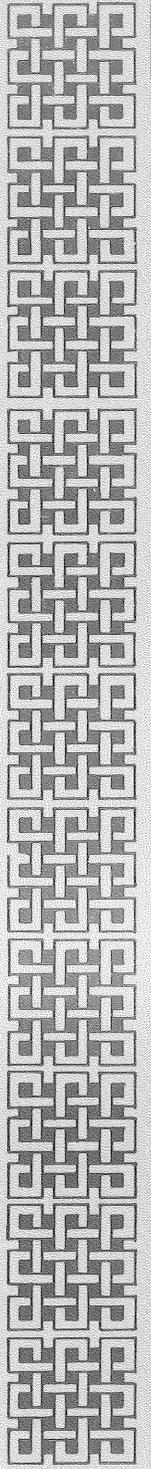


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Opinions expressed herein are those of individual authors and do not necessarily reflect the views of the Latin American Studies Association and of its officers.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1975 ELECTIONS

The results of the 1975 regular election are as follows:

Vice President	John Saunders	304
	Evelyn Stevens	415 (elected)
Executive Council	Bradford Burns	402 (elected)
	Carlos Cortés	218 (second alternate)
	Timothy Harding	188
	Juan Orrego-Salas	220 (first alternate)
	Martin Stabb	206
	Barbara Stallings	236 (elected)

The results of the 1975 special election are as follows:

Executive Council	David Barkin	238
1975-1977 term	Bela Bianco	168
	John Coatsworth	327 (elected)

1975 CLASP STEERING COMMITTEE ELECTIONS

The following persons were elected to three-year terms on the CLASP Steering Committee, 1975-1977:

Eugenio Chang-Rodríguez (CUNY/Queens)
Philip F. Flemion (San Diego State University)
G. Micheal Riley (University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee)
Miriam Williford (Winthrop College)

LOCAL ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE, SIXTH NATIONAL MEETING

Chairperson James Kelley (Department of History, Georgia State University, Atlanta) announces the following appointments to the Local Arrangements Committee for the March 25-28, 1976, National Meeting:

John Ball (Georgia State University, Atlanta)
Robert Claxton (West Georgia College, Carrollton)
Phil Coventry (Morris Brown College, Atlanta)
Eugene Huck (Kennesaw Junior College, Marietta)
Jorge Marbón (Emory University, Atlanta)
Geraldine Reed (Georgia Tech, Atlanta)

FORD FOUNDATION GRANT

The Association is pleased to announce receipt of a three-year grant, 1975-1978, in the amount of \$80,000 from the Ford Foundation. Once again, we must record our gratitude for the Ford

Foundation's continuing and generous support. Grant funds are to be expended as follows: Meetings and projects of LASA committees, \$25,000; International scholarly relations, \$9,000; Professional workshops, \$9,000; LASA publications and Newsletter, \$20,000; Ways and Means committee expenses, \$6,000; and Emergency Committee to Aid Latin American Scholars (ECALAS), \$10,500.

BY-LAW AMENDMENT AND DUES INCREASE

A By-Law amendment, which would permit raising annual dues in 1976 from \$15.00 to \$18.00 for members and from \$8.00 to \$9.00 for Graduate Student Associates, was mailed to all paid-up Members and GSA's on June 26, 1975. The amendment reads as follows:

VII. Dues

The annual dues of the Association, which shall include a subscription to the Latin American Research Review and the LASA Newsletter, shall be due and payable to the Executive Secretary on January 1.

- a. The annual dues for Members shall be set by two-thirds vote of the Executive Council.
- b. The annual dues for Graduate Student Associates, whose status shall be certified by their principal advisors, shall be set by two-thirds vote of the Executive Council. Graduate Student Associates shall be permitted to pay dues at this special rate for a maximum of five years.

Note: For the complete text of the Constitution and By-Laws, please see the September, 1974, Newsletter.

The above will be considered ratified, and the new dues schedule in effect, if a request for a mail ballot on the amendment is not received within 90 days.

1976 NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Paid up Members and GSA's were notified on June 26, 1975 that the Executive Council had decided on a one-year trial change in the process of constituting the Nominating Committee. Prof. Jane Jaquette (political science, Occidental College), chairperson; Prof. Shane Hunt (economics, Boston University), and Prof. Joan Ciruti (literature, Mt. Holyoke) were named by the Executive Council to the 1976 Nominating Committee. LASA Members and GSA's may nominate additional persons to the 1976 Nominating Committee by petitions bearing at least 50 (fifty) signatures of Members and GSA's in good standing, with no member or GSA signing more than one such petition. The two persons nominated with the largest number of signatures over the minimum will be added to the 1976 Nominating Committee. All petitions must be received at the Secretariat prior to September 30, 1975.

FORTHCOMING PUBLICATIONS

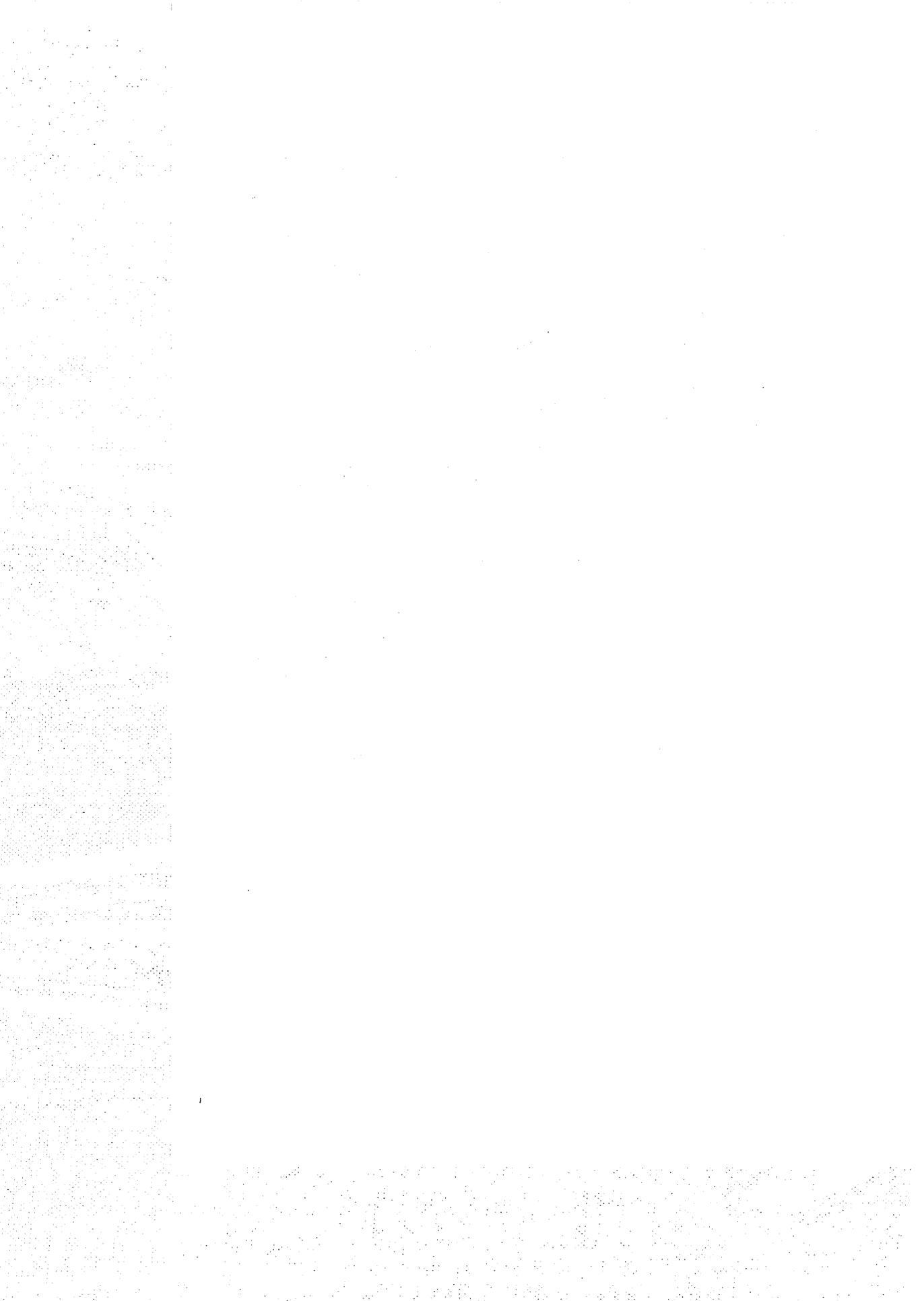
Two additional Consortium of Latin American Studies Programs (CLASP) publications make their appearance this fall: Latin America: An Acquisition Guide for Colleges and Public Libraries, edited by Earl J. Pariseau and funded by the Tinker Foundation (CLASP No. 7; \$10.00 non-Members; \$5.00 LASA/CLASP Members) and Directory of Latin American Studies Programs and Faculty in the U.S. compiled by Margo L. Smith (CLASP No. 8; \$7.00 non-Members; \$3.50 LASA/CLASP Members). The Secretariat is now accepting orders for these publications.

HANDBOOK OF LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES

Once again, an order form for the special LASA edition of the Handbook is included in this issue. Members are reminded that this is a one-year trial experiment. If member response is not sufficient to defray the extra costs incurred, the Association will regretfully have to abandon the experiment and the membership will thus lose the opportunity to accumulate a number of yearly volumes of this prestigious publication. SEND IN YOUR ORDER NOW.

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES CENTERS COMPETITION

It is expected that the deadline for application for National Defense Education Act program support will be not earlier than December 15, 1975. Dr. Ann Schneider of the International Studies Branch of the Division of International Education of the Office of Education and her staff are glad to help prospective applicants with questions, proposals, etc. She may be telephoned at 202-245-9588 or addressed at Room 3671 Regional Office Building Number 3, 7th and D Streets, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20201. Those interested in exploring the NDEA fellowship program may contact Mr. John Paul, Chief, Fellowships Program, International Studies Branch, 202-245-9808 or Room 3669 of the building above.



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SIXTH NATIONAL MEETING

ATLANTA, GEORGIA

SECOND PROGRAM COMMITTEE REPORT & RENEWED CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS

March 25-28, 1976

The Program Committee is pleased to announce its decisions of September 18, 1975. Of the more than 25 proposals received for the second round of judging, the following were approved:

Panel 18--The Mexico-United States Border Interface

Oscar J. Martínez (U. of Texas, El Paso)

Panel 19--U.S. Response to Nationalization and Denationalization in Latin America

Marvin Bernstein (Buffalo)

Panel 20--U.S. Newsmedia and Latin America

John C. Pollock (Rutgers, Livingston)

Panel 21--The Comparative Role of Foreign Immigration in Latin American Nations

Ronald C. Sheck (New Mexico State)

Panel 22--CLASP: Alternative Careers in Latin American Studies

Doris Turner (Kent State)

Panel 23--CLASP: The Teaching of Latin American Studies at all Levels

Miriam Williford (Winthrop College)

RENEWED CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS: Because of the 18-month gap between programs and because of the growing LASA constituency, the Executive Council agreed with the Program Committee at the May 17 meeting in Washington, D.C., that in order to develop the best possible program for Atlanta, no arbitrary limit of panels would be imposed, the number being determined mainly by excellence. Hence the program remains open for panels until at least November 15. Although all of the present panels except the Volunteer panel can be considered as closed to individuals, new panel proposals are invited.

NEW PANEL PROPOSALS should contain the title of topic, common questions to be addressed by all ponentes, name of the proposed chairperson, topics and names of proposed ponentes, and names of commentators (if any). Please send one copy of your proposal to each of the undersigned three Program Committee members. Prospective participants are reminded that they should not apply to more than one session.

VOLUNTEER PAPERS may be sent to Howard and Ieda Wiarda at the Department of Political Science, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Massachusetts 01002, until November 15. Eligibility for this panel is contingent upon sending to the Wiardas either a copy of the paper proposed or a one-page abstract (detailing the hypotheses, theory, methodology, conclusions, etc.) so that they will have a fair basis upon which to make their choices. Since they have received a number of significant ideas for papers, a strong possibility exists that the session may be divided into two, depending perhaps upon the number of papers received by the November 15 deadline.

LUNCHEON ROUNDTABLES: We have not received as many suggestions for roundtables as needed and would like to take this opportunity to request scholars to notify us of their availability to chair a luncheon session about the topic of their interest. We will select from among proposals received by November 15, trying to formulate interesting and valuable sessions as well as to achieve the balance required by LASA regulations. Please remember that no chairperson extends personal invitations to the luncheon sessions, which are open to all on a first come, first served basis as registration and luncheon reservations are received at the LASA Secretariat.

SPECIAL NOTES: While we expect the program to be finalized by November 15, negotiations with possible Cuban visitors may still need time to come to fruition. It is hoped that a substantial number of Cuban scholars will be in attendance at Atlanta. In any case, we hope to include any such panel that may arise even if after November 15.

For those members planning to submit proposals for new panels, please keep the earlier panels approved in mind. These topics and their respective chairpersons accepted in the first round include:

- Panel 1--Popular Literature and Popular Culture
Jean Franco (Stanford)
- Panel 2--Lore in Latin America
Johannes Wilbert (UCLA)
- Panel 3--Cuba: Empirical Analyses of Changes in Individual Beliefs and Behavior
Jorge Domínguez (Yale)
- Panel 4--The State and Public Policy in Latin America
David Collier (Princeton through December/Indiana)
- Panel 5--Quantitative Studies
Peter H. Smith (Madison)
- Panel 6--New Latin American Cinema: Evolution and Future Directions
Julianne Burton (Santa Cruz)
- Panel 7--Human Rights in Latin American Countries
Patricia Fagen (San Jose State)
- Panel 8--Internationalization of Research in Latin American Sociology
Alejandro Portez (Duke) and Luis Wolf Goodman (SSRC)
- Panel 9--Science and Technology in Latin America
Rosario Morales (Harvard)
- Panel 10--Dependency Theory Reassessed
Albert O. Hirschman (Center for Advanced Studies, Princeton)
- Panel 11--Short-Run Economic Policy in Latin America
Shane J. Hunt (Boston U.)
- Panel 12--Corporatism
Evelyn Stevens (Loyola U., Chicago)
- Panel 13--Alternatives to Formal Education
Thomas J. LaBelle (UCLA)
- Panel 14--The Effects and Affects of Drugs and Hallucinogens in Latin America
Paul Doughty (Florida)

Panel 15--Volunteer Papers

Howard and Ieda Wiarda (U. of Mass., Amherst)

Panel 16--URLA: Colonialism, Class Formation and Class Consciousness in Puerto Rico

Mary Kay Vaughan (Chicago Circle)

Panel 17--URLA: Feminism and the Class Struggle

Terry Dietz-Fee (UC, Riverside)

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605 Third Avenue
New York, New York 10016

A STATEMENT OF THE LAWS OF BOLIVIA
IN MATTERS AFFECTING BUSINESS

The Organization of American States (OAS) recently published the fourth edition of A Statement of the Laws of Bolivia in Matters Affecting Business, a 362-page volume with up-to-date information at \$10.00 per copy. This edition contains current legislation as regards the Bolivian Constitution, Copyright laws, Nationality and Immigration, Tourism, the Right to Invest, Bankruptcy, Domicile, and Monopolies and Exclusive Privileges.

Included in the series of studies, of which this book is a part, are Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Peru, United States, Uruguay and Venezuela at \$10.00 each, and are available from the General Secretariat, Organization of American States, Department of publications and Conferences, Washington, D.C. 20006.

SUMMARY OF ACTIONS TAKEN
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING
January 3-4, 1975
Gainesville, Florida

Attending: All members present except newly-elected member Hugh M. Hamill, Jr., who resigned as of January 1; Executive Secretary Felicity Trueblood also present; guest, Maxine Margolis of the Committee on Women in Latin American Studies.

The Executive Council, sitting as the Committee on Ways and Means, took the following actions:

1. The Summary of Actions Taken at the November, 1974, meeting was approved as amended.
2. The following dates, in order of preference, were selected for the Sixth National Meeting in 1976: 29 April-1 May; 6-9 May; and 25-27 March. Atlanta was selected as the site. The Executive Secretary was instructed to negotiate hotel space in Atlanta with James Kelley, chairperson of Local Arrangements.
3. Program chairperson for the Seventh National Meeting, a joint meeting with the African Studies Association in Houston in the fall of 1977, was discussed but no action taken.
4. Paul Doughty and the Executive Secretary were asked to prepare a letter inviting bids for the LASA Secretariat, to appear in the Newsletter. A deadline of September 15, 1975, for receipt of bids at the Secretariat was set.
5. The draft 1975 budget was approved, pending further refinement and review at the May, 1975, Executive Council meeting.
6. The following equal opportunity/affirmative action statement was approved: The Latin American Studies Association fully subscribes to and supports the principles of equal opportunity/affirmative action in education, training, employment, and professional advancement. The Latin American Studies Association does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, sex, or national origin.
7. A proposed 3-member Executive Council presidium was discussed and denied.
8. A plaque for the winner of the 1974 LASA Citation for Excellence in Reporting on Latin America was authorized.
9. The budget request of \$1,000 of the Committee on U.S. Press Coverage of Latin America was approved.
10. The Committee on Academic Freedom and Human Rights was authorized \$750 for one meeting and miscellaneous expenses, and was requested to have a report ready for the May, 1975, Executive Council meeting.
11. Juan Corradi (New York University) was appointed chairperson of the Sub-Committee on the Argentine Situation of the Committee on Academic Freedom and Human Rights; Eldon Kenworthy (Cornell) was appointed as member. The Committee was au-

- thorized \$500 for operating expenses and was asked to report to the Executive Council by May, 1975.
12. The Executive Council complimented Chairperson Miriam Williford (Winthrop College) and her Committee on the Teaching of Latin American Studies at All Levels on the receipt of the \$65,000 grant from the Tinker Foundation to finance the National Seminar on the Teaching of Latin American Studies. The Committee was advanced \$2,250 for Seminar expenses, to be repaid from foundation funds. Professors Williford and Phil B. Johnson (San Francisco State University) were re-appointed to the Committee. Robert Levine (SUNY/Stony Brook) was newly appointed to the Committee, and outgoing members Jane Loy (Univ. of Mass.), George Waggoner (Kansas) and Joedd Price (Delaware) were thanked for their services.
 13. Evelyn Stevens (Loyola of Chicago) and Dolores Moyano Martin (Library of Congress) were appointed as members of the Committee on Women in Latin American Studies. Subsequently, Prof. Stevens was appointed chairperson of the Committee, replacing incoming Chairperson Nora Scott Kinzer who joined the Executive Council as first alternate replacing Hugh M. Hamill, Jr., who resigned his seat. Outgoing Chairperson Nancy Gonzalez (Boston University) and outgoing member Joan Ciruti (Mount Holyoke) were thanked for their services to the Committee.
 14. The Committee on Scholarly Resources was reappointed in its entirety, with Mary Ellis Kahler continuing as Chairperson. The Committee's budget request of \$3,500 was approved.
 15. Phil B. Johnson (San Francisco State University) was re-appointed Chairperson of the Committee on Regional Liaison. The Committee's budget request of \$2,500 was approved.
 16. It was agreed that the Secretariat would publish abbreviated LASA Fact Sheets in Spanish and Portuguese for distribution in Latin America.
 17. The Consortium of Latin American Studies Programs (CLASP) is to be encouraged to update and reissue its relevant publications, especially numbers 2 and 5, to the extent possible.
 18. The next Executive Council meeting will be held May 14-17, 1975, at the Hotel Dupont Plaza and the Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C. Part of the agenda will consist of visits to governmental and congressional offices. The fall 1975 meeting will be held October 30-November 1, at a site to be determined by transportation costs.

THE TEACHING OF LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES A NATIONAL SEMINAR

This Seminar, a milestone in the life of the Association, was sponsored jointly by the Association and its institutional arm, the Consortium of Latin American Studies Programs (CLASP), and was held at the University of New Mexico, July 28-August 8, 1975. We are especially indebted to our host there, Prof. Marshall Nason, Director, Latin American Center.

Financed by a grant from the Tinker Foundation, the Seminar was directed by Prof. Miriam Williford (Winthrop College), chairperson of the Committee on the Teaching of Latin American Studies at All Levels and a member of the CLASP Steering Committee. Collaborating closely in the Seminar were the six National Defense Education Act (NDEA) Centers for Latin America: University of California at Los Angeles, University of Florida, University of New Mexico, University of Texas at Austin, Tulane University, and the University of Wisconsin system. Participating in the Seminar were 60 teachers and supervisors from all over the United States.

The Seminar used the basic approach of teacher training and materials development by teachers themselves, and was designed to accomplish the following ends:

1. To focus national attention on study of Latin America as a major world culture area;
2. To increase the range of curriculum choices offered to school and community-college students;
3. To provide, through the Association or even commercial publication, teaching materials acceptable to both teachers and educators, and professional Latin Americanists--sound content and sound pedagogy;
4. To establish a national network or cadre of teachers to provide in-service teacher training and support in their respective geographical areas as well as nationally;
5. To obtain expanded school-district commitment to innovation, experimentation, and evaluation in the area of Latin American Studies; and,
6. To train teachers in the art of producing Latin American Studies teaching materials themselves.

Seminar content was organized around two themes, with a week devoted to each: cultural ecology and symbols and symbolizing. Those desiring further, more detailed information on the content of the Seminar are invited to get in touch with Professor Williford. It will also be covered in a forthcoming issue of LARR.

Materials produced for or during the Seminar include the kit, "In Other Words and Ways", developed by Shirley Brice Heath (Winthrop College), as well as a wide range of materials developed by Seminar participants. These materials are now being evaluated for publication and dissemination. The membership will be kept fully informed.

Seminar faculty and staff included the following persons:

John Aragon, Director, Cultural Awareness Center, University of

New Mexico

E. Bradford Burns, History, University of California at Los Angeles

J. Doyle Casteel, Secondary Education, University of Florida

William Carter, Anthropology, Director, Center for Latin American Studies, University of Florida

Eugenio Chang-Rodríguez, Romance Languages, Queens/CUNY

Carlos E. Cortés, Mexican-American Studies, University of California at Riverside

Charlotte Crabtree, Curriculum Specialist, Department of Education, University of California at Los Angeles

Dinko Cvitanovic, Latin American Literature, University of New Mexico

Carl W. Deal, Librarian, University of Illinois

Robert Doxtator, Secondary Education, University of New Mexico

John J. Finan, School of International Service, American University

Philip Flemion, History, San Diego University

Clark C. Gill, Department of Curriculum and Instruction, University of Texas at Austin

Edward Glab, Politics and Curriculum Development, University of Texas at Austin

William P. Glade, Director, Institute of Latin American Studies, The University of Texas at Austin

Richard E. Greenleaf, History, Director, Center for Latin American Studies, Tulane University

John Hawkins, Latin American Center, University of California at Los Angeles

Garth Hansen, Latin American Center, University of New Mexico

Shirley Brice Heath, Anthropology, Winthrop College

Robert Kline, Director, Instructional Media Center, University of New Mexico

Thomas La Belle, Latin American Studies and Curriculum Development, University of California at Los Angeles

Gemma Morris, Learning Materials Center, University of New Mexico

Marshall R. Nason, Spanish, Director, Latin American Center, University of New Mexico

Ambrosio Ortega, Director, Latin American Projects in Education, University of New Mexico

Joedd Price, History, University of Delaware

Michael Riley, History, Director, Center for Latin America, The University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Donald Robertson, Art, Tulane University

Stephen Stein, History, SUNY/Stony Brook

Philip Taylor, Political Science, Director, Latin American Studies, University of Houston

Doris J. Turner, Portuguese, Chairperson, CLASP Steering Committee, Kent State University

Sabine R. Ulibarrí, Chairman, Modern and Classical Languages, University of New Mexico

Guy Watson, Learning Materials Center, University of New Mexico

Kempton E. Webb, Latin American Geography, Columbia University
Johannes Wilbert, Anthropology, Director, Latin American Center,
University of California at Los Angeles

Seminar participants included the following persons:

Dylton de Abreu, New Orleans, Louisiana
Jacyra Abreu, New Orleans, Louisiana
Monte Adkison, Ocala, Florida
Barbara L. Amenityro, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Leonor Andrade, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Richard Barnett, Sanford, Florida
Jerry L. Bower, Richland Center, Wisconsin
Michael Branch, Mora, New Mexico
Pam Dowd, Tulsa, Oklahoma
Julia Rosa Emslie, Miami, Florida
Rosita Enrique, Bronx, New York
Carlos Flores, Laredo, Texas
James Gray, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Cathryn Gregory, Gainesville, Florida
Clara Gregory, Austin, Texas
Walter Gutiérrez, Brookfield, Illinois
James Henderson, Grambling, Louisiana
Robert Hill, Aruada, Colorado
Thomas F. Hughes, Knob Lick, Kentucky
Candelario Jáurequi, Silver City, New Mexico
Barbara Kantz, Port Jefferson Station, New York
Kathryn M. Kaufmann, Germantown, Wisconsin
Lula Crosby Keyes, Orlando, Florida
Georgia Kilpatrick, Trumbull, Connecticut
Lancelot S. Lewis, New Orleans, Louisiana
Carmen Lydell, Jamestown, New York
Sandra Macís, Alhambra, California
Mathew Grove Marty, Madison, Wisconsin
Julia Mellenbruch, Austin, Texas
Patricia Ann Morales, Los Angeles, California
Patricia Ann Morcilio, Jersey City, New Jersey
Paul Morf, Champaign, Illinois
Candace Mott, Champaign, Illinois
Judy Myers, Marietta, Georgia
Raul Noriega, Jersey City, New Jersey
Rebecca Novelli, Santa Monica, California
John Robert Olson, Villa Park, Illinois
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Ann Peel, Tempe, Arizona
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Dorothy Sandusky, Madison, Wisconsin
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Gladys M. Simpson, New Orleans, Louisiana
Janet Stanberry, San Antonio, Texas
Ronald R. Steele, Los Angeles, California
Stephanie Stimac, Huntsville, Alabama

Sharon Stricker, Los Angeles, California
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Polly Timberlake, Cape Coral, Florida
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Doris Vincent, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Dorothy M. Walker, Metairie, Louisiana
Laura W. Wallis, Lexington, Massachusetts
Patricia Ann Helm Walton, Evanston, Illinois
Thomas Warder, Albuquerque, New Mexico
Frank C. Winstead, Powder Springs, Georgia
Ann Wolff, Gainesville, Florida



(l. to r.) Professor Miriam Williford presenting "In Other Words and Ways" kit to Dr. Erika v.C. Bruce, Program Director, Tinker Foundation, at the National Seminar on the Teaching of Latin American Studies.

MINUTES
CLASP STEERING COMMITTEE
Washington, D.C.
February 1-3, 1974

Attending: Kempton Webb substituting for chairperson Charles Hale; Robert J. Alexander, Carl W. Deal, John J. Finan, Marshall R. Nason, Mary E. Stephenson, Philip B. Taylor, Doris Turner, Miriam Williford; Executive Secretary Felicity Trueblood.

The primary purpose of the Washington Meeting was to call on government and Congressional officials, seeking information concerning, and support for, funding of international studies in general and Latin American Studies in particular. This was a first for the CLASP Steering Committee, and information gathered has proved most helpful to the Steering Committee and to the CLASP/LASA Secretariat. Calls included visits to the following on February 1, 1974:

Edward Meador, Special Assistant to the Director, Division of International Education, U.S. Office of Education

Ann Schneider, International Education, Office of Education

John Cookson, Chief, Fellowships Branch, Office of Education

Tom S. Gettys, Office of Education

Peter Lydon and Maxwell Chaplin, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State

Curt Barker, Special Assistant for University Relations, Agency for International Development (AID)

Senator Ernest Hollings (South Carolina)

Senator Lloyd Bentsen (Texas)

Congressman John Brademas (Indiana)

Robert Andringa, minority staff, House HEW/Labor Committee

Congressman Patten (New Jersey)

Joel Swerdlow, American Council on Education

On February 2 and 3, the Steering Committee considered the following items of regular business:

1. The minutes of the Madison, Wisconsin, meeting May 3-5, 1973, were approved as circulated.

2. The Steering Committee will periodically prepare a position paper on the funding of Latin American Studies, stressing CLASP's unique role as the institutional arm of LASA, and the information and dissemination services it can provide.
3. The two CLASP panels for the Fifth National Meeting, San Francisco, November, 1974, were approved: Future Studies of Latin America chaired by Kempton Webb and The Teaching of Latin American Studies at All Levels chaired by Miriam Williford.
4. CLASP publications in progress were discussed and the Executive Secretary was instructed to obtain progress reports on their completion: the directory of Latin American Studies Programs in the U.S. being prepared by Margo Smith, and the proceedings of the CLASP data bank panel at the Madison National meeting being prepared by William Tyler. \$3000-3500 was approved for publications.
5. It was suggested that CLASP publications be sold on subscription to libraries. The Executive Secretary pointed out that the somewhat erratic publication dates of CLASP publications might cause complications, and no action was taken.
6. The Steering Committee agreed to update its publications devoted to Employment and Financial Aid in Latin American Studies and publish in combined form. \$500 was authorized for the project.
7. \$300 was authorized to hold a CLASP institutional representatives reception at the Fifth National Meeting, San Francisco.
8. The Steering Committee agreed to hold an extraordinary second 1974 meeting at the time of the San Francisco National Meeting. The Steering Committee further agreed to ask the Executive Council to donate \$500 of the amount CLASP owes LASA to permit financing of the extraordinary meeting.
9. It was agreed that CLASP would begin thinking of sponsoring a conference for secondary school teachers, similar to those sponsored by the Asian Studies Association, perhaps to be held in 1975 since there would be no National Meeting to conflict. Further discussion was to take place at the November meeting.
10. The Steering Committee resolved to improve relations with the different regional councils and to work with them as closely as possible.
11. It was decided that a CLASP delegation would call on Congressman Patten in February or March, 1974, to express CLASP concern over federal funding of Latin American Studies. Robert Alexander, John Finan, and Kempton Webb were appointed to the delegation.
12. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at noon, February 3.

MINUTES
CLASP STEERING COMMITTEE
San Francisco
November 14-16, 1974

Attending: Charles A. Hale (chairperson); Robert J. Alexander, Carl W. Deal, John J. Finan, Marshall R. Nason, Philip B. Taylor, Doris Turner, Miriam Williford; Executive Secretary Felicity Trueblood.

This, a second, extraordinary meeting for 1974, was largely devoted to discussion of the proposed National Seminar on the Teaching of Latin American Studies, a joint CLASP/LASA project. Because the project depended to heavily on the collaboration of the six NDEA Centers for Latin America, their directors and/or curriculum coordinators were invited to attend the discussions. Those in attendance included: John Hawkins (UCLA); Marshall Nason (University of New Mexico); Richard Greenleaf (Tulane University); Edward Glab (University of Texas); William Carter, Doyle Casteel and Felicity Trueblood (University of Florida); and Norman Sacks and G. Micheal Riley (University of Wisconsin system). The kind invitation of the University of New Mexico to host the National Seminar was accepted, and all six Centers pledged their cooperation and support. Miriam Williford and Felicity Trueblood were authorized to seek foundation support for the National Seminar.

Other items of business transacted included the following:

1. Doris Turner (Kent State University) was elected chairperson of the Steering Committee for 1975.
2. Nominees for election to the Steering Committee were chosen as follows:

<u>Seat One</u>	<u>Seat Two</u>
Leila Bradfield (Western Michigan)	G. Micheal Riley (Wisc./Milw.)
Eugenio Chang-Rodríguez (Queens)	Charles Stansifer (Kansas)

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| <u>Seat Three</u> | <u>Seat Four</u> |
| G. Wayland-Smith (Allegheny) | Leon Campbell (Calif./Riverside) |
| Miriam Williford (Winthrop) | Philip Flemion (San Diego State) |
3. Final details of the CLASP Institutional Representatives meeting at the Fifth National Meeting, Thursday, November 14, were discussed. The program included presentations by the six NDEA Centers for Latin America curriculum coordinators and/or directors; Rose Lee Hayden of the American Council on Education; Alison McClure of the Emergency Committee to Aid Latin American Scholars (ECALAS); and introduction of distinguished guests including Erika Bruce (Tinker Foundation), Ann Carpenter (Committee on the International Exchange of Scholars), Maxwell Chaplin (Cultural Relations, Department of State), and Robert Myers (Ford Foundation).
 4. The Executive Secretary reported on the current activities and finances of CLASP.

5. In view of CLASP's declining membership, the Executive Secretary was instructed to collect names of institutions in default for 1973 and 1974 and forward them to Steering Committee members for their individual and collective action.
 6. Steering Committee members agreed to work to recruit CLASP members in their respective geographic areas.
 7. The Executive Secretary was authorized to proceed with plans for organization of an Area Studies Associations Liaison Committee at the Executive Secretary level.
 8. It was agreed that the 1975 meeting of the Steering Committee would be held at the site of the National Seminar on the Teaching of Latin American Studies if it were funded. In this way, members of the Steering Committee could function as resource persons and also aid in evaluation of the Seminar.
- There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS
THE GENERAL LIBRARIES

The General Libraries of the University of Texas at Austin maintains one of the broadest Latin American acquisitions programs in the United States. Appropriately, it has provided its Latin American cataloging copy to the international library community through the National Union Catalog and the G.K. Hall Catalog of the Latin American Collection. In 1975, the General Libraries also began entering its Latin American cataloging records into the Ohio College Library Center (OCLC) data base.

As a member of the AMIGOS Bibliographic Council, the General Libraries of the University of Texas at Austin is committed to providing its Latin American cataloging through the OCLC system on a continuing basis. Current Latin American receipts will be cataloged on arrival and input into OCLC; two OCLC terminals will be devoted exclusively to searching and input of cataloging data for Latin American materials. Six full time professionals and assorted support staff will be assigned to work with these materials. Monographs, serials, and non-book materials will all be cataloged for input into the OCLC data basis.

Contact: Constance A. Moore
Assistant to the Director
The General Libraries
The University of Texas at Austin
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COMMITTEES
LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES ASSOCIATION
1975

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TEACHING OF LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES AT ALL LEVELS

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U.S. PRESS COVERAGE OF LATIN AMERICA

John C. Pollock, Chairperson (Rutgers University)

Jerry Knudson (Temple University)

Terri Shaw (The Washington Post)

Ricardo Zuniga (CUNY/Richmond)

WOMEN IN LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES

Evelyn Stevens, Chairperson (Loyola University)
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Maxine Margolis (University of Florida)
Dolores Moyano Martin (Library of Congress)

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

I am with the Peace Corps here in Managua, Nicaragua, working with INDE, the Nicaraguan Development Institute. It is a non-profit, non-political legal entity whose objectives are to unify the forces of the private sector to help solve national social/economic problems. We are about to undertake a new project. It is an attempt to collate all socio-economic studies ever done on Nicaragua and from there to develop a new questionnaire, a new delivery and finally a conclusive report from which the problems and possible solutions will be presented to the government.

We would like to seek assistance from your organization and members in procuring any published studies, research findings, monographs, or working papers on Nicaragua that you have or have resources on. We would also be interested in obtaining any methodology plans and designs you have on the Latin American culture, including questionnaires and surveys.

If you would like a copy of this study when complete or if we could be a resource to you, please feel free to call on me through INDE or the Peace Corps here in Managua.

Stephen J. Lyon
Project Coordinator
Centro de Investigación/INDE
Apartado #2598
Managua, Nicaragua
America Central

FORD FOUNDATION DISSERTATION DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM

LASA has now embarked upon the final stage of a three-year dissertation distribution project funded by the Ford Foundation. The project developed out of a concern among scholarly communities of both Latin America and the United States over the fact that the result of research undertaken by North Americans in Latin America had not found its way back to Latin America for use there. This has been particularly true of dissertation research done by graduate students. After consulting with a number of scholars in Latin America, the Executive Council of the Association requested that one or two institutions in each major Latin American country serve as deposit libraries for that country. Each library selected was offered the opportunity to order, at no cost, copies of U.S. doctoral dissertations on Latin American subjects to be added to their permanent, publicly accessible collections. It was asked that each institution selected make every effort to inform other academic centers in their area of the material available. The program was designed in three stages: the institutions selected were offered choices from the lists of dissertations published in 1971, then 1972, and at present--in the final stage--1973.

As of June, 1975, 12 institutions in 11 Latin American countries have participated in the program, including Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil (two: Rio de Janeiro and São Paulo), Colombia, Cuba, the Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Jamaica, Peru, Uruguay, and Venezuela. Chile and Mexico have also been invited to join the program. Of the \$15,000 allotted to the Association by the Ford Foundation for implementing the program, a total of 427 dissertations have been distributed at a cost of \$4,804.41. All countries have received their quotas of 1971 dissertations, but we are still awaiting orders from the 1972 dissertations list from some countries. The 1973 list is now being mailed to participating countries.

Recipient countries have expressed favorable comment on the project. Comments received include the following from the Director of the National Library of Colombia: "...quiero también felicitarlos por este programa que sin duda alguna va a ser de mucha utilidad para nuestros investigadores. Con mucho gusto pondremos a la disposición de las demás bibliotecas del país las tesis que ustedes nos envíen..." The Librarian at the University of the West Indies has informed us, "We shall endeavor, as far as possible, to include in our orders titles in which interest is shown by researchers at other academic centers in the

region..." The Director of the Museo Del Hombre Dominicano has advised us as follows: "...Creemos que el servicio podría ser ampliado a los universidades de América." The director of the Universidad Boliviana has written: "La iniciativa de Latin American Studies Association viene a cubrir una necesidad real, puesto que los países donde se han efectuado tales trabajos tienen especial interés en conocerlos. Agradezco la designación de esta Biblioteca y estamos informando a las entidades y centros correspondientes, acerca de estos hechos, a fin de facilitar el acceso a las tesis." Finally, the director of the Instituto de Estudos Brasileiros has written "Desejamos agradecer a colaboração que a LASA oferece a esta Instituto e reiteramos o compromisso porposto de dar a maior divulgação possível aos trabalhos que nos são oferecidos em depósito."

The Association is gratified by the success of this program and will keep the membership informed of its future progress.

BIBLIOGRAPHIC PROJECT IN ARGENTINA

The Instituto Superior de Estudios Teológicos in Buenos Aires announces the initiation of an annual Bibliografía Teológica Comentada, including all books and articles of a theological nature in Spanish and Portuguese. The first issue is expected at the end of 1975 and will cover the period 1973-74. Subscription price will be \$5.00 for Latin America, Central America and the Caribbean, and \$10.00 for all other countries. Subscribe direct to: ISEDET--Bibliografía Teológica Comentada, Camacúá 282, Buenos Aires (6) Argentina.

**LASA BUDGET
1974**

1.	Membership dues (based upon membership as of July 15, 1973) 1278 Members at \$15.00 (New dues rate)	\$ 19,170.00	
	351 Graduate Student Associates at \$8.00	2,808.00	
	130 CLASP members	6,500.00	
	TOTAL DUES		\$ 28,478.00
2.	Interest		
	LASA	800.00	
	CLASP	200.00	
	TOTAL INTEREST		1,000.00
3.	Ford Foundation Grant		
	LASA	30,000.00	
	Dissertation Distribution Project	5,000.00	
	TOTAL FORD GRANT		35,000.00
4.	Ford ECALAS Grant	35,600.00	35,600.00
5.	Sale of Publications		
	LASA	100.00	
	CLASP	200.00	
	TOTAL SALE OF PUBLICATIONS		300.00
6.	Sale of Membership Lists	150.00	150.00
7.	Fifth National Meeting	5,000.00	5,000.00
8.	LARR Surplus (estimate)	10,000.00	10,000.00
	TOTAL ESTIMATED INCOME		\$115,528.00

Estimated Expenditures

1.	LARR Share Payments (based upon above membership)		
	To LARR from LASA (based on \$8 per member and \$4 for GSA's)	10,224.00	
	To LARR from CLASP (based on \$10 per member)	1,404.00	
		1,300.00	
	TOTAL LARR SHARE PAYMENTS		\$ 12,928.00

2. CLASP Activities (half of estimated member dues)	\$ 3,250.00	\$ 3,250.00
3. Secretariat		
a. General Expenses	8,000.00	
b. Postage	2,500.00	
c. Reserve for Contingency	1,000.00	
d. Additional Personnel, as Needed	6,000.00	
e. Accountant's Fee	<u>1,000.00</u>	
SUBTOTAL	18,500.00	
f. Secretariat Publications		
1. Newsletter, LASA Contribution	(2,000.00)	
2. LASA 1974 Fact Sheet	200.00	
3. Ford-financed Publications:		
a. LASA Newsletter	8,000.00	
b. Other Publications	3,500.00	
g. Latin American and Canadian Travel by LASA Officers, Committee Chairpersons, and CLACSO Liaison, etc.	1,500.00	
h. Ford Dissertation Project	5,000.00	
i. Foreign Scholars' Register (to appear in Newsletter)	<u>100.00</u>	
TOTAL SECRETARIAT EXPENSE		36,800.00
4. Fifth National Meeting	6,000.00	6,000.00
5. Executive Council		
a. Three Meetings	7,500.00	
b. Miscellaneous Travel, etc.	<u>500.00</u>	
TOTAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL		8,000.00
6. LASA Committees		
a. General Committee Activity	12,000.00	
b. ECALAS	35,600.00	
c. Non-Ford Funded Committees	<u>2,000.00</u>	
TOTAL COMMITTEES		49,600.00
TOTAL ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES		\$116,578.00
EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER INCOME		\$ -1,050.00

AUDIT REPORT
LASA/CLASP
DECEMBER 31, 1974

May 12, 1975

Board of Directors
Latin American Studies Association
and Consortium of Latin American
Studies Programs
Gainesville Florida

We have examined the statement of cash receipts and disbursements of Latin American Studies Association and Consortium of Latin American Studies Programs, Gainesville, Florida for the year ended December 31, 1974. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances, except as stated in the following paragraph.

It was not practicable for the Organization to exercise control over dues, grants, registrations and contributions received directly from the general public prior to initial entry in the accounting records, nor was it practical to extend our examination beyond accounting, on a test basis, for dues, grants, meetings, registrations, and contributions as recorded on the accounting records. Also, it was not practical for the Organization to exercise control over or for us to extend our examination to the various committees and meetings funded by the Organization as listed under cash disbursements on Exhibit I.

In our opinion, the accompanying statement presents fairly the recorded cash receipts and disbursements of Latin American Studies Association and Consortium of Latin American Studies Programs, Gainesville, Florida for the year ended December 31, 1974.

/s/ William C. Mauzy
Certified Public Accountant

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1974

BEGINNING CASH, JANUARY 1, 1974:

University City Bank, Gainesville, Florida Checking Account	\$ 6,763.87
University City Bank, Gainesville, Florida LASA Savings Account	22,061.93
University City Bank, Gainesville, Florida CLASP Savings Account	<u>9,977.51</u>

TOTAL BEGINNING CASH

\$ 38,803.31

CASH RECEIPTS:

Ford Foundation Grants	\$155,150.00
Tinker Foundation Grant	65,000.00
Membership Dues	18,284.51
Interest	1,986.64
Advertising-National Meeting	1,285.00
Publications	657.00
Labels	574.50
Travel Refunds	338.99
Registrations-National Meeting	92.00
Membership Lists	80.00
Miscellaneous	68.55
Ad Hoc Guatemala Reports	40.00
Postage Refunds	14.13
Foreign Exchange	12.24
Papers-4th National Meeting	<u>7.00</u>

TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS

243,590.56

TOTAL CASH AVAILABLE

\$282,393.87

CASH DISBURSEMENTS:

Committee on Teaching Latin American Studies	\$ 65,000.00
Emergency Committee to Aid Latin American Scholars	49,923.31
Latin American Research Review Publications	14,433.31
Travel	10,240.71
Newsletter	8,857.08
5th National Meeting	7,971.15
Women's Committee	3,365.19
CLASP Steering Committee	3,225.12
Scholarly Exchange and Relations	2,853.89
Committee on Regional Liaison	2,642.45
Ways and Means Committee	2,182.74
Scholarly Resources	1,855.80
Dissertation Project	1,773.10
Teaching Committee	1,613.01
Postage	1,502.70
Supplies	1,313.59
Professional Fees	1,050.00
Printing	773.97
Telephone	766.20
Committee on U.S. Press Coverage of Latin America	636.87
Prior Year Payroll Taxes and Penalties	538.41

CASH DISBURSEMENTS (Continued):

Equipment Rental-Postage Meter	\$	306.28
Miscellaneous		254.47
Committee on Academic Freedom and Human Rights		231.32
Lobbying-N.D.E.A.		195.93
Visa Committee		143.75
Bank Charges		42.83
Publications		<u>39.10</u>

TOTAL CASH DISBURSEMENTS 183,732.28

ENDING CASH, DECEMBER 31, 1974:.

University City Bank, Gainesville, Florida		
Checking Account	\$	24,158.67
University City Bank, Gainesville, Florida		
LASA Savings Account		38,612.61
University City Bank, Gainesville, Florida		
CLASP Savings Account		5,100.50
Atlantic First National Bank of Gainesville, Florida		
LASA Savings Account		15,789.81
Atlantic First National Bank of Gainesville, Florida		
LASA Certificate of Deposit		<u>15,000.00</u>
	\$	<u>98,661.59</u>

ECALAS
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
OCTOBER 1, 1973-DECEMBER 31, 1974

May 13, 1975

Emergency Committee to Aid Latin American Scholars
(A Committee of the Latin American Studies Association)
New York, New York

The accompanying statement of cash receipts and disbursements of Emergency Committee to Aid Latin American Scholars (A Committee of the Latin American Studies Association), New York, New York, for the period from October 1, 1973 through December 31, 1974, was not audited by us and accordingly we do not express an opinion on it.

/s/William C. Mauzy
Certified Public Accountant

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR THE PERIOD FROM OCTOBER 1, 1973-DECEMBER 31, 1974

BEGINNING CASH, JANUARY 1, 1974	\$	-0-
CASH RECEIPTS:		
Ford Foundation Grant	\$84,100.00	
Donation	75.00	
TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS		<u>84,175.00</u>
TOTAL CASH AVAILABLE		\$84,175.00
CASH DISBURSEMENTS:		
Consultant Fees	\$24,560.59	
Staff Travel	6,018.63	
Meetings	5,302.44	
Field Trips	5,119.06	
Field Representative Salary	2,848.00	
Secretarial Assistance	2,617.60	
Telephone	1,590.89	
Xerox	1,241.18	
Enrique Oteiza Visit	1,184.16	
Miscellaneous	1,149.72	
Postage	1,006.13	
Telephone-Regional Coordinator	960.66	
Meals	924.15	
Printing	522.74	
Typewriter Rental	\$ 384.96	
Office Supplies	293.29	
Mailing Lists	227.66	
Cables	67.00	
Carfare and Cabs	41.90	
Bank Charges	33.20	
Registration	<u>10.00</u>	
TOTAL CASH DISBURSEMENTS		<u>\$56,103.96</u>
ENDING CASH DECEMBER 31, 1974:		
Chemical Bank, New York, New York	\$ 289.23	
Cash on Hand	196.14	
Excess of Receipts over Disbursements by Latin American Studies Association, Gainesville, Florida	<u>\$27,585.67</u>	<u>\$28,071.04</u>

FOURTH NATIONAL MEETING
 Madison, Wisconsin
 May 3-5, 1973
 Summary of Receipts and Expenditures

RECEIPTS

Pre-Registration and Registration Fees	\$3,768.00
Luncheons and Banquet	1,432.25
Book Exhibitors	1,000.00
Program Ads	1,331.52
Sale of Papers (approximately)	650.00
Sale of Publications (approximately)	49.00
Rebates and Receivables	109.50
Babysitting Service	<u>10.00</u>
 TOTAL RECEIPTS	 \$8,350.27

EXPENDITURES

Registration Refunds	\$ 14.00
Meals, Orchestra, Coffee	1,680.19
Book Exhibition Fee	180.00
Printing of Programs	585.66
Duplication of Papers	774.59
University of Wisconsin (meeting fee, taping, printing)	423.38
Program Committee and Program	497.40
Catlin Panel	200.68
Miscellaneous	<u>674.22</u>
 TOTAL EXPENDITURES	 \$5,030.12

FIFTH NATIONAL MEETING
 San Francisco, California
 November 14-16, 1974
 Summary of Receipts and Expenditures

RECEIPTS

Registrations	\$3,579.00
Sale of Papers	970.63
Advertisers and Book Exhibitors	2,809.86
Dues	53.00
Luncheons	1,310.00
CLASP #4	10.50
CLASP #5	21.00

FIFTH NATIONAL MEETING RECEIPTS (Continued):

Repayment of Cash Advance (P. Doughty)	\$ 40.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$8,793.99
EXPENDITURES	
Letter to Exhibitors	\$ 28.29
Publication of Abstracts Program	1,199.45 805.00
Program Advertising Composition	194.52
Telephone	252.19
Shipping to and from San Francisco	345.79
Postage	30.56
Luncheons	1,622.30
Program Committee	432.87
Local Arrangements Committee	134.34
Supplies and Machine Rental	75.09
Security Guards for Book Exhibits	112.00
Duplication of Papers	1,980.36
Parliamentarian	40.00
Minutes of Business Meeting	112.35
Sound Equipment and Projectors	727.54
Cash Advance (P. Doughty)	40.00
Petty Cash and Change	150.00
Hotel Book Exhibit Set-Up Charge	150.00
Book Exhibit Coffee	63.18
National Meeting Coffee	55.28
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$8,550.84

ECALAS

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

Events in Chile and other parts of Latin America continue to force scholars out of their native countries to seek employment in exile.

Positions are desperately needed:

--at the graduate student level, get your department/school/college to waive tuition and, ideally, offer an assistantship, travel support, etc.

--at the faculty level, get your department to reserve a vacancy (as short as six months) at any level, hopefully with some travel assistance

Openings are needed in all fields: contact us for details of urgent and available candidates.

The Emergency Committee to Aid Latin American Scholars (ECALAS)
--A Committee of LASA--

Henry A. Landsberger, Executive Director
A. Douglas Kincaid, Administrative Assistant

Note New Address:

Phone: M-W-F 2-4 P.M.

ECALAS (919) 933-1241
Institute of Latin American Studies
Hamilton Hall
University of North Carolina
Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514

WOMEN'S RESEARCH INFORMATION NETWORK

As part of its program to stimulate intellectual exchange and collaboration between U.S. and Latin American women scholars, LASA's Committee on Women in Latin American Studies recently established facilities for a network of correspondents. Soon after the first announcement of this network appeared in Latin America, the Committee accepted its first candidate: Sra. Jeanne A. Posada, of Cali, Colombia. The new correspondent, a graduate student from the University of California at Berkeley, will supply the Committee and, through it, the membership of LASA, with information about women researchers and research on women in Colombia.

Individuals wishing to nominate candidates from other Latin American countries are invited to communicate with Evelyn P. Stevens, Chairperson, 14609 South Woodland Road, Shaker Heights, Ohio 44120.

MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of LASA

FROM: John C. Pollock (Latin American Institute, Rutgers University) Chairperson, Committee on the U.S. Press Coverage of Latin America

RE: Directory of Journalists Reporting on Latin America

The following list of journalists, indexed by region in the United States and by country in Latin America, represents the beginning of two efforts. The first is an attempt to compile a list of journalists who report regularly on Latin America. It includes names of those who report for U.S. publications as well as those who are influential in distributing hemispheric news to Latin Americans themselves. I ask members of LASA to send me additional names, addresses, and telephone numbers of other journalists concerned with Latin America, especially those reporting to U.S. news media, so that the list can be made more complete.

This directory of journalists is meant to serve a specific goal, however, and our success in pursuing that goal will determine whether it is useful for LASA to create and maintain such a list. The goal is improved communication between Latin American specialists and journalists reporting on the region. Since most journalists must, to keep their positions, spend considerable time developing sources, pleasing editors, and writing for quick deadlines, they have little time and few incentives to maintain regular ties with academics. Career rewards given in journalism to "generalists" rather than "specialists" also discourage collegial relations between newsgatherers and professors. Initiatives for improved reporting on Latin America must therefore come from the academic world.

I urge members of LASA to begin sending copies of their investigations or reports to two kinds of journalists: those who live in countries where investigations were undertaken; and those who live nearby, facilitating closer contact. If LASA members mail drafts or reprints of their work to journalists employed within their own geographic regions, and if this is followed with telephone calls and efforts to establish continuing personal ties with journalists, we will have launched a worthwhile project.

This directory is a small part of our attempt to reduce popular stereotypes about Latin America. It requires relatively little effort from each individual. But the cumulative impact of large numbers of LASA members writing the relatively small number of reporters concerned with Latin America could be quite important. Please contact journalists in your region of study and region of residence and send the names of interested journalists not yet on the LASA list to:

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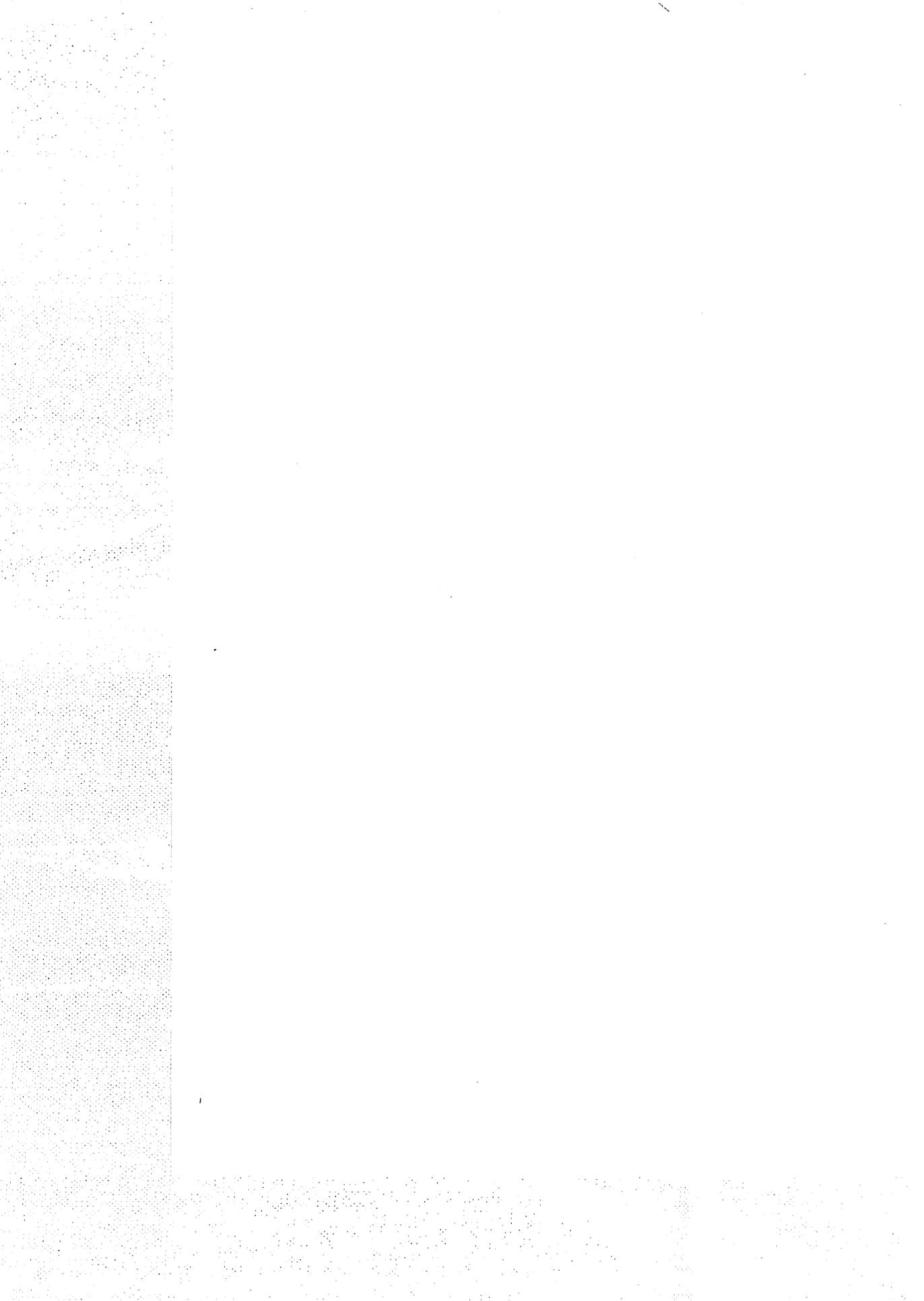
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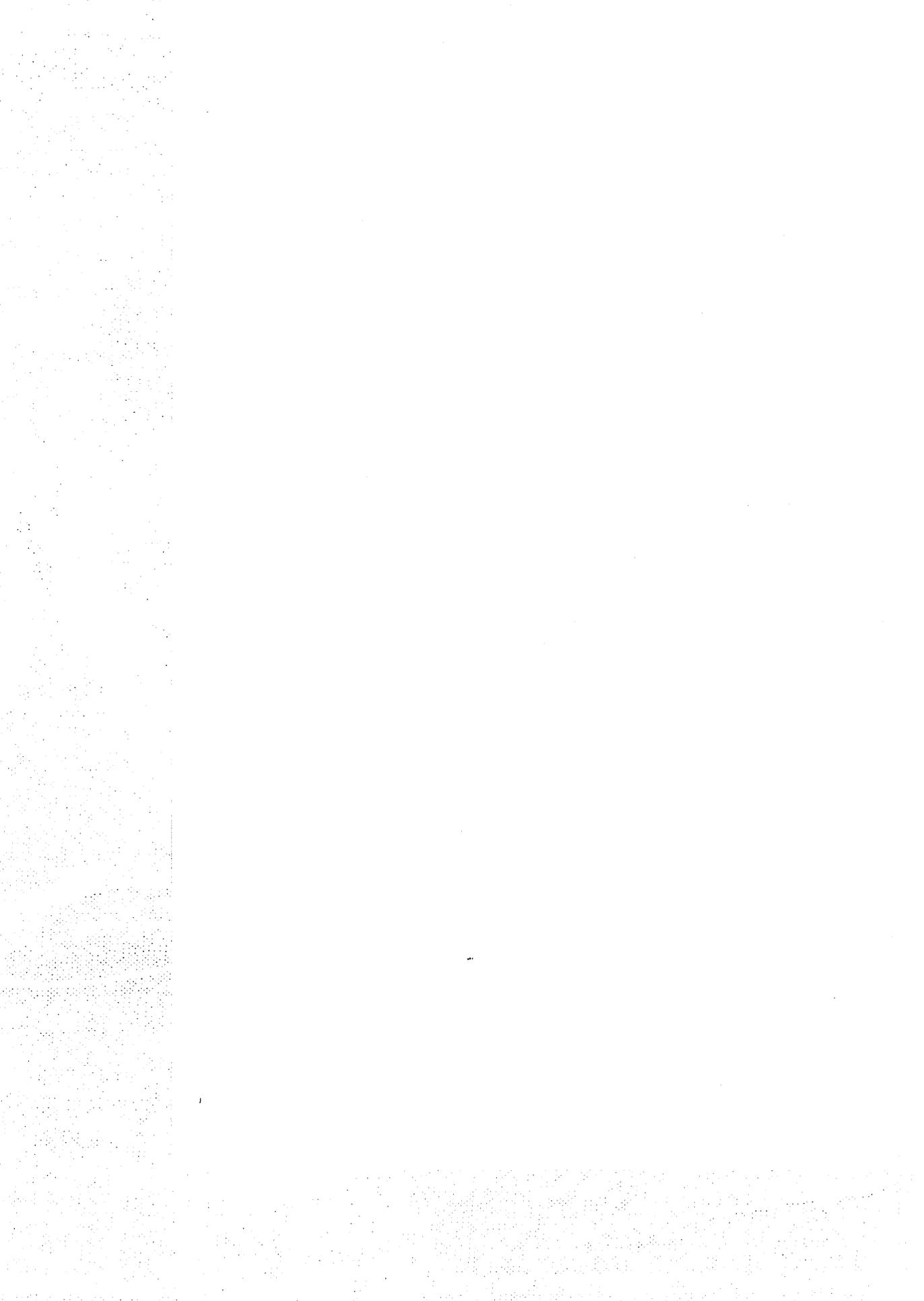
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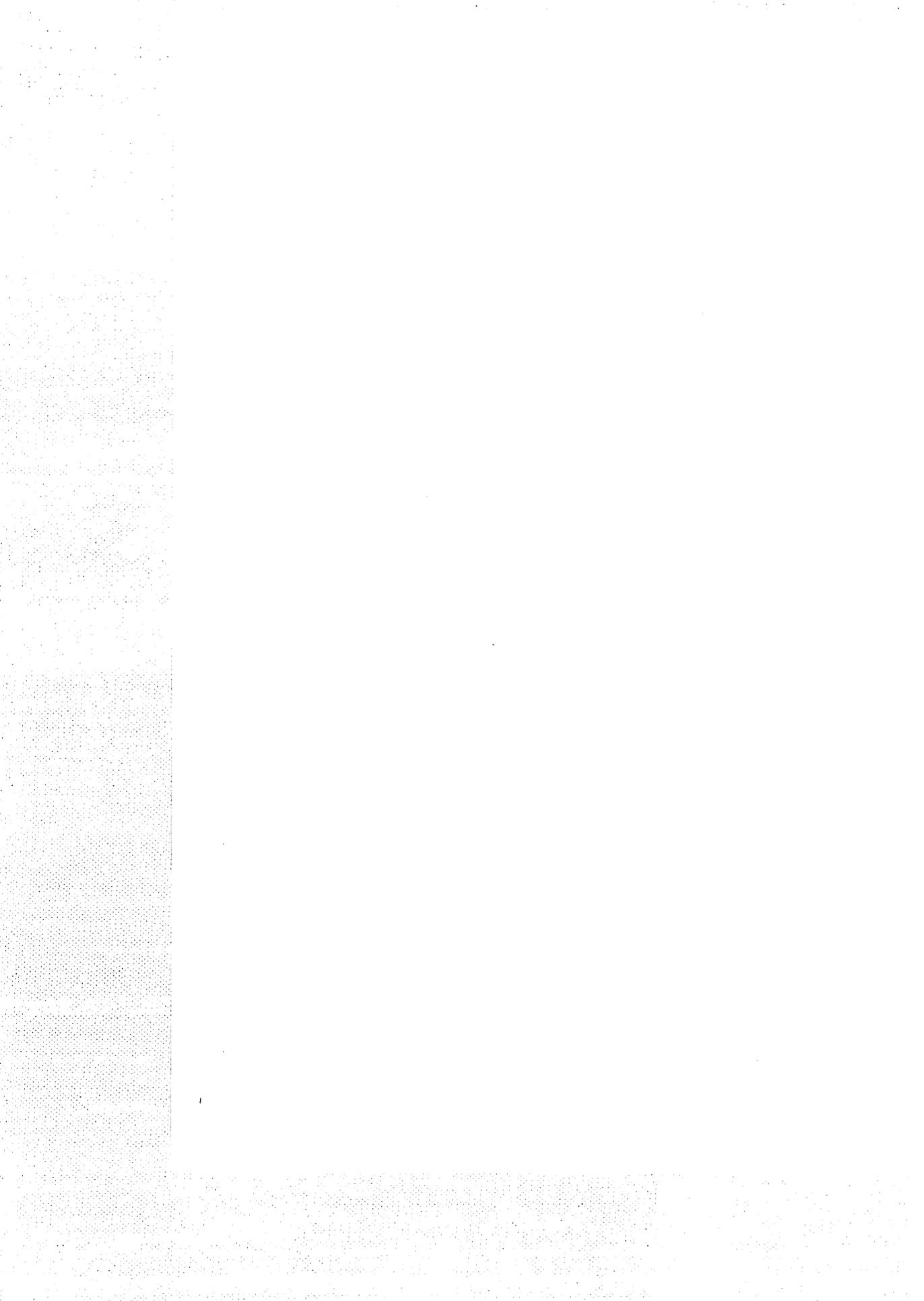
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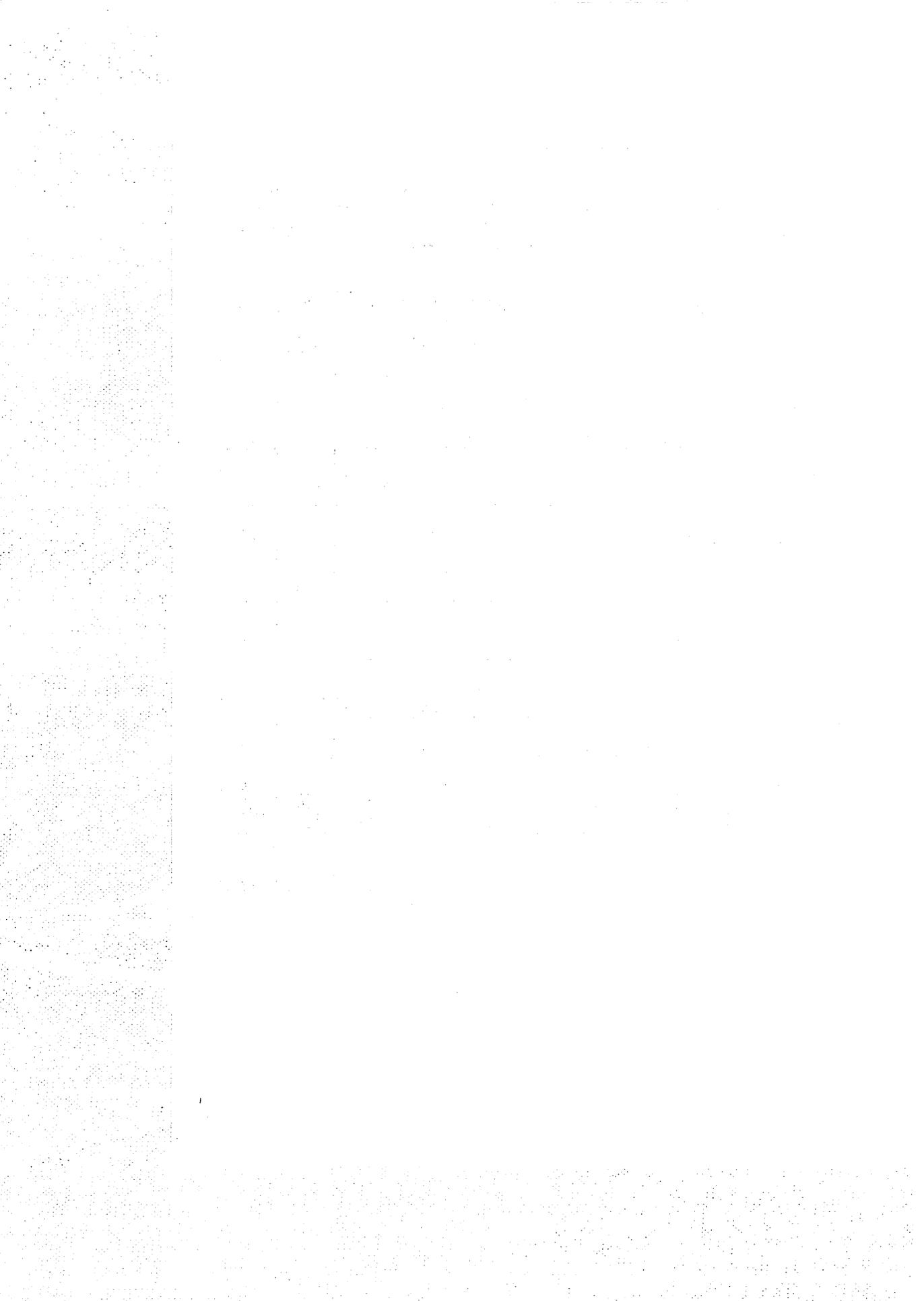
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WHERE OUR GRADUATES GO

The Division of International Education, International Studies Branch of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare (OEO) has released a report prepared by J. Todd on the career choices of 1972-73 NDEA Language and Area Center Graduates.

	B.A.			M.A.			Ph.D.		
	men	women	total	men	women	total	men	women	total
Higher Education	33	36	69	101	50	151	397	114	511
Elementary and Secondary Education	259	437	696	97	105	202	3	2	5
U.S. Government	269	167	436	116	35	151	25	2	27
Foreign Government	98	51	149	78	31	109	58	8	66
Journalism	104	48	152	24	13	37	1	0	1
Banking and Industry	486	218	704	102	34	136	25	1	26
Domestic Non-Profit Organizations	128	134	262	35	38	73	38	9	47
International Organizations	72	56	128	25	6	31	18	2	20
Library	23	66	89	18	39	57	4	2	6
Continuing Study	1430	1038	2468	504	282	786	9	4	13
Unknown	735	586	1321	97	60	157	25	14	39
Unemployed by Preference	63	120	183	14	31	45	9	7	16
Unemployed for Other Reasons	60	73	133	19	6	25	9	1	10
TOTALS	3760	3030	6790	1230	730	1960	621	166	787
% OF TOTAL	55%	45%		63%	37%		79%	21%	
NUMBER OF CENTERS REPORTING			104			94			87



**LETTERS TO
THE EDITOR**



August 29, 1975

Editor, Newsletter:

I have just received a call from your office requesting information on our flight programs for inclusion in the September LASA Newsletter.

What we are doing in our new endeavor, is to extend our flight programs to South America into an all year round effort. Over the past three summers, we had been conducting flight programs on a limited charter basis, and then, in 1975, to a weekly flight program.

We discovered in our correspondence, that there are still many persons who wish to travel to South America in times other than the summer vacation session either on short trips to attend seminars, make presentations, or even for longer periods to study, do research, or enjoy sabbatical rests.

Because the cost of air transportation is so costly to South American points, we have been able to convince our carriers that if they would offer substantial reductions in their tariffs, we could guarantee enough traffic to compensate them for making their aircraft available to us.

Satisfied with our commitment, and confident of our ability to deliver, ATLAS beginning in the first week of September and continuing throughout the balance of this year and into the next, will offer at least one, and possibly two flights a week to cities such as Guayaquil, Lima, Santiago, Asunción, Buenos Aires, Rio and Montevideo. Participants in this program will also have the privilege of selecting any one of the one or two return flights when they are ready to come home. Furthermore, they will have the opportunity to make optional stopovers if they should wish. Thus, for example, a participant going to, say, Montevideo, can, if he or she wishes, make stopovers in Buenos Aires, Santiago, Lima, Guayaquil and even Panama. In effect, the participant is able to enjoy all of the advantages of a regular economy ticket but pays, due to group participation, fares that are several hundred dollars below the regular economy fare!

For convenience, flights will be offered from New York's Kennedy airport and also from Miami International. While we would like to have participants enroll as members in ATLAS (nominal dues of \$4.50 per year), we do not require membership as a requisite for participation. Readers of the LASA Newsletter, who would like further information and rates, etc., should write to our box number.

This flight program is another step we have taken in order to enable teachers and students to experience first hand, the beauty, diversity and reality that is the area of our mutual interest. This past summer, we conducted a Spanish language program at the University of the Andes in Bogotá, that enjoyed great success. We are planning on developing additional study programs in South America for the summer of 1976. All of these programs are possible because of voluntary contributions of labor and time by

members of the organization who are dedicated to the promotion of Latin America in our schools at all academic levels.

In closing, I wish to again thank you for making our programs known through the Newsletter.

Sincerely yours,

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COORDINATING COMMITTEE OF THE ASSOCIATIONS FOR THE
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The American Association for the Advancement of Science announces the formation of a new international organization which plans to publish a trilingual journal of science and technology for development entitled Science and Man. The journal, to be published in South America, will be edited by Dr. Marcel Roche of Venezuela, and will emphasize general and review articles on specific problems of application of science in such areas as food and nutrition, marine sciences, tropical agriculture, arid lands, population, technology transfer and others. The new organization grew out of 1973 Mexico City meetings sponsored jointly by AAAS and Mexico's National Council of Science and Technology. Officers of the Committee and AAAS invite comments and suggestions for the journal, and would particularly appreciate suggestions as to potential contributors of articles. Write: James W. Rowe, AAAS Staff Coordinator, American Association for the Advancement of Science, 1515 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005.

SOCIETY FOR LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES

LASA's British counterpart held their 10th annual conference at University College of Swansea, Wales, from April 14-16. Paul B. Goodwin (University of Connecticut) attended and has sent us a brief account of the meeting. He reports that over 230 members from Great Britain, the Continent, Latin America, and the U.S. attended. The turnout, the largest in the Society's history, attests to the vitality of and strong interest in Latin American studies in Great Britain. The Annual General Meeting opened the conference and was marked by a spirited discussion of SLAS' role vis à vis the current situation in Chile. A special program on Welsh settlers in Argentina rounded out the first day of activities. Other special programs held in the evening included a forum for Chileans in Britain, an illustrated lecture by G.L. Playfair on "The Spiritualist Movement in Brazil.", and a panel discussion, chaired by Bernard Naylor, on "Library Resources for Latin American Studies in Britain." The main sessions of the meeting were organized by discipline, including Economics, Geography, History, Literature, Politics and Sociology. Most papers were of high quality and reflected the results of field research in Latin America. Peru has attracted the attention of many European Latin Americanists and was the subject of seven sessions.

WOMEN'S COALITION OF LATIN AMERICANISTS (WOCLA)

Margaret E. Crahan has sent an update on the activities of the Eastern, Midwestern branches:

New York: WOCLA will meet in October to hear Bela Bianco, (Columbia University) speak on "The Politics of Latin American Women." In November Jimena Bunster (Rutgers University) and Elsa Chaney (Fordham University) will report on their research on working class women in Peru.

Chicago: The organizational meeting of the Midwest branch of WOCLA was held September 12th at Northeastern Illinois University. The new branch will develop activities based upon needs of women Latin Americanists in their area. Contact is Margo Smith at Northeastern Illinois University.

San Francisco: The West Coast branch met May 10 at the University of California-Berkeley. Kathleen O'Quinn discussed the bibliography of Latin American Women Authors which she is compiling. Because of the amount of information she has gathered (2,500 women writers), she has organized, along with Daniel Sandford and José Varela-Ibarra, the Clearinghouse for Women Authors of the Americas (see separate box this issue). Inés Gómez announced that an organization of women workers in Chile was currently being organized by a Chilean presently at the Berkeley campus. Ms. Gómez is co-organizer of La Peña, a Latin American cultural center in Berkeley which opened at the beginning of June. Marta Paley de Francescato will chair a session on "Women and Latin American Literature" at the Modern Language Association meeting in San Francisco this December. She can be contacted at the Department of Spanish, University of Illinois, Urbana 61801. At the next meeting Mercedes Ibáñez Clark, a Peruvian poet, will read some of her poetry (English and Spanish). Also, Meri Knaster will read a draft of her article "Women in Latin America: The State of Research 1975" which she is preparing for LARR.

CONFERENCES

UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA, EDMONTON

The University of Alberta, Edmonton, hosted the Annual General Meeting of the Canadian Association of Latin American Studies (CALAS) May 27-29. Sessions included "Kinds of Revolutionary Movements in Latin America", chaired by Walter Kontak (St. Francis University); "Mobilization of the Masses", chaired by Lionel Valee (University of Montreal); "Adult Education in Latin America", chaired by Jules Dufour (Universite du Quebec a Chicoutimi), and "Latin America in the 18th Century", chaired by J.C.M. Ogelsby (University of Western Ontario). A joint session with the Canadian Association of Hispanists was also featured.

CANISIUS COLLEGE-BUFFALO

On September 19-20 Canisius College hosted the annual conference of the National Association of Self-Instructional Language Programs (NASILP). The conference had a dual purpose: first, to give its own program directors and examiners an annual opportunity to share experiences, discuss new techniques, course materials and equipment, review orientation and examination procedures, discuss academic standards, program expansion and budgetary matters and also to explore scholarship or career opportunities for our most promising students; and second, to enable faculty and administrators from institutions not yet acquainted with the effectiveness and basic economy of self-instructional language programs to discover how to establish similar programs of their own.

CORNELL UNIVERSITY

Peter T. Knight (Cornell University) informs us that a group of 30 persons from 12 countries of North and South America, Africa, and Europe participated in a Workshop on Implementation of Self-Managed Systems in the Third World held June 9-27. The principal language of this workshop was Spanish. Presentations, each followed by a discussion, included experiences with producer and industrial cooperatives in Honduras; agricultural cooperatives in Costa Rica; a system for launching communitarian enterprises by stages in Colombia; co-management between a union and the State in Argentina; agricultural and industrial cooperatives in Chile, agricultural production cooperatives, agricultural societies and labor communities in Peru; and agricultural enterprises in Algeria. In addition, Jaroslav Vanek, Director of the Program on Participation and Labor-Managed Systems at Cornell University, gave a talk on the basic principles of self-management.

During the final week participants prepared a preliminary synthesis of the principal conclusions and a bibliography covering theoretical and general works dealing with self-management and worker participation. This document, in Spanish, was sent to all workshop participants for their comments and criticism. Copies may be obtained by writing Implementation Workshop, Program on Participation and Labor-Managed Systems, Uris Hall, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York 14853. Please send \$1.00 to cover reproduction and postage.

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-LINCOLN

The Organization of Directors of the Midwest's Latin American Studies programs held their fourth meeting September 29-30 at the University of Nebraska. The Steering Committee presented a program for discussion and appropriate action which included the following objectives:

1. The present status of the Midwest's Latin American Studies programs
2. Prospects for funding and programmatic needs of the Midwest

programs, and the need for regional cooperation in programmatic development.

3. The role of the Midwest programs in regard to the present status and potential development of Latin American studies in the Midwest's elementary, secondary, and community schools and colleges.

Steering Committee members for the organization include Richard Burke (Indiana University), William Denevan (University of Wisconsin-Madison), Roberto Esquenazi-Mayo (University of Nebraska-Lincoln), G. Michael Riley (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee), and Charles L. Stansifer (University of Kansas).

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY

The Center for Inter-American Relations of the Department of Spanish and Portuguese, and the Ibero-American Language and Area Center sponsored a conference April 29, 1975, on Ideology and Latin American Literature. Participants included Helen Anderson (New York University), Carlos Blanco (University of California-San Diego), Pedro Cuperman (New York University), José Donoso (Chilean author), Jean Franco (Stanford University), John B. Hughes (New York University), Roberto Marquez (Hampshire College), Mauricio Obregon (Colombian author), Joseph Sommers (University of California-San Diego). The program included a morning session on "Politics and Criticism" and an afternoon session on "Theory and Practice" including such topics as "Myth and Mystification in the Novel" and "Applications of Ideology Criticism".

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS-EL PASO

On April 17-19 the Center for Inter-American Studies hosted a United States-Mexico Conference on Border Industrialization, co-sponsored by the Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey with the collaboration of the United States Embassy in México, D.F. The conference concentrated on two objectives: first, interrelated problems of industrialization along the United States-Mexican border were examined. Second, the question of border industrial development was analyzed as a means of proposing and providing at least partial remedies for an entire range of problems endemic to the border which are of immediate concern to government leaders, businessmen and university specialists, both in the U.S. and Mexico. The conference, in addition to providing opportunities for specialists and interested parties to exchange ideas and develop common approaches, established a means of developing continuing communications for coordinated efforts in the future.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MILWAUKEE

The Center for Latin America and the Conference on Latin American History in cooperation with the International Congress of Historical Sciences and the American Historical Association has announced that the following specialized sessions were held as part of the

XIV International Congress of Historical Sciences in San Francisco the week of August 22-29: first, on August 27, a roundtable discussion entitled "International Cooperation and Coordination in the Historical Sciences" chaired by Magnus Mörner (Latinamericka Institute-Stockholm), with discussion leaders Tadeusz Lepkowski (Instytut Historii, Polska Akademia Nauk-Warsaw), Guillermo Morón (Academia Nacional de la Historia-Venezuela), and Stanley Ross (University of Texas-Austin); second, on August 28, a roundtable discussion entitled "Latin American Historiography: Problems and Prospects", chaired by Enrique Florescano (Instituto de Investigaciones Historicas-Mexico) with discussion Leaders Germán Carrera Damas (Universidad Central de Venezuela-Caracas), Lewis Hanke (University of Massachusetts-Amherst), and José Honorio Rodríguez (Academia Brasileira).

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN

Three graduate fellowship programs for women for 1976-77 have been announced:

1. Graduate fellowships for women in the United States support women in their final year of doctoral work. A small number of awards are made for post-doctoral research. There are no age or academic field restrictions, and applicants must be either U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Awards are made for one year, the stipend level ranging from \$3,500 to \$6,000. Eligibility forms must be obtained before applications may be filled out: final application deadline is January 2, 1976.
2. Graduate fellowships for women for advanced training in the professions. To assist women in their final year of professional training in the fields of law, dentistry, medicine, veterinary medicine, architecture and environment design. Awards average \$3,500 for one year with financial need as determinant. Pending careers must be in U.S. Deadline: January 2.
3. Graduate fellowships for women of countries other than the U.S. Approximately 30 international fellowships will be awarded for one year's graduate study, and six awards will be given for women who are members in their own countries of national associations/federations affiliated with the International Federation of University Women. Awards are made for one academic year. Application forms must be requested directly from the agency no later than October 1, 1975. Receipt deadline is November 15, 1975.

Write directly to AAUW, 2401 Virginia Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037.

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The Danforth Foundation offers three graduate fellowship programs. Major emphasis is placed upon the secondary higher education, especially in liberal arts and sciences. Fellowships are open to those who have an interest in careers in teaching and/or administration in secondary schools, colleges and universities, and who intend to attain a Ph.D. in the liberal arts curriculum area. Applicants must have taken the GRE exam. Awards are usually made for one year. The three programs are:

1. Danforth Graduate Fellowship--Applicants must be under 35 and must not have undertaken any graduate work. Candidates must be nominated by a faculty member. Nominations close November 20.
2. Graduate Fellowships for Women--Applicants must have a B.A. and must have a 3-year gap in their education/teaching record. Women over 30 are encouraged. Applicants must complete an eligibility form by December 8.
3. Kent Fellowship--Applicants must be under 35 and have completed at least one year of study toward a Ph.D. Endorsement forms by a faculty member must be received by December 1.

Write to: Danforth Foundation, 222 South Central, St. Louis, Missouri 63105.

ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES (OAS)

OAS is sponsoring an international competition with two topics in honor of the Bicentennial of the Independence of the U.S.: The rules of this competition are: the manuscripts submitted must be original and specially prepared for this competition. They may be in Spanish, English, Portuguese, or French and must be between 300-500 typewritten pages, double-spaced and on letter-sized paper. Six copies must be submitted. Each contestant will use a pseudonym on the six copies. The contestant will indicate his/her real name, nationality and address in a separate, sealed envelope. The title of the work submitted and the pseudonym of the contestant are to appear on the outside of the envelope. The winner will receive a diploma from the OAS, U.S. \$5,000, and the OAS will print the paper and supply the winner with 100 copies. Author will have the copyright.

Topic One is "Participation of Latin America in the Independence of the U.S.A.". Those interested should send their original manuscripts to: Comisión de Historia, Instituto Panamericano de Geografía e Historia, Avenida Libertador, esq. Avenida las Acacias Edificio Las Vegas, Piso 1^o, Of. 1-D, Caracas, 105, Venezuela.

Topic Two is "Influence of the Independence of the U.S.A. in the Formation of Latin American Nationalities". Those interested in this topic should send their original manuscripts to: Roberto Esquenazi-Mayo, Director, Institute for International Studies, 1034 Oldfather Hall, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska 68508.

The deadline to submit manuscripts is December 31st.

The OAS also announces 15 fellowships available for folklore studies at the Inter-American Institute of Ethnomusicology and Folklore (INIDEF), Caracas, Venezuela. The objectives of the course are to train professionals in folklore studies so as to enable them to carry out research and provide technical advisory services to their respective countries in organizing national centers for the preservation, dissemination, and use of folklore. The fellowships include the following benefits: round-trip transportation between the place of residence and Caracas; monthly subsistence allowance of US\$467.00; registration fee; US\$100 for books and other study material; and medical and accident insurance during the course. The program includes both lectures and field work.

Application forms and other information about the fellowships, including eligibility may be obtained from the General Secretariat of the OAS, Secretariat for Technical Cooperation-Office of Fellowships and Training, Washington, D.C. 20006.

SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH COUNCIL

Fellowships are offered for doctoral dissertation research in the social sciences and humanities on topics related to cultural, economic, political, social, and scientific development in Latin America or the Caribbean area. Consideration will be given to comparative projects involving Latin America or the Caribbean and other societies. The fellowships are available to citizens of the U.S., Canada, or the United Kingdom and permanent residents of the U.S. Applicants should be doctoral candidates enrolled in a graduate program who will have completed all requirements for the Ph.D. except the dissertation and will be ready to begin the fellowship prior to January 1, 1977. The fellowships support from 9 to 18 consecutive months of field research. Applicants may request support for up to 6 months of specialized preparatory training essential to the dissertation research. Normal pre-dissertation requirements are not covered. Recipients are eligible to apply for limited support for writing the dissertation upon their return from Latin America. The total period of support for preparatory training, field research and write-up cannot exceed 24 months. Recipients are required to affiliate with a university, research institute or other institution in the country where they are conducting research. Requests for application forms should contain the following information: citizenship or permanent resident status, current academic status and university affiliation, discipline, date of completion of all requirements for the Ph.D. except the dissertation, proposed date for beginning research, and explicit statement of the research project. Deadline for application is November 3, 1975. For further information, contact Social Science Research Council, International Doctoral Research Fellowships-Latin America, 605 Third Avenue, New York, New York 10016.

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Tinker Post-Doctoral Fellowships are offered on the basis of an annual competition. Their purpose is to further understanding among the peoples of the Western Hemisphere by providing professionals with an opportunity to do research in the social sciences, combining a candidate's area of specialization with any other field of study. It is expected that applicants will be working under the guidance of a senior advisor and will make necessary affiliation arrangements with the institution of their choice. A maximum of 10 Tinker Fellowships are offered. Fellowships are mainly intended to meet the needs of scholars and researchers who have completed their doctoral studies within 5 years prior to the time of application. Citizens of the U.S., Canada and the Ibero-American countries are eligible. Citizens of the U.S. may hold the fellowship in either the U.S. or Latin America; non-U.S. citizens may use the fellowships at U.S. institutions only. Applicants need not hold the Ph.D. or equivalent at time of application but must complete all formal requirements including oral examinations by June 1, 1976. Fellowships are tenable for 2 years and carry a stipend of \$14,000 and up to \$1,000 for travel expenses. Closing date for applications is January 15, 1976. Applications must be submitted in English in a typed letter to the Tinker Foundation, 645 Madison Avenue, New York, New York 10022. Curriculum vitae, full description of the research project, and a bibliography covering related research should be included. Three letters of reference showing an awareness of the candidate's research plans should be sent directly to the Foundation by the referees, and a letter of acceptance from the advisor and institution chosen should also be sent to the Foundation.

WOODROW WILSON INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR SCHOLARS

Fellowships in the Divisions of Historical and Cultural Studies, Social and Political Studies, and Resources, Environment, and Interdependence for 1975-76 are announced. Studies are post-doctoral on the academic level. Outstanding men and women in other fields are also eligible. Stipends enable each fellow to meet the income level of his/her previous year. Some travel expenses and cost-of-living adjustments may be included. Fellowships range from a minimum duration of 4 months to one year. The deadline for receipt of applications for the winter round of competition is January 15, 1976, and applicants will be notified in mid-April. The deadline in the fall of 1975 is October 1 and applicants will be notified in mid-December. For application materials, write Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Smithsonian Institution Building, Washington, D.C. 20560.

FILMS

CHILE WITH POEMS AND GUNS

This 55-minute color documentary on the overthrow of the Allende government and U.S. intervention in Chile is now available from Lucha Educational Films, P.O. Box 5680, Santa Monica, California 90405.

HAITI ENCHAINED

Friends of Haiti present this slide show with a two-fold purpose: 1) to educate people in the U.S. about current conditions in Haiti, and 2) to generate material and political support for democratic forces working within the country. The slide show contains approximately 200 slides as well as narration and music, and is accompanied by a photo display. For further information, write Friends of Haiti, P.O. Box 348, New City, New York 10956.

INTERNATIONAL FILM FOUNDATION

The International Film Foundation announces several new films on Latin America: "South America Today", "Amazon Family", and "The Ancient Peruvian". "Makiritare", a series on Indians of the Orinoco River is also available. For a complete list of offerings and further information, contact The International Film Foundation, 475 Fifth Avenue, Suite 916, New York, New York 10017. (212) 685-4998.

ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES (OAS)

Films and slides on a broad range of topics related to Latin America and the Caribbean are available from the OAS. For further information, contact Pan American Development Foundation, 17th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006.

FORTHCOMING CONFERENCES

UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA

On November 10 and 11, the University of Alabama will sponsor a conference on Guatemala in cooperation with the Alabama-Guatemala Partners of the Americas. Such a program is especially appropriate in light of the extensive ties between a number of Alabama cities and their counterpart communities in Guatemala. A series of topics will be covered, including cultural forces, social and political affairs and economic development both in urban and rural sectors. Many participants from Guatemala will be included, and the University is especially pleased that the featured speaker for the ban-

quet will be the Honorable Julio Asensio Wunderlich, Guatemalan Ambassador to the U.S. For further information, write Office of International Studies and Programs, University of Alabama, Box 6168, University, Alabama 35486.

CARIBBEAN STUDIES ASSOCIATION

Castries, St. Lucia, has been selected as the site for the Second Annual Conference of the Caribbean Studies Association, scheduled from January 7-9, 1976. The theme of the conference will be "Caribbean Dependence, Independence and Interdependence." Section and Panel breakdown was carried in the March, 1975 LASA Newsletter. Persons interested in participating should contact Professor Ken I. Boodhoo, Department of Political Science, Florida International University, Tamiami Trail, Miami, Florida 33144.

HEMISPHERIC CONGRESS FOR WOMEN, '76, INC.

The Hemispheric Congress for Women '76, Inc., is a 3-part project which will take place July 25-August 8, 1976. It is a tax-exempt nonprofit corporation chartered under the laws of the State of Florida. The first component of the Congress is the 18th Assembly of the Inter-American Commission of Women (IACW) of the OAS. The second component is the dedication of a Hemispheric Center to serve women's activities and a variety of Hemisphere-oriented functions. The third component of the Congress is to give other nations an opportunity to participate in U.S. Bicentennial activities and to help establish goals whose achievement will be cause for celebration in 2076. For further information, contact Monna Lighte, Chairperson, Hemispheric Congress for Women '76, 1429 North Venetian Way, Miami, Florida 33139.

OKLAHOMA SYMPOSIUM ON COMPARATIVE FRONTIERS

The Second Oklahoma Symposium on Comparative Frontiers, an interdisciplinary conference, will be held March 25-26, 1976, on the campus of the University of Oklahoma, Norman. Prospective participants should submit abstracts of no more than 250 words by December 1, 1975, to Professor Stephen I. Thompson, University of Oklahoma, 455 West Lindsey, Room 505A, Norman, Oklahoma 73069. The University will also sponsor publication of Comparative Frontier Studies, an occasional newsletter, beginning in the Fall of 1975. Persons wishing to receive the newsletter or to contribute news of activities related to the comparative study of frontiers as focal points of social, political, and economic change should address communications to Professor William W. Savage, Jr., University of Oklahoma, 455 West Lindsey, Room 406, Norman, Oklahoma 73069.

PARTNERS OF THE AMERICAS

The 1975 Annual Meeting of the Partners of the Americas will be

held November 13-16 in Albuquerque, New Mexico. The keynote speaker will be The Honorable Alejandro Orfila, Secretary General of the OAS. There will be panels on critical development challenges and workshops on Partner techniques in development activities. For further information contact Partners of the Americas, 2001 S Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20009. (202) 332-7332.

SOCIETY FOR ETHNOMUSICOLOGY

The 1975 annual meeting of the Society for Ethnomusicology will be held October 16-19 in Middletown, Connecticut. Inquiries should be addressed to: Judith Becker, Program Chairperson, School of Music, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48105.

INSTITUTIONAL

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES

The Center for Latin American Studies has published Teacher's Resource Handbook for Latin American Studies: An Annotated Bibliography of Curriculum Materials Preschool through Grade Twelve by John N. Hawkins. For information on ordering this and other UCLA Latin American Center Publications, address UCLA Latin American Center Publications, University of California, Los Angeles, California 90024. (213) 825-1057.

ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

The Center for Latin American Studies announces the publication of its Latin American Government Leaders. Compiled by David W. Foster in collaboration with a dozen specialists, the publication provides a biographical listing for several hundred current Latin American political figures and government leaders. This is a revised, updated edition of the listing published in 1970. Cost (postpaid) is \$5.50 paper, \$8.00 hardback. Requests to purchase and requests for further information should be directed to: Center for Latin American Studies, Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona 85281.

CUBAN NATIONAL PLANNING COUNCIL, INC.

The council has recently completed its second research effort in a report entitled The Cuban Minority in the U.S.: Final Report. It is part of a research project concerned with analyzing the needs of the Cuban community in the U.S. For further information and copies of the report, please contact Rev. Mario Vizcaíno, Sch.P., National Chairman, Cuban National Planning Council, Inc., P.O. Box 29032, Washington, D.C. 20017.

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ALABAMA

Faculty and students of the University of South Alabama are participating in the Mobile-Puerto Barrios Sister City Program (Guatemala). The coordinator of these activities is R. Michael Malek. Projects carried over from last year included: artificial reef construction (in Puerto Barrios), and mapping of the Petén District in northern Guatemala. Summer 1975 projects include: creation of a "free trading zone" in Puerto Tomás (near Puerto Barrios); transportation of medical equipment; and surveying for drainage systems. Another trip is planned to Guatemala in March, 1976.

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN

As a public service, the Institute of Latin American Studies at the University of Texas has prepared a roster of Latin American area specialists at Texas colleges and universities. It lists 374 Latin Americanists, their addresses, and information as to their areas of expertise. For copies, contact William Glade, Director, Institute of Latin American Studies, Sid W. Richardson Hall, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas 78705.

INTERNATIONAL

CONSEJO EUROPEO DE INVESTIGACIONES SOCIALES SOBRE AMERICA LATINA (CEISAL)

The Secretariat of CEISAL has moved from Germany to this address: Professor Harold Blakemore, University of London, Institute of Latin American Studies, 31 Tavistock Square, London WC1H 9HA. All correspondence should be directed to Dr. Blakemore at the address above.

FOUNDATION FOR LATIN AMERICAN ANTHROPOLOGICAL RESEARCH, INC.

Olmec, Teotihuacan, and Maya art will be published in a series prepared by the private Foundation for Latin American Anthropological Research. During the past 6 years the Foundation has systematically photographed several thousand polychrome vases, incense burners, figurines, and other examples of pre-Columbian art which have never previously been studied or published. Research, aided originally by the National Science Foundation, subsequently in part by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities through the Tikal Iconography Project of George Kubler (Yale University-Department of History of Art), and currently by a grant from Dumbarton Oaks Trustees for Harvard University will be presented in 11 lavishly illustrated large format monographs on diverse topics covering the art, architecture, and archaeology of the high civilizations of Mexico, Guatemala, and Honduras. Au-

thored by Nicholas M. Hellmuth, these handsomely produced monographs utilize color as well as full page size photographs to record completely important artifacts so that students and scholars can have this material available for comparative studies in the future.

Free literature and additional information may be obtained by writing: Carol Hester, Foundation for Latin American Anthropological Research, 4 Ave. 8-72, Zone 1, Guatemala City, Guatemala, Central America.

JOURNALS & NEWSLETTERS

HISPAMERICA

Hispanérica, Revista de Literatura has moved. The new address is 1402 Erskine Street, Takoma Park, Maryland 20012. Subscriptions are being accepted for year IV (issues 10,11,12) at these rates: students, \$6; non-students, \$10; institutions and libraries \$15. Back issues and a limited number of sample copies are available. Address all correspondence to Saúl Sosnowski, Editor, at the address above.

THE QUARTERLY REVIEW OF FILM STUDIES

As of September 1, 1975, Michael Silverman, Director, Film Studies Program, Brown University, will be editor of the Quarterly Review of Film Studies. Ronald Gottesman, Director, Humanities Center, University of Southern California, will be associate editor. Please address all editorial correspondence to: Michael Silverman, Editor, Quarterly Review of Film Studies, Film Studies Program, Box 1852, Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island 02912.

EL VISITANTE DOMINICAL

El Visitante Dominical is the first and only major religious publication for the nation's Spanish-speaking Catholics. It presents the Latin point of view on religious, social and economic issues. It serves as a means of information about the national and international reality of the Catholic community developing the cultural and traditional values of the Hispanic people. It contains lively, full-color features. Edited weekly for Mexicans, Puerto Ricans and Cubans, subscriptions sell for \$6.50 per year. For further information contact El Visitante Dominical, P.O. Box 920 Huntington, Indiana 46750.

PERSONAL

J. OSCAR ALERS, formerly of The Population Council, has accepted a new position as Research Director of the Puerto Rican Institute for Social Research, Flushing, New York.

MARVIN ALISKY (Arizona State University) did research at the following institutions: the International Union of Local Government Authorities at The Hague, Netherlands; the International Press Institute in Zurich; the Swiss federal capital in Bern, the International Labor Office in Geneva, and at Portuguese government offices in Lisbon. His "Industria del acero en México" was in Veritas in May; his second edition of Peruvian Political Perspectives was reissued in June.

ALBERTO CIRIA (Simon Fraser University) has been awarded a Canada Council Leave Fellowship (1975/76) during his sabbatical year. He will undertake research on class, ideology and dependence in Argentina, Mexico, Peru and Cuba. He has also been invited to do research at the Centro de Estudios Latinoamericanos (UNAM, Mexico City) from October to December of this year.

CARLOS E. CORTES (University of California-Riverside) gave two presentations for the National Seminar on the Teaching of Latin American Studies this summer at the University of New Mexico. He also served on the Ethnic Studies Guidelines Task Force of the National Council for Social Studies.

RAWLE FARLEY (SUNY-Brockport) has been appointed as a member of the SUNY Commission on Purposes and Priorities.

MARY LOWENTHAL FELSTINER (San Francisco State University) received the 1974 Hubert Herring Memorial Award of the Pacific Coast Council on Latin American Studies for her article "Kinship Politics in the Chilean Independence Movement."

PETER F. KLAREN (George Washington University) was awarded a Mellon Foundation Fellowship in the Humanities to attend the Aspen Institute for Humanistic Studies during the past summer. In addition to pursuing his own research, Professor Klarén participated in a series of seminars and workshops while in Aspen. He was promoted to Associate Professor of History, effective September, 1975.

MERI KMASTER has signed a publishing contract with G.K. Hall & Co. in Boston for her bibliography on women in Latin America which is currently in progress. Expected publishing date is at the end of 1976.

JOHN A. LENT (Temple University) has received word that Bucknell University Press will publish his book, Grasping for the Paraphernalia of Modernity: The Commonwealth Caribbean Mass Media, 1717-1972. His articles on the Caribbean media have appeared recently in Caribbean Studies, Journal of Communication, Journalism Quarterly, Combroad, IPI Report and Journal of Broadcasting.

CHRISTOPHER H. LUTZ (University of Wisconsin-Madison) will begin a one-year visiting appointment this fall at Antioch College, History Department. His dissertation, shortly to be completed, entitled "Santiago de Guatemala, 1541-1773: The Socio-Demographic

History of a Spanish American Colonial City" will be translated and published by the Instituto de Antropologia e Historia de Guatemala.

R. MICHAEL MALEK (University of South Alabama) presented a paper entitled "Rafael L. Trujillo, Rise of a Caribbean Dictatorship: Revisionist Critique" to the 89th Annual Convention of the AHA in Chicago, December 30, 1974, and announces that the entire panel entitled "Modern Caribbean Dictators: Revisionist Critiques" has been accepted for publication by the Revista/Review Interamericana (Inter-American University, Puerto Rico). He has also published an article entitled "Relating Selden Rodman and Haitian Literati to the Teaching of History;" in the Annals (of the SECOLAS), Vol. VI, March, 1975, pp. 123-126. Presently he is working on a textbook and readings tentatively entitled, "Contemporary Culture of the Caribbean and Central America", which he expects to complete in the Fall of 1976.

ROBERT ALLEN MATTER's article "Missions in the Defense of Spanish Florida, 1566-1710" which challenges Bolton's thesis that Christian Indian missions were effective instruments of frontier defense in Colonial Spanish America was published in the Florida Historical Quarterly, LIV (July, 1975).

FRANK D. McCANN (University of New Hampshire) received CLAH's Honorable Mention Award for the 1974 Bolton Prize and the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations' 1975 Stuart L. Bernath Prize for Distinguished Publication for his book The Brazilian-American Alliance, 1937-1945 (Princeton University Press, 1974). He has succeeded John Plank as president of NECLAS (1975-1976), whose fall meeting will be held on October 11, 1975, at the University of Massachusetts-Amherst.

CARMELO MESA-LAGO (University of Pittsburgh) participated in a series of seminars, colloquia, conferences, and hearings concerning rapprochement between the United States and Cuba called by various branches of the U.S. government and prestigious private institutions last spring. Dr. Mesa-Lago either gave papers or acted as a discussant in the following: The Overseas Development Council, Panel on Cuba-U.S. Relations, Washington, D.C., March 11; Council on Foreign Relations, Seminar on Cuba's Future Hemisphere Ties, New York, April 17; OAS Meeting of Chancellors, Washington, D.C., May 8-11; U.S. State Department, Colloquium on U.S.-Cuban Relations, May 22-23; and U.S. House of Representatives, Committee on International Relations, Hearings on U.S.-Cuban Commercial and Diplomatic Relations, May-June.

ROLLAND G. PAULSTON (University of Pittsburgh) was installed as President of the Comparative and International Education Society for 1975-1976 at the 19th Annual National Convention in San Francisco. Professor Paulston's recent publications include: "Revolutionary Educational Reform Efforts in Latin America," Pitt Magazine, May, 1975; The Educational System of Cuba, U.S. Office of

Education, 1975; and Cambio social y educacional en Cuba, Editorial Paidós, 1975.

JAMES W. PARK (University of Kansas) completed his dissertation entitled "Rafael Núñez and the Politics of Colombian Regionalism, 1875-1885," and has accepted a position in the History Department at Siena College in Loudonville, New York.

CHARLES L. STANSIFER (University of Kansas) has replaced William J. Griffith as director of the University of Kansas' Center of Latin American Studies. Dr. Griffith has returned to full-time teaching in the Department of History.

O. CARLOS STOETZER participated as a discussant in a panel on "Politics in the Commonwealth Caribbean" at the first organizational meeting and conference of the Caribbean Studies Association held in San Juan, Puerto Rico, January 8-11, 1975. He also gave a lecture on "APRA and its impact on Modern Peruvian History" at the Free University of Berlin, Germany, on July 13, 1975.

JOHN THEODORE's article "The Church and Managerial Education in Latin America: Past and Present Trends" has been accepted for publication in a future issue of the Latin American Digest.

FRANK VIRDEN has returned from seven months' research in Peru as an OAS fellow. He studied the educational reform program with the assistance of Dr. Antonio Pinilla, Rector of the University of Lima.

PERSONALS CORRECTION

In the Personals section in the June, 1975 Newsletter it was indicated that Professor MAGNUS MÖRNER was Andrew Mellon Professor of History at the University of Pittsburgh. Rather, he accepted an appointment to a Visiting Andrew Mellon Professorship in History the academic year 1975-76. It was also indicated that Prof. Morner had been a visiting professor at Queens College-CUNY when he held a chair there for several years. The Newsletter regrets these errors.

REGIONAL

PACIFIC COAST COUNCIL ON LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES (PCCLAS)

The Twenty-First Annual Meeting of PCCLAS will be held October 23-25, 1975, at the Hilton Hotel in Fresno, California. A varied program is planned with sessions on anthropology, theatre, La Raza, women, film, sociology, the military, multinational corporations, etc. Special guest speakers will be the noted Mexican historian, Dr. Edmundo O'Gorman, and Dr. Marlene de Rios, anthropologist at

California State University, Fullerton. The 1975 Hubert Herring Memorial Awards in Latin American Studies will be presented at this meeting.

WASHINGTON

NEW STATE DEPARTMENT RESEARCH PROGRAM

The Department of State has added a new dimension to its contract research program which should be of special interest to Latin Americanists. This will seek to develop analyses and policy concepts on aspects of world affairs of central importance to the successful conduct of U.S. foreign relations in the mid-term future. The purpose is to expand productive dialogue between foreign affairs scholars in universities or other research institutions and officers in the State Department and elsewhere in the U.S. Government.

This year (Fiscal-1976) the program will focus on for broad topics:

- The Dynamics of Inter-American Relations
 - The Political Dynamics and International Relations of the People's Republic of China
 - The Political Dynamics and International Relations of the USSR
 - Critical Problems of International Interdependence
- Within each topic:

- research organizations and scholars will be invited to propose specific research projects which they believe will illuminate aspects of the topic having an important bearing on U.S. foreign relations in the mid-term;
- contract awards will be made to those proposers whose projects are competitively judged most likely to contribute to improved policy thinking in the U.S. Government; and
- it is anticipated that research conducted under an award will be carried out on an unclassified basis with open publication of results.

Planning is proceeding on the assumption that about \$600,000 will be available in Fiscal-1976 for this program and that this amount will be allocated in roughly equal portions to each of the four topics. Within each of these areas, therefore, it is not likely that the Department will be able to make more than two or three awards.

Additional information is available in a draft Work Statement which has been sent to a number of research institutions and individuals. Copies of this statement for the Inter-American Relations topic may be obtained from Daniel Fendrick, Senior Program Officer, Office of External Research, U.S. Department of State, Washington, D.C. 20520. Formal requests for proposals, based on this draft statement will be sent later to those institutions and individuals who indicate an interest in the program.

COMMITTEE PROCEEDINGS AVAILABLE

The Hearings before the Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs are now available through the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations. Entitled U.S. Relations with Latin America, the transcript records the proceedings of Senator McGee's Subcommittee meetings on February 21, 26, 27, and 28, 1975.

The observations of Congressman Whalen on his recent trip to Cuba are available from either the Committee on International Relations or from the Congressman's office. The booklet entitled Cuba Study Mission, could be helpful to anyone planning a Cuba study.

SENATOR McGOVERN'S REPORT ON CUBA AVAILABLE

Senator George S. McGovern's report to the U.S. Senate Committee on Foreign Relations concerning his recent visit to Cuba has been published. The report, entitled Cuban Realities: May 1975, may be obtained from the U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C.

CLEARINGHOUSE FOR WOMEN AUTHORS OF THE AMERICAS

A newly-formed non-profit organization has been created to serve and advance the literature of, and about, the Latin American woman and Spanish-speaking people of the United States. In addition to collecting and distributing books by and about these women, and publishing a catalogue of available books, the organization plans an authors' and speakers' bureau, and the establishment of a library. A monthly newsletter, annual subscription \$12.00, will contain bibliographical information, reviews, abstracts, and lists of documents available. Authors, critics and professors are invited to contribute their work for consideration (2 copies). For further information, contact: Clearinghouse for Women Authors of the Americas (CWAA), P.O. Box 42007, San Francisco, California 94142.

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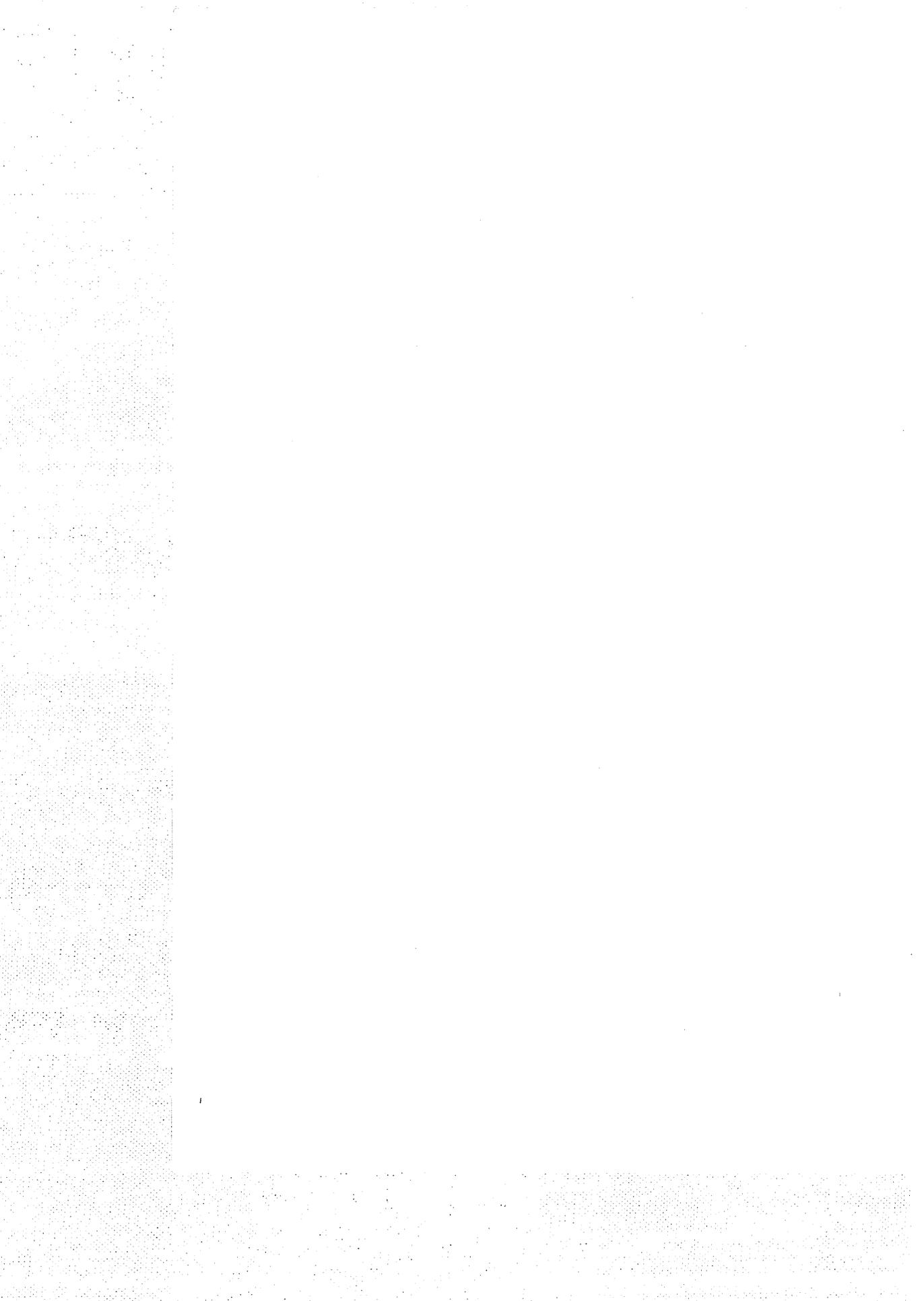
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The Latin American Studies Association is a charitable and educational body. It is a national, non-profit learned society of scholars and specialists that fosters the interests, both educational and professional, of persons concerned with the study of Latin America and that promoted education through more effective teaching, training, and research. The Association provides both a forum and an instrumentality for treating matters of common interest to the scholarly disciplines and to individuals concerned with Latin American studies.

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ORGANIZATION

The activities of the Association are directed by an Executive Council of nine scholars, including the immediate Past President, President, Vice-President (President-Elect for the following year), and six elected members, two of whom are elected annually by the voting membership of the Association. The several scholarly programs of the Association are fostered by committees appointed by the Executive Council including Scholarly Resources, ECALAS, Academic Freedom and Human Rights, U.S. Press Coverage of Latin America, Teaching of Latin American Studies at All Levels, Women in Latin American Studies, Regional Liaison, and LARR Editorial Board, as well as ad hoc committees for special research and inter-American liaison.

CONSORTIUM OF LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES PROGRAMS (CLASP)

The Consortium is the national organization of institutions of higher education offering study related to Latin America and is in effect the institutional arm of LASA. Formed in the fall of 1968, the Consortium provides the institutional dimension for the realization of the educational purposes of the Association. Cooperative activities are arranged through the Steering Committee of the Consortium, while liaison is maintained through the Executive Secretariat which serves both organizations. Annual dues for 1975 are \$50. 1975 Steering Committee: Doris J. Turner, Capn. (Kent State U.), Eugenio Chang-Rodríguez (Queens Coll./CUNY), Carl W. Deal (U. of Illinois), John J. Finan (American U.), Philip F. Flemion (San Diego State U.) Marshall R. Nason (U. of New Mexico), G. Micheal Riley (U. of Wisconsin-Milwaukee), Philip B. Taylor, Jr. (U. of Houston), Miriam Williford (Winthrop Coll.).

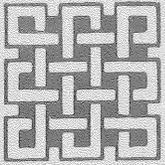
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