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legislative races, with comparisons over time and among states.

The effects of presidential and gubernatorial coattails in legislative races.

A study of the causes of divided partisan control over the legislative houses and the governorship.

The effects of single- and multi-member districts on party competition.

Variation in seats-votes ratios in state legislatures.

The effects of legislative reapportionment on party competition.

Case studies of the effects of campaign spending, along with other variables, on the outcome of legislative elections.

Variables affecting variation in legislative turnover, including variations among state and by election schedule.

A study of variations in Democratic primary competition in southern states, emphasizing differences among states and the effects of incumbency.

Trends in turnout in southern legislative primaries. □

from anywhere in the world. The award will be \$ 150,000.

Purpose

The purpose of the award is to stimulate the dissemination and critical analysis of outstanding proposals for the improvement of relations between nations. Submissions for the award may address a wide range of international concern such as foreign policy and its formation, the conduct of foreign relations, intercultural relations and communications, international law and organization, the *rule of law* and the *role of force*, international development, and international trade and investment; any combination or particular aspect of these; or any idea which could at least incrementally lead to more just and peaceful international relations. The sponsors stress that, in addition to originality, judges may consider the feasibility and potential impact of submissions.

Administration

1. The University Committee overseeing the award invites nominations from throughout the world by individual political scientists expert in the area, by professional associations of political scientists or related disciplines in international relations, by university presidents or by publishers and editors of journals and books in political science and international affairs. Self-nominations will not be accepted or considered.

2. Each nomination must be submitted in four clear copies. Submissions in a language other than English must be accompanied by competent English translations. *The nominator* will set out briefly the significance of the nomination and why it is presumed worthy of the award. The submission will include a complete description of the date and format of publication of the idea and a description of the author(s) of the published concept. Publication will be considered to be not only printed books and articles in scholarly or distinguished journals but public speeches, "white papers," or other widely and publicly dis-

Announcements

Grawemeyer Award for Ideas Improving World Order Is Established

International Competition

The University of Louisville is pleased to announce the first annual competition for the best idea promoting improved relations between nations published or presented in the last five years, 1983-87. The university is able to provide the award as a result of the creative generosity of H. Charles Grawemeyer. The idea deemed most useful and well articulated may have an individual author or authors, or may be the product of an institution or agency, and the ideas may be submitted

seminated forms so long as they first appeared in this time frame.

3. The President of the University will appoint upon the recommendation of the political science department a distinguished international panel of three judges who will recommend three finalists to the University of Louisville Grawemeyer Award Committee. This committee, consisting of the President of the University, the Dean of Arts and Sciences, the chairperson of the Department of Political Science and four persons named by the president, will select the winning submission for the award. Upon recommendation by the President of the University, the Board of Trustees of the University will grant the award.

4. Acceptance of the award will require personal delivery of a public address setting out the winning concept or idea at the University of Louisville.

5. Each person or group nominating an idea or concept must submit all materials in four typed or printed copies and these submissions shall include:

- a. The idea as published (in the case of a speech, the written text or transcript) including all standard bibliographic citations and copyright citations.
- b. A letter of nomination setting out the reasons perceived by the nominator for the idea to merit the award and stating accurately the nominator's relation to the author(s).
- c. Biographical and descriptive materials of the author(s) of the idea (the group or institution where it is the product of more than one or a small set of authors).
- d. A completed entry form.
- e. Acknowledgement that one copy of all materials submitted will become a part of the permanent university archives.

6. All nominations must reach the University of Louisville by January 30, 1988.

7. Nominations and requests for entry forms or further information should be sent to: University of Louisville Grawemeyer Award for Improving World Order,

Department of Political Science, University of Louisville, Louisville, KY 40292, U.S.A.

8. The winner of the University of Louisville Grawemeyer Award for Improving World Order and the other two finalists will be publicly announced in the Spring of 1988. The public presentation of the idea by its author(s) will take place at the University later in 1988, the time and place set by the University.

9. The prize will be paid in five annual installments of \$30,000.

Case Studies Prepared in Diplomatic Training

The Pew Initiative in Diplomatic Training is designed to strengthen and broaden the curriculum at schools of international affairs through the development and use of case studies for instructional purposes. The Initiative was developed following an October 1984 meeting of scholars and practitioners in international affairs. This group recommended various strategies The Pew Charitable Trusts could pursue in order to help prepare diplomats and others for international service. Of the specific recommendations, highest priority was given to funding the development of case studies for training diplomats and others entering the field of international relations. The case studies created for the Pew Initiative in Diplomatic Training are modeled after the cases first developed by the Harvard Business School and now widely used in business schools throughout the United States.

Grants, awarded by The Trusts, have stimulated the creation of a critical mass of cases on formal diplomatic negotiations that have a political, economic, strategic, trade, or security dimension. The Initiative is funding the development of 120 to 150 case studies over a three-year period, from 1985 to 1988. Developed cases have been incorporated within the grantees' curricula and will be widely disseminated to professional schools and training institutes in international affairs and other relevant disci-

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plines. The case studies bring to the field of diplomacy a much needed base of practical knowledge, particularly in negotiations, management, and leadership.

Teachers can write participating institutions for a list of case studies to select from and order for classroom use at cost. A list follows of the institutions.

Columbia University: School of International and Public Affairs, 1413 International Affairs Building, New York, NY 10027 (Pew Project Director: Graham Irwin).

Georgetown University: School of Foreign Service, Washington, DC 20057 (Pew Project Director: James E. Goodby).

International Peace Academy: 777 United Nations Plaza, New York, NY 10017 (Pew Project Director: Thomas G. Weiss).

The Johns Hopkins University: School of Advanced International Studies, 1740 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20036 (Pew Project Director: I. William Zartman).

University of Pittsburgh: Graduate School of Public and International Affairs, Pittsburgh, PA 15260 (Pew Project Director: Martin Staniland).

Harvard University: Kennedy School of Government, 79 J. F. Kennedy Street, Cambridge, MA 02138 (Pew Project Director: Peter Zimmerman).

University of Southern California: School of International Relations, University Park, Los Angeles, CA 90089-0341 (Pew Project Director: Thomas Biersteker). □

German Institute Established in U.S.

A German Historical Institute has been established by the Federal Republic of Germany in Washington, DC. It began operating April 1, 1987, and will reach its planned size within five years.

The Institute has been assigned the task of providing a permanent basis for the continuous cooperation of historians in the Federal Republic of Germany and the U.S., in particular by promoting:

- cooperation between American and German historical researchers,
- comparative studies on the origins and development of democracy and industrial societies,
- studies on American history and on German-American relations in political, social, economic and cultural life,
- research on international history, with special emphasis on the roles of the USA and Germany,
- the obtaining of source material from American archives and libraries,
- the organization of conferences as well as supporting and advising German and American scholars, and by,
- granting of scholarships for advanced professional training and research purposes.

The mailing address is: German Historical Institute, 1759 R Street, NW, Washington, DC 20009. □

Author Sought for Dictionary of Political Science Concepts

Greenwood Press is producing a series of dictionaries of concepts for disciplines in the social sciences and the humanities. The series editor, Raymond G. McInnis, wants to get in touch with a political scientist, or team of two political scientists, interested in writing a dictionary of concepts for political science. A major work, this dictionary will substantively discuss, and cite, the primary authorities responsible for the development of about 100 of the most significant concepts in political science. Any political scientist interested in obtaining further information about this project should write the series editor at Western Washington University, Bellingham, WA 98225. □

Seminar on Intelligence Offered for Teaching Faculty

The Consortium for the Study of Intelligence (CSI) will sponsor the fourth summer faculty seminar on teaching about

intelligence from July 22-31, 1988, at Bowdoin College, in Brunswick, Maine.

The objectives of the seminar are (1) to deepen substantive knowledge of the elements of intelligence—collection, analysis, counterintelligence, covert action; (2) to expand and improve the teaching of intelligence-related concerns; and (3) to promote professional contacts among scholars in the field.

The seminar format will include: lectures by specialists with diverse experience and perspectives; workshops on teaching methods; review of various teaching and resource guides; and displays of materials collected or developed by the CSI staff.

Applicants are invited from faculty of all ranks who are currently teaching in the following fields: political science—including world politics, international relations, and national security; military and diplomatic history; sociology and economics as it relates to national security areas; and constitutional and international law.

The deadline for applications is February 5, 1988. It is anticipated that approximately 25 applicants will be selected. Final notification will be given by mid-March 1988. CSI will pay round trip travel, room and board at the seminar.

For further information and application forms, contact: Roy Godson, Consortium for the Study of Intelligence, 1730 Rhode Island Avenue, N.W., Suite 601, Washington, DC 20036. Telephone: (202) 429-0129. □

Politics and Life Sciences Offers Paper Award

The Association for Politics and the Life Sciences is pleased to announce the second annual award for the best paper by a graduate student on any topic relating the biological sciences to the study of human politics. Papers may be focused on theory, empirical research, or public policy issues.

In addition to an award of \$500, the winning paper will be included on the program of the Politics and the Life Sciences Organized Section at the 1988 conven-

tion of the American Political Science Association (Washington, DC: September 1-4), and will be automatically considered for publication in the journal *Politics and the Life Sciences*.

Manuscripts should be submitted in three copies, and accompanied with the endorsement of a faculty "sponsor" (who need not be from the institution at which the student is formally enrolled and who may be a scholar in any discipline).

Completed manuscripts should be submitted, before January 1, 1988, to: Chair, Graduate Student Prize Committee, Association for Politics and the Life Sciences, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL 60115-2854. □

First Book Award Announces Competition

Brown University offers a first book prize award of \$2,500 and publication by the Brown University Press through its affiliation with the University Press of New England. The prize was established in 1981 and, to date, has been awarded to four manuscripts.

The Press is seeking outstanding manuscripts in all major fields and disciplines by men and women who have not previously published book-length works. Andrew W. Mellon Foundation support for scholarship in the humanities will enable certain prize winners to spend some time in teaching and scholarship at Brown in their respective humanistic disciplines.

Guidelines for submitting a manuscript are:

1. The manuscript must be of exceptional quality and submitted in its final form.
2. The manuscript must not be under consideration elsewhere while it is at the Brown University Press.
3. A single copy of the manuscript (not the ribbon copy), the author's curriculum vitae, and a covering letter stating that the manuscript is being submitted as a candidate for the prize should be sent

to: Brown University Press, Box 1881, Providence, RI 02912. □

Territorial Rights Is Topic of Competition

The second topic of the Basic Issues Forum is "The Territorial Rights of Nations and Peoples." This competition sponsored by Washington and Jefferson College has awards of \$5,000 (1st), \$3,000 (2nd), and \$2,000 (3rd). Papers must arrive at fundamental criteria for the basis of territorial rights of nations and people, be relevant to more than one territorial situation, and have practical ramifications.

There is no restriction on eligibility, while the paper should not exceed 30 double-spaced pages and must be written in English. The criteria for judging the papers are accessibility to people with sufficient interest, intellectual rigor, originality of thought, penetration and depth, and persuasiveness. The deadline for submission is March 1, 1988.

The best papers will be presented at a colloquium at Washington and Jefferson College in October 1988. A selection of the best essays will also be offered for publication. The initial topic, "The Existence of God," attracted more than 165 essays from interested people representing various disciplines.

Interested essayists are advised to contact John R. Jacobson, Department of Philosophy, Washington and Jefferson College, Washington, PA 15301. Phone: (412) 222-4400. □

Bentham Studies Project Welcomes Applications

University College London is seeking applications from graduates wanting to undertake research on any aspect of the life, thought, or influence of Jeremy Bentham (1748-1832), the English jurist, philosopher, economist, and political scientist. Students may wish to register for either masters or doctoral degrees.

The College Library holds the world's

largest collection of Bentham's papers—some 174 boxes of manuscripts—and original editions of most of his published works. Students would also have easy access to other major repositories in London, particularly the British Library, which contains another important set of Bentham papers.

Research students would be joining a thriving centre of Bentham studies. University College London is the home of the Bentham Project, which is currently engaged in preparing for publication a comprehensive scholarly edition of Bentham's works and correspondence. Students would be given the chance to attend and present papers at the seminars arranged by Project staff.

Research opportunities exist in many fields. At present work is in progress on subjects as diverse as Utilitarian theories of justice, Bentham's constitutional and democratic writings, Bentham on adjective law, the influence of the Utilitarians in Greece, Bentham's Panopticon penitentiary scheme, Bentham and early socialism, and Bentham and the nineteenth-century peace movement. Depending upon their own choice of topic, students would be supervised by Bentham specialists in either the Laws Faculty or the History Department.

Applications, or requests for further information, should be sent to F. Rosen, The Bentham Project, University College London, Gower Street, London WC1E 6BT. □

Liverpool Offers Summer Courses

Liverpool University offers a five-week summer session from June 26-July 30. The 1988 program includes the following political science courses: Issues in Contemporary British Politics and Society: Making a Break for Freedom—The Culture of Post-Industrial Society; Mass Media and Government in the UK; and Ireland Today. The base fee for accommodation, including breakfast and dinner, and tuition is £1050. Closing date for deposits and complete applications is March 1, 1988.

Address enquiries to: Liverpool University Summer School, Roxby Building 207, PO Box 147, Liverpool L69 3BX England. □

Experimental Computer Research Facilities Launched at Five Universities

The National Science Foundation (NSF) has made first-year awards for five-year projects to help establish, enhance, and operate major experimental computer research facilities at five universities. Funded on an annual basis, the grants are anticipated to total over \$16,600,000 by the end of the five-year grant period.

The primary objective of the Computer and Information Science and Engineering (CISE) Institutional Infrastructure program is to stimulate experimental computer research, by providing opportunities for increased scientific activity and greater faculty and graduate student participation, at institutions with an existing core of active computer or information science and engineering researchers, research resources, and research projects.

The five universities receiving awards are: University of Washington, Princeton University, Purdue University, Georgia Institute of Technology, and Rice University.

These institutions have made a substantial commitment to support the researchers and their projects, and will assume an increasing share of the project costs each year throughout the grant period in anticipation of the facilities becoming self-sufficient at the end of the five-year grant period. In addition, each has demonstrated that the support provided by NSF for equipment, maintenance, technical support staff, and other appropriate costs associated with a facility will enable them to perform significantly more or better research than would separate support, at the same total funding

level, for individual research projects or equipment acquisition. □

National Data Program Grant Renewed

The National Science Foundation has renewed the National Data Program for the Social Sciences for 1988-92. Under the NSF grant the General Social Survey (GSS) will be conducted in 1988, 1989, 1990, and 1991. Each GSS will consist of the standard core of replicating items plus two supplementary modules. The international module is designed each year by the International Social Survey Program, a collaboration of social scientists from Australia, Austria, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, the Netherlands, the United Kingdom, the United States, and West Germany. For 1988 the international module will be on changes in the family focusing on the increased labor force participation of women and changes in child-rearing and divorce. The topical module adds depth to the GSS's coverage of select areas of social science interest. For 1988 the topical module is on religious behaviors and beliefs. In addition to the basic funding from NSF, the program will continue to receive supplemental support from Andrew M. Greeley for the battery of religion questions that has been added to the GSS over the last five years.

A major design change will be that rotating items that would have appeared on two of the next three surveys will instead appear on two-thirds of the cases on all three surveys. That means that over a three-year cycle the items will be asked of the same number of people (approximately 3,000), but that they will appear on random subsamples each year (i.e., three times on 1,000 respondents each time) rather than on complete samples for two years (i.e., twice on 1,500 each time).

The National Data Program for the Social Sciences and the GSS are conducted by the National Opinion Research Center, University of Chicago. James A. Davis (NORC and Harvard University) and Tom W. Smith (NORC) continue as the principal investigators. □

Service Monitors International Security News

International Security News Clipping Service is a biweekly publication monitoring newspaper coverage of issues related to international security. This service is designed to cover the highlights of events in this field presenting the range of viewpoints reported in the national and international press. More than 25 sources are used.

The cost of the service is available for \$12/year. This cost covers printing and postage for 24 eight-page issues. Other costs are met by Topsfield Foundation.

To order, send check made out to International Security News to ISNCS, Route 169, Box 203, Pomfret, CT 06258. □

Journal Begins 60th Year

Sociology of Education, published by the American Sociological Association (ASA), aims to publish the best work in the social analysis of education from across the subfields of sociology and the social sciences. To obtain information about submitting manuscripts, contact: Philip Wexler, Editor, *Sociology of Education*, 309 Lattimore Hall, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY 14627.

The journal is published four times a year. Subscription rates are \$13 for ASA members, \$25 for nonmembers in U.S., \$30 for foreign nonmembers. To subscribe, contact: *Sociology of Education* Subscription, American Sociological Association, 1722 N Street, NW, Washington, DC 20036, or call (202) 833-3410. □

Journal Symposia Available

Journal of Correctional Education

"Correctional Education Administration: The Leadership Challenge," 1987 Special Annual Issue.

Available: *Journal of Correctional Education*, Center for the Study of Correctional

Education, University of Wisconsin-Stout, Menomonie, WI 54751. \$10, make check out to Correctional Education Association.

Social Science Quarterly

"The New Face of the American Foundation," Vol. 68, December 1967.

Available: *Social Science Quarterly*, 310 Will C. Hogg Building, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX 78712-1109. □

Canadian Films Distributed Through SUNY Plattsburgh

Educational films produced by the National Film Board (NFB) of Canada are now available for distribution in the United States through the Canadian Film Distribution Center, located at the State University of New York (SUNY) at Plattsburgh.

Films (16mm) and videos (VHS) are available for distribution to educational institutions and cultural groups in the United States for a handling fee of \$15.00 each which includes U.P.S. postage to the borrower.

Due to a nearly 100% increase in selection of film titles after only six months of operation, a revised catalog was published in the spring of 1987. The catalog, listing over 600 titles indexed according to subject category and language (French or English), is available upon request from The Canadian Film Distribution Center, Feinberg Library, Room 126, SUNY Plattsburgh, NY 12901; (518) 564-2396. Copies are also available from the Center for the Study of Canada, (518) 564-2086, any Canadian Consulate in the United States, and the Canadian Embassy in Washington.

Margaret Lanoue, director of the Canadian Film Distribution Center, is available for consultation at the address and number above on the selection of appropriate films for use in the classroom and in public presentations. □

Directory of Disabled Scientists Expanded

The new, expanded second edition, published in June 1987, of *Resource Directory of Scientists and Engineers with Disabilities* contains 950 listings of individuals in all fields of science. The volume is cross-referenced by scientific specialty, disability, geographical location, and gender. The *Directory* is spiral-bound for easy access. A braille edition is also available.

The cost of the *Directory* is \$10 plus \$3 for postage and handling. Discounts for orders of ten or more copies are available. To order, make check out to AAAS and send to Project on Science, Technology and Disability, AAAS, 1333 H Street, NW, Washington, DC 20005. Phone: (202) 326-6667. □

Israel Studies Association Encourages New Members

The Association for Israel Studies held its third annual conference at the University of Vermont, June 8-9, 1987. Papers were presented on a wide variety of topics related to Israeli politics and government.

Those interested in joining the Association and receiving the *A.I.S. Newsletter* should send \$25 annual dues to Gregory Mahler, Secretary-Treasurer, Association for Israel Studies, Department of Political Science, University of Vermont, Burlington, VT 05405. □

Greek Political Thought Society Invites Members

The North American Chapter of the Society for Greek Political Thought invites all political scientists, philosophers, classicists, historians, and specialists in comparative literature interested in scholarly interchange to membership. The study of classical political thought is broadly defined. Representatives from a number of differing North American and Continental approaches testify to the Socie-

ty's wide acceptance of various schools of thought and perspectives. Dues are US\$15 per academic year, which includes a subscription to *Polis*, appearing twice yearly. Membership can also be obtained without *Polis* for US\$10 per academic year. Dues should be forwarded to: Kent F. Moors, Director, North American Chapter—Society for Greek Political Thought, Department of Political Science, Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, PA 15282.

The Society will again sponsor a series of panels at the APSA Meeting in Washington, September 1-4, 1988. Paper proposals must be forwarded by January 8, 1988 to: Leslie G. Rubin, North American Council Coordinator, at the above address. □

Catalog Lists Programming Funded by Humanities Endowment

Media Log, published by the National Endowment for the Humanities, lists more than 500 NEH-funded dramas and documentaries. Summaries are provided of each program or series, production information, program length, and major cast members. The catalog offers a topic index for easy reference.

Single copies of *Media Log* are available free of charge from NEH as long as supplies last. Multiple copies may be purchased from the U.S. Government Printing Office (stock #036-000-0049-0) for \$9.50 each. For more information, write to the National Endowment for the Humanities, Office of Publications and Public Affairs, Room 409, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20506. □

Nixon Special Files Segments Opened

The Nixon Presidential Materials Project opened to the public two segments of the Nixon Special Files on May 4 and May 28 in Alexandria, VA. The files of John Dean, John Ehrlichman, Alexander Haig,

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Patrick Buchanan, and the President were among the material opened. These openings, which comprise approximately 742,000 pages, are the first two in a series of openings of the Special Files by the National Archives. Approximately 49 percent of the total volume of the Special Files (1.5 million pages) is now opened for research. A third opening is planned at the end of July.

The files were reviewed by the staff and approximately six percent of the documents were withdrawn for national security, personal privacy, federal statute, or other restrictions. In addition, former President Nixon objected to ap-

proximately five percent of the total of the materials scheduled for release. The items that Mr. Nixon has objected to have been withdrawn pending further review. The National Archives has placed a notice in each folder that identifies for the researcher every item that has been withdrawn and the reason for the withdrawal. The opening was covered extensively by the media.

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