

## WASHINGTON OFFICE NEWSLETTER

*Ford Foundation Announces Nearly \$3,000,000 in Grants for 4 American Political Science Association Programs.* The Ford Foundation on April 26 announced nearly \$3,000,000 in grants to the Association for operation of public service programs over the next five years. The individual grants and activities which they will support are:

- \$690,000 for orientation of newly elected state legislators under a State Legislative Service Program.
- \$750,000 for a Public Affairs Reporting Awards Program, including seminars and fellowships for political journalists.
- \$775,000 for continuation of the Congressional Fellowship Program, which brings political scientists and journalists to Washington, D. C., for study of and work with Congress.
- \$770,000 for state and local internship programs organized and conducted by university departments of political science.

Legislative Service Programs will be developed in about five states each year. Designed to introduce incoming members to the workings of their legislature, each program will include a series of seminars and the preparation of a handbook on legislative practices, organization and traditions. The Association co-sponsored similar programs for newly elected members of the U. S. House of Representatives in 1963 and 1965.

The grant for reporting awards provides for continuation and expansion of a program which has been operated by the Association since 1956. Its purpose is to encourage and reward excellence in public affairs reporting at the state and local level. About 60 such awards will be made each year. Winners will be selected on the basis of regional competitions and will attend one-week seminars on state and local government. Additionally, the grant provides for establishment of a new fellowship program for newsmen. On the basis of a national competition, the Association each year will award 12 fellowships for six months to one year of study in colleges and universities of the successful candidates' choice. Generally, these awards will be made to reporters of public affairs who wish to develop new techniques for gathering and reporting the news or who wish to improve their knowledge in a particular field.

Sponsored by the Association since 1953, the Congressional Fellowship Program brings about 16 journalists and political scientists to Washington each year for nine-months of first-hand observation of Congress. Congressional Fellows are chosen in a national competition and serve as aides to Senators and Representatives or work

on the staffs of Congressional committees. The purpose of this fellowship experience is to improve teaching, research, and reporting on Congress and the legislative process. Participants attend educational seminars conducted by the Association throughout the period they are serving in Congressional offices.

The State and Local Internship Program is designed to establish internship as a permanent feature of graduate-level instruction in political science. Individual university departments of political science will submit proposals for operation of internship programs to the Association, which will provide funds and technical assistance to support them. Under this program, the internships may be in state legislatures, with administrators at the state, city and county levels, or in state and local party organizations.

*Congressional Fellowship Awards.* In March, the Association announced 16 winners in the national competition for the 1966-67 Congressional Fellowship awards. The winners—seven journalists, eight political scientists, and one psychologist—will be brought to the Nation's Capital for a year of full-time work in the offices of Senators and Members of the House of Representatives.

The Congressional Fellows will arrive in Washington in mid-November for a six-week orientation period and will begin working in Congressional offices of their choice about January 1, 1967. The program ends August 15, 1967.

The 16 winners were selected on the basis of superior academic training and experience. Final selections were made by an Advisory Committee made up of government officials, Washington newsmen, and political scientists.

*Journalist winners are:*

- Loren F. Ghiglione, 25, former reporter for Claremont (Calif.) *Courier* and Washington (D. C.) *Post*, presently at Yale University
- Stephen B. Goddard, 24, city hall reporter, Hartford (Conn.) *Times*
- Harry A. Lenhart, Jr., 27, on leave from Cleveland (Ohio) *Plain Dealer*, presently at University of Wisconsin
- Wesley G. Pippert, 32, reporter, United Press International, Chicago
- William E. Shands, 32, assistant news editor, Redwood City (Calif.) *Tribune*
- Roger Summers, 31, courthouse and political reporter, Fort Worth (Texas) *Star-Telegram*
- Harrison J. Ullmann, 31, science and medical writer, Indianapolis (Indiana) *Star*

*Political science winners are:*

- Ernest A. Chaples, Jr., 26, Ph.D. candidate in political science, University of Kentucky

R. Roger Majak, 25, Ph.D. candidate, Ohio State University  
 James T. Murphy, 28, Ph.D. candidate, University of Rochester  
 Conrad P. Rutkowski, 27, Ph.D. candidate, Fordham University  
 Morley Segal, 32, assistant professor of political science, California State College at Hayward  
 Clarence N. Stone, 31, assistant professor of political science, Emory University  
 James E. Underwood, 28, Ph.D. candidate, Syracuse University  
 Gilbert Ware, 32, senior program analyst, Civil Rights Commission

*Psychologist winner is:*

Monroe Friedman, 31, associate professor of psychology, Eastern Michigan University

*Summer NDEA Civics Institutes.* Five NDEA Civics Institutes for advanced study by elementary and secondary studies teachers are scheduled for this summer. Provision for the Institute program resulted from the amendment of Title XI of the NDEA Act of 1958. The first five Institutes, their titles and Directors are:

Columbia University, "American Liberties," Alan F. Westin

The University of Florida, "American Government and Politics," Manning J. Dauer

Southern University, "American Government and Politics," Jewel L. Prestage

Wayne State, "International Relations: Problems of War and Peace," Russell H. Broadhead

University of California at Los Angeles, "Problems of Democracy: Conflict and Consensus," Herbert Morris

*Seminars in Legislative Operations.* Legislative Operations Roundtables, jointly sponsored by the Association and the Office of Career Development of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, were held January 24-25 and April 18-22 for Federal Executives. The program is part of a continuing series of Roundtables designed to improve the federal career executive's knowledge and understanding of executive-legislative relations through an examination in depth of Congressional functions and processes. Discussion leaders and their topics were as follows:

Max M. Kampelman, American Political Science Association Treasurer and Counsel; "Congress and the American Political System."

Robert L. Peabody, Johns Hopkins University; Randall Ripley, Brookings Institution; and George Meader, Associate Counsel, Joint Committee on the Organization of Congress;

"Congressional Organization and Reorganization."

Mike Gorman, Executive Director, National Committee Against Mental Health; "Lobbying and Congressional Reaction."

Wayne Granquist, Administrative Assistant, Senator Abraham Ribicoff; John P. Carlson, Minority Counsel, House Governmental Operations Committee; George Stafford, Administrative Assistant, Senator Frank Carlson; and Frank Matchett, Deputy Director, House Sub-Committee on Manpower; "The Role of Congressional Staff."  
 Richard F. Fenno, Jr., University of Rochester; "The House Appropriations Committee as a Political System."

Warren Miller, Survey Research Center; "The Congressman and his Constituency."

Rep. Thomas S. Foley (D-Washington), and Rep. William S. Mailliard (R-California); "Perspectives of the Congressmen."

Donald R. Matthews, University of North Carolina; "U. S. Senators and their World: A Behavioral Analysis."

Sen. Thruston B. Morton (R-Kentucky), and D. B. Hardeman, Trinity College; "Congressional Leadership and the Legislative Process."

Samuel Halperin, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Department of Health, Education and Welfare; J. Leiper Freeman, Vanderbilt University; and Ben L. Steele, Congressional Liaison Office, Department of Agriculture; "Congressional Relations with Agencies—The Liaison Office and the Subsystem."

Phillip Sam Hughes, Bureau of the Budget; "Executive Planning, Budgeting and Legislative Clearance."

David S. Broder, *The New York Times*; "Congress, the Press and Public Opinion."

Carl B. Swisher, Johns Hopkins University; "The Courts and Congress."

Ralph K. Huitt, Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health, Education and Welfare; and Bryce Harlow, Director of Governmental Relations, Proctor and Gamble Co.; "Presidential Leadership and Executive-Legislative Relations."

*A.P.S.A. Social Studies Projects.* The Association has co-sponsored three programs in recent months in the area of secondary social studies. In January, the Association was a co-sponsor with the Social Science Department of Jersey City State College of a "Conference on the Improvement of Social Studies Instruction." Participants in the panel on "Political Science and the Social Studies" included: Norman W. Beck, Jersey City State College, Chairman, Robert E. Cleary,

American University, paper, Walter E. Beach, American Political Science Association, and Stanley Worton, Jersey City State College, discussants.

Participants in a spring series of seminars, "Political Science and the Social Studies," co-sponsored with the Montgomery County, Maryland Public Schools included:

Robert E. Cleary, American University; "Political Science and the Social Studies."

Brad Patterson, Treasury Department; "Congress and the Presidency."

Louis S. Loeb, American University; "The Judicial Process."

H. Field Haviland, Brookings Institution; "Foreign Policy and International Relations."

The Association co-sponsored a seminar series with the Arlington County, Virginia Public Schools, on "Congress and the American Political System." Participants and their topics included:

D. B. Hardeman, Trinity College; "The Legislative Process."

Robert L. Peabody, Johns Hopkins University; "Congressional Organization and Reorganization."

John F. Manley, Brookings Institution; "The Congressional Committee: The House Ways and Means Committee as a Case Study."

Rep. Robert T. Secrest (D-Ohio); "Representing and Informing the People: The House of Representatives."

Stanley J. McFarland, National Education Association; "External Pressures on Congress."

Albert L. Alford, Office of Education; "Legislative-Executive Branch Relations."

William Selover, *The Christian Science Monitor*; "The Press and Congress."

Warren Butler, Legislative Assistant; Rep. William Widnall (R-N. J.); "The Congressional Staff System."

#### NOTICE

##### RESOLUTIONS AT ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

In accordance with ARTICLE VIII of the Constitution, this is to call attention of members of the Association to the provision of the APSA constitution that:

"All resolutions shall be referred to the Council for its recommendations before submission to the vote of the Association at its Annual Business Meeting."

The Council of the Association will meet all day September 6, 1966, in the Cornell Room' Statler-Hilton Hotel, New York City.

#### PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES

At its ninth annual meeting in November, the Missouri Political Science Association elected the following new officers: president, Robert Jacob, Central Methodist College, Fayette; vice president, Robert Karsch, University of Missouri, Columbia; secretary-treasurer, David A. Leuthold, University of Missouri, Columbia; executive council member, Al C. Sullivan, Jr., Assistant State Budget Director.

Retiring officers included Robert Salisbury, Washington University, president, and Lloyd Wells, University of Missouri, Columbia, executive council member.

Papers were presented by Philip Maher, Administrative Assistant to the Governor for Urban Affairs; Victor T. Le Vine, Washington University; Congressman Thomas B. Curtis; Lyman Sargent, University of Missouri at St. Louis; H. Carl Camp, Southeast Missouri State College;

David Wurfel, University of Missouri, Columbia; and Robert Salisbury.

The next annual meeting will be held October 8-9, 1966 at Mai-Tai Resort, Lake of the Ozarks, Missouri.

The second conference of The Cross National Program of Political and Social Change was held at the University of Ibadan, Nigeria, from August 16 to September 10, 1965. Participants included: Sidney Verba and Gabriel Almond, Stanford University; Robert Somer, Berkeley; Samuel Eldersveld, Michigan; Ulf Himmelstrand and Albert Imohiosen, University of Ibadan; Pablo Gonzalez Casanova, Ciudad Universitaria; Rajni Kothari and Bashir Ahmed, Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, New Delhi; and Hajime Ikeuchi and Joji Watanuki, University of Tokyo.