
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b) REPORTS FROM NATIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

1. Bulgarian Sociological Association

1. Name and address of the Association
Bulgarian Sociological Association
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Secretary - Atanas Penchev

3. The Bulgarian Sociological Association is represented on the Council of the International Sociological Association by Prof. Stoyan Mikhailov and Dr. Velichko Dobrianov.

The Bulgarian Sociological Association has the following structure:

- I. Central organs
 - a. Congress - the supreme body, meets every four years
 - b. Council-directs the activity of the Association between Congresses
 - c. Executive Committee - directs the activity of the Association in accordance with the Statutes and the Decisions of the Congress and the Council
 - d. Revisory Committee
- II. Regional Organs

The Bulgarian Sociological Association is composed of thirty sociological societies, 3 district and 2 town societies. These societies have a total of 806 members. Each society has the following administrative organs:

- a. General Assembly
- b. Administrative Council
- c. Revisory Committee
- d. Activities of the Bulgarian Sociological Association.

Representatives of the Bulgarian sociologists / 8 delegates and 24 guests / took part in the work of the Sixth World Congress of Sociology in September 1966 in Evian - France. At the Congress were presented 9 papers and 17 communications in 7 scientific sections. Part of the papers and communications treated the methodology and the findings of the sociological research of religion and the international sociological budget-time research made in the town of Kasanlak.

Three scientific sessions were held by the Bulgarian Sociological Association. At these sessions the following basic themes were discussed:

- a. Basic findings of the sociological research of religion
- b. Sociological problems of management of the national economy
- c. Sociology and socialist social practice.

In 1968 the Bulgarian Sociological Association organized an international symposium «Methodological Problems of the Sociological Research» with 30 papers and 41 communications.

During that period two courses were organized - a five-day and a six-day one attended respectively by 87 and 64 persons. Furthermore the Association helped to organize a six-month course in sociology which was attended by 61 persons. The lectures at these courses were given by members of our Association.

In 1968, on behalf of the Bulgarian Sociological Association, a bulletin was published entitled «Sociological Research». Publication of this bulletin will be resumed this year. The activity of the Bulgarian Sociological Association during the last years, and especially in 1969 and 1970, was directed towards the organization of the Seventh World Congress of Sociology at Varna (14-19, IX, 1970). For this purpose a special Organizing Committee was created. The members of the Executive Committee and the Council and many members of the Association took an active part in different activities during the organization and meeting of the Congress. At the Congress our country presented 81 papers and in the various groups and committees the Bulgarian sociologists made 60 communications.

The Bulgarian Sociological Association is a collective member of the Union of Scientific Workers in Bulgaria and of the International Sociological Association. It is a union of

sociological societies which are voluntary public organizations of persons concerned with the problems of sociology.

The main purposes and tasks of the Bulgarian Sociological Association are to provide active assistance:

- a. in the development of sociology as a science
- b. in the carrying out of sociological research on a modern scientific level
- c. in the training of sociological workers and raising their qualification
- d. in bringing about scientific management in our country by utilizing the achievements of sociology
- e. in the international collaboration of sociologists
- f. in the distribution abroad of information about the achievements of sociology in the People's Republic of Bulgaria.

The Bulgarian Sociological Association and its societies and members in particular took an active part in carrying out the empirical sociological investigation of town and village (1968). Using the stochastic-representative method, 18,994 persons were sampled and tested from all districts of the country, which provides representative information on a national scale. The research programme comprises the basic components of the sociological structure of society, starting from the labour activity, social position and ending with the principal forms of consciousness and cultural interests of individuals. After computer processing, the information is now being analysed and summarized by a large team, which will publish the detailed results in a scientific paper on the integral sociological structure of contemporary Bulgarian society. The experience obtained from this primary analysis confirms the preliminary hypothesis that this kind of sociological research gives the greatest theoretical possibilities for revealing the concrete action and forms of manifestation of the general sociological laws, as well as for formulating new sociological laws.

In November 1971, in Sofia, the Bulgarian Sociological Association was convened for a general conference on the theme of «Sociological problems of the construction of the socialist developed country». 160 Delegates and 120 invited Sociologists took part, 42 papers were presented in one plenary session and two sections.

The conference approved a document of capital importance on the main orientations of development of Bulgarian Sociology until the year 2000.

2. The Mexican Sociological Association

The 17th National Congress of Sociology was celebrated in Mexico City by the Mexican Sociological Association, under the auspices of the Mexican Society for Geography and Statistics. Eminent native and foreign Sociologists attended. The report on the Congress was published in 1971 in two volumes under the title of «Estudios Sociológicos», the first consisting of 591 pages, the second of 567.

Among the many interesting papers included in this work, we mention: «Perspectives for a Sociology of Art» by Jean Duvignaud; «Aesthetics Sociology» by Jean Casou; «The Canvas Picture in the XIX Century, Conservation, Transformation and Disappearance. Sociological Implications» by Mrs Marie Cecile Riffault; «The Musical Thought by Max Weber» by Alphonse Silbermann; «About Investigations on Utilization of the Literature as Sociological Documents» by Emile Sicard; «Sociology and Movies' Representation» by France Govaerts; «Responsibility of Criticism on Art» by Angel Osvaldo Nesi; «Society, Law, State and Literature» by Dr. Luis Recasens Siches; «Art Experience and Sociological Circumstances» by Dr. Roberto D. Agramonte; «Aesthetic Values and Social Relations» by Henry Jane; «Symbols' Function in Art Creation» by Juan Roura Parella; «Democracy and Aristocracy in Modern Plastic Arts» by Prof. Arturo Juncosa Corbonelle.

The Mexican Sociological Association in 1972 achieved the resumption of publication of «Revista Interamericana de Sociología» interrupted after no. 5 for lack of financial resources — under the auspices of Mexican Society of Geography and Statistics.

In January no. 6 was published with articles by Lucio Mendieta y Núñez (México) «Social Investigation in Toxicomanias»; Oscar Uribe Villegas (México): «About Statistics Methods and Linguistic Applications»; Francisco Villagrán Kramer (Guatemala): «Conflict among rightists in Latin-America»; Raúl Noriega (México): «Technical Market of Culture»; Roberto Agramonte (Cuba, expatriated): «Latest Theories on Leadership»; Lázaro Barbieri (Argentina): «The Structure of Power»; Juan Pablo García Álvarez (Spain, living in México): «The Teaching of Sociology in Escuela Nacional Preparatoria de México in the last 100 years».

The Mexican Sociological Association will hold the XVIII National Congress on «Political Sociology» at the end of 1972 (16-20 October) in Oaxaca City and this will be a part of the «Year of Juárez» celebration.

The Jugoslovensko udruženje za Sociologiju held its annual meeting in Portoroz, February 10-13th 1972 (Yugoslavia).

The Executive Secretary was invited to represent the Association at this meeting.

The Institut International de Sociologie will hold a meeting in Caracas (Venezuela) from 21st to 25th November 1972.

Short reports on recent activities of collective members publishable in I.S.A. Newsletters, will be welcomed by the I.S.A. Secretariat.

IMPORTANT

The I.S.A. Research Committee on SOCIOLOGY OF KNOWLEDGE HAS BEEN DISCONTINUED by the Executive Committee in April 1972. Applicants for membership in this Research Committee will be refunded by the I.S.A. Secretariat.

The Executive Committee of the I.S.A. recognized in April 1972 two new Research Committees:

16. SOCIOLOGY OF MIGRATION

PROVISIONAL CO-ORDINATOR:

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28. STRATIFICATION

PROVISIONAL CO-ORDINATOR:

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The proposed Board members of the following Research Committees have been accepted by the Executive Committee in April 1972:

24. SOCIAL ECOLOGY

PRESIDENT: Mattei Dogan
SECRETARY-GENERAL: F. S. Sweetser

MEMBERS:

Erik Allardt
Krzysztof Ostrowski
Erwin K. Scheuch
Stein Rokkan

26. SOCIOTECHNICS

PRESIDENT: A. Podgorecki
VICE-PRESIDENT: A. Cherns
VICE-PRESIDENT: A. Abdel-Malek
SECRETARY: M. Los

MEMBERS:

A. Etzioni - U.S.A.
A. Barton - U.S.A.
St. Mikhailov - Bulgaria
I. Prigozin - U.S.S.R.
H. Int Velt - Holland
J. Gockowski - Poland

Through a mail ballot the following Research Committee elected its new Board:

9. INNOVATIVE PROCESS IN SOCIAL CHANGE

PRESIDENT: Orlando Fals Borda (Colombia)
VICE-PRESIDENT: Astrid Nypan (Norway)
VICE-PRESIDENT: Raymond Apthorpe (England - Uganda)
SECRETARY: Ellen B. Hill (Italy)
RESEARCH COUNCIL DELEGATE: Elihu Katz (Israel)
ALTERNATE: Ulf Himmelstrand (Sweden)

The third issue of the I.S.A. Newsletter will be published in Autumn, including information on the VIIIth World Congress of Sociology.

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PROGRAM TASK FORCE

Ochavkov, Chairman, Guindon, Breton, Osipov, Pagani, Solari, Abdel-Malek., Constantinescu, Treves, Touraine, Jonassohn.

18. POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY

Bodgan Denitch (U.S.A.) should be included as the fourth member of the Board.

27. SOCIOLOGY OF SPORT

Günter Erbach (D.D.R.)

30. SOCIOLOGY OF WORK

Rudhard Stolberg (D.D.R.)