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**Ford-Rockefeller Program of Social Science Research on Population Policy**

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The Ford and Rockefeller Foundations have jointly announced the fourth year of a program of social science research on population policy.

The following areas have been identified as relevant to the major issues surrounding the development of world and national population policies although the list is not the sole area for grants: Interaction of population variable and economic policies; Interaction of population variables and social, cultural, and political change; population distribution; present and past population policy; and zero population growth.

It is anticipated that the Foundations will fund between 10 and 30 research proposals. (Twenty-two were funded in 1971 and 26 each in 1972 and 1973.) Selections will be made with the help of a committee of distinguished scholars in the social sciences, law, and population. Decisions will be based on 1) the relevance of the proposed research to current issues of population policy; 2) its potential contribution to understanding the determinants and consequences of population policy; and 3) its use of the most appropriate and powerful analytical methods. Clarity and effectiveness of presentation will be important.

It is generally expected that an applicant will submit a proposal for studying population policy of his/her own country or a country in which he/she has had considerable previous experience. Genuinely collaborative research involving scholars of more than one country will be welcomed. Terms of the proposed collaboration, including the justification for and the specific nature of the joint work, should be spelled out in detail.

There are no specific eligibility criteria, but demonstrated research ability, knowledge of population issues, and previous experience in this or a closely related field are likely to be minimally necessary if a proposal is to be competitive.

The proposed research should begin in 1974 (on or after July 1) and be completed within two years. Preference will be given to projects that also have some support from the institution with which the applicant is affiliated, or from other sources, and to proposals seeking a relatively modest amount of funding. In some cases, awards may be made that cover all costs of a proposal. In no case will an award exceed \$50,000, and a grant of such magnitude will be rare under this program. In no case may indirect costs exceed 10 percent of the total grant. Grants may cover the costs of data collection, other research expenses, necessary travel, and professional salaries or maintenance in lieu of salaries. A grant will be made only to a university or other tax-exempt institution eligible for foundation grants with which an applicant is associated. A successful applicant will be asked to provide a letter from the

appropriate administrative officer of such an institution indicating its willingness to administer the grant.

For further information write to the Ford and Rockefeller Foundations Program in Social Science, Law and Population Policy, 320 East 43rd Street, New York, New York 10017.

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## Announcement of Awards

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### National Academy of Public Administration Judicial Fellows

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Two political scientists, Howard R. Whitcomb of Lehigh University and Russell R. Wheeler of Texas Tech University have been selected as the first Fellows on the new Judicial Fellows Program which is administered by the National Academy of Public Administration in cooperation with the Federal Judicial Center and the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts. The program, funded by the Ford Foundation, the American Bar Endowment and the Edna McConnell Clark Foundation is designed to attract young scholars who will not only make a contribution during their year as Judicial Fellows but who may contribute to understanding and support of the judiciary and its effective operation in the future. The Fellows work in the area of judicial administration, not case decision-making, and are involved in a wide range of participant-observer activities. For further general information on the Judicial Fellows Program, write to the Judicial Fellows Program, Dolley Madison House, 1520 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005.

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### National Endowment for the Humanities Senior Fellowships

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Three political scientists were among 102 senior fellowships for 1974-75 announced recently by the National Endowment for the Humanities. The three fellows are: Samuel H. Beer, Harvard University; Michael Barkun, Syracuse University; and Herbert A. Deane, Columbia University.

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### APSA 1973-74 Public Administration Fellows

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Eleven political scientists are serving as Public Administration Fellows of the National Association of Schools of Public Administration for 1973-74. The Fellows and their assignments are: Ernest A. Chaples, Jr., University of Maryland at the National Institutes of Health; Joseph N. Crowley, University of Nevada at the Environmental Protection Agency; David H. Davis, Rutgers University at the Environmental Protection Agency; Irving O. Dawson, Univer-

sity of Texas, Arlington, at the Civil Service Commission; Jack Goldsmith, the American University at Administration on Aging; Kenneth B. Kenney, University of Tennessee at the Office of Policy Development and Research at the Department of Housing and Urban Development; Robert L. Kline, Eastern Kentucky University, at the Social Security Administration; William L. Morrow, College of William and Mary, at Social and Rehabilitation Service, Department of Health, Education and Welfare; Thomas J. Pavlak, University of Missouri, St. Louis, at Office of Community Planning and Management, Department of Housing and Urban Development; David W. Scott of Northern Illinois University at the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, Department of Justice; and Dwight Carpenter, California State College, Fullerton, at the Environmental Protection Agency.

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**Columbia-CUNY Grant for  
Development of Western European Studies**

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The Columbia University Institute on Western Europe and the Committee on European Studies at the City University of New York have received a grant from the U.S. Office of Education for joint development of Western European Studies. The program is being administered by Wilfrid Kohl and Donald Puchala at Columbia and Dankwart A. Rustow and Steven J. Warnecke at CUNY. Its emphasis will be on problems of domestic and international political economy.

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