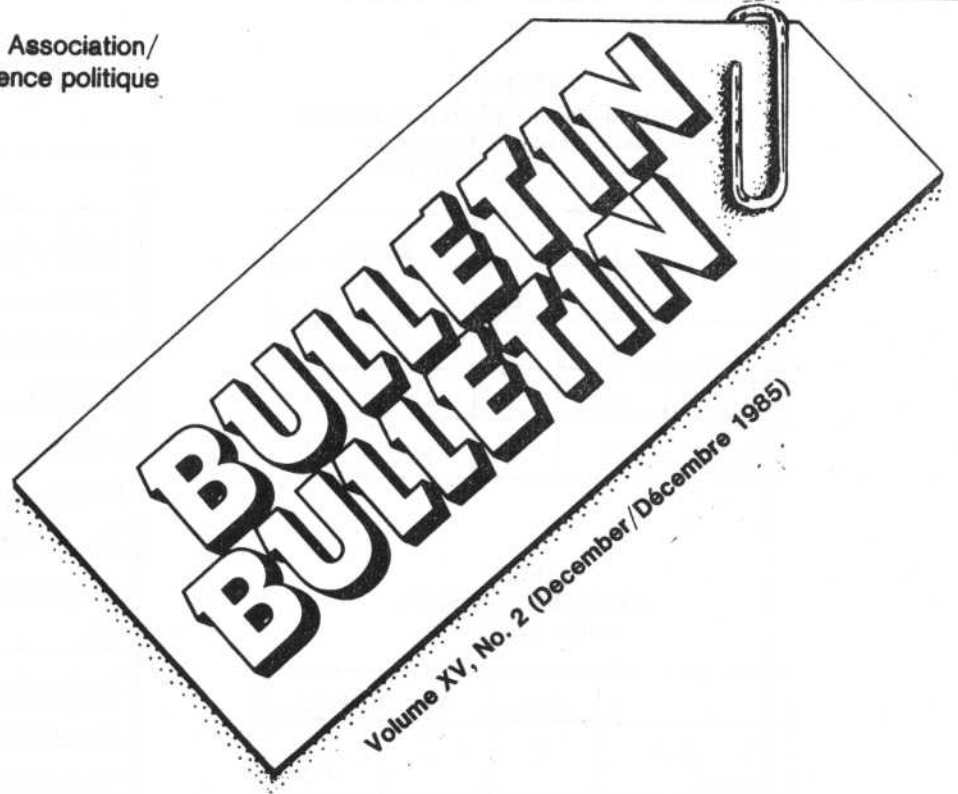


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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

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On behalf of the Association, I extend to all of you the Season's greetings.

If you have not received immediate service from our office at times this fall, this has been because of an unfortunate and unprecedented accumulation of health problems. If you have nonetheless received the usual excellent service, you owe this to the unusual dedication of Joan, Shelley and Rachel, who have all been affected in one way or another. They, like all the rest of you, richly deserve a few peaceful days in mid-winter. On behalf of all of you, I extend our heartfelt thanks to them.

We have a new Secretary-Treasurer. After Sharon Sutherland's resignation, which I accepted with regret, Jean-Pierre Gaboury was willing to take on the task and has done so with his normal élan and graciousness.

There will be a new Director of the Parliamentary Internship Programme this coming summer. Bob Jackson's third term is coming to an end and we all owe him thanks for having so successfully impressed his personality on the programme for so long. His successor will be Conrad Winn, bilingual, learned in Canadian politics and, yes, residing in Ottawa. We wish him a good term of office.

At present, the Association is in the forefront of the struggle for the preservation of meaningful peer review of research grant applications from the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council. I hope I have succeeded in initiating friendly but serious conversations between our Board and our members of SSHRC.

As for myself, I enjoyed attending IPSA in Paris and APPSA in Wolfville, Nova Scotia. Because this is my last year before retirement, I am taking advantage of an administrative leave from the University of Alberta. While I am out of the country (February 11 to April 9), our President-Elect, O.P. Dwivedi, has graciously consented to serve as acting president for the handling of urgent problems.

I look forward to seeing many of you at the Learned's in Winnipeg (June 6, 7, 8), for which your Programme Committee under the leadership of my colleague Don Carmichael is preparing an exciting programme.

Once more, thanks to all those named and unnamed, and a healthy, peaceful and restful season to all of you.

FRED ENGELMANN

AT THE CPSA

MOTIONS AND DECISIONS*

BOARD OF DIRECTORS - THE CANADIAN POLITICAL SCIENCE
ASSOCIATION - MCGILL UNIVERSITY, MAY 30, 1985

PRESENT: President, K.J. Holsti (UBC); President-Elect, F.C. Engelmann (Alberta); Past-President, Caroline Andrew (Ottawa); Secretary-Treasurer, Sharon L. Sutherland (Carleton); Representative of the members-at-large, Reginald Whitaker (York); Other members-at-large: Barry Cooper (Calgary), Martha Fletcher (Government of Ontario), Jean-Pierre Gaboury (Ottawa), Alex Macleod (UQAM), Harold von Riekhoff (Carleton), Kenneth McRoberts (York), Donald Munton (CIIA and Dalhousie).

REGRETS: William Chandler (McMaster), Pierre Fournier (UQAM), Linda Freeman (Carleton).

STANDING GUESTS OF THE BOARD:

CJPS Co-Editor, Robert Boardman (Dalhousie); Programme Chairperson, Andre Bernard; Director Ontario Legislature Internships Programme, Fred J. Fletcher; Director, Parliamentary Internship Programme, Robert J. Jackson; Representative of SqSp, Paul Noble (McGill).

GUEST: Professor Kenneth Carty (UBC) Constitution Committee.

OBSERVERS: Newly-elected members of the 85/86 Board: O.P. Dwivedi (Guelph); Keith Banting (UBC); Peter Boswell (Memorial); Warren Magnusson (UVic); and Thelma Oliver.

Joan Pond, Administrator.

1. Approval of Agenda

MOTION: F.C. Engelmann/Jean-Pierre Gaboury CARRIED
That the agenda be approved as presented.

2. Approval of the Minutes of 24 and 25 November, 1985

MOTION: Jean-Pierre Gaboury/Barry Cooper CARRIED
That the Minutes be approved as presented.

* A full text of the minutes are available from the CPSA Secretariat.

3. Business arising from the Minutes

MOTION: Pierre Fournier/ DEFEATED. NO SECONDER

Given that the report of the CAUT fact-finding committee on the Mandel case concludes that the failure to appoint him was "unfair";

Given that the commission of inquiry initiated by the Quebec Human Rights Commission concluded that "political motives" were involved in McGill University's decision not to hire him;

Given that the Academic Freedom and Tenure Committee of the CAUT urged the establishment by the CAUT and McGill University of a joint committee of inquiry with binding powers to determine finally whether there was an unfairness and to fix a remedy, if appropriate;

Given the refusal by McGill University to participate in such a joint committee of inquiry;

The Canadian Political Science Association

- (1) urges the CAUT to reconsider its position not to pursue the Mandel case;
- (2) urges McGill University to reconsider its decision not to participate in a joint binding inquiry into the matter.

The Motion failed for want of a seconder. Members noted particularly the preamble's imprecision with respect to its failure to note a majority rejection by the CAUT Academic Freedom and Tenure Committee of the Gibson Committee's recommendations cited in the first clause.

The President's Report

Election Results 1985:

By reference to the report of the official scrutineer, former President Donald V. Smiley, Professor Holsti announced the outcome of the Board election:

By Acclamation: President-Elect, Professor O.P. Dwivedi (Guelph)

The following 5 members-at-large were elected:

Professor Keith Banting (UBC)
Professor Peter Boswell (Memorial)
Professor Warren Magnusson (UVic)
Thelma Oliver
Professor Allan Tupper (Alberta)

MOTION: Kal Holsti/Frederick C. Engelmann CARRIED

That the Board accept the recommendation of the Executive Committee.
That the representative of the CPSA to the Board of the Social Science Federation of Canada be named a standing guest of the Board with the same relationship to it as has, for example, the Editor of The Canadian Journal of Political Science.

MOTION: Kal Holsti/Kenneth McRoberts CARRIED

That the Financial Report be accepted as presented.

Budget 1985/86

The Secretary-Treasurer presented the budget noting that the most stringent recommendations had had to be made in the area of staff support and underlining that the holding of this line would necessarily mean the cutting of services. She introduced the following priorities for spending should, as a result of the current drive, membership revenues be up for 1985:

1. Salaries to increase by 4% (1986).
2. Fees to IPSA and SSFC may be increased up to 4%.
3. Further reduction to the deficit.

MOTION: Sharon L. Sutherland/Caroline Andrew CARRIED

That the budget and priorities be accepted as set out by the Secretary-Treasurer.

MOTION: Kenneth McRoberts/Barry Cooper CARRIED

That, given the deficit position of CPSA finances, the Association not contribute to the SSFC's radio project.

Chandler/McRoberts Brief

MOTION: Kal Holsti/Barry Cooper CARRIED

That the Board approves the recommendations of the Chandler/McRoberts Committee and authorizes the forwarding of those views in an evolved version of the continuing brief to Council and as the CPSA's response and advice to the Crocker Committee.

Report of the Committee to Revise the Constitution

MOTION: Martha Fletcher/Frederick C. Engelmann CARRIED

That the recommendations of the Committee to Review the Constitution be accepted and recommended to the Annual General Meeting of June 7, 1986.

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Université de Montréal, June 2, 1985

PRESENT: Frederick C. Engelmann, O.P. Dwivedi, Kal Holsti, Sharon L. Sutherland, Jean-Pierre Gaboury, Keith Banting, Peter Boswell, Warren Magnusson, Thelma Oliver, Barry Cooper, Martha Fletcher, Alex Macleod, Harald von Riekhoff.

PERMANENT GUESTS:

Robert Boardman (Co-Editor, CJPS), D.J.C. Carmichael (Programme Chairperson, 1986), Robert J. Jackson (Director, PIP).

REGRETS: Francois-Pierre Gingras (Co-Editor, CJPS), Fred Fletcher (Director, OLIP), Gordon Mace (SqSp).

SPECIAL GUESTS:

Professor Alain Gagnon (Carleton)
L. McDonald, SSHRCC

MOTION: Jean-Pierre Gaboury/O.P. Dwivedi CARRIED

That the agenda be approved as presented.

President's Welcome

Professor Engelmann welcomed the members of the 1984/85 Board. He said that the year just past had been an arduous one and that the quiet competence of Kal Holsti would be a "hard act to follow".

At this point Professor Engelmann returned the chairmanship of the meeting over to Professor Holsti so that the two items of continuing May 30th Board business might be concluded.

A. State of the Art project proposal

Professor Holsti reviewed the issue and asked Professor Robert Boardman to speak. The latter said that the Editorial Board had had serious proposals in October of 1984 when the proposal had first come to the Board. They were reservations that ranged from a sense of workload problems for the Editors and at The Press to questions of principle that involved definition of editorial responsibility. There were acknowledged problems involving the uneven quality of the manuscript that exacerbated the latter.

Election to the Executive Committee of the representative of the members-at-large

MOTION: Alex Macleod/Sharon Sutherland CARRIED

That the name of Professor Jean-Pierre Gaboury be placed in nomination for the position of representative of the members-at-large on the executive committee.

MOTION: Barry Cooper/Fred Fletcher CARRIED

That the nominations be closed.

Professor Gaboury accepted the acclamation.

President's Report

Professor Engelmann told the Board that it would have to deal with the results of the Motion passed at the AGM determining that, respectful of the CAUT censure of Memorial, the Association would not meet there in 1988.

MOTION: Peter Boswell/Kal Holsti CARRIED

That the President be authorized to write to The Royal Society advising it of the CAUT Motion.

That copies of the letter be sent to other Royal-Society-members learned associations.

Status of women in the discipline

MOTION: Martha Fletcher/Warran Magnusson CARRIED

That the Board strike a committee to continue the Board's ongoing study of status-of women-in-the-discipline questions.

Canadian Public Policy

It was agreed that Professor Dwivedi would coordinate the CPP questions and that he and Professor Holsti would consult after Professor Holsti had had a chance to have a formal discussion with Professor Scott of CPP.

Conference Proposal

MOTION: Warren Magnusson/Barry Cooper CARRIED

That the Board not in future entertain proposals from individual scholars or from groups that have not been vetted by the CPSA Workshop Committee.

MOTION: Kal Holsti/Alex Macleod CARRIED

That the Board endorse the Gagnon proposal on condition that it not involve the CPSA Secretariat or the funds of the Association and that this action be taken on the understanding that it not prejudice the understandings in the Motion directly proceeding.

Other

MOTION: Sharon Sutherland/Kal Holsti CARRIED

That the Association signing authorities remain for the year 1986/87 as they had been for 1985/86 with the exception of the change of presidential authority.

***** POPULATION RESEARCH AND POLICY REVIEW *****

Population Research and Policy Review, a multi-disciplinary journal of Elsevier Science Publishers, welcomes manuscripts concerned with empirical research and public policy on topics relevant to population dynamics and structure.

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Authors wishing to submit a paper for consideration should send two copies to the editor:

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School of Law
Widener University
P.O. Box 7474
Wilmington, DE 19803-0474

JOBS

UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA

Subject to confirmation of funding, the University of Alberta, Department of Political Science, has an opening for a tenure-track appointment, commencing July 1, 1986, at the assistant professor level, in the field of international politics. Ph.D. should be completed. Preference will be given to applicants with a record of publication and a strong commitment to effective teaching. A concentration and strong research interest in the foreign policies of Third World countries is required. Preferred areas of concentration are sub-Saharan Africa, Asia, or Latin America. The 1985-86 salary range for assistant professors is \$30,316 - \$43,780. Closing date: when position is filled. The University of Alberta is an equal opportunity employer, but in accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements, this advertisement is addressed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada. Send applications (including curriculum vitae and names of three referees) to Professor Allan Tupper, Chairman, Department of Political Science, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, T6G 2H4.

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UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY

The University of Calgary, Department of Political Science, plans to appoint one or more sessional lecturers in 1986-87. International Relations will certainly be needed, and probably some combination of Canadian politics, public law, and political theory. However, applications are invited from all subfields of political science.

Teaching assignments will be in junior-level courses. Applicants may have completed Ph.D. or be working on dissertation. Experience as instructor or teaching assistant is desirable.

In accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements, citizens and permanent residents of Canada will be given preference.

These appointments will be made at the sessional lecturer level. Remuneration is \$4,000 per course per term, to a maximum of \$24,000. The University will pay travel, but not moving, expenses for instructor and spouse.

The effective dates of appointments will be September 1, 1986 to April 30, 1987. Single-term appointments are also possible. Applications will be received until March 1, 1986. Please forward applications, including c.v. and names of three references, to Head, Department of Political Science, The University of Calgary, 2500 University Drive, N.W., Calgary, Alberta, T2N 1N4.

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The University of Calgary, Department of Political Science, invites applications to be Visiting Professor in International Relations, 1986-87. The visitor should be an academic professional with teaching experience at all levels and with a record of publication.

The appointment may be for a whole or half year. Teaching load and compensation are negotiable. The appointment will be most attractive to candidates who already have another source of income, such as pension or leave salary.

In accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements, citizens and permanent residents of Canada will be given preference.

The effective date of appointment will be September 1, 1986 or January 1, 1987. Applications will be received until March 1, 1986. Please forward applications, including c.v. and names of three references, to Head, Department of Political Science, The University of Calgary, 2500 University Drive, N.W., Calgary, Alberta, T2N 1N4.

MCGILL UNIVERSITY

Subject to budgetary authorization, the Department of Political Science invites applications for a tenure-track position at the assistant professor level. Field: Canadian Government and Politics. Within this field the areas of specialization are open. Requirements: Ph.D. in Political Science and, preferably, teaching experience as well as some publications. Salary: Commensurate with qualifications. Effective Date of Appointment: September 1, 1986. Deadline for Applications: December 15, 1985 or until the position is filled. Applications, including a curriculum vitae, university transcripts and the names of three referees, should be sent to Professor Paul Noble, Chairman, Department of Political Science, McGill University, 855 Sherbrooke Street West, Montreal, Quebec, H3A 2T7. In accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements this advertisement is directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER UNIVERSITY

The Department of Political Science invites applications for a tenure-track position at the assistant professor level. Field: Canadian Politics and/or Political Development (Third World). The successful candidate will be expected to teach an introductory course and two other undergraduate courses - preferably in the indicated fields. Requirements: Ph.D. in Political Science and, preferably, some teaching experience. Salary: commensurate with qualifications. Date of Appointment: September 1, 1986. Deadline for Applications: January 15, 1986 or until position is filled. Applications, including a curriculum vitae, university transcripts and the names of three referees, should be sent to Professor J. Frank Harrison, Chairman, Department of Political Science, St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, B2G 1C0. In accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements this advertisement is directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

Applications are invited for two tenure-track positions in the Department of Political Science. One is at the assistant professor level and requires specialization in quantitative political behaviour and research methods. The second is at the assistant or associate professor level for a quantitatively-oriented specialist in Canadian or Comparative/Industrial Politics.

The appointments, subject to budgetary approval, will commence July 1, 1986. Ph.D., teaching experience, and scholarly publications are required. Salary commensurate with qualifications. Applications, including a curriculum vitae and the names of three referees, should be sent by January 15, 1986 to Professor B. Kovrig, Chairman, Department of Political Science, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario, M5S 1A1.

UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA

Applications are invited to fill a tenure-track position at the rank of assistant professor to commence July 1, 1986. The field is Comparative Government and applicants should be qualified in American Government and at least one other major political system. Candidates should have a Ph.D. in Political Science.

Canadian Immigration regulations now require the University to consider applications from Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada before proceeding with applications from other persons.

Please send applications, including curriculum vitae and the names of three referees, to Dr. A.H. Birch, Chairman, Department of Political Science, University of Victoria, P.O. Box 1700, Victoria, B.C., V8W 2Y2. The closing date for applications is January 31, 1986.

The University of Victoria offers equal employment opportunities to qualified male and female applicants.

UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN ONTARIO

Subject to budgetary approval, applications are invited for a tenure-track position in the field of International Politics, effective July 1, 1986. Initial appointment will be for three years.

Salary and academic rank commensurate with qualifications and experience.

The Department will consider applications from scholars who have a completed Ph.D., some teaching experience and publications. Applications should consist of a detailed curriculum vitae, a statement of research and teaching interests and the names of three referees.

In accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements, this advertisement is directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada. Deadline for receipt of applications: February 1, 1986.

Applications should be directed to Dr. M.W. Westmacott, Chairman, Department of Political Science, The University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, N6A 5C2.

The University of Western Ontario is an equal opportunity employer.

YORK UNIVERSITY

Pending budgetary approval, the Department of Political Science invites applications for a tenure-track appointment at the level of assistant or associate professor in Canadian Politics/Politics of the Public Policy Process, commencing July, 1986.

Requirements: Ph.D. or equivalent. Demonstrated research and teaching abilities and strong publication record. Expertise in some combination of Business-Government Relations; Politics of Bureaucracies; Public Administration. Salary: commensurate with qualifications. Deadline: February 1, 1986.

To apply, forward curriculum vitae and the names of three referees to Professor B.M. Frolic, Chairman, Department of Political Science, York University, 4700 Keele Street, North York, Ontario, M3J 1P3.

In accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements, this advertisement is in the first instance directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada.

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Pending budgetary approval, the Department of Political Science invites applications for a 2-3 year sessional appointment, commencing July 1, 1986. Primary area of specialization should be Quantitative Research Methods. The successful applicant is expected to teach Introductory Social Science Statistics and Research Design and/or Advanced Quantitative Policy Research Methodology. Secondary areas of specialization are open.

Requirements: Ph.D. or equivalent. Salary: commensurate with qualifications. Deadline: February 1, 1986.

Letters of applications, including a curriculum vitae and the names and addresses of three referees, should be sent to Professor B.M. Frolic, Chairman, Department of Political Science, York University, 4700 Keele Street, North York, Ontario, M3J 1P3.

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Pending budgetary approval, the Department of Political Science invites applications for a tenure-track appointment in International Relations, commencing July 1986. Rank open.

Requirements: Ph.D. or equivalent. Demonstrated research and teaching abilities and strong publication record. Salary: commensurate with qualifications. Deadline: December 31, 1985.

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CARLETON UNIVERSITY

The Department of Political Science, Carleton University, invites applications for one tenure-track position, commencing July 1 or September 1, 1986, in Comparative Politics with expertise in theories of and approaches to comparative politics, and the capacity to teach and supervise Ph.D. students. Rank open. Ph.D. completed.

Applications, with full curriculum vitae and the names of three qualified referees, should be sent as soon as possible to Professor Harald von Riekhoff, Chairman, Department of Political Science, Carleton University, Ottawa, Ontario, K1S 5B6. Closing date is January 20, 1986.

In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, this advertisement is directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada. Open to both men and women. This position is subject to budgetary approval.

BROCK UNIVERSITY

The Department of Politics, Brock University, intends to make a one year visiting appointment at the Full Professor level in British, Canadian, and West European political institutions. Applicant must possess outstanding qualifications in teaching, research, and publication. Letters of application with current c.v. should be sent to the Chairman, Recruitment Committee, Brock University, St. Catharines, Ontario, L2S 3A1. Applicants should also ask three referees to write on their behalf to same address. The appointment begins July 1, 1986. Deadline for applications is February 14, 1986. In accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements, this advertisement is directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada.

The Department of Politics, Brock University, intends to make a one-year term appointment in judicial administration. Completed Ph.D. with teaching and scholarly experience in the field are desired. Salary and rank will depend upon qualifications. Letters of application with current c.v. should be sent to the Chairman, Recruitment Committee, Brock University, St. Catharines, Ontario, L2S 3A1. Applicants should also ask three referees to write on their behalf to same address. The appointment begins July 1, 1986. Deadline for applications is February 14, 1986. In accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements, this advertisement is directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada.

The Department of Politics, Brock University, intends to make one or two term appointments of one year to qualified candidates in some combination of research methods, Canadian politics, and international relations. Ph.D. with teaching experience and evidence of scholarly potential are desired. Salaries will be commensurate with qualifications. Letters of application with current c.v. should be sent to the Chairman, Recruitment Committee, Brock University, St. Catharines, Ontario, L2S 3A1. Applicants should also ask three referees to write on their behalf to same address. The appointment begins July 1, 1986. Deadline for applications is February 14, 1986. In accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements, this advertisement is directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada.

SAINT MARY'S UNIVERSITY

Applications are invited for one tenure-track position (assistant professor, step one) and one nine-month sabbatical replacement. Both positions will be filled by a candidate able to teach in the areas of both Canadian Government and Comparative Government (Western Europe, Soviet Union).

Candidates should include a curriculum vitae and the names of three academic referees, along with a description of teaching interests.

In accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements, this advertisement is directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada.

All appointments are subject to budgeting approval. Deadline for receipt of application is February 15, 1986. Applications should be forwarded to Dr. Ronald G. Landes, Chairperson, Political Science, Saint Mary's University, 923 Robie Street, Halifax, Nova Scotia, B3H 3C3.

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ODDS & ENDS

THE SUEZ CRISIS: A RETROSPECTIVE (1956-1986)

An International Symposium - October 27-29, 1986.

The Ben-Gurion Research Center and Archives is sponsoring an international symposium on THE SUEZ CRISIS: A RETROSPECTIVE (1956-1986) on October 27-29, 1986 at Sede Boqer, Israel. The symposium is part of a national program for the Ben-Gurion Centennial (1886-1986). Scholars from a variety of disciplines as well as statesmen from countries that participated in the event are being invited to participate. The Symposium will include sessions on military issues, the expectations and consequences for the participants; the impact of Suez on the Middle East and on the international system. For further information please contact Mr. Natan Aridan, Symposium Coordinator, Ben-Gurion Research Center, Kiryat Sede Boker, Israel, 84990.

CALL FOR PAPERS

Symposium on the 50th Anniversary of the Spanish Civil War 1936-1986.

World War II - Prelude - June 12, 13, 1986

The Symposium is to be a wide-ranging, multi-disciplinary conference utilizing the Spanish Civil War as a focal point.

Papers, presentations, panels, etc. are invited. We anticipate participants will deal with film, art, popular culture and opinion, fascism and communism, the international brigades, women, anarchism, Franco, Pacifism between the wars, and various additional topics.

Address proposals and inquiries to Program Committee, World War II, Professor Thomas Kelly, History Department, Siena College, Loudonville, New York, 12211.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

In August, 1986, the University of Calgary will be hosting a major international conference on the "State of the Art in Middle Eastern Studies." For further information and a preliminary program, contact Ms. L. Kokoski, Conference Coordinator, "State of the Art in Middle Eastern Studies" Conference, Conference Office, University of Calgary, 2500 University Drive, N.W., Calgary, Alberta, T2N 1N4, or phone (403) 220-5051.

CANADIAN ASSOCIATION FOR AMERICAN STUDIES - CALL FOR PAPERS

The Canadian Association for American Studies invites proposals from all disciplines in the humanities and social sciences for papers to be delivered at the October, 1986 meeting of the association, to be held at McGill University, October 16-18, 1986.

The theme of the conference is "Alternate Visions of America: From Colony to Bicentennial." Proposals should not exceed 250 words. Preference will be given to proposals for entire panels (two papers, one commentator). Proposals should be accompanied by a brief curriculum vitae of the author.

Proposals and requests for information to: Stephen J. Randall, Chairman, Department of History, McGill University, 855 Sherbrooke St. West, Montreal, Quebec, H3A 2T7.

Proposal deadline: March 1, 1986.

CONFERENCE ON THE RESURGENCE OF CONSERVATISM

Duke University and the University of Calgary are co-sponsoring a conference to be held May 18-21, 1986, at Lake Louise, Alberta, on: The Resurgence of Conservatism in Anglo-American Democracies. For further information contact Barry Cooper, Department of Political Science, University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta, T2N 1N4, or phone (403) 284-5920.

ROBERT MCKENZIE CANADIAN SCHOLARSHIP

Funds have been raised in Canada by friends, colleagues and former students of Professor Robert McKenzie to establish an annual award in his memory tenable at the London School of Economics for a candidate for a Master's or research degree. Applicants should have a first degree from a Canadian university. Students already registered at LSE or new candidates may apply. The value of the award will be \$3,000 (Canadian) and may be held concurrently with others providing that the total awarded for fees and maintenance, including the Robert McKenzie Canadian Scholarship, does not exceed £7,000 in 1986-87.

Application should be made to The Scholarship Officer, London School of Economics, Houghton Street, London WC2A 2AE, ENGLAND. The closing date for receipt of applications for the year 1986-87 is March 1, 1986.

POLITICS AND THE LIFE SCIENCES

The Association for Politics and the Life Sciences, an international professional society, was founded in 1980 to advance interest in and encourage scholarship about biopolitics, and it represents a serious and continuing commitment to a life science orientation within political science.

The founding of the Association is an outgrowth of the rapid and spectacular development of new knowledge in the life sciences. Almost as quickly as it has been produced, this knowledge has had theoretical and public policy influence--raising serious political, philosophical, legal, and social questions.

The semi-annual journal of the Association, Politics and the Life Sciences, reflects this deepening interest of political scientists in both the methods and the findings of research in the life sciences. It publishes refereed articles, as well as review essays, research notes, news of conference activities, and information regarding curricular developments.

