After more than a year of preparatory work by the Publications Committee under the active chairmanship of Margaret Archer, a contract has been signed on January 4, 1985 between the University College Cardiff Press and the International Sociological Association for publishing a new journal of the ISA, INTERNATIONAL SOCIOLOGY. The first year of publication will be 1986 and four issues of 112 pages a year are planned.

Editorial policy has been formulated and editorial advisers are being appointed on a worldwide basis. The journal will provide a publication opportunity for papers with international, cross-cultural and comparative interest, where the results of work in one location or field are worth conveying to sociologists in the world at large and in many fields. It is intended that the journal should be representative of widely different orientations and national and cultural backgrounds.

Articles in the journal are expected to meet one or more of the following objectives: advance the discipline in fundamental issues of theory and method; provide new directions in empirical research; identify social processes and developments which have cross-national significance; analyse aspects of international social structure and change; undertake comparative sociological analysis; promote international and cross-cultural understanding; demonstrate the policy relevance of sociology applied to major social problems in the world.

The Editor, Professor Martin Albrow, will be pleased to receive submissions for publication and any enquiries concerning the Journal, at the following address: University College, P.O. Box 78, Cardiff CF1 1XL, United Kingdom.
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FROM THE SECRETARIAT

A passage to India:
In February, an ISA delegation visited India for an on-site inspection of the existing facilities and for coordinating the activities of the Indian Organizing Committee (INOC) and the Secretariat. It consisted of Enzo Mingione, congress organizer Mrs. Quirine Laman Trip - the director of QLT Convention Services in Amsterdam, who will help the Secretariat and INOC to organize the World Congress in the most professional way possible - and your secretary. As a result of our visit, it was decided that TCI, Travel Corporation (India), will be our local tour operator. They will not only take care of organizational matters regarding the Congress itself, like hotel registrations and shuttle bus service, but will also offer pre- and post-congress tours. In 'modular packages' that will allow you to put your own trip together, on the dates that suit you best, and to the places that interest you most. Detailed information on these tours will appear in the Fall issue of the ISA Bulletin, which will also contain registration forms and hotel booking forms.

It is too early as yet to give you exact information on what may interest you most; roundtrip prices to New Delhi and hotel prices. Here again, we have to refer you to the Fall issue, although it may come as a pleasant surprise that roundtrips to new Delhi from New York/Toronto/Montreal will most probably be in the US$ 900 range, while roundtrips from West European airports will be around US$ 550-600. In this respect, we soon hope to finalize negotiations with Air India that will result in their obtaining the status of official congress carrier, which may in turn result in lower prices. As for hotels: singles will range from about US$ 20 to US$ 95 per night (two- to five-star hotels, all airconditioned), with a limited availability of cheaper accommodation at around US$ 10 per night (non-airconditioned) that will be given with preference to Third World participants and students. Food in India is cheap, and one can have a good meal for a few dollars.

While these prices are eminently reasonable, if not cheap, by present-day European or American standards, we may realize that the total cost of a trip to India, including the flight, will nevertheless be considerable. However, this is surely not a reason to stay home: on the contrary, all the more reason not to spend all that money just for a week of intellectual enlightenment, however stimulating that may be. One should use the opportunity of being in a sociologically and otherwise highly interesting and exotic country, where one may not so quickly go back another time, to really see it for an additional week or two at a relatively small extra cost. India is an immensely varied country in nearly all conceivable respects: culture, landscape, religion, climate. And to really see it, one surely has to venture outside New Delhi, which is not India - like New York is not the US. However, I start sounding more like an ad-libbing tour operator than a serious sociologist. So let's move to the intellectual side. But not before giving you one last bit of advice: India is a very romantic country, and will not fail to impress even the most world-weary cynic. So take your partner along - it will be the experience of a lifetime! (And your psychoanalyst is on holidays anyway in August; besides, a guru is cheaper.)

As for the Congress itself:

Intellectually, there will be plenty of food for thought: with 27 symposia sessions and some 400 Research Committees' sessions, not to speak of Ad Hoc Groups and 350 sessions, and with some 2500 papers expected, there are surely some pearls to pick for everyone, if you know how to pick them. Moreover, India is a country with a large and well developed sociological community - which was one of the reasons for choosing Delhi - and Indian colleagues are actively involved in a majority of the sessions. This is therefore a unique opportunity to meet them, especially at a congress about social change - about which they will tell you from first-hand experience, living in the Third World's longest experimental laboratory in this respect.

Some of you may be taken aback by the sheer proliferation of sessions and papers and may have developed a resistance against present-day mass congresses. It certainly cannot be denied this will indeed be a mass congress, with 1000 Indians and 3500 foreigners expected, you yourself included! However, this is a tremendous advantage if one indeed knows how to pick the pearls. It has become fashionable nowadays in some circles to prefer relatively small expert meetings over mass-scale world congresses. And undoubtedly, these small meetings of experts often can further the rapid development of a field. But one should realize that the World Congress actually consists of some 50 of these expert conferences running parallel the Research Committees, Working Groups, Ad Hoc Groups. And this offers unique the opportunity, in an age where there is virtually no problem left that does not demand an interdisciplinary approach, or at least an interlocking of different perspectives, to meet specialists in related fields that may have

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something to convey that is highly pertinent to one's own concrete research problems.

Of course, the problem with a mass congress, and the reason why some have developed a resistance against it, is how to select the papers one is interested in, and how to meet the persons one would like to talk to. An effort will be made to do something about this at the New Delhi Congress:

- A special Sociological Abstracts issue, containing abstracts of the papers presented, will be airfreighted from the US to New Delhi on time, courtesy of Air India. It will be included in each participant's kit, and you can use your first jet-lagged hours after arrival to select the papers you are interested in.

- If you are interested moreover in having a stimulating conversation with the man or woman behind the paper, we expect to have a computerized alphabetic list of all participants, listing their New Delhi address - with even the room number included.

- Most sessions will be concentrated in only two hotels with a frequent shuttle bus service between them. To the extent you want a varied menu, it will therefore be easy to hop sessions.

- Although it is a recurring nightmare at many large-scale congresses to organize this, we will do our utmost to have speakers present their papers on time, so that you will not miss specific presentations you are interested in. 'No shows' and resulting changes in the order of appearance of speakers will be announced early every morning.

- A small, but not unimportant aside: you will not have to spend your valuable time looking for a bank, post office, book store, or an airline office to reconfirm or change your flight; all these facilities will be offered at the congress site. Air India, in cooperation with TCI, will have a travel desk in the session hotels. A book exhibit is planned, with many publishers present, where all books on display can be ordered, and where you even may sell your own new manuscript.

With measures like these, we hope to eliminate the possible disadvantages of a mass congress, while maximizing the advantages, allowing you to select your contacts effectively in spite of seeming information overload.

The choice is up to you: if you are an active member of a Research Committee, you can either participate in your own small-scale specialist conference, or you can make use of the selection mechanism we will provide you with to meet specialists in other fields whose work you are interested in.

Felix Geyer
Executive Secretary

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM
OF SYMPOSIA, RESEARCH COMMITTEES, WORKING GROUPS AND AD HOC GROUPS SESSIONS
XI WORLD CONGRESS OF SOCIOLOGY, NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUGUST 18-23, 1986

The programs presented below were sent to us by the program coordinators of Symposia, Research Committees, Working Groups and Ad Hoc Groups (those recognized by the Research Council in Cologne, 1984). Scholars wishing to submit a paper are welcomed to write as soon as possible to the relevant session organizer (where none is given, write to the program coordinator).

October 1, 1985 is the deadline for session organizers to submit final (corrected, modified, up-dated) programs to the ISA Secretariat providing the following information on each session:
- title of the session
- authors (discusants, etc.)
- title of their papers
- address of each author

Anything received later than this date will not be included in the Congress Programme book.

March 1, 1986 is the deadline for submitting abstracts of papers to the ISA Secretariat. Forms and instructions for submitting abstracts can be obtained from session organizers.

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June 15, 1986 is the deadline for pre-registration with the following fees applicable:

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Chair: Radmila Nakarada (Economic Institute, Marsala Tita 16, P.F. 402, 11000 Beograd, Yugoslavia)

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Session 2: Ideologies of Race in the History of Sociology 
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Session 6: Sociologists and Public Life 
Chair: Stephen P. Turner (Sociology, University of South Florida, 140 Seventh Avenue South, St. Petersburg, Fl. 33701, USA)

Session 7: Sociologists and Fascism 
Chair: Dirk Kasler (see the address above)

Session 8: Building National Traditions in Sociology 
Chair: Nikolai Genov (Inst Sociology, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, Moskovska 1 A, Sofia 1000, Bulgaria)

Session 9: Peace, War and Nationalism in the History of Sociology 
Co-Chairs: Hans Joas (M. Planck Inst fur Bildungsforschung, Lentzeallee 94, 1000 Berlin-West 35, FRG) 
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RC 09 SOCIAL PRACTICE AND SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION / PRATIQUE SOCIALE ET TRANSFORMATION SOCIALE

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Session 1: Problems of Social Change in Asia 
Chair: Hiroshi Komai (Dept Sociology, Univ Tsukuba, 1-1-1 Tennodai Sakura Nihara Gun, Ibaraki, Japan)

Session 2: Feminist Paradigms for Social Transformation: Methodologies & Practices 
Chair: Dorothy Smith (Sociology, OISIE, 252 Bloor St. West, Toronto, Ontario MSS IV5, Canada)

Session 3: Individualistic vs. Structuraltic Theories of Social Change 
Chair: Ortwin Renn (Programgruppe Technik und Gesellschaft der Kernforschungs-anlage, Postfach 1913, 5170 Julich, FRG)

Session 4: Joint Session with RC 26 Sociotechnics: Organizational & Social Consequences of the New Technologies in the Postindustrial Society 
Co-Chairs: Ellen B. Hill (6654 Cavigliano, Ticino, Switzerland) 
Helmut Klages (Hochschule fur Verwaltungswissenschaften, Postfach 1409, 5720 Speyer, FRG)

Session 5: Issues in Participatory Research 
Co-Chairs: Orlando Fals Borda (Punta de Lanza, Apartado Aéreo 52058, Bogota, D.F., Columbia) 
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Session 6: Action Oriented Participatory Research in Practice 
Chair: Rajesh Tandon (Society for Participatory Research in Asia, 45 Sainik Farm, Khanpur, New Delhi 110 062, India)

Session 7: Gender and Development in the Context of the World Economy 
Chair: Randall Stokes (Dept Sociology, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA 01003, USA)

Session 8: Dependence, Development, and Social Transformation 
Chair: Michal Bodemann (Dept Sociology, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario MSS 1A1, Canada)

Session 9: Business Meeting 
Chair: to be announced
RC 10 PARTICIPATION, WORKERS’ CONTROL AND SELF-MANAGEMENT / PARTICIATION, CONTRÔLE DES TRAVAILLEURS ET AUTOGESTION

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Session 1: The Role of the State with Respect to Industrial Democracy
Chair: to be announced

Session 2: Trade Unions and Industrial Democracy
Chair: Bengt Abrahamsson (Arbetslivscentrum, Box 5606, S-11486 Stockholm, Sweden, tel.8-229980)

Session 3: Organized Capital and Economic Democracy
Chair: Bernd Marin (European Univ Institute, Badia Fiesolana, Via dei Roccettini 9, 50146 San Domenico di Fiesole (Florence), Italy, tel.55-477931)

Session 4: The Role of Competence with Respect to Participation, Self-management and Workers’ Control
Chair: György Széll (Univ Osnabrück, Box 4469, 4500 Osnabrück, FRG, tel.941-682386)

Session 5: Producer Cooperatives: Issues of Organization and Development
Chair: Chris Cornforth (Cooperatives Research Unit, Open University, Walton Hall, Milton Keynes MK7 6AA, United Kingdom, tel.998-552102)

Session 6: Joint Session with RC 32 Women in Society: The Sex Structuring of Organizations and Chances for Industrial Democracy
Chair: Joan Acier (UnivOregon, Eugene, OR 97403-1202, USA, tel.503-685902)

Session 7: Social and Economic Developments with Respect to Industrial Democracy in South-East Asia
Chair: to be announced

Session 8: The Role of Trade Unions with Respect to Workers’ Participation in Latin America
Chair: Matthias Stiefel (UNRISD, Palais des Nations, 1211 Geneva 10, Switzerland, tel.22-9822996)

Session 9: Social Integration in Old Age: Emerging Roles in Retirement
Chair: Edward A. Powers (see the address above)

Session 10: Business Meeting
Chair: to be announced

Session 11: Joint session with the Yugoslav Sociological Association
Chair: to be announced

Session 12: Joint session with RC 15 Sociology of Medicine: The Aged and the Medical Care Arena - an Uneasy Meeting
Co-Chairs: Anne-Marie Guillemard (see the address above), Stan Ingman (School of Medicine, Univ Missouri, Columbia, MO 65212, USA, tel.314-8822996)

RC 11 SOCIOLOGY OF AGING
SOCIOLOGIE DE VIEILLISSEMENT

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Session 1: Sociology of Aging: Theoretical Issues and Social Policy
Chair: Victor Marshall (Dept Behavioral Science, Univ Toronto, McMurtry Bldg, Toronto, Ontario M5S 1A8, Canada)

Session 2: Aging and Public Policy
Chair: Anne-Marie Guillemard (Centre d’Etude des Mouvements Sociaux, 54 Blvd. Raspail, 75270 Paris Cedex 06, France)

Session 3: Aging Issues in Developing Countries
Chair: P.K.B. Nayar (Dept Sociology, University of Kerala, Kariavattom P.O., Trivandrum, India)

Session 4: Work and Retirement
Chair: Harold Groesch (Dept Sociology, Kansas State Univ, Manhattan, KS 66506, USA)

Session 5: Family, Kin and Intergenerational Support
Chair: Karl Waerness (Dept Sociology, Univ Bergen, Christiansg. 19, 5000 Bergen, Norway)

Session 6: Aging, Health Status and Health Care
Chair: Wim van den Heuvel (WG Medische Sociologie, Ant. Deusinghlaan 1, 9713 AV Groningen, The Netherlands)

Session 7: Changing Age and Gender Structures and Life Span Issues
Chair: Mieko Kanazawa (Fakultät für Soziologie, Karl-Marx-Str. 9, 1000 Berlin 36, FRG)

Session 8: Standards of Living, Economic and Welfare Dimensions of Aging
Chair: to be announced

Session 9: Social Integration in Old Age: Emerging Roles in Retirement
Chair: Edward A. Powers (see the address above)

Session 10: Business Meeting
Chair: to be announced

Session 11: Joint session with RC 15 Sociology of Medicine: The Aged and the Medical Care Arena - an Uneasy Meeting
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RC 12 SOCIOLOGY OF LAW
SOCIOLOGIE DU DROIT

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Post-Congress meeting of the RC 12 at the Indian Supreme Court on topics of “Law and Social Change”.

Program Coordinator: Erhard Blankenburg
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Session 1: Sociology of Leisure and Sociological Theory
Co-Chairs: John R. Kelly (Univ Illinois, ICBD, 51 E. Gerty Drive, Champaign, ILL 61820, USA)
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Session 2: Leisure and Social Change
Co-Chairs: Jiri Zuzanek (Dept Recreation, Univ Waterloo, Waterloo, OT N2L 3G1, Canada)
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Gyergy Fukasz (Liszt Ferenc Zenemuvezett, Foiskola 1391 Budapest, Liszt Ferenc Ter S, Hungary)

Session 3: Work and Leisure in Developing Countries
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Session 4: Leisure and Way of Life
Chair: Gilles Pronovost (Département des Sciences du Loisir, Univ du Québec à Trois-Rivières, Trois-Rivières, Québec G9A 5H7, Canada)

Session 5: Leisure and Economic Crisis
Co-Chairs: France Govaerts (16, rue Jacques Jordana, bte 5, 1059 Bruxelles, Belgium)
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Session 6: Methodological Problems in the Sociological Study of Leisure
Michael Smith (Bristol Polytechnics, Cold Harbour Lane, Dept Frenchy Bristol 16, United Kingdom)
S. Hamilton-Smith (P.O.Box 36, Carlton South, VC 3053, Australia)

Session 7: Leisure, Cultural Development and Social Policy
Co-Chairs: Ivan Vitanyi (Institute for Culture, Corvin tér 8, 1261 Budapest, Hungary)
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Session 8: Leisure, Tourism and Economic Development
Co-Chairs: M.F. Lanfant (URSTI, Centre des Etudes Sociologique, 82 rue Cardinet, 75017 Paris, France)
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Graham S. Dann (Dept Sociology, Univ West-Indies, P.O.Box 64, Bridgetown, Barbados, West Indies)

Session 9: Leisure and Political Institutions
Co-Chairs: T.L. Burton (8912 140 Street, Edmonton, Alberta T5A 0G3, Canada)
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Session 10: International Comparative Research Projects
Co-Chairs: Jiri Zuzanek (see the address above)
Teus J. Kamphorst (see the address above)

Session 11: Business Meeting
Chair: Anna Olszewska (see the address above)

Session 12: Methodological Problems in the Sociological Study of Leisure
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S. Hamilton-Smith (P.O.Box 36, Carlton South, VC 3053, Australia)
Session 6: New Directions in the Study of Language and Ideology  
Chair: Franco Crespi (Istituto di Studi Sociali, Fac Scienze Politiche, Università di Perugia, 1-Perugia, Italy)

Session 7: TV Discourse between Information and Culture  
Chair: Peter Dahlgren (see the address above)

Session 8: Press and Public Opinion  
Chair: José Vidal-Beneyto (24 rue Henri-Barbusse, 75005 Paris, France, tel.1-5890131)

Session 9: Popular Music and Society  
Chair: Fernando Reyes Matta (ILET, Casilla 16631 - Correo 9, Santiago de Chile, Chile)

Session 10: TV Serials and Narrativity  
Chair: Reuben George Oliven (Dept Social Sciences, Univ Federal do Rio Grande do Sul, Rua Barao do Amazonas 472, 9000 Porto Alegre, Brazil)

Session 11: Joint session with RC 34 Sociology of Youth: Youth Culture and News Media  
Co-Chairs: Rudolf A. Mayer RC34 (German Youth Inst, Saarstr.7, 8000 Munich, FRG), Claudio Aguirre-Bianchi RC14 (see the address above)

Session 12: Joint session with RC 37 Sociology of Arts: Consumption and Cultural Practices  
Co-Chairs: Marino Livolai RC14 (Dipt di Socializzazioni, Fac Scienze, Univ di Trento, Via G. Verdi 26, Trento, Italy), Ivan Vitanyi RC37 (Inst for Culture, Kossuth tér 8, 1525 Budapest, Hungary, tel.1-388581)

RC 16 NATIONAL MOVEMENTS AND IMPERIALISM  
SOCILOGIE DES MOVEMENTS NATIONAUX ET DE L'IMPERIALISME

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Sessions 1 & 2: World Powers and World Peace  
Coordinator: Anouar Abdel-Malek (see the address above)

Session 3: Regional Conflicts and World Peace: (1) Central America  
Chair: Jorge Serrano (CEKSTM, Calle Magnolia 39, San Jeronimo, Mexico 10200, D.F., Mexico, tel. 681938, tlx: 1775779 oceast)

Session 4: Regional Conflicts and World Peace: (2) The Middle East  
Chair: Giuseppe Marossini (Faculty Political Science, University of Torino, Corso Vittorio Emanuele 28, Torino, Italy, tel. 87611)

Session 5: Regional Conflict and World Peace: (3) Southern Africa  
Chair: Immanuel Wallerstein (Dept Sociology, State Univ New York, Binghamton, NY 13901, USA, tel: 607-794938)

Session 6: Regional Conflict and World Peace: (4) South-East Asia  
Chair: Barun De (Center for Studies in Social Sciences, 10 Lake Terrace, Calcutta 700 029, India, tel 45-7948 cable: SOCHRECENT CALCUTTA)

Sessions 7, 8, 9: Miscellaneous Research Papers  
Chairs: to be announced

Session 10: Business Meeting  
Chair: to be announced

RC 17 SOCIOLOGY OF ORGANIZATION  
SOCILOGIE DES ORGANISATIONS

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Session 1: Theoretical Issues in the Sociology of Organizations  
Chair: Viviane Marquez (El Colegio de Mexico, Centro de Estudios Socio- gico, Apdo Postal 20-571, Mexico 20 D.P., Mexico)

Session 2: The State of Knowledge  
Chair: Franco Ferraresi (Ist. di Scienze Politiche, Università di Torino, Via S. Octavio 20, 10124 Torino, Italy)

Session 3: Applications of the Sociology of Organizations  
Chair: Alexander Matejko (Dept Sociology, Univ Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta 706 2W, Canada)

Session 4: Organizational Sociology in Socialist Nations  
Chair: Nicolai I. Lapin (Inst for Systems Studies, 29 Buleylev Street, 119034 Moscow, USSR)

Session 5: Business Meeting  
Chair: to be announced

RC 18 POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY  
SOCILOGIE POLITIQUE

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Session 1: The Legitimacy of the Welfare State  
Chair: Stein Kuhle (Inst Comparative Politics, Univ Bergen, Christientgt. 15, 5000 Bergen-J, Norway)

Session 2: Innovations in the Central Direction of Government  
Chair: Colin Campbell (Intercultural Center, Georgetown University, Washington D.C. 20057, U.S.A.)

Session 3: The Building of Democracy as a Paradox
Co-Chairs: Guy Hermet (CERI/FRSNP, 27 rue Saint Guillaume, 75341 Paris Cedex 07, France) Helcio Trindade (Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul, Campo do Vale, Av. Bento Goncalves 10.600; 90 000 Porto Alegre RS, Brazil)

Session 4: Elections in Developing Countries Chair: Ergun Ozbudun (Faculty of Law, University of Ankara, Ankara, Turkey)

Session 5: The Political Consequences of International Population Movements Chair: Myron Weiner (Political Science, MIT, Cambridge, Mass 02139, USA)

Session 6: Private Governments, Policy Networks and Social Order Co-Chairs: Philippe C. Schmitter (European University Institute, San Domenico di Fiesole, Florence 50016, Italy) Alan Cawson (Dept Politics, Univ Sussex, Falmer, Brighton BN1 9QH, United Kingdom)

RC 20 SOCIOLOGY OF MENTAL HEALTH SOCIOLOGIE DE LA SANTE MENTALE

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RC 21 REGIONAL AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT DEVELOPPEMENT REGIONAL ET URBAIN

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RC 22 SOCIOLOGY OF RELIGION SOCIOLOGIE DE LA RELIGION

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Session 1: Religion and Power Chair: Adrian Koster (Institute of Social Sciences, The Free University, P.O. Box 7161, The Netherlands)

Session 2: Popular Religion Chair: R. Cipriani (Via della Chimica 8, 00144 Roma, Italy)

Session 3: Religion, Oppression, Liberation Chair: Carol Borowski (Massachusetts Institute for Social Studies, 15 Kendale Ave., Boston, MA 02124, USA)

Session 4: Essays of Max Weber on India & China Chair: Andreas Buss (Dept Social Sciences & Humanities, University Sainte-Anne, Pointe-de-l’Eglise, Nouvelle-Beauce B0N 1 0 C, Canada)

Session 5: Dialectical Sociology & Religion Chair: Hans Moll (Dept Religious Studies, Macmaster Univ, 1280 Main Street West, Hamilton, Ontario L8S 4K1, Canada)

Sessions 6,7,8,9: Miscellaneous papers Chair: Nicos Kokosalakis (see the address above)

Session 10: Business Meeting

Session 11: Joint session with RC 05 Ethnic, Race & Minority Relations: Religion, Race and Ethnicity Co-Chairs: Lim Teck Ghee (Centre for Policy Research, University Sains Malaysia, Minden, Pulau Pinang, Malaysia) - to be announced

RC 23 SOCIOLOGY OF SCIENCE SOCIOLOGIE DE LA SCIENCE

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Session 1: Science and Society in the Periphery Chair: Simon Schwritzmann (IUPERJ, Rua de Martim 62, 2226 Botsfogo, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil)

Session 2: Science and Global Politics Co-Chairs: Peter Weingart (Universität Bielefeld, Postfach 8640, 4800 Bielefeld 1, FRG) Helmut Steiner (Inst für Soziologie & Sozialpolitik, Deutsche Akademie, Otto-Nuschke-Str. 10/11, 1000 Berlin, DDR)

Session 3: Scientific Institutions and the Development of Scientific Knowledge Chair: Richard Whitley (see the address above)

Session 4: Religion, Collective Movements and Science in Asia Chair: F. Nakayama (3-7-11 Chuo, Nakano, Tokyo, Japan)

Session 5: The Social Construction of Scientific and Technological Knowledge Chair: Karin D. Knorr-Dettina (Dept Sociology, Univ Bielefeld, Postfach 9640, 4800 Bielefeld 1, FRG)

Session 6: Uses of the Sociology of Science Chair: Janos Parkas (Inst Sociology, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Uri Utca 43, Budapest 1, Hungary, tel. 1-16299)

Session 7: Joint session with the International Committee on Scientific Policy Studies: Impact of Modern Technology on Developing Countries Chair: A. Rahman (NISTADS, Hillside Road, New Delhi 110 012, tel: 583227, tlx: 31-61187)

Session 8: Joint session with the International Comparative Study on the Organization and Performance of Research Units Chair: Veronica Stolte-Heiskanen (Dept Sociology, Tampere University, P.O. Box 607, 33101 Tampere, Finland)
Session 1: Ecological Crisis, Growth and Development
Chair: Zdravko Mlinar (Dept Sociology, University "Edward Kardelj", Titova 102, 6100 Ljubljana, Yugoslavia, tel. 61-341461)

Session 2: Great Metropolitan Areas: Case Studies
Chair: Mattei Dogan (see the address above)

Session 3: Metropolitan Change and Urban Policy
Chair: John D. Kasarda (see the address above)

Session 4: Les Nouvelles Techniques de Telecommunications et la Dialectique Centre-Peripherie
Chair: Michel Bassand (IREC, Ecole Polytechnique, 14 ave. de l'Eglise-Anglaise, 1006 Lausanne, Switzerland)

Session 5: Changes in the Social Nature of Space and the New Technology
Chair: Erwin Scheuch (Inst Angewandte Sozialforschung, Universitét Köln, Greinstrasse 2, 5000 Köln 41, FRG)

Session 6: Political Ecology
Chair: Jan-Erik Lane (Dept Political Science, Univ of Umeå, 90187 Umeå, Sweden, tel. 90-165006)

Session 7: Giant Cities in the Third World
Chair: Michael McHulley (Dept Geography, Univ of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa 52242, USA)

Session 8: Giant Cities in Asia and Latin America
Co-Chairs: Mattei Dogan (see the address above) John D. Kasarda (see the address above)

Session 9: Current Research on Metropolitan Areas
Co-Chairs: Bernd Hamm (Dept Sociology, Univ Trier, Postfach 3825, 5500 Trier, FRG) Henry Teune (Dept Political Science, Univ of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA 19104, USA)

Session 10: Social Ecology at the Cross-roads: administrative meeting
Chair: to be announced

Session 11: Methods of Sociolinguistics Research
Chair: Walburga von Raffler-Engel (Linguistics, Vanderbilt University, 372 Elmington Ave., Nashville, TN 37205, USA)

Session 12: Language and Culture
Chair: J.J. Smolicz (Dept Education, Univ Adelaide, Adelaide 5000, Australia)

Group 9: Interdisciplinary Approaches to Language
Chair: Mary Milam (6222 Malcolm Drive, Dallas, Texas 75214, USA)

Group 14: Psycholinguistics and Sociolinguistics
Chair: Tatiana Slama-Casacu (Int. Jnl. of Psycholinguistics, Univ Bucharest, Str. Moza 16, Bucharest, Romania)

Group 24: Functions of Language
Chair: Ulrich Ammon (Germanistik, Univ Duisburg, Lotharstrasse 85, 4100 Duisburg 1, FRG)

Group 27: Sociolinguistics and Mainstream Social Theory
Chair: Haver Currie (Regional Research Associates, 1811 Alameda Drive, Austin, Texas 78704, USA)

Group 28: Attitudes Towards Language
Chair: Mary Miller (English Language & Literature, Div. of Art & Humanities, University of Maryland, 2825-29 Place NW, Washington, DC 20008, USA)

Section II: Philosophical Underpinnings of Sociolinguistics
Group 30: Multicultural Phenomena  
Chair: Lachmann Khubchandani (Centre for Communications Studies, 270 Sind Society, Ganesh Kind, Pune 411007, India)

Section VI: Regional Sociolinguistics

Group 11: Code-switching as a Worldwide Phenomenon  
Chair: R.S. Jacobson (Bicultural-Bilingual Studies, University of Texas, San Antonio 78285, USA)

Group 13: Regional Minority Languages Worldwide  
Chair: Erik Allardt (Research Group for Comparative Sociology, Univ Helsinki, Mariankatu 10 A 13, 00170 Helsinki 17, Finland)

Group 20: Language Planning  
Chair: Eddie Kuo (Sociology, National Univ Singapore, Kent Ridge, 0511 Singapore)

Group 22: Canadian French as a Minority Language  
Chair: Monica Heller (Ontario Institute for Studies in Education, 252 Bloor St. West, Toronto, Ontario M5S 1V6, Canada)

Section VII: Ethnocentrism in Sociolinguistics

Group 12: Ethnocentrism in Intercultural Communications Research  
Chair: Bates Hoffer (English, Trinity University, 715 Stadium Drive, San Antonio, Texas 78284, USA)

Group 17: Linguistic Rights of Language Learners  
Chair: Torve Skutnabb-Kangas (Roskilde University Centre, Nyvej 17, 4050 Skibby, Denmark)

Group 26: Language, Ethnicity, and Social Conflict  
Chair: David E. Lopez (Sociology, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA 90024, USA)

Group 29: Ethnocentrism, Sociolinguistics and Traditional Theories  
Chair: Zakharia Abouhamida (Faculty of Arts, University of Jordan, Amman, Jordan)

Joint Session with RC 33 Logic and Methodology in Sociology: Sociolinguistics and Sociological Methodology  
Co-Chairs: Pierre Ahard and Karl M. van Meter (Maison des Sciences de l’Homme, 94 Blvd. Raspail, 75270 Paris Cèdex 06, France)

RC 26 SOCIOTECHNIQUE

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Session 1: Social Science Professionals within Organizations in Different Nations: a Review of their Ethical Codes, their Possibilities and Problems  
Chair: Guy Benveniste (School of Education, Univ California, Berkeley, CA 94720, USA)

Session 2: Sociotechnical Measures in Industrialization at the Local Level: Examples from Western Europe and the USA  
Chair: Albert B. Cherno (The Old Poor House, Rodwell, Sussex BN7 3HF, United Kingdom)

Session 3: Participatory Decision Making in Industry and the Public Sector: a Review of Recent Developments  
Chair: Alexander Matejko (Dept Sociology, Univ Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta T6G 2H4, Canada, tel. 403-4325234)

Session 4: Sociotechnics and Democratic Politics - Strategies in Government De-bureaucratization, Decentralization and Deregulation  
Co-Chairs: Jerry Kwasniowski (Gabinks 18 m 21, 01-703 Warszawa, Poland) and Joachim K.H.W. Schmidt (see the address above)

Session 5: Joint session with RC 29 Deviance and Social Control: Decline of the Welfare State and its Implications for Social Control  
Co-Chairs: Maria Los RC 26 (Dept Criminology, Univ Ottawa, Ottawa, Ontario K1V 6M8, Canada) - to be announced

Session 6: The Leisure Explosion as a Challenge for Sociotechnical Thinking: a Review of Problems and Solutions  
Co-Chairs: A.L.A. Mohsen (Univ Alberta, 4611-161 Street, Edmonton, Alberta T6H 2L7, Canada) and Victor Scardigili (CREDOC, 45 Blvd. de la Gare, Paris XIII, France)

Session 7: Problems and Possibilities of Information Transfer in Advanced Industrial Systems  
Co-Chairs: Allen H. Barton (Columbia Univ, 514 Fayerweather Hall, New York, NY 10027, USA) and Carol H. Weiss (Gutman Library, Harvard Univ, Appian Way, Cambridge, Mass. 02138, USA)

Session 8: Methodological Developments and Issues in Social Policy Research, Social Impact Assessment and Utilization in Industrialised and Developing Nations  
Chair: Mark van de Vall (Dept Sociology, Univ Leiden, 242 Stationsplein, Leiden, The Netherlands)

Session 9: Joint Sessions with RC 36 Alienation Theory and Research - De-alienation: Sociotechnical Strategies on International, National, Community and Family Level  
Co-Chairs: Judith Ruber-Agassi RC 26 (37 Levi Eshkol, Heralia 46745, Israel) - to be announced

Session 10: Joint Sessions with RC 09 Social Practice and Social Transformation: Organizational & Social Consequences of the New Technologies in the
**Postindustrial Society**

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**RC 27 SOCIOLoGY OF SPORT**

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Session 1: Professional/Top-Level Sport and Economic Crisis
Chair: Alan G. Ingham (see the address above)

Session 2: Economic Change and Sport-Related Violence
Chair: Kurt Weis (Technische Universität München, Inst Sozialwissenschaften, 8000 München 2, FRG)

Session 3: Cultural Contradictions and Continuous: Sport Contexts and Social Change (National Aspects)
Chair: Günther Lüschen (Dept Sociology, Univ Illinois, Urbana, ILL 61801, USA)

Session 4: Uneven Development, Conflict, and the Prospects for International Sport
Chair: to be announced

Session 5: Adjustments to Socio-economic Charge: Sport and Lifestyle
Chair: to be announced

**RC 28 SOCIAL STRATIFICATION**

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Session 1: Differentiated Life Styles: Objective Aspects
Chair: Rudolf Andorka (Bimbo 92, 1022 Budapest, Hungary)

Session 2: Differentiated Life Styles: Subjective Aspects
Chair: Rudolf Andorka (see the address above)

Session 3: Stratification in the Third World (general)
Chair: Ban Dev Sharda (Dept Sociology, Univ of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT 84112, USA)

Session 4: Stratification in the Third World: India
Chair: Ban Dev Sharda (see the address above)

Session 5: Social Mobility: Comparative Studies
Chair: Albert Simkus (Dept Sociology, Univ Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 48109, USA)

Session 6: Social Mobility: National Studies
Chair: Albert Simkus (see the address above)

Sessions 7 and 8: Multidimensional Aspects of Social Stratification

Co-Chairs: Tamás Kólosi (Tarsadalontudományi Intézet, Benczur utca 33, 1068 Budapest, Hungary)
Hermann Strasser (Soziologie, Universität Duisburg, Lothrästr. 65, 4100 Duisburg 1, FRG)

**RC 29 DEVIANCE AND SOCIAL CONTROL**

Program Coordinator: Manfred Brusten
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Session 1: International Organisation of Crime and Crime Control
Chair: to be announced

Session 2: Crime by and against the State
Chair: to be announced

Session 3: Teaching in Sociology of Deviance
Chair: to be announced

Session 4: Solving Social Conflicts and Social Problems without Criminalization
Chair: to be announced

Session 5: Role of Legal Profession in Criminal Justice
Chair: to be announced

Session 6: White Collar Crime in Developed and Developing Countries
Chair: to be announced

Session 7: Crime and Crime Control in India (Crime among tribal population of India; Corruption in India)
Chair: to be announced

Session 8: Methodological and Theoretical Issues in Criminology
Chair: to be announced

Session 9: Crime Patterns and Trends
Chair: to be announced

Session 10: Joint session with RC 26 Sociotechnics: Decline of the Welfare State and its Implications for Social Control
Co-Chairs: Maria Los RC 26 (Dept Criminology, Univ Ottawa, Ottawa, Ontario K1V 6N5, Canada)

**RC 30 SOCIOLoGY OF WORK**

Program Coordinator: Jean Ruffier
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Session 1: Changing Meanings of Work: Methodological Approaches
Chair: Pierre Fouquier (Centre d'Etudes Sociologiques, 82 rue Cardinet, 75017 Paris, France)

Session 2: Automation and the Future of White Collar
Co-Chairs: Wolfgang Littek (Universität Bremen, FB 11, Postfach 330 440, 2800 Bremen 33, FRG)
Céline Saint-Pierre (Dept Sociologie, UQUAM, C.P. 888, Station A, Montréal, Québec H3C 3P8, Canada, tel. 514-2824393)

Session 3: New Technologies and Industrial Work
Chair: Marc Maurice (LEST, 27 ave. Jules Ferry, 13000 Aix-en-Provence, France)

Session 4: Conditions of Working Life
Chair: J.C. Neffa (Casilla de Correo No. 108, 1900 La Plata, Argentine)

Session 5: Social Planning in the Entreprise and Quality of Working Life
Chair: Chavdar Kiuranov (Inst Sociology, 39 Vitosha Blvd, 1463 Sofia, Bulgaria)

Session 6: Working in Small Enterprise
Chair: Albert L. Mok (Dept PSW, Universiteit Antwerpen, Universiteitsplein 1, 2610 Wilrijk, Belgium)

Session 7: Professional Work in Comparative Perspective
Chair: Louis H. Orzaek (Rutgers Univ, 7 Bunny Circle, Newton, MA 02158, USA)

Session 8: Unemployment and Under-employment in Developed & Less Developed Countries
Chair: Francisco Zapata (El Colegio de Mexico, Apartado postal 20-671, 01000 Mexico DF 20, Mexico, tel.5686033)

Sessions 9 & 10: Work and Social Change
Chair: to be announced

Session 11: Business Meeting
Chair: to be announced

Session 12: Joint Session with RC 32 Women in Society: Women and Work
Co-Chairs: Judith Buber-Agassi (37 Levi Eshkol, Herzlia 46745, Israel, tel.52-551430)
Pamela Roby (Merrill College, Univ California, Santa Cruz, CA 95064, USA, tel.408-4292855)

Chair: Peter Gruenings (European Center, Grungergasse 2, 1010 Wien, Austria)
Michael Stefanov (Inst Youth Studies, P.O.Box 25, 1126 Sofia, Bulgaria)

Session 14: Joint Session with RC 36 Sociology of Alienation: Work and Alienation
Chair: Jolanta Kulpinska (Kasprzaka 55-8, 91-078 Lodz, Poland)

RC 31 SOCIOLOGY OF MIGRATION
SOCIÉCIOLOGIE DES MIGRATIONS

Program Coordinator: Francesco P. Cerone
Via Aquileia 15, 00198 Rome, Italy, tel. 6-8450304

General Theme: New Trends in World Migration
Session 1: Sociological Theories of Migration
Chair: to be announced

Session 2: Methods and Techniques for Migration Studies
Chair: to be announced

Session 3: Migration within and from Less Developed Countries
Chair: to be announced

Session 4: Social and Economic Problems, Political Conflict and Refugees
Chair: to be announced

Session 5: Determinants and Consequences of Illegal Migration
Chair: to be announced

Session 6: Sociological Aspects of Immigration Policies in the Eighties (with special reference to highly developed countries)

RC 32 WOMEN IN SOCIETY / FEMMES ET SOCIETE

Program Coordinator: Deniz Kandiyoti
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Session 1: Advances in Feminist Theory
Co-Chairs: Karen E. Paige (Dept Psychology, Univ of California, Davis, CA 95616, USA)
Joan Acker (Center for the Study of Women in Society, Univ of Oregon, Eugene, OR 97403, USA)

Session 2: Joint Session with RC 30 Sociology of Work: Women and Work
Co-Chairs: Judith Ruber-Agassi (37 Levi Eshkol, Herzlia 46745, Israel, tel.52-551430)
Pamela Roby (Merrill College, Univ California, Santa Cruz, CA 95064, USA, tel.408-4292855)

Session 3: Caribbean Women in International Migration
Co-Chairs: Monica Gordon (Dept Sociology, Univ of Oregon, Eugene, OR 97403, USA)
Rosina Whitaker-Brondier (Inst of International Relations, Univ of the West Indies, St. Augustine, Trinidad, West Indies)

Session 4: Women and Social Policy
Chair: Lourdes Arizpe (El Colegio de Mexico, Camino al Amsico 20, Mexico 10740, D.F., Mexico)

Session 5: Joint session with RC 10 Participation, Workers' Control & Self-Management: The Sex Structuring of Organizations and Chances for Industrial Democracy
Chair: Joan Acker (see the address above)

Session 6: Women Healers Cross-Culturally
Chair: Sylvia Marcos (Harvard Divinity School, 45 Francis Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02138, USA)

Session 7: Women and Family
Co-Chairs: Esther Ngan-Ling Chow (Dept Sociology, The American University, Washington D.C. 20006, USA)
Catherine White Berheide (Dept Sociology, Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866, USA)

Session 8: Joint session with RC 38 Biography and
Co-Chairs: Daniel Bertaux (Centre d'Etude des Mouvements Sociaux, CNRS, 54 Blvd. Raspail, 75006 Paris, France) Elizabeth Jelin (CEDES, Av. Pueyrredon 510-70, 1032 Buenos Aires, Argentina)

Session 9: Women's Culture and Politics
Chair: Linda Christiansen-Ruffman (Dept Sociology, St Mary's University, Halifax, Nova Scotia B3H 3C3, Canada)

Women's Culture and Politics in South Africa
Danielle Bazan (UN Economic Commission for Africa, P.O. Box 2975 Y, Melbourne, Victoria 3130, Australia)

Session 10: Research Design as a Process: Flexibility and Rigidity
Chair: Gary L. Albrecht (School of Public Health, Univ Illinois, P.O. Box 6996, Chicago, IL 60680, USA)

Session 11: Research Programs and Social Reality
Chair: Norman W.H. Slizkie (Social Sc, RMIT, P.O. Box 2475 Y, Melbourne, Victoria 3130, Australia)

Session 12: Complex Models for Social Science Data Analysis
Chair: Gerhard Arminger (Economics, Bergische Universität, 5600 Wuppertal, FRG)

Session 13: Methodological Issues in Sociological Research
Chair: David J. Jackson (National Inst Mental Health, Parklawn Bldg, Rockville, MD 20857, USA)

Session 14: Joint Session with RC 25 Sociolinguistics: Sociolinguistics and Sociological Methodology
Chair: Pierre Ahard and Karl M. van Meter (Maison des Sciences de l'Homme, 54 Blvd. Raspail, 75270 Paris Cedex 06, France)

Chair: Interpretation
Uta Gerhardt (Abt. Medizinische Soziologie, J. Liebig Universität, Friedrichstr. 24, 3400 Gießen, FRG)

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Chair: Pierre Ahard and Karl M. van Meter (Maison des Sciences de l'Homme, 54 Blvd. Raspail, 75270 Paris Cedex 06, France)
Session 5: Asian Religious Worldviews and Alienation  
Chair: D.R. Ganesan (Dept Education, Univ Madras, Madras 5, 600 005 India)

Session 6: Work and Unemployment as Alienating Experience  
Chair: Walter R. Heinz (Dept Social Sc IB9, Universität Bremen, 28 Bremen, FRG)

Session 7: Alienation: Anglo-Indian and Indo-Anglian Literary Perspectives  
Chair: P.S. Sri (Dept English, Univ Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta T6G 2E5, Canada)

Session 8: Business Meeting or Miscellaneous Papers  
Co-Chairs: Frank A. Johnson and Alan Whitehorn (see the address above)

Session 9: Alienation and Mental Health  
Chair: Joan M. Anderson (Univ British Columbia, School of Nursing, T.F. 206 - 2211 Wesbrook Mall, Vancouver, BC V6T 2B5, Canada)

Session 10: Open Session for diverse papers  
Co-Chairs: Frank A. Johnson and Alan Whitehorn (see the address above)

Session 11: Joint Session with RC 30 Sociology of Work: Work and Alienation  
Co-Chairs: Jolanta Kulpsinska, Kasprzaka 55 -8, 91-078 Wroclaw, Poland

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Session 12: Joint Sessions with RC 26 Sociotechnics: De-alienation - Sociotechnical Strategies on International, National, Community and Family Level  
Co-Chairs: Judith Buber-Agassi (37 Levi Eshkol, Herzlia 46745, Israel)

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RC 37 SOCIOLOGY OF ARTS  
SOCILOGIE DES ARTS  
Program Coordinator: Ivan Vitanyi  
Institute for Culture, Corvin tér 8, 1251 Budapest, Hungary, tel.1-388581

Session 1: The Role of Art in Society  
Chair: Ivan Vitanyi (see the address above)

Session 2: Mass Culture and the Arts  
Chair: Antonias Kloskowska (Pazika 6-270, 00-172 Warszawa, Poland)

Session 3: Sociology of the Institutions of Art  
Chair: Antoine Henlon (120 Boulevard de la Chapelle, 75018 Paris, France)

Session 4: The Policy of Aesthetic Perception  
Chair: Richard A. Peterson (Vanderbilt Univ, Box 1635B, Nashville, TN 37235, USA)

Session 5: Leisure and the Arts  
Chair: Maria Sagi (Institute for Culture, Corvin tér 8, 1251 Budapest, Hungary)

Session 6: Sociological Aspects of Modern and Postmodern Art  
Chair: Vera L. Zolberg (New School for Social Research, 65 Fifth Ave, New York, NY 10003, USA, tel. 212-8940520)

Session 7: Sociological Problems of the Survival of Extreme European Traditional Art (e.g. India, China, Malaysia)  
Chair: Y. Subramaniam (Dept Political Science, Carleton Univ, Ottawa, Ontario K1S 5B6, Canada)

Session 8: Art and Alienation  
Chair: D. Braika

Session 9: History and Current Trends in the Sociology of Art  
Chair: Jeffrey Bailey (30 East 9th Street, 3-1-1, New York, NY 10003, USA)

Session 10: Business Meeting  
Chair: to be announced

Session 11: Joint session with RC 14 Communication, Knowledge and Culture: Consumption and Cultural Practices  
Co-Chairs: Marino Livolsi RC 14 (19 via Montevideo, Milano, Italy, tel.2-4981801)  
Ivan Vitanyi RC 37 (see the address above)

RC 38 BIOGRAPHY AND SOCIETY  
BIOGRAPHIE ET SOCIETE  
Program Coordinator: Daniel Bertaux  
Centre d'Étude des Mouvements Sociaux, CNRS, 54 Blvd. Raspail, 75006 Paris, France, tel.1-5443979 ext.255

Session 1: Alternative Theories of Biographical Analysis: Hermeneutics, Semiotics, Phenomenology, Psychoanalysis, Feminist Theory, Cultural Marxism, Literary Criticism  
Chair: Norman K. Denzin (Dept Sociology, Univ Illinois, 326 Lincoln Hall, 702 South Wright St., Urbana, IL 61801, USA, tel.217-3347038)

Session 2: Historical Processes and Biographical Discontinuities  
Chair: to be announced

Session 3: Work, Culture and Biography  
Chair: Martin Kohli (Inst Sociologie, Freie Universitaet Berlin, Garsstr 21, 1000 Berlin 33, FRG, tel.30-832242; till mid-June 1985: Inst for Advanced Study, School of Social Science, Princeton, NJ 08540, USA)

Session 4: Cultural Models of Identity: Forms of Individuation  
Chair: to be announced

Session 5: Biography: Time and Structure  
Chair: Wolfram Fischer (Hensestrasse 183, 4400 Münster, FRG)

Session 6: Life Stories and Family Histories  
Chair: Francis Godard (CEBRE-CERCOM, Ecole des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, 2 rue de la Charité, 13002 Marseille, France, tel.91-912926)

Session 7: The Grammar of Autobiographical Narratives  
Chair: to be announced

Session 8: Childhood in the Third World  
Chair: Daniel Bertaux (see the address above)
Session 9: Joint Session with the Research Committee 32 Women in Society: Personal Narratives as Politics
Co-Chairs: Daniel Bertaux (see the address above) Elisabeth Jelin (CEDES, Ave. Pueyrredon 510-79, 1032 Buenos Aires, Argentina)

WORKING GROUPS

WORKING GROUP COMPARATIVE SOCIOLOGY
SOCIOLOGIE COMPARATIF
Program Coordinator: Mattei Dogan
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Session 1: Comparing Pluralist Democracies
Chair: Mattei Dogan (see the address above)

Session 2: Concepts and Strategies in Comparative Research
Chair: Ulf Himmelstrand (Sociology, Univ Uppsala, Box 513, 751 20 Uppsala, Sweden)

Session 3: Interdisciplinary and Comparative Research
Chair: Ali Kasanoglu (UNESCO, 1 rue Miollis, 75015 Paris, France)

Session 4: Theory of Comparative Survey Research
Chair: Erwin Scheuch (Inst Angewandte Sozialforschung, Universitat zu Koln, Greinstr. 2, 5000 Köln 41, FRG, tel. 221-4702965)

Session 5: Methods in Comparative Research
Chair: Ralph Turner (Dept Sociology, Univ of California, Los Angeles, CA 90024, USA, tel. 213-8251313)

Session 6: Comparing Authoritarian Regimes
Chair: Guy Hermet (CERI, Fondation Nationale des Sciences Politiques, 27 rue St. Guillaume, 75007 Paris, France)

Session 7: New Perspectives in Comparative Research
Chair: Guido Martinotti (Istituto Superiore di Sociologia, Via G. Cantonii 4, 20144 Milano, Italy)

Session 8: Comparing Political Cultures
Chair: Bertrand Badie (60 rue Emerain, 75015 Paris, France)

Session 9: Comparing Political Sociology
Chair: René Lemarchand (Dept Political Science, Univ of Florida, Gainesville, FL 32605, USA)

Session 10: Research in Comparative Sociology
Chair: Alex Inkeles (Dept Sociology, Stanford Univ, Stanford, CA 94305, USA)

WORKING GROUP SOCIOLOGY OF DISASTER
Program Coordinators: Orjan Hultaker
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S.L. Quarantelli
Disaster Research Ctrr, Univ Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, USA

Session 1: Disasters in Indian Society
Session 2: Theoretical Work on Disasters
Session 3: Empirical Studies of Disasters
Session 4: Cross-societal Research on Disasters
Session 5: Roundtable on Disaster Topics
Session 6: Miscellaneous Papers on Disaster Topics

Contributions to the above sessions should be sent to any one of three program coordinators (except those to a session on Disasters in Indian Society, which should be sent to N.K. Jain)

WORKING GROUP SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY
PSYCHOLOGIE SOCIALE
Program Coordinator: Mincho Draganov
Institute of Sociology, Moskovska 13 A, Sofia 1000, Bulgaria

Session 1: Methodological Problems of Social Psychology
Chair: Alex Inkeles (Hoover Inst, Stanford University, Stanford, CA 94305, USA)

Session 2: Sociopsychical Changes in Personality
Chair: Agnes Heller (96 Willow Bend, Bulleen 3105, Victoria, Australia)

Session 3: The Change in Interpersonal Relations
Chair: Galina M. Andreyeva (Dept Psychology, Moscow Univ, Marxa 18, Moscow, USSR)

Session 4: Sociopsychological Aspects of Macrosocial Changes
Chair: Mincho Draganov (see the address above)

Session 5: Social Change and Personality
Chair: K. Obuchowski (Poland)

Session 6: Sociopsychological Questions of Everyday Life
Chair: A. Singh (India)

AD HOC GROUPS

CLINICAL SOCIOLOGY
SOCIOLOGIE CLINIQUE
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Dept Behavioral Sciences and Human Services, Univ of Alaska, Fairbanks, Alaska 99701, USA

Session 1: Clinical Sociology as a Specific Approach: Defining the Field
Chair: to be announced
Session 2: Clinical Analysis: Problems in Methodology  
Chair: to be announced

Session 3: Social Change  
Chair: to be announced

Session 4: Miscellaneous Studies in Clinical Sociology  
Chair: to be announced

AD HOC GROUP EXPLANATORY SOCIOLOGY

Program Coordinators: Karl-Dieter Opp  
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Reinhard Wippler  
VG Theorie en Methodologie, Univ Utrecht, Heidelberglaan 2, 3584 CS Utrecht, The Netherlands, tel. 30-532101

Session 1: Norms and Values: their Emergence and Effects  
Chair: Russel Hardin (Univ Chicago, Dept Political Science, 5828 South University, Chicago, ILL 60637, USA)

Session 2: Institutional Arrangements and their Effects  
Chair: Michael Hechter (Univ Arizona, Tucson, AZ 85719, USA)

Session 3: Participation in Social Movements and other Associations  
Chair: Erich Weede (Forschungsinstitut für Soziologie, Univ Köln, Lindenerburger Allee 15, 5000 Köln 41, FRG)

Session 4: Unintended Consequences of Individual Action  
Chair: Werner Raub (Seminar für Soziologie, Univ Erlangen-Nürnberg, Findelgasse 1-5, 8500 Nürnberg, FRG)

Session 5: Rational Choice Theory: Limitations and Alternatives  
Chair: Arie Kaptyn (Economisch Instituut, Katholieke Hogeschool Tilburg, Postbus 90193, 5000 LE Tilburg, The Netherlands)

AD HOC LABOR MOVEMENTS IN THE INDUSTRIAL AND STATE ARENAS

Program Coordinator: Marino Regiani  
Dip. di Sociologia, Università di Milano, Via Conservatorio 7, 20122 Milano, Italy, tel.2-790808

Session 1: Industrial Relations Systems in Historical Perspective (and Business Meeting)  
Chair: Colin Crouch (LSE, Houghton St., Aldwych, London WC2A 2AE, UK)

Session 2: Economic and Social Policies in the 1980s: the Role of Labor Movements  
Co-Chairs: Marino Regiani (see the address above)  
Michael Shalev (Hebrew Univ Jerusalem, Mount Scopus, Jerusalem Israel)

Session 3: Trade Unions' Responses to Unemployment and to the Changing Labor Market  
Chair: Jelle Visser (Inst Sociology, Univ Amsterdam, Oude Hoogstraat 24, 1012 CE Amsterdam, The Netherlands, tel.20-5292231)

Session 4: Economic Restructuring and Trade Unions  
Chair: Wolfgang Streeck (Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin, Int'l Institute of Management, Platz der Luftbrücke 2, 1000 Berlin 42, FRG, tel.30-6904)

Session 5: Labor Movements after the Breakdown of Authoritarianism  
Co-Chairs: Peter Lange (Dept Political Science, Duke Univ, Durham, NC 27706, USA)  
Samuel J. Valenzuela (Dept Sociology, Harvard Univ, Cambridge, MA 02138, USA)

AD HOC GROUP SOCIOLOGY AND SOCIAL SYSTEMS THEORY

Program Coordinator: Francisco Parra-Luna  
Fac. de Ciencias Políticas y Sociología, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid 3, Spain

Session 1: The Inputs of Social Systems (nature, definition, functions)  
Chair: Francisco Parra-Luna (see the address above)

Session 2: The Measurement of Inputs  
Chair: M. Nikolic

Session 3: The Relationship between Inputs and Outputs (economic inputs and under-development)  
Chair: Norman F. Palma (La Vallée des Chats, Dloy, 89 120 Charmy, France)

Session 4: The Dialectics between Inputs  
Chair: to be announced

Session 5: The Optimization of Inputs (A systematic model for reducing unemployment in Spain)  
Chair: Francisco Parra-Luna (see the address above)

AD HOC GROUP SOCIOLOGY OF AGRICULTURE

Program Coordinator: Lawrence Busch  
Dept Sociology, Univ of Kentucky, 223 Scovell Hall, Lexington, KY 40546, tel.606-257-3936, USA

Session 1: Food Production, Consumption and Utilization in the Third World  
Chair: Ivan Sergio F. de Sousa (Shin QI 13-Conj. 01, Casa 16, 71500 Brasilia D.F., Brazil)

Session 2: Food Production, Consumption and Utilization in Industrial Societies  
Chair: Howard Newby (Dept Sociology, Univ of Essex, Wivenhoe Park, Colchester, CO4 3SQ, United Kingdom)
Session 3: Agricultural Labour Markets  
Chair: Alejandro Bonanno (Dept Sociology, Univ of Kentucky, Lexington KY 40546, U.S.A.)

Session 4: Agricultural Markets and Technical Change  
Chair: Lawrence Busch (see the address above)

Session 5: Business Meeting  
Chair: - to be announced

AD HOC SOCIOLGY OF POPULATION

Program Coordinator: Farhat Yusuf  
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No information received by the Secretariat. For any details concerning sessions program, please contact Farhat Yusuf.

SOCIOLGY ASSOCIATION OF IRELAND

Correction: In the presentation of ISA collective members in Bulletin no. 36, we abusively characterized the Sociological Association of Ireland (a Category "A" member) as "hosted by" the Economic and Social Research Institute (ESRI) in Dublin (a Category "C" member) subsequently devoting full attention to the activities of the ESRI. We would herewith like to retract the assertion that the Sociological Association of Ireland is hosted by the ESRI, while expressing our sincerest apologies for any misunderstanding the Bulletin 36 article may have reflected.

And now some more extensive information concerning the Sociological Association of Ireland:

c/o Anthony Varley, International Secretary  
Department of Sociology  
University College  
Galway, IRELAND

Chairperson: Paula Clancy  
Secretary: Don Bennett  
International Secretary: Anthony Varley  
Membership Secretary: James Wickham

The Sociological Association of Ireland (SAI) was founded in 1973 to act as a forum for sociologists in the 32 counties of Ireland. Since then, the membership has grown to 150. In spite of the title, the Association's members are not drawn exclusively from Ireland, nor are they necessarily sociologists. For instance, a few of the Association's members are working in Australia, Canada, France, Italy, the USA and Britain, and included in the membership are social scientists whose primary interest lies in economics, political science or social policy and administration. The current membership reflects a wide range of orientations and interests within sociology and the social sciences in general. However, it is of particular concern to the SAI Executive Committee at this time that the Association makes a greater contribution to public discussion of social issues. To this end, the Executive Committee has launched several initiatives, one of which involves the recruitment of new members.

The Association is controlled by the Annual General Meeting of members. The AGM elects an Executive Committee which meets throughout the year to ensure the smooth running of the SAI affairs. Any member can influence policy by submitting resolutions to the AGM, or by standing for election to the Executive Committee, the Editorial Board, the Bulletin Editorship, etc.

The main activity of the SAI is its annual conference held every spring. This is a well-attended event which usually attracts about twenty papers. Recent conference themes include: Culture and Ideology in Ireland; The 'Urban' and 'Rural' in Irish Society; States in Ireland: Power and Conflict; The State and Economic Development; Gender. The themes for the 1985 and 1986 conferences are: 'Crime and Social Control', and 'Ideologies', respectively.

Publications.

The Association publishes a BULLETIN which goes out to members four times a year. The Bulletin contains features, news of occasional seminars, conferences of other organisations, new titles and book reviews, work in progress and many matters concerning the Association itself. At the Bulletin Editor's discretion, members are free to contribute announcements, notices, reports, reviews etc., which are of interest to the membership. Each year a register of members is published which keeps the members informed of new addresses etc.

Up until 1979 the proceedings of the annual conference were published and distributed to members. Now the position is that the Association, through its Editorial Board, produces books, partially built around the theme of, and papers delivered to, the annual conference. For instance, in 1982 the Association produced POWER, CONFLICT AND INEQUALITY edited by Mary Kelly, Liam O'Dowd and James Wickham, and published by Turaco Press, Dublin. This book was based on papers presented at the 1980 conference. A second book was published in 1984 on the theme of CULTURE AND IDEOLOGY IN IRELAND. A third book will be published in 1995 based on the Gender conference. These books are available to members at a substantially reduced price.

WORLD SOCIETY FOUNDATION

The "Foundation for the Promotion of Social Science Research on World Society" (World Society Foundation) funds selected proposals for research projects on the structure and change of world society. The next deadline for applications is June 1, 1985. For details please contact:

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