
**Annual Meeting Visiting Foreign National
Travel Grant Program**

Under two programs, one sponsored by the Asia Foundation and one sponsored by the U.S. Department of State through the Institute of International Education, 31 advanced graduate students and political scientists in the field of political science from 20 nations were awarded travel grants to attend the 1976 Annual Meeting in Chicago. The individuals and nations represented are:

ASIA FOUNDATION**Republic of China**

William Wei-hua Fang
Southern Illinois University

Chung Hsiou Huang
University of Rochester

India

S. Bhaskaran
Northern Illinois University

Japan

Teruo Gotoda
University of California, Berkeley

Ichiro Miyake
Harvard University

Mitsuru Uchida

Korea

Chung-Kil Chung
University of Michigan

Philippines

Kenneth E. Bauzon

Institute of International Education**Brazil**

Alexandre de Souza Costa Barros
University of Chicago

Canada

Stuart B. Proudfoot
York University (U. of Michigan)

David S. Zweig
University of Michigan

Ethiopia

Aminu Hussein
Case Western Reserve University

Germany

Wolfgang Tonnesmann
University of Michigan

Guyana

Leon Lloyd Cort
Boston University

Italy

Ugo Mancini
University of Iowa
Franco Pavoncello
University of Michigan

Jamaica

Errol A. Gray
University of Michigan

Rovan George Locke
University of Michigan

Kenya

Anyang Nyong'o
University of Chicago

Lebanon

Ajaj Jarrouge
University of Michigan

Jihad Kassis

University of Notre Dame

Najib Younis

Washington State University

Mozambique

Marcos G. Namashulua
Boston University

Nigeria

Ademola E. Adebayo
Atlanta University

Fred Onyeoziri
University of Chicago

Samuel A. Udoh
Georgia State University

Sudan

Lako Tongun
University of California

Switzerland

Walter Arnold
University of California, Berkeley

Tanzania

Fortunatus M. Lukanima
University of Michigan

Zaire

Bianga Bin-Waruzi
University of Wisconsin, Madison

Katwala Ghifem

University of California, Berkeley

APSACouncil Minutes

The Council of the APSA met at the Washington Hilton Hotel, Washington, D.C., May 20 and 21, 1977.

Present: James David Barber, Marguerite Ross Barnett, Samuel H. Beer, James B. Christoph, Philip E. Converse, Fred I. Greenstein, Robert T. Holt, Herbert Jacob, Charles O. Jones, M. Kent Jennings, Martin Landau, David R. Mayhew, Nelson W. Polsby, Inez Smith Reid, James N. Rosenau, Frank J. Sorauf, Clement E. Vose, John C. Wahlke, James Q. Wilson, Dina A. Zinnes, and Betty H. Zisk.

President Beer opened the meeting at 9:30 a.m.

The minutes of the February 4 meeting of the Council were approved without objection.

Budget for Fiscal Year 1977-78

The Administrative Committee presented the Council with a proposed budget for the next fiscal year, July 1, 1977-June 30, 1978 (a copy of which is attached to the record copy of these minutes) itemizing all income and expenditures of the Association. Included with the budget were requests for funds for FY 77-78 submitted by various committees of the Association. In reviewing the budget requests from committees, Jacob noted that the Committees on the Status of Chicanos, Status of Women, and Research Support had not submitted reports to the Council on what projects they had planned for the next year, but only on what had been done during the previous year. Landau moved that the funding for these committees be withheld until September and that the committees report to the Council at that time with their justification for funding. Polsby moved to amend the motion to have funding granted these committees by the Administrative Committee after that Committee reviews the justifications. Landau accepted the amendment. The motion, as amended, was approved without objection.

The Council then reviewed resolutions adopted by the Council of the International Political Science Association concerning increases in dues paid to IPSA by member countries. The resolution increased the amount due from APSA from the \$2,080 paid in 1976 to \$3,120 in 1977. Jennings moved that the APSA pay the increased amount, and that this amount be approved in the budget. The motion was approved without objection.

In considering the amount allocated in the budget for the International Political Science Association, Karl Deutsch, president of IPSA, appeared before the Council and requested that APSA pay for the travel of himself, as President of IPSA, and Richard Merritt, as Program Chairman of IPSA for the 1979 Congress, to attend IPSA meetings. Jacob moved that APSA make a one-time contribution of \$2,800 to IPSA with the understanding that the International Association will cover travel expenses of their officers from this contribution or from other funds. Barnett offered a substitute motion that the Association make a one-time contribution of \$2,800 to IPSA half of which would be used to cover travel of IPSA officers who are American citizens, and the other half to support travel for Third World members of IPSA. The Barnett substitute motion was defeated by a show of hands vote; 5 approved, 12 opposed. The Jacob motion was defeated by a show of hands vote; 6 approved, 13 opposed.

Wahlke moved that the Association lend its good offices to seek funds from a foundation or government agency to aid in travel expenses of any of its members who are officers in international professional organizations. The motion was approved by a show of hands vote.

Jacob moved that the Association drop its membership in the American Council on Education. Greenstein offered a substitute motion

that the Council postpone payment of dues to the American Council on Education and the American Council of Learned Societies until after the Council meeting in September, at which time the Executive Director, who was unable to attend this meeting of the Council because of illness, would be asked to report on the benefits to APSA from membership in these organizations. Jacob accepted the substitute motion, and the motion was approved without objection.

Barber moved that the staff be asked to report to the Council with a description of the current budgetary process and an evaluation of the categories used in the budget. The motion was approved without objection.

The budget proposed by the Administrative Committee was approved as amended.

Committee on Professional Ethics and Academic Freedom

Joseph Tanenhaus, Chairperson of the Committee on Professional Ethics and Academic Freedom, presented the Council with several recommendations of the Committee. The Committee recommended that the wording of Advisory Opinion No. 13 be changed to read as follows:

Advisory Opinion No. 13, "The Scholar's Ethical Obligation to Protect Confidential Sources and Data:

Social science scholars have both ethical and professional obligations to make full and complete disclosure of all non-confidential sources and data involved in their research so that their work can be tested and replicated. Scholars, as citizens, have an obligation to cooperate with grand juries, other law enforcement agencies, and institutional officials. They have both an ethical and professional duty not to divulge the identity of confidential sources of information, or confidential data developed in the course of research, to governmental or non-governmental officials or bodies, even though in the present state of American law they run the risk of suffering a penalty. Since the protection of confidentiality is often essential in social science research, and the continued growth of such research is in the public interest, scholars have an obligation to work to change or uphold the law, so that the confidentiality of sources of information may be safeguarded. Scholars must, however, exercise appropriate restraint in giving assurances of and in making claims as to the confidential nature of their sources and data.

Sorauf moved that the Council approve the revised advisory opinion. The motion was approved without objection.

The Committee recommended a resolution on the participation of academics in intelligence activities that:

The Council of the American Political Science Association reaffirm the position of the Committee on Professional Standards and Responsibilities (the Bernstein report: "Ethi-

cal Problems of Academic Political Scientists") in declaring its firm opposition to any initiative by government agencies to involve academic political scientists in covert intelligence operations under the guise of academic research. Recognizing the importance of the academic community's participation in the conduct of government and the formulation of governmental policy, and mindful of the responsibilities of scholars and teachers, the Council calls on all academic political scientists

1) not to participate in covert intelligence operations under the guise of academic activities, such as teaching, research, or consulting;

2) not to violate the canons of confidentiality, as prescribed in the Association's advisory opinion, "The Scholar's Ethical Obligation to Protect Confidential Sources and Data," in providing information to intelligence agencies or other governmental agencies of the United States, or of foreign countries;

3) when engaged in activities undertaken with the assistance of an intelligence agency, to acknowledge in a timely fashion that assistance in the same manner and to the same extent as in the case of comparable assistance from other governmental agencies, public and private research foundations, economic, social, political and public interest organizations, and similar sources of assistance—but always keeping in mind the special need to honor the legitimate sensitivities of persons concerned about the involvement with certain agencies and organizations.

Any academic political scientists, against whom disciplinary proceedings are brought for improper conduct in connection with intelligence-related activities, shall be entitled to all of the procedural rights available in comparable proceedings involving alleged violations of the rules and conditions of academic employment.

Sorauf moved that the resolution be adopted with the following modifications: that "engage" be substituted for "participate" in item 1; that everything after the hyphen ("but always keeping in mind the special need to honor the legitimate sensitivities of persons concerned about the involvement with certain agencies and organizations") be eliminated in item 3; that the last paragraph of the recommendation be numbered as item 4 and the wording of item 4 be changed to correspond grammatically with the other items.

Barnett offered an amendment that item 3 be changed to "when engaged in activities undertaken with the assistance of an intelligence agency, to disclose that assistance to all encompassed by the project at the beginning of the research project and at each appropriate point thereafter." The amendment failed by a show of hands vote; 6 approved, 8 opposed.

Wilson offered an amendment to delete item 2 as proposed by the Committee and substitute "to respect recognized canons of confidentiality in providing information to intelligence agencies." The amendment failed by a show of hands vote; 7 approved, 8 opposed.

The Sorauf motion was approved by a show of hands vote; 12 approved, 6 opposed.

Polsby moved to repeal the resolution on covert intelligence operations which was passed by the Council at its September meeting (*PS*, Winter, 1977, p. 55). The motion was approved by a show of hands vote; 14 approved, 1 opposed, 1 abstained.

Commendation for Nancy Edgerton Ranney

Wilson moved that the Council of the American Political Science Association takes unhappy note of the resignation of Nancy Edgerton Ranney from the staff of the Association. While we recognize that by marriage as well as by intellect and interest she will always be part of the political science profession, the Council will greatly miss her talented, devoted service to the Association and especially to the management of the Annual Meeting. In that capacity, she very nearly made herself the indispensable person. We thank her for her five years of service and offer her all best wishes for the future. The motion was approved by acclamation.

Commendation for Nelson W. Polsby

President Beer moved that the Council of the American Political Science Association commend Nelson W. Polsby for his 6½ years of service to the Association as Managing Editor of the *American Political Science Review*. The encouragement of professional exchange and communication, the development of the *APSR* editorial intern, the expansion of the journal to meet the needs of a growing discipline, are among his many contributions. The Council hereby sincerely acknowledges these efforts and expresses its gratitude for his outstanding service. The motion was approved by acclamation.

Black Fellowship Program

There was a discussion of the APSA Black Graduate Fellowship Program and the possibility of the Committee revising its selection procedure to allow universities to offer fellowships to persons applying for the APSA fellowships. Rosenau moved that the Association office circulate all graduate departments by January 10 a list of applicants for black fellowships after their preliminary screening, including all appropriate information available and a note that the recipients of the list should feel free to contact any of the persons on the list and might consider paying any application fee involved. Barnett offered an amendment to the motion that this be done for one year on an experimental basis. Rosenau accepted the

amendment, and the motion, as amended, was approved without objection.

1977 Program Committee Report

James Q. Wilson, Co-Chairperson of the 1977 Program Committee, reported to the Council on plans for the 1977 Annual Meeting and on the organized subfield meetings which have been scheduled at the Meeting. (For further information concerning the subfield meetings, see *PS*, Winter, 1977, p. 67).

ERA Resolution

The Administrative Committee recommended that the Council adopt a policy, already adopted by the Western and Midwest Associations, that "The American Political Science Association will not hold conventions in states which have not passed the Equal Rights Amendment to the United States Constitution or which do not have an equivalent and explicit provision in their state constitution. This provision will remain in effect until adoption of a Federal Equal Rights Amendment." Zisk moved that the Administrative Committee recommendation be adopted by the Council. The motion was approved by a show of hands vote; 13 approved, 2 opposed, 1 abstained.

Rules Committee Report

The Rules Committee presented the Council with the proposed Rules for the 1977 Annual Business Meeting and Association Elections. The Council approved the Rules without objection. The Rules as adopted by the Council appear in the Summer issue of *PS*.

Task Force on the Future of the Association

Sorauf and Wahlke, at the request of the Administrative Committee, presented the Council with a proposal:

- 1) That the Council authorize the President to appoint, after full consultation with the President-Elect and other concerned Association members, a seven-person Task Force on the Future of the Association;
- 2) That this Task Force be charged with the principal problems confronting the Association in its future development, including particularly the growing specialization of scholarly interests in the discipline, the relationship of political scientists' general and special interests to those of scholars in other disciplines, and the increasing demands of the Association for services to individual members, educational institutions, and others;
- 3) That the Task Force evaluate the problems it identifies and make such recommendations for dealing with them as it deems will be appropriate and effective. Its report should include but not be limited to recommendations concerning:

a) How the Association can best adapt itself organizationally to the diverse scholarly and research interests of its constituency, and how sub-sections of the Association can best contribute to collaboration, synthesis, scholarly communication, research planning, program development, and the like, so as to avoid fragmentation and promote orderly and coordinated growth of the profession.

b) Whether the *American Political Science Review* and more generally the other journals of political science can in the present form and missions continue to serve satisfactorily the scholarly interests and communities within political science.

c) Whether the single, comprehensive annual meeting of the Association as it is now constituted (including its hospitality to related groups) most adequately meets the needs of the Association.

d) What organizational changes if any (committee structure, etc.) are called for to meet the Association's future needs and responsibilities.

e) What kinds of staff, resources, and "headquarters" organization are required by the recommendations.

4) That the members of the Task Force serve for its full life, that is, that there be no partial or overlapping terms.

5) That the Task Force report to the Council of the Association by September, 1978, or as soon thereafter as possible, and that having discharged this responsibility, the Task Force be disbanded with the thanks of the Association.

6) That the Task Force be budgeted at \$5,000 per year, that budget to be used for three meetings per year for the Task Force.

Greenstein moved that the Council adopt the proposal for a Task Force on the Future of the Association. The motion was approved by a voice vote.

Wilson moved that the present Program Development Committee be abolished; that the funds appropriated for the Program Development Committee be used for the Task Force; and that an additional \$3,500 be appropriated. The motion was approved by a voice vote.

Report of the Managing Editor, APSR

Polsby and Jones reported to the Council on the status of the *Review*, including the report that the backlog is now down to about three issues. The complete report of the Managing Editor will appear in the Fall issue of *PS*.

Request from Policy Studies Organization

The Council received a letter from Stuart Nagel, on behalf of the Policy Studies Organization,

requesting a grant from the APSA Trust and Development Fund to conduct a symposium on "Teaching Policy Studies." The Administrative Committee recommended that this request be disapproved on the basis that, as agreed at the February meeting of the Council, the Fund should not be used to finance outside organizations or non-APSA activities. Jennings moved to accept the recommendation of the Administrative Committee. The motion was approved without objection.

1979 World Congress of IPSA

The Council discussed the World Congress of the International Political Science Association to be held in Moscow in 1979 and the recommendation made by the Committee on Professional Ethics and Academic Freedom that the Council take appropriate steps to get assurance that those scholars who wish to attend the World Congress of the International Political Science Association in the USSR in 1979 will not be denied visas and that all who do attend will be accorded equal treatment. It was noted that in the letter from Karl Deutsch, President of IPSA, requesting travel funds, he also stated that:

The next World Congress, which is to take place in 1979 in Moscow, is on the joint invitation of the Soviet Political Science Association and the Academy of Sciences of the USSR. We have been given explicit assurances from representatives of both bodies that there will be no interference from both bodies in the proceedings of the Congress and that visas will be given in time to all scholars participating in the Congress, whether or not the countries have diplomatic relations with the USSR. These assurances were made explicit in the case of scholars from Israel.

Holt moved that President Beer ascertain from Professor Deutsch whether he has agreements, in writing, that there will be equal treatment as well as provision of visas for all scholars who wish to attend the World Congress of IPSA, and that information on these agreements be printed in *PS* for the information of Association members. The motion was approved without objection.

Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on Association Awards

Holt, Chairperson of the Ad Hoc Committee on Association Awards, presented the Council with

a preliminary report of the Committee (a copy of which is attached to the record copy of these minutes). The Committee will report back to the September meeting of the Council with specific recommendations.

Policy Governing Courtesy Listings for Annual Meeting Programs

At the February Council meeting, the national office was asked to explore whether courtesy listings, in the Annual Meeting program, of sessions, panels or social events arranged by non-APSA groups or organizations should be included only on payment of a listing fee. The national office reported that they had explored the matter and made the following recommendation:

No charge should be made for courtesy listings. Many, if not most, of the listings are for groups or organizations with no income. Assisting them in meeting at our Annual Meeting is a significant service to them. In addition, it is likely that the cost of collecting a courtesy listing fee would be greater than the income derived.

The recommendation of the national office was accepted without objection.

Committee on Professional Development

At the September meeting of the Council, a resolution was passed establishing a Committee on the Utilization of Political Scientists in a Changing Society. Thomas Mann of the national office staff reported to the Council that the Committee had held its first meeting to discuss projects which they wish to pursue, and had asked that the Council change the name of the committee to the Committee on Professional Development. There was no objection to the change of name.

Agenda Items for Next Council Meeting

It was agreed that the Council would meet, prior to the Annual Meeting, at the Washington Hilton Hotel on Wednesday, August 31. Holt requested that the Agenda for the meeting include consideration of a resolution concerning payment to persons asked to evaluate rank and tenure at a university other than their own and a resolution encouraging universities to open positions for regular part-time tenure and tenurable appointments.

Fred I. Greenstein, Secretary

PS welcomes material for its sections. Deadlines are: Fall—August 15; Winter—December 15; Spring—February 15; and Summer—May 15.

Your cooperation in listing items for the news and notes section in the appropriate format as used in *PS* will be appreciated.