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## ANNOUNCEMENT

The Executive Board of the Society for American Archaeology is pleased to announce that it has decided to transform the *American Antiquity Memoir* series into a special publication series entitled *SAA Papers*. One *SAA Paper* per year will be published and distributed free of charge to the membership of the SAA.

It is planned that each volume will consist of a collection of papers concerned with a significant thematic topic. It is expected that all papers will address a common theoretical or methodological theme and that they will be useful to a broad spectrum of the profession. Each volume will be produced under the direction of a volume editor. Collections concentrating on a restricted geographic region or time frame will be acceptable if their orientation and interpretive framework would be useful to more than just specialists in that region. Special consideration will be given to those proposals that might not have great appeal to commercial publishers.

An editorial committee has been formed to select the volumes, consisting of Steven LeBlanc (University of New Mexico), Chair; Christopher Peebles (University of Michigan); Polly Bickel (San Francisco State University); and Jeremy Sabloff (University of New Mexico), *ex officio*. The committee is currently accepting volume proposals, with the first volume to be selected in November 1978. Proposals or questions about the series should be sent to Dr. Steven LeBlanc, Department of Anthropology, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, 87131.

A proposal should consist of (1) a short (4-5 page) justification for the volume topic analogous to the volume preface, by the proposed editor, and (2) 500-word abstracts for the papers to be included in the proposed volume. If paper commentaries or a synthesis are planned, justification should be included for the selection of these authors.

As the choice of volumes is of necessity conditioned by the capabilities of the volume editor, the committee would like a vita or other supporting documentation of his or her ability to function in this capacity.