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GRANTS, AWARDS, PRIZES

AID Begins New Grants Program for Overseas Population Research

The U. S. Agency for International Development announced in early 1968 a limited Institutional Grants Program for family planning and population research. A document containing policy criteria and procedures of the new grants program is to be available from AID; essentially, the present guidelines of the infant program call for a limitation to \$10 million per fiscal year, to be used for grants to research and educational institutions in the United States for the purpose of strengthening their capacity to develop and carry out programs concerned with the economic and social progress of less developed countries. Two grants have already been made: \$1 million to the Carolina Population Center, University of North Carolina, for a two-year period of expansion of research facilities, and \$400,000 to the Johns Hopkins Population Unit, Johns Hopkins University, for research over two years on effective administration of family planning programs. Institutions interested in possible future participation should consult Erven J. Long, director, AID Research and Institutional Grants, SA-10, Agency for International Development, Washington, D. C. 20523.

American Council of Learned Societies Sponsors Fellows

The American Council of Learned Societies (ACLS) cooperates with the Smithsonian Institution in offering fellowships for scholars wishing to en-

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gage in independent research in the various fields of history and the arts related to the activities of the Smithsonian: American cultural, social and political history; military and naval history; history of art; and history of science and technology. Fellows are generally expected to pursue their research at the Smithsonian. Those appointed will be designated ACLS Fellows in Residence at the Smithsonian Institution and will be provided with working space and access to collections and library resources. Tenure is for four months to one year, beginning after July 1 of the year in which the fellowship is awarded. Stipends are based upon the Fellow's regular salary, with allowances for travel to and from Washington, D. C. Deadline for receipt of applications for the upcoming year's fellowships is around January 1, 1969. Inquiries for information or application forms should be addressed to Miss Marie J. Medina, Administrative Assistant for Fellowships and Grants, ACLS, 345 East 46th Street, New York, N. Y. 10017.

Postdoctoral Grants Made by American Philosophical Society

The American Philosophical Society has small grants available for post-doctoral research in all fields of learning; they average \$1000 and seldom exceed \$2000. The grants are intended to assist the recipient in his travel expenses, materials and equipment purchases, and assistance personnel salaries. Competence for scholarly research and writing in the form of published articles or books is generally required of the grant candidates by the Committee on Research, which administers the grants. Applications are supplied to individuals on request and must be submitted at least six weeks before the date of the meeting of the Committee at which they are to be considered; the committee meets five times a year, in the first weeks of February, April, June, October, and December. Further information is available from the Committee on Research, American Philosophical Society, 104 South Fifth Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19106.

American Psychological Foundation Has Funds for Foreign Research

The American Psychological Foundation (APF) has set aside funds for the support of research by recent post-doctoral foreign students trained in American and Canadian universities and returning to their own countries. Grants are ordinarily limited to \$500; they are designed to enable research to get underway, through purchase of equipment or employment of clerical or statistical assistance, rather than support large projects. Applications are normally received until October of each year for the following year of research; the candidate, upon applying, should describe the type of research to be undertaken and specify the uses to which the APF funds will be put. Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Grants is Charles E. Osgood, University of Illinois, Urbana, 61801.

Bulletin on U. S. Government Grants Issued

Issued by the Committee on International Exchange of Persons, the *Bulletin of United States Government Grants under the Fulbright-Hays Act* appears at irregular intervals to inform faculties of American colleges and universities of lecturing opportunities abroad under the U. S. Government Educational Exchange Program. Eligibility requirements for the Fulbright-Hays lectureships listed in the bulletin include U. S. citizenship at the time of application, college or university teaching experience at the level for which application is made, and knowledge of the language of the host country. Grants are tenable in one country, usually for the academic year of that country; round trip travel for the grantee is provided, as well as incidental allowances for living costs, books and services essential to the assignment. Details on terms for a particular country are available on request. Applications for the lecturing appointments are accepted until the Committee has secured candidates who will definitely be nominated for a given period. American scholars are invited to submit their names for the mailing list for the bulletin as well as announcements of awards for advanced research abroad. Information is available from the Committee on International Exchange of Persons, Conference Board of Associated Research Councils, 2101 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C. 20418.

University of Essex Has Fellowships for Latin Americans

The Latin American Centre of the University of Essex intends over a five-year period to invite approximately six Latin American university professors and postgraduate students to Essex each year. Visiting posts are to be represented by: one Senior Fellowship, 3000 pounds; one Junior Fellowship, 1500 pounds; and four Graduate Studentships, at 550 pounds each. Travel costs are to be included; allowance for dependents is to be included in the cases of the fellowships. Candidates in the fields of art, art history, literature, government, sociology, economics, mathematics, physics, chemistry, and electrical engineering are encouraged to apply at any time before March 1969 for the 1969–70 awards. Information regarding application procedures or the fellowships themselves is available from Simon Collier, director, Latin American Centre, University of Essex, Wivenhoe Park, Colchester, Essex, England.

Ford Foundation Has Faculty Fellowships in Economics, Political Science, and Sociology

It is anticipated that a program of faculty fellowships in economics, political science, and sociology will be continued for 1969–70. Completion of promising research on important problems in the three areas is the purpose of the fellowships; awardees are enabled to devote full time for one academic year to research of their own choosing. Nominations must be submitted by depart-

ment chairmen, who are supplied with necessary nomination forms during the fall 1968. Nominees must hold a doctoral degree or the equivalent, be younger than 45 years of age, and must submit a well-defined project. Stipends are based on the awardees' salaries at the time of nomination, or for foreign fellows, on the corresponding U. S. salary for which they would normally be eligible. Approximately 40 awards are made annually. Nominations must be received by the Ford Foundation by January 1, 1969.

Guggenheim Foundation Has Fellowships for Postdoctoral Scholars, Creative Artists

The John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation offers fellowships to further the development and independent research of scholars and artists, by making it possible for them to pursue research in any field of knowledge or in any of the fine arts. Fellowships are not available for studies by undergraduate or graduate students; fellows chosen will have already demonstrated high productive capacity and scholarship. Two series of fellowships are awarded annually. One is open to citizens and permanent residents of the United States and Canada; the other is for the other western hemisphere nations, French, Dutch, and British possessions in the hemisphere, and the Philippines. Appointments for both series are generally for one year duration, though the Committee of Selection will consider requests for periods as short as six months. The amount of each grant is adjusted to the needs of the fellow, with consideration given to other resources and the purpose and scope of his planned studies. Application forms for the 1969-70 competition for U. S.-Canada fellowships may be requested from the Foundation, 90 Park Avenue, New York, N. Y. 10016; they must be returned by October 15, 1968, for awards to be announced in March 1969. For the western hemisphere-Philippines fellowships, deadline for application is December 1, 1968, for awards to be announced the following July. Application forms for the latter series may be obtained from the Foundation, from consulates in the United States, or from regional representatives: Arq. Carlos Contreras, Edificio La Nacional, Despacho 1004, Avenida Juárez 4, México, D. F., Mexico; Dr. Luis Baudizzone, San Martín 345, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Dr. Joaquín Luco, Universidad Católica de Chile, Santiago, Chile.

Fellowships Offered for Demographic Study by Population Council

The Population Council has fellowships for predoctoral and postdoctoral study in demography at appropriate universities in the United States and other countries. Training in sociology, economics, biostatistics, and other related fields may form part of a total program for each fellow. Plan of study and choice of university are made by the applicant. Awards are made in February or March of each year for the following school year. Applications for the Demographic

Fellowships for 1969–70 should be received by December 31, 1968. Information is available from the Population Council, 245 Park Avenue, New York, N. Y. 10017.

Premio Rómulo Gallegos, Premio Primera Plana to Latin American Novelists

The Premio Rómulo Gallegos, sponsored by the Instituto de Cultura y Bellas Artes, Venezuela, was awarded in 1967 to Peruvian writer Mario Vargas Llosa for his novel *La Casa Verde*. The prize consists of some \$22,000 and is considered one of the more important in Latin America; the author was presented the award at a ceremony in Caracas in August 1967.

The annual prize sponsored by the Argentine journal *Primera Plana*, for Latin American writers, was won in 1967 by Argentine writer Daniel Moyano, with his novel *El Coronel Oscuro*.

RECENT DEATHS

Walter Blumenfeld died in June 1967, at the age of 85. His research interests, in Dresden, Germany until 1934, and later as director of the Instituto de Psicología Experimental y Psicotecnia, Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos, Lima, Peru, were primarily in educational psychology. Among his numerous publications are *Valor y Valorización* (1959), *La Juventud como Situación Conflictiva* (1962), and *Contribuciones Críticas y Constructivas a la Problemática de la Ética* (1966).

Eusebio Dávalos Hurtado died in January 1968, at the age of 59. A surgeon and physical anthropologist, Dávalos had since 1956 served as director general of the Instituto Nacional de Antropología e Historia, Mexico City, where he headed up many projects to establish regional anthropological museums and restore and preserve national monuments of earlier cultures. A substantial number of scholarly articles by Dávalos have been published in Mexican, French, and United States journals.

James A. Ford, curator of archaeology at

the Florida Museum, died in Gainesville, February 25, 1968. Upon his death, Ford had been preparing a study of the pottery-making cultures of Mexico and Middle American areas. Earlier field work had been done in Colombia and Peru, in addition to his studies on Eskimo culture in Alaska and prehistoric sites in the lower Mississippi valley.

José Eulogio Garrido, distinguished journalist, folklorist and writer on northern Peru, died in 1967. In his later years, Garrido occupied the post of director of the Museo Arqueológico of the National University of Trujillo, and organized its first journal, appropriately named *Chimor*. He helped orient at least two generations of visiting scholars to the archaeology and ethnology of the North Coast.

Jose Guimaraes Rosa, regarded by many as the most important novelist in contemporary Brazilian letters, died in Rio de Janeiro in November 1967. A week before his death, he had been awarded a chair in the Brazilian Academy of Letters. His first novel *Sagaraiá* (1946) has become a classic in his country.