

## Seminar Announcement

### International Seminar on the History of the Atlantic World, 1500-1800

Applications are invited for participation in the first of four annual week-long seminars, to meet at **Harvard University** in early September 1996. Participants, for whom travel and accommodation will be provided, must be recent recipients of the Ph.D. or its equivalent, or advanced doctoral students engaged in creative research on aspects of Atlantic history that involve in some way the region that became the United States. Up to 25 members of the Seminar will be drawn from the nations of Western Europe and Africa, and they will be joined by a smaller number of Americans, also at an early stage of their careers, for presentation of work in progress, discussions of the theme of the Seminar, and exchange of views with senior scholars. It is hoped that some of the expenses of the American participants will be defrayed by their own universities.

The participants in the Seminar and its theme will change each year. The theme for the first meeting, in September 1996, will be *The Movement of People: Mobility and Migration, Recruitment and Resettlement*. In future years, the Seminar will turn to topics in political, economic, and cultural history.

The Seminar, under the auspices of the Charles Warren Center for Studies in American History and supported by the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, is directed by Professor Bernard Bailyn.

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