

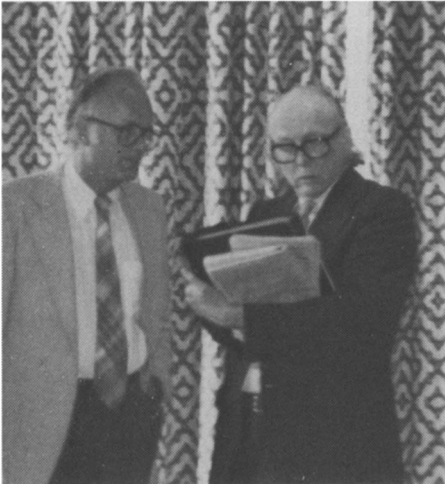
The Council also voted to activate the Hubert H. Humphrey award. Earnings from the Kammerer Fund will be used to provide a \$500 cash prize for each recipient.

The APSA Council also approved raising the Kammerer Book award to \$1,000 and setting the prize for all dissertation awards at \$250. Also, certificates will be printed for all award winners.

In other business, the vice-president of the International Political Science Association (IPSA), Richard Merritt, discussed ways to strengthen the ties between APSA and the international association. In particular, he suggested that APSA take an interest in having the 1988 IPSA World Congress in the United States. The APSA Council agreed to discuss this matter at a later meeting.

The past chair of the Committee on the Status of Chicanos, Raymond Sandoval, asked the APSA Council to clarify the meaning of the *Personnel Service Newsletter's* statement on affirmative action:

It shall be Association policy to support the principles of affirmative action and to urge political science departments to aggressively pursue affirmative action programs and policies



Council member Raymond Wolfinger of the University of California, Berkeley, chats during a break with president-elect William Riker of the University of Rochester at the May Council meeting.



Former Congressional Fellow Karl Kindel (left) of the Department of Commerce served with Fred Holborn of Johns Hopkins School for Advanced International Studies on the selection committee for Federal Fellows.

with regard to blacks, chicanos, women and other minorities (*PS*, Vol. VIII, No. 1, Winter 1975, pp. 44-45).

The Council voted to direct the Professional Ethics, Rights and Freedoms Committee to draft a statement outlining the APSA affirmative action policy.

The complete minutes of the May Council meeting are reprinted in the *PS* Appendix of this issue □

### **Committee on Ethics Reviews Grievances**

The Committee on Professional Ethics, Rights and Freedoms met at the University of California, Berkeley, for an all-day meeting on June 25, to review grievances from political scientists and to deliberate on other issues facing the committee.

The committee completed a full review of three cases and thanked the special representatives who worked to settle the grievances and to collect information on the cases for the committee. The special representatives included: Francis Rourke of Johns Hopkins University, Charles Hadley of the University of New Orleans, Han Park of the University of Georgia,



Ida C. Terry (pictured above) of Morgan State University has been awarded one of three APSA Black Graduate Fellowships for 1982-83. The other two winners were Janice-Marie Philips of Whittenberg University and Elise L. Longpree of Oakwood College.

and James Carroll of Syracuse University.

The committee closed two other cases and agreed to a full review of two additional grievances. Typically, grievances pertain to alleged violations of procedural rights, equal opportunity and academic freedom.

Often individual cases will give rise to the committee's issuing a general Advisory Opinion which sets a standard for the profession and is intended to guide the professional behavior of political scientists. The committee agreed to write a new Advisory Opinion on the responsibilities of co-authors to give proper credit when subsequently using jointly authored material. Nancy Zingale, chair of the committee, is drafting the Advisory Opinion.

John Wahlke of the University of Arizona is drafting a statement to help provide guidance for special representatives as they try to settle cases and gather information for the committee.

### Use of APSA Name

The committee also agreed to revise Advisory Opinion No. 10, "Public Statement Involving the Name of the Association" (June 11, 1971), to make absolutely explicit that neither past nor present officers or employees of APSA are to use their official APSA titles for political purposes if not so authorized by the Association. Currently, the Advisory Opinion does not explicitly use the word "past," although that implication is clear in the preamble of Advisory Opinion No. 10.

In other business, the committee shaped the procedures to be employed in non-domestic cases (see International Political Science section in this issue of *PS*). The committee reaffirmed its support of the Freedom of Information Service Center and is continuing to seek funds for support of that center.

In order to act on cases and other committee business in a more timely manner, the committee agreed to meet twice a year rather than its current practice of one time a year.

### Affirmative Action

Finally, the committee discussed at length the charge by APSA's Council that the committee "formulate a statement outlining exactly what constitutes affirmative action" in the Association. This charge resulted from a request by Raymond Sandoval, former chair of the Committee on the Status of Chicanos, that APSA clarify its commitment to affirmative action.

The committee is writing a report to present to the Council at its September 1 meeting in Denver. The report is to include options to strengthen procedures to ensure equal opportunity.

In addition to Zingale and Wahlke, other members of the committee include Allan Sindler of the University of California, Berkeley, Louise Comfort of San Jose State University, and Marian Palley of the University of Delaware. □